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Event Date	Cost	Quantity	Total	
Feb 15	\$30			
Feb 26	FREE			
April 21	\$15			
May 23	\$15			
May 23-25	Register at pasafarming.org			
June 3	\$15			
June 16	\$15			
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August 2	\$15			
August 24	\$15			
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Nov 10	\$15			
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Tractor Operation & Maintenance

February 2 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Penn State University's Ag Arena University Park, PA (Centre County)

In collaboration with PASA & presented by PSU Ag Engineers Doug Schaufler & Aaron Yoder this preconference track demonstrates safe operating practices and equipment maintenance for tractors and implements. Register: http://bit.ly/Feb2Reg

Websites for Farmers

February 15 4:00-8:00 p.m.

Penn State Lehigh Valley Campus Center Valley, PA (Lehigh County)

Organized by Lehigh County Extension to help farmers establish a web presence. Participants will walk away with a functioning website. \$30
Register: http://bit.ly/Feb15Reg

Living the Good Life

February 26 9:30 a.m.—4:15 p.m.

Eden Hall Campus, Chatham University Richland Township, PA (Allegheny County)

Organized by PA-WAgN Regional Representatives, this western region one-day networking symposium & potluck lunch guarantees a day of inspiration and laughter. FREE EVENT. Please bring a luncheon dish to share.

Register: http://bit.ly/Feb26Reg

Goatmilk Soapmaking for Fun & Profit

April 21 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Cherry Hill Farm
Tyrone, PA (Blair County)

Hosted by farmer Beth Futrick, & presented by seasoned goatmilk soapmaker Diane Wiest, this hands-on soapmaking demonstration also provides supply sources and marketing tips. \$15

Register: http://bit.ly/Apr21Reg

Preserving Clover Creek

May 23 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Mill Hill Dairy & Ojala Farm Williamsburg, PA (Blair County)

Organized in collaboration with Blair County
Conservation District, NRCS, PDA, & Chesapeake Bay
Foundation, this workshop will explain funding available
to keep streams clean and farms profitable. \$15
Register: http://bit.ly/May23Reg

Mob Grazing with Ian Mitchell-Innes

May 23-25

Kananga Farm Ligonier, PA (Westmoreland County)

This PA-WAgN/PASA collaborative workshop offers a three-day intensive mob/ultra high stock density grazing learning opportunity. (cost to be determined)

Register: http://pasafarming.org

Rodale Institute Workshop & Tour

June 3 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Rodale Institute
Kutztown, PA (Berks County)

Join PA-WAgN for an annual tour of Rodale's research fields and an introduction to Rodale's Transition to Organics online course. \$15

Register: http://bit.ly/June3Reg

Cooperative Marketing

June 16 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Silver Wheel Farm Harrisville, PA (Butler County)

This workshop explains the obstacles and rewards Western Pennsylvania growers have encountered in running a collaborative CSA. Farmers will share their collaborative marketing experiences. \$15 Register: http://bit.ly/June16Reg

Exotic Mushrooms from PA Fields & Forest

July 28 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Quiet Creek Herb Farm & School of Country Living Brookville, PA (Jefferson County)

Tom Patterson from Wild Purveyors, LLC and Penn State forestry expert Eric Burkhart will guide participants on a chanterelle mushroom hunt. The workshop will explain how to make foraging fun and profitable. This workshop has been organized in collaboration with PASA. \$15 Register: http://bit.ly/July28Reg

Hands-on Shearing to Spinning

August 2 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Bookamer Family Farm
Meadville, PA (Crawford County)

Fiber expert Billy Bookhamer will teach this hands-on workshop that takes participants from shearing sheep to washing, carding, and spinning the wool. \$15
Register: http://bit.ly/Aug2Reg

Urban Farming: A Safe Place to Grow

August 24 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Joshua Farm

Harrisburg, PA (Dauphin County)

In the heart of PA's capital city, learn how Joshua Farm provides affordable healthy food & job opportunities to a low-income community. \$15

Register: http://bit.ly/Aug24Reg

Field to Loaf: Selling Home Baked Bread

September 15 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

Yeehaw Farm

Duncannon, PA (Perry County)

From growing, harvesting, and grinding wheat to baking, marketing, and selling bread, learn how Yeehaw Farm adds value to its crops. \$15

Register: http://bit.ly/Sept15Reg

Growing Highbush Blueberries

November 10 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Prospect Meadow Berry Farm Prospect, PA (Butler County)

Learn to plant, mulch, and prune blueberries during this $% \left(\mathbf{r}\right) =\left(\mathbf{r}\right)$

hands-on workshop. \$15

Register: http://bit.ly/Nov10Reg

