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EXTENSION



Baldwin County

County farm gate value:

\$35,704,584.32

Top commodities:

**Other Forestry and
Related Products
Beef Cows
Timber**

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Family and Consumer Sciences (FACS) provided free tax assistance for residents from Baldwin County and all surrounding counties. Our FACS agent filed 49 tax returns with a total federal amount of \$40,376, a state amount of \$8671, a total earned income credit amount of \$7,941, and a total of \$19,600 saved in filing fees. The FACS agent also helped six couples complete a grant-based program that focuses on adult relationships using ELEVATE for Couples Georgia. The agent continued a financial literacy blog, reaching approximately 2,500 individuals.



4-H has made a significant impact on 673 youth through local programming delivered in school (69 clubs), after school and during the summer, as well as through district and statewide events and competitions (200 programs). These efforts focus on developing essential life skills and promoting healthy living through engaging, research-based programming.



The Agriculture and Natural Resources agent conducted a second year of on-farm research integrating alfalfa with bermudagrass. After the first year of monitoring the alfalfa, it was determined that the emphasis needed to switch from comparing nutritive value to developing a comprehensive weed management plan, as the herbicides that can be utilized on bermudagrass are not necessarily allowable on alfalfa. The major weeds of concern have been winter weeds. However, the major concern is the cost associated with herbicides labeled for both alfalfa and bermudagrass.

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