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## From the Agent's Desk

**BY NICOLE NICHOLS**

As the newest agent to Pulaski County, I would like to use this first newsletter to introduce myself. I am a native of Little Rock and recently moved back from Jonesboro after attending Arkansas State University. While there, I received my Bachelor's in Agriculture where I majored in Animal Science and minored in Chemistry. I also received my Master's in Agriculture with an emphasis in Animal Science. My thesis research was in alternative parasite control in sheep. I was foreman of the Arkansas State University research farm for several years and cared for sheep, swine, cattle, and various poultry. My responsibilities with extension include both Agriculture and 4-H responsibilities. I look forward to getting to meet everyone and I am excited to be back in Central Arkansas. Future issues of this newsletter will include upcoming events and informational articles. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.



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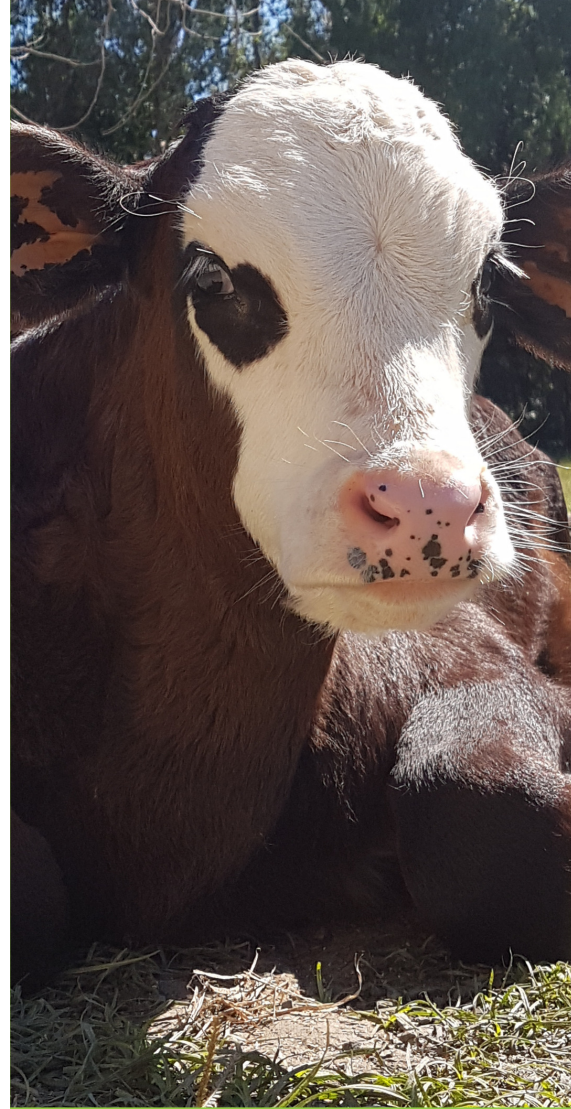
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# Reminders

- Don't forget to check and see if you need to update your pesticide applicator license. If you do, please call the office. We are in the process of scheduling a class (or several classes if needed) this spring.
- MP44, MP144, and MP154 are available for pick up at the office or they can be downloaded online at: <https://www.uaex.edu/farm-ranch/pest-management/>

# Upcoming Events

- Feb. 15: 4-H Shooting Sports Meeting. Pulaski County Office 2901 W. Roosevelt Rd., Little Rock. 5:30 p.m. Contact Erica Williams or Nicole Nichols 501-340-6650
- Feb. 15: Pruning Workshop, U of A Fruit Research Station, 1749 State Hwy 818, Clarksville, AR 72830 Contact Amanda McWhirt 501-671-2229
- Feb. 17: Online Backyard Poultry Course. Online. Contact Dustan Clark 479-575-4375
- Feb. 22: Winter Forage Conference, 4215 Prince St., Conway. Contact Linda McCargo 501-671-2171
- Feb. 22: Central Arkansas Cattleman's Meeting, Contact Jimmy Jennings 501-681-0360
- March 2-4: Arkansas Flower and Garden Show. State Fairgrounds, Little Rock, AR



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