

APPALACHIAN GRAZING CONFERENCE
MORGANTOWN MARRIOTT AT WATERFRONT PLACE HOTEL
DRAFT PROGRAM

MARCH 8, 2019

OPENING GENERAL SESSION

Sarah Flack

Sheep & Goat Pasture Management

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CONCURRENT SESSION 1

Friday AM

Fencing

Water--Too Much, Too Little

Friday Afternoon General Session

Keeping Animals Healthy--Beef Cattle Health

Kevin Shaffer

Improving Animal Efficiency and Water Quality Systems: A Sustainable Agricultural Model Farm

Growing Healthy, High Quality, Vigorous Forages

Managing Pastures --Plant & Animal Health Perspective

Ed Rayburn

2:30- 3:15 PM- Jason Hubbart- Overview, Environmental and Water Quality

Associate Dean for Research

Risk Management

Tom McConnell

Davis College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Design

Lunch

Commissioner Kent Leonhardt

3:15-3:45 PM- Matt Wilson- Animal - Forage/Livestock Systems

Associate Dean for Programs

CONCURRENT SESSION 2

Friday PM

Water Conservation and Capture

JB Harold & Tim Elder

3:45-4:15 PM- Isaac Wolford- Benefits/Value to State and Federal Agencies

State Agronomist

Keeping Animals Healthy-- Vaccination Program, Worming and Fly Control

Darin Matlick

USDA-NRCS

Managing & Controlling Weedy Grasses

Rakesh Chandran

4:15-4:45 PM- General Questions and Discussion-30 minutes

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MARCH 9, 2019

GENERAL SESSION

Allen Williams

CONCURRENT SESSION 3

Saturday AM

Grazing and Soil Health

Allen Williams

Why/How--Stocking Rates

John Genho

KY 31 Tall Fescue Toxicity--What's the Problem & How to Deal with It

Glen Aiken

Better Grazing: Lessons on Efficient Forage Management from the Best in the World

Seeding: Simple vs. Complex Mixtures

Kings AgriSeed

CONCURRENT SESSION 4

Soil Health - Farmer View

Don Jackson

Benefits of Grass Fed Beef

Allen Williams

KY 31 Tall Fescue--How to Replace It

John Andrae

The Technical Revolution: Tools & Techniques Worth Considering (Phone Apps)

Tom Ulrich

CONCURRENT SESSION 5

Saturday PM

Knowing the Soils on My Farm & How do I Make Improvements Based on My Soils

Ed Rayburn & Tom Basden

How I Raise & Direct-Market My Grass-Fed Livestock (Beef, Lamb, Pork)

Roy Brubaker & Julie Hurst

Tall Fescue Renovation--Farmer Perspective

Buron Lanier

Intensive Grazing Management

Cliff & Maggie Hawbaker

CLOSING SESSION

*Several Vendor Breaks are scheduled on March 8th and 9th between speaking sessions.