

2022 Farm Walks

EDUCATION FOR FARMERS, BY FARMERS







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History

WSU Food Systems Program and Tilth Alliance have been collaboratively presenting the Farm Walk Series for over 18 years! These farmer-to-farmer or processor-toprocessor educational events are hosted by organic, sustainable, and innovative farm and food businesses throughout Washington State.



Viva Farms



Palouse Colony Farm



Bluebird Farms

2022 Schedule

JULY 18 - KIRSOP FARM - ROCHESTER, WA 12-4 PM |SCALING UP: FROM SIMPLIFIED TO DIVERSIFIED VEGETABLES, GRAINS AND ANIMALS

AUGUST 29 - ALPENFIRE CIDER - PORT TOWNSEND, WA 12-4 PM |FROM APPLE TO GLASS: GROWING, MAKING AND MARKETING AUTHENTIC CIDERS

SEPTEMBER - LAZY R RANCH- CHENEY, WA AGROFORESTRY Date & Time TBD | Agroforestry: Grazed forest management

NOVEMBER 10 - HAYSHAKER FARM- COLLEGE PLACE, WA TIME TBD |RADICCHIO AND TILTH CONFERENCE FARM WALK









About Kirsop Farm

As farmland preservation farmers, Colin and Genine grow produce and raise livestock on 60 acres of land at the Scatter Creek Farm and Conservancy in Rochester. Kirsop Farm sells diversified vegetables, dry beans, grains, pork, lamb and chicken through their CSA, online store and at Farmers Markets throughout the Seattle area including Columbia City, University District and Ballard Farmers Markets. They left the Tumwater land they farmed for 20 years in 2013 to be the anchor farmers in a project that preserves 150 acres of beautiful agricultural land and river habitat. Growing food on preserved land is so much more than they ever imagined and they can't think of a better way to structure their lives and vocation, or a loftier goal, than to grow good food in collaboration with the earth itself.



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Resources

Grains

- WSU Small Grains Variety Trials Results 2021
- Wheat and Small Grain Information

Pasture

- <u>Pasture and Hayland Renovation for Western Washington and Oregon</u>, Washington State University Extension 2014.
- Pasture Management

Poultry

- <u>Poultry Management: Numerous Publications and Resources</u>
- WSU Animal Agriculture: Poultry

Sheep

Animals for Food & Performance - Sheep

Vegetable Production

- <u>Reduced Tillage in Vegetable Production</u>
- Soil Fertility in Organic Systems
- Soil Testing: A Guide for Farms with Diverse Vegetable Crops

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