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2023 Union SWCD Annual Tree Sale to be held on April 15!

Mark your calendars for this year's tree sale!
The sale will be held at the Union County Agricultural
Center parking lot and we will be conducting the sale as a
drive through event again this year.

Evergreens will be sold in packets of 25 for \$30/pkt
Colorado Blue Spruce , Concolor Fir, and White Pine

Hardwood and Shrubs will be sold in packets of 5 for \$10/pkt
American Hazelnut, Black Cherry, Common Paw Paw,
Common Persimmon, Northern Red Oak, and Eastern Redbud

The sale will be held from 9:00 a.m. - Noon
or until **SOLD OUT!**

Trees are available on a first come first serve basis.

Cash and checks are accepted, but please wait until
time of purchase to fill out your checks.

Order form and species descriptions are included
in the following pages of this newsletter

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2023 UNION SWCD TREE AND SHRUB SALE

The sale date for 2023 will be Saturday, April 15th, at the Union County Agricultural Center's Ditch Maintenance Building located in the rear parking lot at 18000 St. Rt. 4, Marysville, Ohio.

The sale will start at **9:00 a.m. and run until noon, or until SOLD OUT**. Any remaining seedlings will be sold the following week, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m., in the Union SWCD office located in Suite D of the same building.

All seedlings to be sold will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

We will not accept orders prior to the sale. All stock are seedlings only. Please make selections below and bring the completed form with you on the day of the sale. After ensuring that all species desired are still available, we will total your order. Cash or check only for payment., we do not accept credit cards.

EVERGREENS (transplants) (25 per packet)

<u># Packets</u>	<u>Cost/pkt.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sub-Total</u>
_____	\$30/pkt.	Colorado Blue Spruce	10-18"	(2-0)	_____
_____	\$30/pkt.	Concolor Fir	8-14"	(2-0)	_____
_____	\$30/pkt.	White Pine	8-12"	(2-1)	_____

****Evergreen packet cost breakdown – packet \$27.90 + tax \$2.10 = \$30**

HARDWOOD/SHRUB (seedlings) (5 per packet)

<u># Packets</u>	<u>Cost/pkt.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sub-Total</u>
_____	\$10.00/pkt.	American Hazelnut	12-18"	(1-0)	_____
_____	\$10.00/pkt.	Black Cherry	12-18"	(1-0)	_____
_____	\$10.00/pkt.	Common Paw Paw	6-12"	(2-0)	_____
_____	\$10.00/pkt.	Common Persimmon	12-18"	(1-0)	_____
_____	\$10.00/pkt.	Northern Red Oak	12-18"	(1-0)	_____
_____	\$10.00/pkt.	Eastern Redbud	12-18"	(1-0)	_____

****Hardwood/Shrub packet cost breakdown – packet \$9.30 + tax \$0.70 = \$10**

ACCESSORIES

_____	\$10/bundle	Marking Flags (100 in bundle)	_____
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****Marker flag bundle cost breakdown – packet \$9.30 + tax \$0.70 = \$10**

TOTAL DUE \$ _____

PAID w/ CASH \$ _____

PAID w/CHECK \$ _____ # _____

Please include your email address below if you would like to receive our quarterly newsletter.

*(See more information on tree species at our webpage under the Sales & Rentals, Tree Sale tab.)

<http://www.co.union.oh.us/Union-Soil-Water-Conservation-District/>

2023 Union SWCD Tree Sale - Brief Descriptions of Species

1. **Colorado Blue Spruce – *Picea pungens***

This non-native spruce, to 50' high and 16' wide, is a conical evergreen conifer with densely growing horizontal branches. It has scaly grey bark on the trunk with yellowish-brown branches. They are often grown as ornamental trees in gardens and parks and also grown for the Christmas tree industry. It grows at a slow to medium rate, adapts well to many soils - growing in acidic, loamy, moist, rich, sandy, well-drained and clay soils. It requires normal moisture with moderate tolerance to flooding and drought.

2. **Concolor Fir – *Abies concolor***

The Concolor Fir will grow 30 to 100 ft tall and 15 to 25 feet wide and has a shallow spreading root system. Its branches are not quite as strong as spruces but with its pyramid shape, snow and ice usually cause little damage. In the wild this tree can live 100 years and longer but outside of its normal range one could expect 40 or more years to be an old tree. It will do quite well in poor dry soils, but should not be planted in clay or poorly drained soils. Does well with 15" of rain per year and does well in higher soil PH than any other Fir.

3. **White Pine – *Pinus strobus***

According to many the Eastern White Pine is a NE Ohio native. This beautiful pine is majestic in appearance and may reach a mature height of 80'+ with a 40' pyramidal spread. Its soft blue-green needles add beauty to the landscape. It is a fairly fast grower and loves full sun, but will tolerate partial shade. It prefers moist, but very well drained soils.

4. **American Hazelnut - *Corylus americana***

One of several related large shrubs known for their tasty nuts that provide food for humans or wildlife, is found throughout Ohio along roadsides, in fields, at the edges of forest, and in fencerows, in dry or moist sites. Also known as American Filbert or Hazel, it develops a broad, rounded, strongly suckering growth habit with age.

5. **Black Cherry - *Prunus serotina***

A rapidly growing woodland tree common throughout all of Ohio, is often found in open fields and previously harvested forests. Its small fruits are relished by birds and mammals as a food source in late summer. Also known as Wild Black Cherry, this tree may grow to 60 feet tall by 30 feet wide (or larger) when it is found in an open field.

6. **Common Paw Paw – *Asimina triloba***

Pawpaw is a small, deciduous tree that may attain 15' to 30' in height. Pawpaws flourish in the deep, rich fertile soils of river-bottom lands where they grow as understory trees or thicket-shrubs. Fruit set in the wild is usually low and may be pollinator or resource-limited but under cultivation, tremendous fruit loads have been observed. Pawpaws are ideally suited for the residential 'edible' landscape due to their lush, tropical appearance, attractive growth form, size, fall color, and delicious fruit.

7. **Common Persimmon – *Diospyros virginiana***

Common persimmon is sometimes used as an ornamental for its hardiness, adaptability to a wide range of soils and climates, and immunity from disease and insects. Moist, well-drained soils provide best conditions but the plant will tolerate hot, dry, poor soils, including various city conditions. Fruit may be produced by 10-year-old trees but optimum fruit-bearing age is 25-50 years.

8. **Northern Red Oak – *Quercus rubra***

This Union County native may reach a mature height of 80+ feet. Unlike other oaks, this species grows fairly rapidly on ideal sites with ideal conditions. Fall foliage features vivid russet red to bright red colors. It is tolerant of lower pH (4.5 – 6.0) and prefers full sun, space, and moist, but well drained soils. This is the northernmost Eastern oak.

9. **Eastern Redbud – *Cercis canadensis***

Considered a small tree, this native species proclaims spring with a showy abundance of lavender-pink flowers that cover its twigs before leaf break. Its heart shape leaves add extra appeal to any landscape. The Eastern Redbud is often found to naturally occur along the edges of deciduous woods. Whether planted singularly, or in masses, the redbud makes a fine ornamental (25'). It prefers full sun, but tolerates partial shade. A small pea-like pod is produced in fall.

Don Cook Memorial Scholarship

The Don Cook Memorial Scholarship was established in 1995 in memory of Don Cook. This scholarship allows campers to have learning experiences that will enable them to develop an appreciation for conservation and the outdoors, both of which were very important aspects of Cook's life. Sponsored by Cook Real Estate, Dean Cook Insurance, and Union SWCD, scholarships are available for youth attending 4-H Camp.

This year we are offering (4) scholarships worth \$80 each to 4-H members attending 4-H camp @ Camp Clifton in Yellow Springs, Ohio June 12th - 16th.

To apply, write a short essay about **“Two things I plan to do at Camp”**.

Mail or drop off your letter of application by April 26, 2023 to:

Union Soil and Water Conservation District
18000 St. Rt. 4, Suite D
Marysville, OH 43040

****Recipients will be notified direct so please include contact information with your essay****

Looking for SWCD Supervisor Candidates

Union SWCD is seeking two (2) candidates for its Board of Supervisors. The 78th Annual Banquet and Election which will be held on August 2, 2023.

Board Supervisors guide the district, its staff, and cooperating agencies in efforts to implement conservation programs in the county that address management and conservation of soil, water, and related resources. Board members should have a sincere interest in conservation and must have the enthusiasm, dedication, and time to serve as elected officials. This is a volunteer position, but supervisors can be reimbursed for mileage & expenses (registration, lodging, meals, etc.) related to events involving Soil & Water professionals.

What a potential supervisor needs to know:

- * Candidate must be over 18 years old and a resident of Union County.
- * This is a volunteer position and runs in 3-year terms.
- * Board meetings are on the 2nd Thursday of the month @ 6:00 p.m.
- * Attendance at occasional outside meetings, events, or training is required.

If you are interested in becoming a Board Supervisor for Union SWCD, please contact Sherry Maisenbacher, Administrative Assistant by phone at (937) 642-5871 Ext: 2221 or email @ smaisenbacher@unioncountyohio.gov.

2023 Affiliate Members

Platinum Memberships



YOUR SUCCESS *Our Passion.*

Gold Memberships



*Heart of Ohio Fish &
Game Association, Inc.*



MitchellAgri, Inc.



Silver Memberships



Become a Union SWCD Affiliate Member

<https://www.unioncountyohio.gov/affiliate-members--donors>



Affiliate membership dollars are used to help contribute to a variety of natural resource education efforts for Union County residents. Such efforts include field days, pond clinics, displays, tours, camp scholarships and presentations to schools and civic groups.

Membership Benefits:

Annual Meeting Tickets (2)

Listed in our Annual Meeting Program

Listed in our Annual Report

Listed on our website

Recognized in our quarterly newsletter

Recognized on Annual Meeting PowerPoint

Please complete the form below:

Business Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Website: _____

Choose one of the following Affiliate memberships available:

_____ Diamond Membership	\$500 or more
_____ Platinum Membership	\$250 - \$499
_____ Gold Membership	\$100 - \$249
_____ Silver Membership	\$50 - \$99

Send this form along with a check payable to: Union SWCD
18000 State Route 4, Suite D
Maryville, OH 43040

If you have any questions please contact Sherry Maisenbacher at (937) 642-5871 x2221 or
smaisenbacher@unioncountyohio.gov

Up the Crick...

Using resources today, conserving for tomorrow.

Joseph Grove, Urban Technician - jgrove@unioncountyohio.gov



Raindrops are falling on my ... Barrel?

Spring has finally sprung! And while we may enjoy “May flowers”, it is also a good idea to be prepared for the “April showers” that bring them. Some people love Ohio’s spring rains and others hate them. But no matter where you stand, you should know that these rains can be used as a resource for your household needs even after things dry out.

During the summer months, it is estimated that nearly 40% of household water is used for lawn and garden maintenance. A rain barrel is a container that collects water from your roof and downspouts when it rains and then stores it for the times that you need it most. This can help homeowners to lower their water bill by “harvesting” this water and re-using it for free, instead of paying for it.

Using rain barrels is also good for your plants. Rain is naturally soft and free of minerals, chlorine, fluoride, and other chemicals that can be found in municipal water systems. These chemicals can add to chemical imbalances in soil and damage sensitive plants. By contrast, water collected from the roofs of houses picks up very little contamination and is very healthy for plant life.

Generally, rain barrels are a large drum which has a spigot at the bottom that can be connected to a hose. The weight of the rest of the water in the barrel provides pressure for the water leaving the spigot. The top of the barrel usually has a hole in it covered by a screen to keep bugs and debris out. Downspouts are diverted into this hole instead of into a sewer or onto the ground. If the barrel fills up, the water flows into an “overflow valve” at the top which is connected to a hose. This hose can be connected to a municipal storm sewer, be directed to an area you’d like the excess water to go, or even connect into another rain barrel.

If you’d like to start harvesting your own rainwater, you can purchase rain barrels online or at home improvement stores like Lowe’s, Home Depot, or Tractor Supply Co. If you’re a handy type of person, you can also visit <https://www.marysvilleohio.org/142/Stormwater-Management> to learn how to build your own.

SWCD Equipment for Sale and Rent

The following items are available for sale:

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| • Marking flags | \$10 per 100 flags, available year round |
| • Soil Survey Narratives | \$15 each or free online, available year round |
| • Topographic Quadrangles | \$6 each, available year round |
| • Soil Survey Aerial Maps | Free |
| • Fish Fingerlings | Prices vary, sale held in Fall |
| • Tree Seedlings | Prices vary, sale is in April |



**The following equipment is available for rent:
(subject to schedule and availability)**

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| • John Deere 1590 No-Till Drill (15-foot) | \$15/ acre w/ \$150 minimum charge |
| • Tree Puller | \$100 per day
\$150 per weekend
\$300 per week |
| • Straw Blower (tailgate mulcher)
- \$150 deposit | \$100 per day
\$150 per weekend |
| • Tree Planter | \$40 per day |

**All equipment must be scheduled through the Union SWCD office
at 937-642-5871 during regular business hours.
Please contact Brent Nickel at ext. 2220 to schedule.**

We have expanded! Union SWCD and the Drainage Maintenance Department have moved wings. We are now located in Suite D of the Union County Ag Complex. The door is open...come see us! You can reach us by the same phone #, but now we are on option 4. NRCS remains in the same location and hopes to expand their staff in the newly vacated offices.

Union Soil and Water Conservation District

Serving Union County's Conservation needs for 77 years

2022 Annual Report

***Our Mission** is to promote, preserve, and enhance the wise use of our natural resources for the people of Union County by providing technical, financial and educational assistance.*

The Union SWCD was formed in 1945, the 47th District in Ohio, for the purpose of planning and carrying out natural resources conservation programs. The District is a political subdivision of the State of Ohio and is governed by a board of five supervisors, elected by the landowners of Union County, who serve staggered three-year terms. The supervisors donate their time to serve Union County landowners.

Monthly board meetings of the Union SWCD Board of Supervisors are held on the second Thursday of each month to conduct business. All meetings are open to the public and held on the second Thursday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

2022 Board of Supervisors

Rick Weigand, Chair

Andy Clarridge, Vice-Chairman

Cheryl Trivisonno, Fiscal Agent/Treasurer

Matt Staley, Secretary

Randy Trapp, Member

2022 Union SWCD Operating Funds

The Union Soil and Water Conservation District operates on funding provided by the Union County Commissioners, the Union County Township Trustees and matching funds from the Ohio Department of Agriculture, Division of Soil & Water Resources.

Local Funds:

*Union County Commissioners	\$487,000.00
*Township Trustees	\$ 1,500.00

Other Sources:

*State Matching Funds	\$254,684.00
*ODNR Wildlife Specialist Grant	\$ 15,300.00

Annual Meeting & Election

The Union Soil & Water Conservation District held its 76th Annual Meeting on Wednesday, August 3, 2022, there were 72 people in attendance. The election of Supervisors was held with candidates Andy Clarridge and Cheryl Trivisonno elected to 3-year terms to begin January 1, 2023.

Entertainment: The entertainment for the evening was presented by Rebecca Rose, Conservation Liaison, from the Ohio Wildlife Center, who gave a presentation on "Gimme Shelter: Rescue, Rehabilitation and Why It Matters".

Awards: 2022 Cooperator of the Year went to Gruenbaum Farms, David Gruenbaum and his family have been operating this Century Farm for the last 20 years. Gruenbaum Farms hosts farm tours and field days to provide educational and networking opportunities for the community.

Associate Supervisors

Bill Conklin

Jay Rausch

Jim Mitchell

Joe Wiley

Matt Furer

Steve Drumm

Suzi Clarridge

District Staff

Brent Nickel, District Administrator/Wildlife Specialist

Sherry Maisenbacher, Administrative Assistant

Mark Watkins, District Technician

Ross Carter, District Technician

Joseph Grove, Urban Technician

Joe Eads, Drainage Maintenance Supervisor

Matt Archer, Drainage maintenance Technician

USDA, NRCS Staff

Ron Neiman, District Conservationist

LaRae Baker, Resource Conservationist

Adam Slappy, Soil Conservationist

Pheasants Forever Staff

Ashley Dawson, Pheasants Forever Biologist

Conservation Products

- Rentals: No-till drill was rented out (17) times for a total of 853.1 acres
Straw blower was rented out (0) times.
Tree Planter was rented out (0) times.
Tree puller was rented out (0) times.
- Tree Sale: Union SWCD 2022 Tree Sale was held as a drive-thru in April 23, 2022
With 5,050 seedlings available to 116 customers.
- Fish Sale: Union SWCD 2022 Fish Sale was held in October we sold 3,250 fingerlings
to 10 customers.

Drainage Maintenance

Maintained (110) projects with 59.6 miles of ditches by spraying (southern ditches) and mowing (northern ditches). Also maintained were 16.58 miles of subsurface drain pipe along agriculture drainage systems, (52) urban subdivision retention basins, and (199) concrete drainage structures which included headwalls, manholes and catch basins.

- Subdivision Plat Reviews:
(20) subdivision plats were reviewed by 2 staff members.

Education

- School Presentations: The Groundwater Simulator, Enviroscope modules, AR Sand table were made available for union county teacher to use in their classrooms as we were unable to enter the buildings .
- National Hunting & Fishing Day:
Assisted with – (50) participants
- Hunting & Fishing Education:
Assisted with - (10) classes for over 400 participants
- Pheasants Forever Youth & Ladies Shoot and Hunt:
(2) presentations / 75 participants
- Conservation Tillage Club Breakfasts:
(4) Conservation Tillage Club breakfasts were held in 2022 at the Plaza Inn in Mt. Victory with (274) people attending.

Outreach

- Don Cook Memorial Scholarship Fund: 4-H Camp was cancelled due to the pandemic.
- Provide subscription of the Ohio Woodland Journal to Fairbanks, Marysville and North Union High Schools
- Participated in the Richwood Independent Fair by provided educational displays
- Union SWCD Website: Provided announcements, events, quarterly newsletters, conservation and drainage information to the public.
<https://www.co.union.oh.us/union-soil-water-conservation-district>
- District Facebook Page: Provided announcements, events, conservation and drainage information to the public

Technical

The following are some of our technical accomplishments of the past year:

- Agricultural Easement Inspections: (4) Inspections completed
- CRP-MCM Assessment/Review & Landowner Meetings: (19) Field visits & (19) landowner meetings
- Grassed Waterways: (9) installed and (16) others designed
- Pollution Abatement Complaints: (1)
- Pond Management Assistance: Provided assistance for (14) pond owners
- Pond Site Evaluations and Planning Assistance for (3) residents
- Provided assistance for erosion, sediment, stormwater control and management for (66) residents.
- Surface Drain: designed for (1) landowner
- Subsurface Drainage Systematic: designed for (3) landowners
- Petition ditches: Cattail Swamp, Farrington, Lincoln, Long Open, Millcreek Logjam, Morris-Beery, and Wenrick
- Solar Projects: Acciona/Union Solar; Samsun, Richwood Solar; Light source BP/Acamar Solar; and Engie Solar
- WASCOB: designed for (1) landowner

Urban Conservation

Memorandums of Understanding with Townships: Currently we have agreements with Darby, Dover, Leesburg, Liberty, Millcreek, Paris and York Township Trustees to provide technical assistance on soils and drainage for all new home sites. In addition to home site inspections, Darby, Dover, Leesburg, Liberty, Millcreek, Paris and York Townships are requiring a zoning permit for ponds as well.

- Home Site Reviews:
 - (28) Home site visits to determine proper lot drainage for new homes were performed and (1) construction site for sediment and erosion control BMPs.
- Be the Change for Clean Water Partner:
 - Be the Change exists to keep you informed about programs and services in Central Ohio & how they can benefit you! When it comes to protecting our water resources we all need to be part of the solution. Be The Change for Clean Water is bringing together ten counties and a multitude of partners to provide education, resources, and opportunities to make it easier for all Central Ohio residents to Be the Change for Clean Water.
 - <http://www.bethechangeforcleanwater.org>
- Drainage Complaints/Investigations/Information:
 - (45) incidents were addressed

Wildlife Assistance

- (20) Wildlife Conflict/Damage Investigations
 - Bagworms, Bats, Beaver, Bees, Caterpillars, Coyote, Fox, Feral Cats, Geese, Hawks, Muskrats, Raccoons, Groundhogs, Woodpeckers, Blackbirds/ Starlings, Squirrels/ chipmunks, Rabbits, Swans, and Turtles .
- (17) Wildlife Assistance:
 - Provided assistance to variety of individuals concerning pheasant rearing, wildlife rescue information, “orphaned wildlife”, wildlife exclusion methods, habitat, musk rat/dike damage, wildlife conflict/nuisance investigations, Nuisance Trapper Lists, plant ID, etc.
- (19) Wildlife Habitat Assistance:
 - Landowner discussions for field management/contract requirements. Assist landowners with Native Plant ID’s.

***Union SWCD Board of Supervisors would like to thank all
the Partners, Funders, Sponsors and Supporters***

2022 Supporters

Union County Commissioners

Union County Engineer

Union County Auditor

Union County Treasurer

Union County Health Dept.

OSU Extension

Union County Farm Bureau

USDA Farm Service Agency

Darby Twp. Trustee

Union County Ag Assoc.

Division of Forestry

ODNR Division of Wildlife

UC Pheasants Forever Chapter #535ODNR

National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD)

ODA Division of Soil & Water Conservation (ODA-DSWC)

Ohio Soil & Water Conservation Commission (OSWCDE)

Ohio Federation of Soil & Water Conservation Districts (OFSWCD)

2022 Affiliate Members

Cook Real Estate (Gold Member)	58 years
Ohigro Inc. (Silver Member)	49 years
MJS Oil, Inc. , dba Smith Distributing (Gold Member)	36 years
Dean Cook Nationwide Insurance (Gold Member)	30 years
Select Sires, Inc (Platinum Member)	28 years
Union County Farm Bureau (Gold Member)	25 years
Smart Oil, LLC (Silver Member)	9 years
Millcreek Gardens LLC (Silver Member)	3 years
Seed Consultants (Silver Member)	3 years
Vititoe Construction, Inc. (Platinum Member)	3 years
Connolly Construction Co. (Silver Member)	2 years
MitchellAgri (Silver Member)	2 years
The Seed Center (Gold Member)	2 years
Benny's Pizza (Gold Member)	1 year
Bluescreek Farm LLC (Gold Member)	1 year
Bokes Creek Hot Shots (Platinum Member)	1 year
Bokes Creek Orchard (Gold Member)	1 year
Mitchell's Berries & Blooms (Bronze Member)	1 year
Plain City Druggist (Gold Member)	1 year
Richwood Tire Center (Silver Member)	1 year
Rooster's Wings Marysville (Platinum Member)	1 year
Steve Stolte (Gold Member)	1 year
Stir Fresh Asian Canteen (Silver Member)	1 year
The MAiZE at Little Darby Creek (Silver Member)	1 year

Drainage Maintenance Quarterly Report

Drainage Maintenance crews have been busy during the winter months. We managed to dip out Leo Rausch, sugar run, wildcat and cattail swamp. Crews are working hard to get spoils leveled out and will return to seed and restore filter strip in the coming weeks. We continue to repair broken down tile outlets and repair erosion on ditch banks.



Union County ditches and subdivisions will continue to be mowed and sprayed on alternating years. This year the northern ditches will be getting sprayed to help maintain the 15 ft. buffer strip and for weed and brush control. The southern ditches will be mowed by the SWCD staff to help maintain the 15 ft. buffer strip and control weeds and brush.

If you have any questions or drainage concerns,
please contact our office 937-642-5871 ext.2236

Joe Eads

Drainage Maintenance Supervisor

18000 State Route 4, Ste. D

Marysville, OH 43040

937-209-2236

jeads@unioncountyohio.gov

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Upcoming Events:

April 13, 2023:	Union SWCD Board Meeting , 6:00 pm in the Ag Center - Conservation Mtg Room
April 15, 2023:	Union SWCD Annual Tree Sale , 9:00 am in the Ag Center - Parking Lot
May 11, 2022:	Union SWCD Board Meeting , 6:00 pm in the Ag Center - Conservation Mtg Room
May 29, 2023:	Memorial Day HOLIDAY - Office Closed
June 8, 2023:	Union SWCD Board Meeting , 6:00 pm in the Ag Center - Conservation Mtg Room
July 4, 2023:	Independence Day HOLIDAY - Office Closed
July 13, 2023:	Union SWCD Board Meeting , 6:00 pm in the Ag Center - Buckeye Mtg Room
August 2, 2023:	78th Annual Banquet , 6:30 pm at the Der Dutchman, Plain City, Ohio
August 12, 2023:	Union SWCD Board Meeting , 6:00 pm in the Ag Center - Buckeye Mtg Room
September 6, 2023:	Labor Day HOLIDAY - Office Closed
September 9, 2023:	Union SWCD Board Meeting , 6:00 pm in the Ag Center - Buckeye Mtg Room
October 3, 2023:	Union SWCD Annual Fingerling Sale Pickup - 9:30 am in the Ag Center's Parking Lot

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