

## Farm

All of the farm crew were able to enjoy both vacation and holiday time the last few weeks. This work week was short but Ryan was able to transport 4 loads of soybeans to market at Cargill in Gainesville. The price per bushel is going to be about \$12.50. We were also able to start the process of liming plot areas based on the soil samples taken at the end of last year. According to calculations made by Jason we will need to apply about 130 tons of lime to areas where the PH is 5.8 or lower. The lime has been delivered and we are loading the Southern State spreader trucks here at the farm.

## Research

Evaluation forms were emailed by Jason to all users of the PSF last year. These completed forms should be delivered to the PSF committee chairman, Dr. Boerma. Please take the time to provide us with your input regarding operations here at the farm. Our support of research is the number one work priority here at the PSF. We appreciate the opportunity we were given to work with the many different programs.

For your information we have attached to this email a copy of 2007 weather records for the PSF.

## Comments

The PSF committee met on the morning of Dec. 18, 2007. Members present were Dr. Boerma, Dr. All, Dr. Hussey, Dale Wood, and myself. Jason and Ryan were also present. The committee agreed to recommend to Dr. Shilling that Dr. Brummer and Dr. Hancock be invited to serve as members. Dr. Boerma also recommended that there be training with regard to restricted permit processes for all members of the farm crew. Dr. Boerma agreed to coordinate this training possibly with other research stations included.