

## Clover Valley Farms Annual Calendar

	Apples	Layers	Broilers	Turkeys	Ducks	Hogs
Dec	Year end assessments & planning	Year end assessments; daily hen care, collect & market eggs	Year end assessments			
Jan						
Feb	Pruning	Plan for coming year; daily hen care, collect & market eggs	Plan for coming year; conduct customer surveys if needed			
Mar	Bench grafting	Daily hen care, collect & market eggs	Order birds; send out customer order forms			Find source for feeders
Apr	Field grafting; set up IPM data logger	Acquire or breed hen chicks; daily hen care, collect & market eggs	Set-up brooders; repair field pens; ducklings arrive			Feeders arrive
May	Monitor for fruit set & development; do IPM	Hen chicks in brooder early, then into portable hen coop; daily hen care, rotate through paddocks, collect & market eggs	1st batch(es) of broiler chicks arrive	Turkey chicks arrive	Feed/water 2x daily, rotate through orchard/paddock	Feed/water 2x daily, move pens weekly
Jun		Daily hen/hen chick care, rotate through paddocks, collect & market eggs	2nd batch(es) of broiler chicks arrive; 1st batch(es) of broilers: feed/water & move on pasture daily	Feed/water daily, rotate in orchard/paddock		
Jul		Process cocks & stewing hens; daily hen care, rotate through paddocks, collect & market eggs	3rd batch of broiler chicks arrives; daily care for broilers on pasture; process & sell 1st batch(es) of broilers		Process & sell	
Aug	Harvest	Integrate new birds with wintering flock; daily hen care, rotate through paddocks, collect & market eggs	Daily care for broilers on pasture; process & sell 2nd & 3rd batch(es)	Process & sell		
Sep			Fall clean-up			
Oct	Pressing	Daily hen care, rotate through paddocks, collect & market eggs				Send for processing
Nov	Fall orchard preparations for winter; value-added products	Daily hen care, rotate in hoop houses, collect & market eggs				Product available to customers