



Ranch Management Field Day

Newland Farms | Thayer, KS

Tuesday, August 16, 2022

Schedule

- 3:00 p.m. Registration
- 3:30 p.m. Welcome & Introductions
- 3:45 p.m. Educational Sessions
- 6:30 p.m. Dinner

Background

The Newland family owns and operates Newland Farms in southeast Kansas. The family operation consists of an Angus-based commercial cow-calf herd, a farming enterprise where corn, soybeans and wheat are produced and a backgrounding business. Fescue grass haylage is cut and baled for feed for the cowherd. The Newlands retain their own replacement females and background calves on native pasture.

Parking Location & Directions

Location

Newland Farms
3405 Brown Rd
Thayer, KS 66776

From Chanute:

Head south for 19 ¼ miles on US 169. Turn west (right) onto 30th Road for half a mile before turning north (right) at the first cross street onto Brown Road. Travel north on Brown Road for half a mile and Newland Farms will be on the west (left) side of the road. "Field Day" directional signs will be posted.

Program

• Our Beef with Flies: Why House Flies are more than Nuisance Pests

Dr. Cassandra Olds,

Assistant Professor, KSU Department of Entomology

House flies are a common pest in confined animal production systems that often reach nuisance levels. Dr. Olds will discuss the role of house flies in the spread of antimicrobial-resistant bacteria and the importance of developing integrated pest management programs.

• Aerial Seeding Panel

Panel Discussion

Austin Hobbs, Tyce Marple, Bradley McVey & Ethan Seller

Aerial seeding quickly is gaining popularity among those planting cover crops. This panel of local farmers will discuss the benefits and drawbacks of using fixed-wing planes versus helicopters to complete the job.

• Using Drones for Crop Spraying

Agri Spray Drones

Drones have proven to be an effective tool in crop production throughout the U.S. While drones have a multitude of uses in the field, this session will focus on their usage for liquid or granular product application. A technician from Agri Spray Drones will dive into the metrics of utilizing a drone in this capacity and demo the technology for attendees. Agri Spray Drones is a full-service drone sales firm focused on helping producers and landowners utilize unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs) in liquid and granular application.

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