

Pierce County Soil Conservation District

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Fall
2015

Our Annual Women's Ag Night is Friday, October 30th. It will be held at Rugby Eagles, Social hour is at 6pm, dinner will be at 6:30, dinner will be pulled pork, salads, and a brownie for desert. Following dinner the Red Hat Quilters from Willow City will be displaying their antique quilts.

Dinner and Raffle tickets are available at the office, stop in, call in, or e-mail to reserve your tickets! 126 2nd Ave SW suite 104 or 701-776-2207 ext. 3 or michelle.lowman@nd.nacdnet.net

*Dinner Tickets are also available in the Chamber Office.

There will be a Quilt Raffle with first prize being a Quilt, second prize is a Table Runner. All proceeds are going to Charles Sattler to help pay for medical expenses. Creations by Carla will be making the Quilt and Table Runner.

There will be drawings throughout the night to win door prizes! Door Prizes are Sponsored by the local businesses.

FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS

- October 13th
- November 10th
- December 8th

Meetings are held in the USDA conference room and are open to the public.

District Staff

**Michelle Lowman
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SCD Board Supervisors

**Kevin Heilman
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On September 15th, the 7th grade class from Rugby came out to the Balta Dam and enjoyed learning about the environment. Big thanks to our presenters who came out! Also,



thanks to Shopko for donating the pop! The 7th graders were a pleasure to have! Looking forward to next years' class!

District Services

<u>Tree Planting</u>		\$ 25.00 per 100 linear feet \$ 200.00 minimum charge
	(conventional planter for tilled or no-till sites)	
<u>Handplants</u>	Bare Root stock 25 Ct. Bundle	\$1.50 per tree (\$2/tree at tree sale) \$30.00/per bundle/same species
<u>Fabric Weed Barrier</u>		\$ 55.00 per 100 linear feet \$ 250.00 minimum charge
	<i>A six-foot wide strip of synthetic barrier applied after the trees are planted</i>	\$1.00 per foot (6' wide) (+tax) \$0.50 per foot (4' wide) (+ tax) \$200.00 per roll (6' wide) (+tax) \$100.00 per roll (4' wide) (+tax)
<u>Tree Tube Protectors</u>		\$ 2.50 each (2' protector) (+ tax) \$ 4.50 each (4'-6' protector) (+ tax)
<u>Tree Mats</u>	(available upon request)	\$ 1.50 ea. (3' x 3' / 5 staples) (+ tax)
<u>Tree Spade (moving trees)</u>		\$ 45.00 each /move 1 tree \$ 40.00 each / 2 - 10 trees \$ 35.00 each / 11 or more
	(Plus \$4.00 / loaded mile)	
<u>Plantskydd Deer/Rodent Repellant</u>		
(+ TAX)	1 lb. Soluble Powder Concentrate	\$29.95
	1 Qt Pre-mixed Spray	\$21.95
	1lb Shaker	\$14.95
	1.32 gal Pre-mix jug	\$59.95
<u>Rain Barrels</u>		
(+ tax)	55 gallon barrel, water saver kit, spigot	\$53.50
	55 gallon barrel, water saver kit	\$42.80
	Water saver kit only	\$26.75
<u>Fertilizer Packets</u>		\$1.00/each packet (+ tax)
<u>Fabric Staples</u>		\$0.10/Staple or \$45.00/box of 500(+tax)
<u>Stock Tank Ramp w/o straps</u>		\$60.00 for one
<u>Stock Tank Ramp w/ straps</u>		\$70.00 for one

2016 HANDPLANT ORDER FORM



Pierce County SCD
 126 2nd Ave SW Suite 104
 Rugby, ND 58368
 701-776-2207 x3
 www.piercecountryscd.org

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____
 Date: _____

DEADLINE TO ORDER TREES IS January, 4th, 2016

Deciduous Trees	# of singles	# of bundles
Almond, Russian		
Apricot		
Ash, Green		
Black Cherry		
Boxelder		
Buckeye, Ohio		
Buffaloberry		
Caragana		
Cherry, Nanking		
Cherry, Sand		
Chokecherry, Common		
Chokecherry, Schubert		
Cotoneaster		
Cottonwood, Native		
Cottonwood, Siouxiand		
Midwestern Crabapple		
Currant, Golden		
Dogwood, Redosier		
Elm, Droupmore		
Oahe Hackberry		
Hawthorn, Arnold		
Honeysuckle		
Juneberry		
Lilac, Common		
Lilac, Villosa		
Maple, Amur		
Maple, Silver		
Oak, Bur		
Olive, Russian		
Pear		
Plum, American		
Poplar, Hybrid		
Rose, Hansen Hedge		
Rose, Woods		
Silverberry		
Sumac, Smooth		
Willow, Golden		
Sandbar Willow		
American Linden, big leaf		
American Linden, Little leaf		
Meadowlark Forsythia		
Chokeberry, aronia		
Prairie Sky Poplar		
Siberian Crabapple		
Manchurian Crabapple		
Gooseberry		
NannyBerry		
Lemonade Sumac		
Laurel Leaf Willow		
Hazelnut		
Northern Hackberry		
Total trees		

Bundles of 25 must be of the same species
 Bundle price does not include Tall Stock Trees
 Tall Stock Trees are \$5.00 per tree
 Make checks payable to Pierce County SCD
 All trees are subject to availability from nursery sources
 Trees are for conservation purposes in shelterbelts and windbreaks

Tall Stock Trees - < 1 inch diameter - Subject to availability

Conifer Tree's	# of trees	# of bundles
Black Hills Spruce		
Colorado Blue Spruce		
Siberian Larch		
Rocky Mtn. Juniper		
Ponderosa Pine		
Scotch Pine		
Eastern Red Cedar		
Total Tree's		

	PRICE	# ORDERED	AMT DUE
SINGLE TREES	\$1.50		
BUNDLED TREES (25)	\$30.00		\$
TALL STOCK TREES	\$5.00		\$
			\$

Other Items	PRICE	TREES SUBTOTAL	\$
Plantskydd, 1 qt shaker	\$14.95		\$
Plantskydd, 1 qt spray bottle	\$21.95		\$
Plantskydd, 1 lb box	\$29.95		\$
Plantskydd 3lb Shaker Bag	\$26.70		\$
Tree protector 4'-6'	\$4.50		\$
Fabric Barrier by the foot	\$1.00		\$
Fabric Rolls (6' x 500')	\$200.00		\$
Fabric Rolls (4' x 300')	\$100.00		\$
Tree mats (3' x 3' / 5 staples)	\$1.50		\$
Stock Tank Ramp w/o straps	\$60.00		\$
Stock Tank Ramp w/ straps	\$70.00		\$
Rain Barrel (ready to go)	\$53.50		\$
Water Saver Kit	\$26.75		\$
**Other Items* Tax (7%)			\$
SUBTOTAL			\$

****Non Farmer/Rancher**
 are subject to sales tax
 Please check which apply

Non Farmer/Rancher
 Farmer/Rancher
 (windbreak replacement)

***TREE SALES TAX 7% \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$ _____

100% OF PAYMENT IS DUE AT TIME OF ORDER!

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

AMOUNT DUE _____
 AMOUNT PAID _____
 CHECK # _____
 DATE _____

ENTERED IN SPREADSHEET _____
 ENTERED IN QB _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Cooperator agrees not to hold the SCD or NRCS responsible for the performance of trees or weed control.

EQIP and Practice Payments Available

Practice payments are available through the Natural Resource Conservation Service's EQIP program to address your cropping, grazing, haying, confined animal, farmstead windbreak or wildlife habitat needs.

EQIP is a voluntary program that offers practice payments share to install conservation practices to improve water quality, soil health, and grassland productivity, reduce wind and water erosion, and others. EQIP has funding for conventional producers, producers transitioning to organic systems and certified organic producers. A variety of practices are available through EQIP including livestock wells, pipelines, and tanks, cross fencing, well sealing, precision nutrient management, cover crops, windbreak renovation and replanting, pasture and hay plantings, saline soil management and a number of other practices.

Applications for EQIP are accepted throughout the year but must be submitted by October 16, 2015 for 2016 funding consideration. For more information or to submit an application please stop by or contact the Natural Resources Conservation Service at 701-776-2207 ext 3

Farm and Ranch Transition Planning

Every farm and ranch business needs a succession plan. Farm and Ranch Transition planning continues to be a critical need for North Dakota producers. The average age of a ND farmer/rancher is 57 and many are looking toward retirement and transitioning their business in the near future.

If you follow our NDSU Extension Service – Pierce County Facebook page, you may have seen posts about the “Design Your Succession Plan” meeting series that is being offered at numerous locations across the state this fall and winter.

So far there are 16 “Design Your Succession Plan” workshops being offered at numerous locations across North Dakota this fall and winter with several more locations in the works! Rugby is among one of the 16 confirmed sites and is set for **Dec 7, 8, and 10 at 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. to be held at Dakota Farms.**

The “Design Your Succession Plan” program is a revamped version of our previously offered Farm/Ranch Transition Planning Workshop. This new version is designed to assist farm and ranch families get started on their succession plan and will help them to shape the future ownership of their farm/ranch business. “Design Your Succession Plan” is a multi-session workshop developed to help families:

- **Get started** on a succession plan using a workbook during the workshop,
- **Open lines of communication** in the family to create a shared vision for the family business extending into the next generation.

Work with professionals to construct a plan and documents that put the family’s vision into action.

In preparation for these meetings NDSU Extension Service is also providing weekly e-tips on succession planning for farm and ranch families. Please visit our NDSU Extension Service – Pierce County Facebook page to subscribe and receive the weekly succession e-tips by email or follow this link to subscribe and receive the weekly succession e-tips by email: <http://bit.ly/DYSPTips> or call the Pierce County Extension office at 776-6234 for more information.

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We do have our tree spade up and running, so if you need tree's moved please call us!

If you could please send us an updated e-mail/and or address that would be great!

...Upcoming Events

October 13th: Board Meeting at 8:30

October 16th: Equip Application Deadline(NRCS)

October 30th: Women's Ag Night