

SOURCES FOR USED FARM EQUIPMENT

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The following links are places where you can buy, sell, or indicate interest in various pieces of farm equipment. Most of these sites are specific to California but some countrywide sites may be useful. Note that if you would like to place an ad to sell equipment you may need to pay for it.

Classified Publications, Direct Mail Magazines

- Auburn Trader www.auburntrader.com. Better variety of ads in the archived publications. Useful search categories for farm equipment include heavy equipment and miscellaneous. Mostly for local businesses. You can post wanted ads here, although you probably have to pay for them. Editions of Foothills Marketplace, another local publication, can be found on the same website. Better for searching local businesses and events.

Local Newsletters and Newspapers

- The Auburn Journal www.auburnjournal.com. Try the Gold Country Classifieds, sections “Things you don’t need”, “Things that move”, and “Things to have fun with”. You can post wanted ads although you’ll probably have to pay for them.
- The Union www.theunion.com. Search sections “Farm and Ranch Equipment”, “Livestock and Animals” for livestock equipment, “Transportation”, and “Merchandise” (sub-sections “Lawn and Garden” and “Machinery and Supplies”).



California Publications Geared Towards Farmers

- Western Farm Press www.westernfarmpress.com. Online marketplace where you can advertise equipment or farm-related merchandise you would like to sell. They don’t have any listings currently and ask you to email for more information. Online and publication rates: http://insidepenton.com/farmpress/delta/FPP_Marketplace_rates.pdf. Rates are high.
- Capital Press www.capitalpress.com. Great classified section for farmers and ranchers. Section on draft horses and equipment and sections for tractors and parts. You do have to pay to place an ad, but rates are more reasonable than Western Farm Press.
- California Farmer www.californiafarmer.com. Link to online classifieds: <http://californiafarmer.com/fp.aspx?isc=http%3a%2f%2fclassifieds.farmprogress.com%2fclf.htm>. You can pay to place an ad online or in one of their 18 publications, published across the United States.

Wanted Ads

- Yesterday’s Tractor Company www.yesterdaytractors.com. It is free to place an ad to sell equipment or to indicate you want a specific piece of equipment.
- New Farm, Rodale Institute <http://www.rodaleinstitute.org/classifieds>. Includes a classified section where you can post wanted and for sale ads for free. If you are looking for a particular item on this site it may be difficult, the actual ads are interspersed with individuals wanting to buy the various items. If you can get past the poor layout and organization it may be a worthwhile resource.

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Placer County - (530) 889-7385 Nevada County - (530) 273-4563
www.ceplacer.ucdavis.edu • <http://ucanr.org/foothillfarming>

Online Resources

- Ebay www.ebay.com. Search farm equipment, click on the agriculture and forestry category. Includes tractors, tractor parts, antique equipment, etc. Downside is that there is no guarantee that the equipment is reliable, in good condition, or available in a state near you. Always check the seller rating and ask for pictures of the product.
- Craigslist www.craigslist.org. First try the Farm and Garden section under “For Sale” items. You can then search for the type of equipment you are looking for.

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