

SPRING 2025 WORKSHOPS

Sun

March 16

10:00 AM



FRUIT TREE PRUNING 101 WITH CLARE HINTZ

16550 Nicoletti Rd. • Herbster

Ever wanted to start a fruit orchard or have an old apple tree that needs a little attention? Dr. Clare Hintz, owner of Elsewhere Farm, Herbster, will give a class on pruning. You'll learn to prune on the fruit trees at her farm. Pre-registration is required and a course fee of \$15 can be paid at the class. Participants should dress warmly and wear boots. Class size is limited so please email Brian Clements at bclements@northland.edu to reserve your spot.

GROWING GREAT GARLIC WITH JOSH & RACHEL VANLOW

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Looking to up your garlic game? Join Josh and Rachel Vanlow of Vanlow Family Farms to learn the ins and out of growing garlic. Josh and Rachel will give a presentation on their farm along with variety selection, mulching, fertilizing and sales.

Thurs

March 20

7-8 PM



Thurs

April 3

4-5 PM

COMPOSTING WITH TODD

1406 County HWY A • Ashland

Come join Todd Rothe, owner of Big Lake Organics, for a short class on the science of composting. Todd will take you on a tour of the Big Lake Organic composting facility, where participants will get to see how household waste gets turned into food for your plants.

Mon

April 7

7-8 PM

MARKETING YOUR FARMS PRODUCTS

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Join us for a discussion on marketing your farm products. Whether it's farmers markets, on farm stores, on line, or wholesale, our panelists will have advice on the ins and out and the strengths and weaknesses of each. Panelists include Renee Bolz of Pinestick Acres, Josh Vanlow of Vanlow Family Farms and Sarah Jackson from the Chequamegon Food Coop. Come with questions for a lively discussion.

FRUIT TREE GRAFTING WITH TOM GALAZYN

86760 Valley Rd • Bayfield

Learn the art and science of grafting fruit trees! Tom Galazyn, owner of Northwind Organic Farm, Bayfield, will teach you how to combine rootstock and scion wood to get a new tree. Participants will go home with up to 3 grafted apple trees. Participants should bring a non-serrated knife. A course fee of \$15 can be paid at the class. Limited to 10 participants so please email Brian Clements at bclements@northland.edu to reserve your spot.

Sun

April 13

1-3 PM



Thurs

April 17

7-8 PM

PORK PERSPECTIVES

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Join farmers Tom Cogger, Dr. Clare Hintz, and Carly Stephenson to learn the ins and outs of raising pigs. Each farmer will give a short presentation on their farm and provide unique perspectives on how they set up their farms for success as well as some of the challenges they face.



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