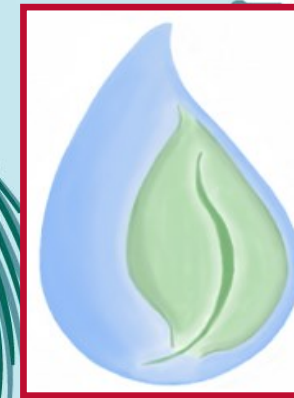


## Equipment Rental

- 7 ft. No-Till Drill- \$10.00 per acre
- 2 Row Corn Planter- \$10.00 per acre
- 5 Ton Lime Spreader- \$2.00 per ton
- Live Traps \$5.00 for 2 weeks
- 300 Gallon Weed Sprayer- \$50.00 per day

## For Sale

- 2021 Plat Books- \$25.00
- Blue Bird Boxes- \$17.00
- Rain Barrel Kits- \$30.00
- Geotextile Fabric- \$1.50 per ft \$400 per roll
- Soil, Hay & Water Testing - Sampling Equipment Available



# THE RESOURCE

## Winter 2023

### Upcoming Events

#### January

- 9th– Board Meeting
- 16th– MLK Jr. Day– Office Closed

#### February

- 13th– Board Meeting
- 20th– Presidents Day
- 27th-28th– OFSWCD Meeting– Office Closed

#### March

- 12th– Board Meeting
- 28th– 1/2 Acre Homesteading

### VISIT OUR NEW WEBSITE! BELMONTSWCD.ORG

We are a field office and are often out of the office, if you plan on stopping in we encourage you to call ahead to ensure someone is there. to help you!

#### DID YOU KNOW....

The Resource is available to you via email? If you would like to receive your copy via email, let us know at

[belmontswcd@gmail.com](mailto:belmontswcd@gmail.com)

### Interested in a Tree Planting?

We have funding for a spring riparian tree planting! The property must be within the Captina Creek Watershed and would benefit water quality.

Some of the benefits include: Filtration of nutrients and reduce sediment runoff. The trees would also provide streambank stabilization to help limit erosion. The native trees would also provide habitat and food sources for wildlife.

If you're interested in a planting on your property, call us or email [captina.coordinator@gmail.com](mailto:captina.coordinator@gmail.com)



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# REMEMBER *These Dates!*

## SALE PICKUP DATES



### *Tree Sale*

Pick up at 130 West Main St, St. Clairsville April 6th & 7th between 8:30-4:30. Any orders not picked up will be considered a donation to the district.



### *Fish Sale*

Pick up at Belmont County Fairgrounds March 30th between 3:30-4:30. Bring pond water and enough containers for your fish! Fish orders due by March 23rd.



### *Seed Sale*

Pick up at 130 West Main St, St. Clairsville  
Seed is available for immediate pickup. You MUST schedule a time to pick up.

CALL WITH QUESTIONS!

740-526-0027



## 1/2 ACRE HOMESTEADING

### Seed Starting

Shelley Rockwell from The Flower Gardens will teach you all you need to know about seed starting. Join us to learn how to get your garden started this year.

March 28th @ 6pm  
OV Mall Community Room

THE COST PER CLASS IS \$10  
REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Please email  
[belmontswcd.edu@gmail.com](mailto:belmontswcd.edu@gmail.com)  
or call 740-526-0027  
to reserve your spot.

THE BELMONT SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT



# Seed Library



Is Open!

Stop in and browse through a wide selection of vegetable, herb and flower seeds.

All seeds are FREE, but we ask that you only take what you need.

At the end of your garden season, please save us some seeds from your harvest and return them to our library to be available for another gardener next year.

## Nature News

Have you ever noticed a pile of foam in a creek? Ever wonder what caused it? When plants die and decompose, the oils contained in the plant cells are released and float to the surface, reducing the surface tension of the water. These oils eventually are pushed against downed trees and the movement of the creek introduces air into the water, creating the foam. It is quite common to see foam in creeks during this time of year because there is so much decaying organic matter in the streams. This foam can sometimes be caused by human pollution. If the foam is created from human pollution it will be almost pure white and either sticky or slimy to the touch.



## 2023 Belmont SWCD Tree Sale

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Species	# Of Trees Per Pack	Benefits	Size	Cost Per Pack	Your Order	Total \$		
Colorado Blue Spruce	5		9-15"	\$5				Edible
Scotch Pine	5		6-10"	\$5				
White Pine	5		7-10"	\$5				Evergreen
Black Maple	5		12-18"	\$9				
Black Oak	5		12-18"	\$7				Timber Tree
Black Walnut	5		12-18"	\$8				
Button Bush	2		12-18"	\$5				Pollinator
Chestnut Oak	5		12-18"	\$9				
Chinese Chestnut	5		12-18"	\$9				
Common Witchhazel	2		12-18"	\$6				Wildlife
Native Raspberry	2		12-18"	\$7				
Ninebark	2		18-24"	\$6				Birds
Ohio Buckeye	5		6-12"	\$8				
Paper Birch	5		12-18"	\$8				
Paw Paw	2		12-18"	\$8				Native
Persimmon	5		18-24"	\$9				
Red Oak	5		12-18"	\$7				
Red Bud	5		12-18"	\$8				
Shellbark Hickory	5		6-12"	\$9				
Shingle Oak	5		12-18"	\$9				
Spicebush	2		12-18"	\$6				
White Flowering Dogwood	5		12-18"	\$8				
Apple	2		4-6'	\$40				
Edible Cherry	2		4-6'	\$40				
Rain Barrel Kit			1 Kit	\$30				
Tree Protector w/ Stake			1 Set	\$6				
Fertilizer Tablets			25 Tablets	\$5				
					Total Order	\$		

Supplies are limited so please get your orders in as soon as possible!

Pick up is April 6th and 7th from 8am-4:30pm at our office at 130 West Main Street, St. Clairsville

Mail order forms & payments to Belmont SWCD 130 West Main St. St. Clairsville Ohio 43950

2023 Order Form Info

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Food Plot Seed Order Form-

Unfortunately, due to seed availability and unsatisfied customers this will be the last year of the seed program. The corn seed available this year is leftover seed from last years sale so there is only limited quantities available. It is being sold first come first serve and is ready for pickup immediately.

Type of Seed	Plants	Donation	# of Bags	Total
RR Corn	3-4 Acres	\$17.00		
			TOTAL-	

Fish Order Form- Pickup March 30<sup>th</sup> 3:30pm-4:30pm @ Belmont Fairgrounds

Species	Size	Cost	Quantity	Total
White Amur	8-10"	\$16.00		
Fathead Minnow	1-3"	100 for \$8.00		
Japanese Koi	6-8"	\$13.00		
Channel Catfish	4-5"	\$.90		
Black Crappie	2-4"	\$1.10		
Bluegill	2-4"	\$1.00		
Redear Shellcracker	2-4"	\$1.00		
Largemouth Bass	2-3"	\$1.10		
Hybrid Bluegill	2-4"	\$1.00		
Yellow Perch	2-3"	\$1.10		
40% Protein Fish Food	40lb	\$45		
Pond Conditioner	1 Gal.	\$90		
Pond Conditioner	5 Gal.	\$375		
Pond Book		\$20		
			Total-	

Please mail order forms and check to Belmont SWCD, 130 West Main Street, St. Clairsville, Ohio, 43950. All orders can be paid with the same check. Please call 740-526-0027 with questions.

# 1/2 ACRE HOMESTEADING

Sponsored by:  
**Marshall County Co-Op**

These classes aim to teach you how to provide more for yourself, no matter how much property you own. This gardening series will go over every aspect of planting, growing and harvesting your crops.

- **March- Seed Starting**
- **July - Garden Tour**
- **August - Seed Saving**

THE COST PER CLASS IS \$10  
REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Please email  
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 or call 740-526-0027  
 to reserve your spot.

