



FARMERS' MARKETS

2018 Regional Workshop: Chanute

Farmers' markets are growing across the state and continue to be an important source of fresh fruit, vegetables, meat, dairy and other agricultural products from small towns to large metropolitan areas. In 2017, 85 farmers' markets were registered with the Kansas Department of Agriculture's Central Registration of Farmers' Markets.

CHANUTE REGIONAL WORKSHOP

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 • 9 A.M. - 3 P.M.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.

Who: Current and prospective farmers' market vendors

What: The Chanute regional workshop will cover the following topics:

- Marketing and Pricing Tips
- Growing in High Tunnels 101
- Regulations on Selling Meat, Eggs & Poultry Direct to Consumer
- Double Up Food Bucks and Sales Tax for Vendors
- Vendor Marketing and Communications
- Morel Mushroom Identification Certification
- Kansas Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program Certified Farmer Training*

**The Kansas Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program Certified Farmer Training session is required for all new farmers who wish to participate in the KSFMNP. All farmers must complete training and submit an annual agreement with KDHE. Visit www.kdheks.gov/sfmnp for details.*

Where:

Mid-West Fertilizer, Chanute Agronomy Center
3030 W Santa Fe Ave.

Registration:

Register online at

FromtheLandofKansas.com/FMConference

or fill out the attached registration form and return to the address listed on the form.

Registration is \$20 per participant, which includes lunch. Lunch cannot be guaranteed for those registering after January 29.

For more information, contact Lexi Wright at lexi.wright@ks.gov or (785) 564-6755.

Vendors can also bring their sales scale to get tested and certified for FREE by the Kansas Department of Agriculture.

To support Kansas' farmers' markets, we are pleased to offer the following workshops in addition to this workshop: Colby, February 1; Great Bend, February 2; Wichita, February 3; and Olathe, February 9.

The *From The Land of Kansas* and Farmers' Market Annual Conference will be March 1-2 in Manhattan, Kansas. This conference is for Kansas based businesses and farmers' market managers

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