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(Cash bids as of Thursday, 3 p.m.)

#2 YELLOW CORN

Old Crop – \$4.14

New Crop – \$4.55

SOYBEANS

Old Crop – \$11.66

New Crop – \$11.66

SOFT RED WHEAT

Old Crop – \$4.92

New Crop – \$5.36

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Friday
Oct-13th

Cloudy with
showers



20°C

Feels Like
24

Saturday
Oct-14th

Mix of sun
and cloud



21°C

Feels Like
25

Sunday
Oct-15th

Light rain



21°C

Feels Like
26

Monday
Oct-16th

Mainly sunny



15°C

Feels Like
14

Tuesday
Oct-17th

Sunny



15°C

Feels Like
14

Wednesday
Oct-18th

Mainly sunny



18°C

Feels Like
18

Thursday
Oct-19th

Mainly sunny



19°C

Feels Like
19

Business of the Week

McCully's Hill Farm

By Stewart Grant

Our Business of the Week is McCully's Hill Farm, located at 4074 Perth Line #9, just between the roundabout at Wildwood Conservation Area and the Town of St. Marys.

The 120 acre farm has a long history in St. Marys, with the McCully family first settling in the area back in 1847. The family farm has evolved in the many years since then, with current owners Aarden Farms purchasing the business five years ago.

McCully's Hill Farm produces a wide variety of healthy food and offers it for sale within its retail store onsite. McCully's also is a great destination for tourists, school groups and families who take in entertaining and educational experiences at the farm throughout the year.

October is a particularly busy month at McCully's. Along with crops starting to come off, each weekend of October marks celebration of the Fall Harvest Festival. During Saturdays and Sundays this month, families are invited to take part in the Festival which is packed full of activities such as meeting the various farm animals, exploring the corn maze, going for a wagon ride, visiting the pumpkin patch, launching the pumpkin catapult, jumping in the straw fort, getting faces painted, and so much more. The cost of attendance for the Farm Harvest Festival is \$6/person or \$5/person for a family of four or more (two years and under are free).

Anytime of the year is a great time to visit the retail store at McCully's which has so many tasty local offerings for sale. Owner Dennis Aarts noted that their prepared foods are becoming increasingly popular as busy families are seeking out healthy, homemade and convenient choices for their dinner tables. McCully's offers meat pies, stews, baked beans and more within their freezers. On the shelves, customers flock to McCully's var-



ious homemade preserves, maple syrup, meat products, and freshly-baked tarts, cookies and pies. As Christmas approaches, there is also high demand for McCully's gift baskets.

Aarts is proud to work with a number of local area businesses who help round out the selection of goods at the retail store. These include but aren't limited to Stonetown Cheese, Kintore Coffee, Ferguson Apiaries, Full of Beans, Oak Manor Organic, and Atwood Heritage pepperettes. Every visit to McCully's seems to include a feel-good atmosphere. "We are family here and we enjoy working together," explained Aarts. "We are pleased to be able to offer high-quality, locally-produced food to the families who visit us."

For more information on McCully's Hill Farm,

visit their website at www.mccully.ca or give them a call at 519-284-2564. During the month of October, their regular operating hours are daily from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. with slightly longer hours on Saturdays, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

"The Telescope Guy" stopping by McCully's this Saturday

Alex Westman of Granton will be bringing his large, high-powered solar telescope to McCully's Hill Farm this Saturday to offer visitors a rare and spectacular opportunity to safely view the Sun (that is, assuming Mother Nature co-operates). Westman, a longtime astronomy enthusiast, will be on hand at McCully's Hill Farm on Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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