

18th Annual NOFA-NH Winter Conference

February 8, 2020 - Kearsarge Regional High School 457 North Road, N. Sutton, NH 03260

AG=Advanced Growers AB=Ag Business BF=Beginning Farmers CS=Carbon/Soils GH=Gardening/Homesteading HN=Health/Nutrition LA=Livestock/Animals PA=Policy/Advocacy
PP=Permaculture Principles SG=School Gardens SJ=Social Justice

SCHEDULE

7:30 - 8:30 am - Registration, Breakfast, Green Market Fair

SESSION I - 8:30 - 9:45 am

WORKSHOP	PRESENTERS	TRACK	ROOM #
Veganic Farming - Even if You're Not Vegan	Will Bonsall		
An Apple a Day: Growing Organic Apples - Part I	Ron Christie		
Companion Planting	Willamina Coroka		
Grain Production on a Diversified Vegetable Farm	Noah Courser-Kellerman		
Silvopasture In Practice - Part I	Steve Gabriel		
School Gardens: Experiential Learning & Curricular Connections	Jess Gerrior; Beth Roy		
Herbal and Natural Support for Pain & Inflammation	Maria Noel Groves		
Basics in Beekeeping	Troy Hall		
We Made A Thing: A Collaborative Effort to Reclaim Creative Time	Sarah Hansen		
Developing an Energy, Food, and Community Positive Agricultural Neighborhood	Ian McSweeney; Carter Scott		
Organic Certification 101	Alice Tuson		
Building a Regenerative Agricultural System using No-Till Permanent Raised Beds	Jennifer Wilhelm		

9:45 - 10:00 am - BREAK - Coffee & Snacks, Green Market Fair

SESSION II - 10:00 - 11:15 am		TRACK	ROOM #
WORKSHOP	PRESENTERS		
Making Your Farm/Garden Produce It's Own Fertility	Will Bonsall		
An Apple a Day: Growing Organic Apples - Part II	Ron Christie		
The Winter CSA	Sophie Courser-Kellerman		
Silvopasture in Practice - Part II	Steve Gabriel		
Perky, Calm, and Alert: Backyard Herbs for Mental Wellbeing	Maria Noel Groves		
Beekeeping in New England – Seasonal Management, Treatment-Free/Organically	Troy Hall		
Growing Kiwiberries in New England	William Hastings		
Wintertime Lambing Management	David Kennard		
Creating the Local Agrarian Commons	Amy Manzelli; Ian McSweeney; Jeremiah Vernon		
Using School Garden Produce to Cook with Kids in the Classroom	Stacey Purslow		
Raising More and Better Food While Easing Climate Change Through Building Soil Carbon	Julie Rawson & Jack Kittredge		

11:15 am - 12:00 pm - Bulk Order Q&A	Denise Rico		
12:00 - 12:45 pm - The CRAFT of Farming - Peer-to-Peer Education for Farmers & Farm Workers	Nikki Kolb; Sam Bower; Sarah Hansen		

11:15 am - 12:00 pm - Lunch A; Green Market Fair & Book Signing

12:00 - 12:45 pm - Lunch B; Green Market Fair & Book Signing

12:45 - 1:15 pm - Awards Ceremony, NOFA-NH Annual Meeting - Auditorium

1:15 - 2:00 pm - Panel: *"Organic Land Care: NH's Movement Towards More Sustainable Lawns and Common Areas"*

SESSION III - 2:00 - 3:00 pm			
WORKSHOP	PRESENTERS	TRACK	ROOM #
Panel Presentation from School & Youth Garden and Ag Education Organizations	Stephanie Aubert; Hanna Flanders; Andrew Morin		
An Apple a Day: Growing Organic Apples - Part III	Ron Christie		
Principles of Permaculture	Jack Eaton		
Nut Trees for Northern New England	Buzz Ferver; Nicko Rubin		
Tree Fodder for Livestock Food & Medicine - Part I	Steve Gabriel		
Farming (and Gardening) on the Wild Side	John & Nancy Hayden		
Integrating Chestnuts on New Hampshire Farms: Responding to Ecosystems in a Shifting Climate	Erin Kassis		
Kitchen Witching Part I: The Counter Culture of Wild Fermentation	Jessica Labrie		
The Wild, Wacky, Wonderful World of Winter Squash	Jack Mastrianni		
No-Till Vegetable Farming - Part I	Bryan O'Hara		

SESSION IV - 3:15 - 4:15 pm

WORKSHOP	PRESENTERS	TRACK	ROOM #
Year-Round Indoor Salad Gardening: How to Grow Nutrient-Dense, Soil-Sprouted Greens in Less Than 10 Days	Peter Burke		
Real Organic - Why Does It Matter?	Dave Chapman		
An Apple a Day: Growing Organic Apples	Ron Christie		
Woody Plant Propagation and Grafting Demonstration	Buzz Ferver; Nicko Rubin		
Bee Hive Construction	Randy Fleury		
Tree Fodder for Livestock Food & Medicine - Part II	Steve Gabriel		
Edible Landscaping for People, Pollinators and Birds	John & Nancy Hayden		
Options for Extending Your Grazing Season	David Kennard		
Kitchen Witching Part II: A Cauldron of Winter Wellness	Jessica Labrie		
Alternative Funding and Sustainability Options for School Garden Programs	Winslow; Edith Couchman		
No-Till Vegetable Farming - Part II	Bryan O'Hara		

4:15-5:00 pm - Green Market Fair, Book Signings, Appetizers

5:00 - 6:30 pm - Keynote Speaker **Steve Gabriel**: *"Silvopasture in a Changing Climate "*

7:00 - 9:00 pm - Winter Conference Mixer (11 W Main Street Bradford, NH)