

OTTAWA COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

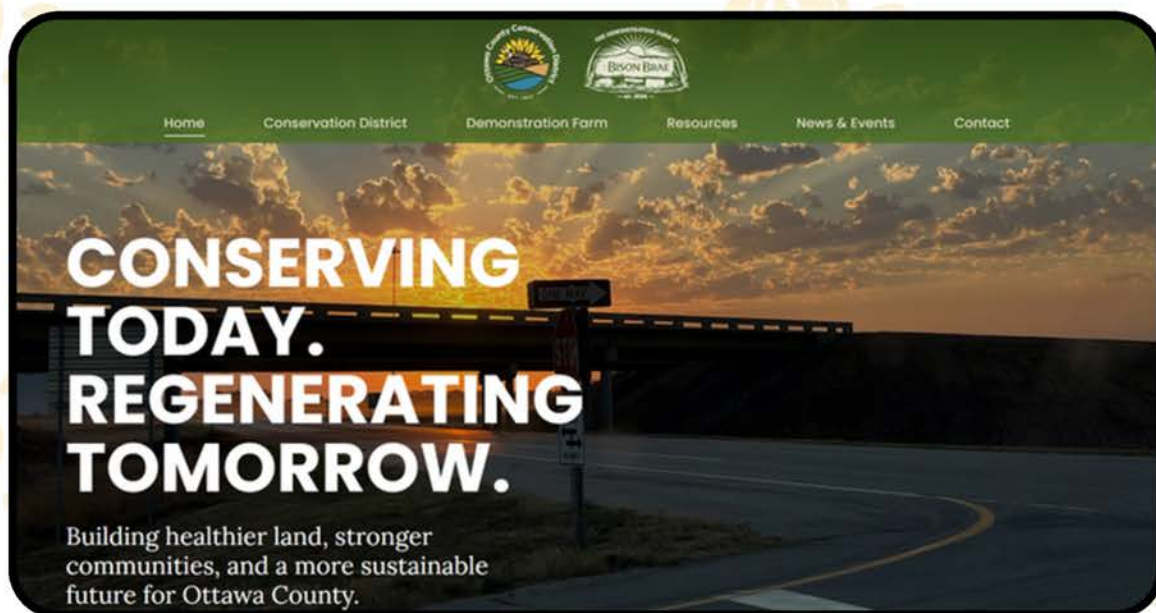
NEWSLETTER

CONSERVATION NEWS

HELPING CARE FOR OUR NATURAL RESOURCES



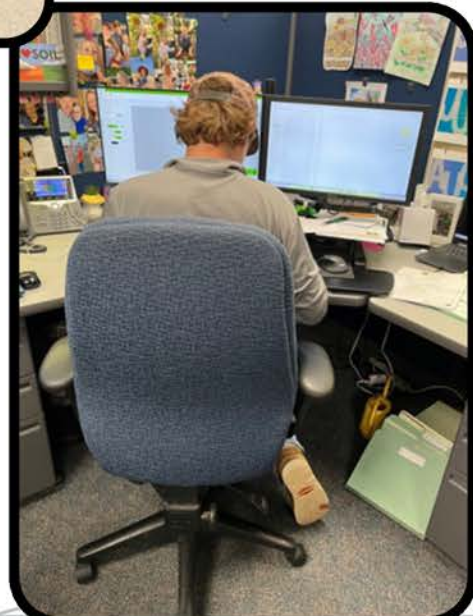
We have a website & a
Demonstration Farm! Go to
www.occdks.com to check
it all out and follow along!



Meet our Summer Intern!

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Parker Miles worked at our office and the Demonstration Farm this summer.



The Demonstration Farm at Bison Brae

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The Demonstration Farm is a collaboration between OCCD and Patti & Gordon Fiedler.
Our 1st growing season is coming to an end. Enjoy this short visual recap!



The Board, District Manager & Fiedlers

Left to Right: Elizabeth Schrandt, Tyrel Owens,
Levi Ebert, Gordon Fiedler, Patti Fiedler,
Shannon Myer, Doug Plummer & Brody Buzzard



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POLLINATOR GARDEN PROGRESS

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June 2026



July 2026

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**August
2026**

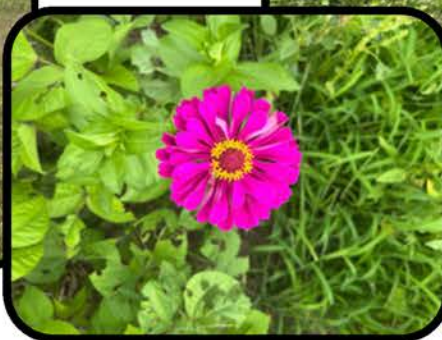


September 2026

5th Annual Soil Health Field Day

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With Special Guests Scott Heinemann & Kevin Wiltse: Field Stops



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With Special Guests Scott Heinemann & Kevin Wiltse: Indoor Presentations



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UPCOMING WORKSHOPS & MEETINGS

- Sept 29 - Fall Harvest at the Demonstration Farm
- Oct 6 - OCCD Board Meeting
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Rain Date
- Oct 12 - Columbus/Indigenous People Day Holiday
- Nov 3 - OCCD Board Meeting & Election Day
- Nov 11 - Veteran's Day Holiday
- Nov 22 - 24 - KACD Annual Meeting
- Nov 26 - Thanksgiving Holiday
- Dec 1 - OCCD Board Meeting
- Dec 25 - Christmas Holiday
- Jan 1 - New Year's Day Holiday
- Jan 13 - OCCD Annual Meeting



FOR SALE

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BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR OUR NEW WEBSITE WHERE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO ORDER YOUR SEASONAL SEED POTATOES & CONSERVATION TREES & SHRUBS.

We sell seed, Clyde Garden Planners & Marking Flags year round.

SAVE-THE-DATE

Our schedules fill up fast! Save the date for our annual meeting on January 13, 2027 from 6-7:30 pm

OUR BOARD



**<<< From Left to Right
Doug Plummer - Treasurer
Elizabeth Schrandt - Board Member
Levi Ebert - Vice Chairperson
Tyrel Owens - Chairperson
Brody Buzzard - Board Member**

BECAUSE WE ALL NEED TO LOL!

DIY HEADACHES



WANT TO GET INVOLVED?

There are a variety of volunteer opportunities. Contact Shannon for more information!
occd67467@gmail.com

HOW TO CONNECT WITH US

New OCCD Website!

www.occdks.com



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thank
you

FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

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Monday - Friday, 8am - 4:30 pm

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Jeff Austin - District Conservationist

Danny Farmer - Soil Conservationist

Traci Miles - Natural Resource

Specialist

FSA

Angel Haney - Program Analyst

Kelsie Klenke - Program Analyst

Amanda Ahrens - CED

Our Mission: To improve the ecological and economic outcome of all citizens in Ottawa County through education and the promotion of soil regeneration.



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