

# East Ohio Women in Agriculture Conference



## Who should attend:

Women and Young Women (high school age) who are interested, involved, or want to become involved in food, agriculture, natural resources, or small business.

2007 USDA Census data showed that the number of women farm operators was significantly large for our area of the state.

Stark, Wayne, Holmes and Ashtabula counties were four of the nine counties in the state who had over 600 women farm operators.

Friday

March 28, 2014

9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

Kent State University, Tuscarawas  
Science & Technology Building  
330 University Drive NE  
New Philadelphia, OH 44663

\$55 adults/ \$30 Students

Registration Deadline: March 14

For more information:

740-622-2265

Register on-line with credit card at  
[www.regonline.com/womeninageast](http://www.regonline.com/womeninageast)  
or complete and send this registration  
form.



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**Event Schedule**

- 9:00 Registration, Network Fair & Light Refreshments
- 9:30 Welcome, Lucille Hastings
- 10:00 Breakout 1
- 11:00 Breakout 2
- 12:00 Buffet Lunch
- 12:45 Key Note: *How Well Do You Know Your Legal System?*, Peggy Kirk Hall
- 1:40 Breakout 3
- 2:40 Closing and Door Prizes



**Break Out Tracks & Sessions**

Track	Community Connections	Food & Family	Business & Finance	Grow It, Make It, Sell It!
<b>Breakout Session 1</b>	1-A Farm Based Education – Heather Neikirk, OSU Extension, Stark Co.	1-B Cooking with Herbs – Kate Shumaker, OSU Extension, Holmes Co.	1-C Small Business Resources – Stephen Schillig, Ohio Small Business Development Center	1-D Direct Marketing Your Business - Marissa Mullett, Keene Creek Farm
<b>Breakout Session 2</b>	2-A Be a Good Neighbor – Sandy Smith, OSU Extension, Carroll Co.	2-B Clutter Busters – Chris Kendle, OSU Extension, Tuscarawas Co.	2-C Farm Transition – Chris Zoller, OSU Extension, Tuscarawas Co.	2-D Cottage Foods – Emily Adams, OSU Extension, Coshocton Co.
<b>Breakout Session 3</b>	3-A Ag Advocacy – Ohio Farm Bureau	3-B Mindfulness/Reducing Stress – Melinda Hill, OSU Extension, Wayne Co.	3-C Farm Finance FAQs – Lorrie Lautzenheiser, Dover-Phila Federal Credit Union; Ali Long, Farm Credit Mid-America; Sarah Chronister, Consumers National Bank	3-D Small Scale Gardening – Tammi Rogers, OSU Extension, Coshocton Co.
<b>Special Youth Session</b>	1-Y & 2-Y (Note this session takes place during Breakout Sessions 1 & 2) Young Women in Agriculture – Maddy Buschur, Ohio State FFA President; Mary Beth Siekman, FFA District 6 President; Erika Nigh, FFA District 4 President			

**Registration Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Breakout Sessions: 1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Adult(s) and/or \_\_\_\_\_ Student(s)

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