

Tuesday, February 22, 2011

8:00-8:45 am

**REGISTRATION & VISIT TRADE SHOW**

**8:45 - 9:30 -- CONCURRENT SESSIONS A**  
(Select one of these four sessions to attend)

**(A1) Understanding & Improving Soil Function  
in Grazing Systems**

(REPEATED at 2:45 pm)

Ray Archuleta, Conservation Agronomist  
NRCS, North Carolina

**(A2) Forage Diversity (REPEATED at 2:45 pm)**

Dr. Rob Kallenbach, State Forage Specialist  
University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

**(A3) How to Strip Graze**

Mark Kennedy, State Grassland Specialist  
NRCS, Houston, MO

**(A4) Grazing Systems For Small Ruminants**

Dr. Jody Pennington, Small Ruminant Specialist  
Lincoln University Extension, Neosho, MO

**9:30 - 10:15 am -- BREAK & VISIT TRADE SHOW**

**10:15 - 11:00 -- CONCURRENT SESSIONS B**  
(Select one of these four sessions to attend)

**(B1) Selection & Management Practices for  
Producing Grass Type Cows-(REPEATED at 2:45 pm)**

Gearld Fry, Independent Bovine Engineering Consultant,  
Rose Bud, Arkansas

**(B2) Using High Stock Density to Improve  
Soils and Increase Profits**

(REPEATED at 2:45 pm)

Mark Brownlee, Producer, St Clair County, MO

**(B3) Various Grazing Philosophies,  
Producers' Experiences**

-- 3-leaf Stage ; Take 1/2/Leave 1/2 ; High Density --

Steve Freeman- Producer, Wright County, MO  
Bernie Van Dalfsen- Producer, Lawrence County, MO

**(B4) Going Beyond the Spray Boom for  
Grassland Weed Control**

Tim Schnakenberg- Agronomist  
MU Extension, Galena, MO

11:00 - 11:45 am

**BREAK & VISIT TRADE SHOW**

11:45 -- LUNCHEON

Emcee – Dr. Ansen Elliott, MSU School of Agriculture

**Keynote Address**

**“IN SEARCH OF SUSTAINABILITY”**

**Jim Lents**

Rancher - Indiahoma, Oklahoma

**1:15 - 1:45 pm -- BREAK & VISIT TRADE SHOW**

**1:45 - 2:30 -- CONCURRENT SESSIONS C**  
(Select one of these four sessions to attend)

**(C1) Question & Answer Time with  
Keynote Speaker**

Jim Lents, Rancher, Oklahoma

**(C2) Manage What You've Got Before You Buy  
That "Silver Bullet"**

Mark Green, District Conservationist  
NRCS, Springfield, MO

**(C3) Litter vs. Commercial Fertilizer**

Dr. John Lory, Associate Professor, Plant Science  
University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

**(C4) How to Harvest Quality Hay in  
SW Missouri**

Bill Garrett – Producer, Barton County, MO  
Allan Trantham – Producer, Greene County, MO

**2:30 - 2:45 pm -- BREAK**

**2:45 - 3:30 – CONCURRENT SESSIONS D**  
(Select one of these four sessions to attend)

**(D1) Understanding & Improving Soil  
Function in Grazing Systems**

Ray Archuleta, Conservation Agronomist  
NRCS, North Carolina

**(D2) Selection & Management Practices for  
Producing Grass Type Cows**

Gearld Fry, Independent Bovine Engineering Consultant  
Rose Bud, Arkansas

**(D3) Forage Diversity**

Dr. Rob Kallenbach, State Forage Specialist  
University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

**(D4) Using High Stock Density to Improve  
Soils and Increase Profits**

Mark Brownlee, Producer, St. Clair County, MO

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**REGISTRATION SLIP FOR SPRING FORAGE CONFERENCE**

\*\*\*\*NON-REFUNDABLE\*\*\*\*

NAME(S) _____	CONFERENCE FEE: _____	Number _____	Total \$ _____
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**Tuesday, February 22, 2011**

**8:00 AM – 3:30 PM**

**First Session Starts at 8:45 AM**

**University Plaza Hotel**

**333 S. John Q. Hammons Pkwy  
Springfield, MO**

**Hotel Phone: 417-864-7333**

Conference fee

**\$25.00 (NON-REFUNDABLE)**

**DUE BY FEBRUARY 15, 2011**

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Center, Missouri Department of Conservation and  
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Several of these sessions may count toward CEU  
credits for Certified Crop Advisors and  
AFGC Grassland Professionals.

**Conference Location Map:**

