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NEWSLETTER

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Chicken Litter

This year we have a great supply of chicken litter. Many of you have had quality chicken litter from the Vincent site in past years, so we are excited to announce that we have added the Vincent site to our chicken litter sourcing for 2017. We have early pre-pay and early piling discounts available for those interested, so call Jason for pricing and analysis for your chicken litter needs.

Seed Day

This year we will hold our Seed Day on September 5th, beginning at 5 PM. Weather permitting we will start the evening with a plot tour and then move into the shed to cover a few more topics followed by a delicious smoked chicken and rib tip meal catered by Vinny's. As always, we will have knowledgeable representatives from each company available to answer any questions you may have. To end the evening we will have our giveaway of donated items from all of our companies and will be giving away 8 trips to our 2018 winter trip to Cozumel! Our official Seed Day invite will be coming shortly.

Agronomy Update

To say the least, this has been a tough growing season. Our growing area has had spotty rain at best and the markets do not tell the tale of what we are seeing in our fields. Due to the dry conditions it is inevitable that we will see issues with stalk quality in all brands of corn in our growing area and will have to have a timely harvest to avoid standability issues. On corn that has had fungicide applied, the stalk quality should hold together better. We also need to continue to watch our fields for insects in the next 2-3 weeks as the residual begins to fade from the insecticides we applied. Despite our lack of rain, our test plot has held together and we would be happy to give you a tour. Call Jason or Casey to schedule a walkthrough.

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Soybean Special

We are currently working toward establishing final pricing with all of our companies in order to put together our Soybean Special for the upcoming growing season. At this point it looks like we will have another aggressive special with more companies wanting to compete for your business. We are excited that we will have RR2 and several Extend Soybean options available to choose from on this years special. We will have our final Soybean Special available to you by our Seed Day on September 5th.



Precision Planting/Yield 360

Currently Precision Planting is offering \$200 off per row when you add two of the following three: Speed Tube, Delta Force, and vDrive. Precisions offer expires on August 15, so time is running out.

Many of our customers purchased Yield Savers for their corn heads. If you bought Yield Savers and haven't picked them up, please do so. Also, if you have any questions on installing the Yield Savers, Rod would be happy to help.



OPHEIM SEED & CHEMICAL WINTER GETAWAY 2018



Contact Jason to get registered for our Winter Getaway. There will be 8 drawings for free trips at our Seed Day on September 5th.



For more information on Secrets Aura Cozumel, visit www.secretsresorts.com/aura-cozumel



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