

SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER



Fall Spraying

Consider a fall herbicide application with Autumn Super to burndown emerged weeds, control winter annuals, and provide residual control for cleaner fields from the start in corn & soybeans.

NCGA Yield Contest

When you come across a high-yielding spot in your fields that you would like to enter into the National Corn Growers Association yield contest, let Meghan know so we can do a supervised harvest. Entries must be at least 1.25 acres, but it is recommended to have a 10-acre block in case a recheck is needed.

Dicamba May Be An Option for 2026

While there is no official approval yet, it seems very likely that dicamba products will be approved for use on soybeans in the 2026 growing season. We will update you as we learn more this fall.

Harvest is Here!

Combines are starting to roll now! Plenty of corn is reaching 15%, with some even lower so be sure to check your fields and prioritize fields with poorer standability. As far as yields, heavy Southern rust pressure definitely impacted yields. Corn fields that were fungicided seem to be yielding significantly better than those not treated, showing better plant health, kernel depth, and test weight. Soybeans are changing fast too – the first soybeans we have run are around 10% moisture. Consider starting on soybeans sooner rather than later to reduce yield losses due to loss of moisture and potential for shattering. Let us know how your crops look and send in your photos. We hope you have a safe and bountiful harvest!



Corn Harvest, Handling, Drying, Storage

As we begin harvest, be aware of how you can preserve grain quality through proper handling, drying, and storage practices, particularly early on in the harvest season when grain is wet and warm. Start by prioritizing harvest based on field conditions and adjusting combine settings as needed. Once harvested, be aware of grain holding times, moisture, temperature, and storage conditions. For more information on managing grain quality scan this QR code.



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