

Hi John Massier,

My name is Melanie Buffel and I am the Coordinator for the Young Agrarians Business Mentorship Network in BC. I'm excited to share that applications are now open for the BMN 2024 Mentee cohort. The BMN pairs new/young farmers with an experienced farmer to learn skills and achieve goals within their farm business. We'd love your support in getting the word out through your networks. Below you will find written copy and graphics for use on social media and in newsletters or to forward in emails. Whatever you are able to share would be greatly appreciated.

Eligible applicants are young (or young at heart) new farmers, 1 - 5 years in business - but if you know of a seasoned farmer who may be interested in becoming a Mentor in the program we also have paid positions available for Mentors.

For more information about the program, please visit our website at: <https://youngagrarians.org/business-mentorship-network/>

Thanks so much, and don't hesitate to let me know if you have any questions. If you no longer wish to receive emails from Young Agrarians please reply to this email with that instruction. All the best to you!

Cheers,
Melanie

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Newsletter or Email content:

Are you a young (or young at heart) animal, grain, flower, mushroom or vegetable producer living in British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan or Manitoba? Are you operating a new farm or taking over the family operation and looking for guidance in growing your business? Apply to participate in the Young Agrarians [Business Mentorship Network](#)!

[Apply Now!](#) **Deadline Oct 31st 2023.**

This program pairs new and seasoned farmers together to cultivate the skills for running ecologically sustainable and financially viable businesses. Mentors will coach new farmers towards clarifying and achieving powerful goals to lay the groundwork for growing their farm business.

Results have been instant! Since the program's inception, BMN mentees have generated on average a 147% increase in revenues, a 98% increase in the volume of food grown, and a 12% increase of land in production during their year of mentorship.

WHAT YOU RECEIVE: As a participant in the program you will receive 30 hours of mentorship with an experienced farm business mentor, a financial and marketing web series for farmers, profile on our website and social media, and opportunities for peer networking.

Priority will be given (but not limited) to applicants who are new entrants into agriculture, residing in British Columbia Alberta, Saskatchewan or Manitoba, ages 18-35, having been in operation for 1-5 years.

[Review the full program details and apply here.](#)

The Business Mentorship Network is accepting applications until October 31st, 2023. Spots are limited - apply today!


Please don't hesitate to reply to this message if you have any questions.

This program is made possible with the generous funding support of Vancity, Endswell and Columbia Basin Trust.

Instagram and Facebook: Are you looking for guidance on growing your farm business? The @YoungAgrarians Business Mentorship Network pairs new and seasoned farmers to cultivate the skills to run ecologically sustainable and financially viable businesses.

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