



2024 Prescribed Burn Learning Opportunities

FIELD DAYS *Pre-registration is required.

Participants **MUST** complete one of the evening classroom sessions OR the classroom training offered on the morning of the field day to participate in the live fire training sessions. Those registering for field days will receive additional details in order to prepare for field day events.

REGISTRATION

*ALL CLASSES & FIELD DAYS ARE **FREE**

Contact Jan Rounds at SDSU Extension Watertown Center
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DATES

Classroom Sessions

- Feb 8, 5:30 - 8:30pm - Huron, Huron Events Center
- Feb 22, 5:30 - 8:30pm - Milbank, Milbank Fire Hall
- Feb 27, 6:00pm - Redfield, Redfield Fire Department
- March 19, 5:00 - 8:30pm - Murdo, The Jones County Sportsman's Club

Field Sessions

- April 9-10 - Lower Brule Fire School
- April 23-24 - Oak Lake Fire School - CRP/woody focus
- May 7-8 - Oak Lake Fire School - ecological outcomes focus

The Prescribed Fire Classes and Field Training is for landowners, non-operating landowners, & agency staff; all are welcome. During the training, you will learn how to plan and implement burning on your own land. This training includes the basics of planning, preparation, and conducting safe and effective prescribed fire.

Field Sessions Include

- Fire break preparation
- Weather and fuel types
- Burn technique and safety
- PPE / Equipment training
- Live Fire Skills / Burning

Classroom Sessions Include

- Fire planning and design
- Goals / Objectives / Safety
- Ecology and weather
- Communications
- Burning CRP / Other Programs

