

Project Title: University of Georgia Cooperative Extension County Agent Programs

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The Georgia Agricultural Commodity Commission for Peanuts has a long history of supporting University of Georgia Cooperative Extension County Extension Agents. Specific programs for UGA County Extension Agents that have been funded by the Georgia Peanut Commission over the past years include: on-farm applied research projects and result demonstrations, travel to the American Peanut Research and Education Society (APRES) annual meeting, and the “Peanut Education for Excellence” awards presented to outstanding county-based Extension programs focusing on peanut production presented annually at the Georgia Association of County Agricultural Agents (GACAA) meeting.

**AGENTS PRESENTED RESEARCH AT
AMERICAN PEANUT RESEARCH AND EDUCATION SOCIETY MEETING
VIRTUAL MEETING IN 2020**

- Stephanie Hollifield– Brooks County
- Tucker Price – Cook County
- Ty Torrance– Grady County
- Bill Tyson – Bulloch County

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AGENT PEANUT DEMONSTRATION GRANTS

- Aubrey Shirley – Tattnall County – Variety Trial
- Phillip Edwards – Irwin County – Fungicide Trial
- Brian Hayes – Mitchell County – Fungicide ad Variety Trial
- Stephanie Hollifield – Brooks County – Seeding Rate and Stimulant
- Jeremy Kichler – Colquitt County – Fungicide and Stimulant
- Bill Tyson – Bulloch County – Variety trial and stimulant
- Ty Torrance – Grady County – Variety and Fungicide
- John Mclemore – Coffee County -- Stimulant
- Charlotte Meeks -- Houston County -- Fungicide

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GACAA PEANUT AWARDS



Junior Award Winners:

1st place – Ty Torrance – Grady County
2nd Place – Holly Anderson – Ben Hill County





Senior Award Winners:

1st place – Bill Tyson – Bulloch County
2nd Place – Phillip Edwards – Irwin County



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2019/2020 Georgia Peanut Achievement Club

Growers	Name	County	Acres	Yield (lbs/A)
State Winners				
100-299	Steve Newberry	Jefferson	152	7285
300 -699	Scott Moore	Dooley	341	6717
700 +	Eddie Miller Farms	Seminole	704	7066
District 1				
100-299	HillSide Farms/Mike Newberry	Early	256	7002
700 +	Bob McLendon	Calhoun	1114	5693
District 2				
100-299	John Gaines, Jr.	Baker	225	6891
300 -699	Jeff Williams	Miller	572	5888
700 +	Parker Heard	Decatur	720	6292
District 3				
100-299	Larry Ray Walker	Ben Hill	187	5740
300 -699	James Hitchcock	Washington	408	6373
700 +	Ken Hall Farms	Worth	1181	5540
District 4				
100-299	Brenda Reeves	Irwin	133	7045
300 -699	Andrew Grimes	Tift	672	6016
700 +	Neil Wood Farms	Bulloch Co	880	4540

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