December 2019

Upcoming Events

January

13  Soybean School, Salina
15  Farm Financials for Women in Ag #1, Salina
22  Farm Financials for Women in Ag #2, Salina
23  Calving School, Salina
29  Farm Financials for Women in Ag #3, Salina

February

5   Corn School, Salina
     Farm Financials for Women in Ag #4, Salina

Carl Garten Retirement Reception
After 41 1/2 years, Carl is retiring from the Central Kansas Extension District. A reception will be held Friday, January 3, at American AgCredit from 4 to 6:30 p.m. Their building is located at 925 W. Magnolia Rd. in Salina, just west of the I-135/Magnolia exit at the entrance to Menards, in Salina. Cards may be sent to Carl’s home address: 116 Aspen Rd., Salina, KS 67401.

Soybean School
Date: Monday, January 13, 2020
Time: 3:00 PM — 7:00 PM
Location: Webster Conference Center
2601 N. Ohio St., Salina, KS

As soybean acreage continues to increase in central Kansas, this school will be a targeted program on location-specific issues that producers are facing. A selection of the following topics will be on the agenda: weed control, production practices, soil fertility and nutrient management, insect control, irrigation, disease management, and market outlook.

Dinner will be provided courtesy of Kansas Soybean. There is no cost to attend, but participants are asked to pre-register by Monday, January 6.

For more information or to RSVP, please call the CKD — Salina Office at (785) 309-5850 or email jwisbey@ksu.edu.
Farm Financial Skills for Kansas Women in Agriculture

A statewide program to address financial risk amid a struggling farm economy

Hosted by: Central Kansas District Extension
American Ag Credit
925 W. Magnolia, Salina

Program Schedule:

January 15th, 2020:
5:30 pm Dinner
6:00 pm Local networking activity
6:30 pm Recordkeeping & Activity
8:30 pm Session ends

January 22nd, 2020:
5:30 pm Dinner
6:00 pm Balance Sheet & Activity
8:00 pm “This is different stress”
8:30 pm Session ends

January 29th, 2020:
5:30 pm Dinner
6:00 pm Income Statement & Activity
8:00 pm “Family Living Expenses”
8:30 pm Session ends

February 5th, 2020:
5:30 pm Dinner
6:00 pm Cash Flow & Activity
8:00 pm Goal Setting
8:30 pm Session ends

Program Description:
This workshop series will teach principles of recordkeeping to develop a balance sheet, income statement and a cash flow statement. Participants will work with a case farm to do performance analysis and understand how these statements can help with management decisions.

The program will be a combination of broadcasted keynote speakers, local speakers, and facilitators to assist in completing the hands-on activities. The goal is for participants to acquire financial management skills they can apply directly to their farming or ranching operations.

Registration Information:
$40.00 registration fee will cover all meals and all program materials

Register for the series by visiting: www.AgManager.info under “Events” or contact Central Kansas District Extension at 785-392-2147

Registration Deadline Dec. 31st!
K-State Calving School

Thursday, January 23, 2020
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

K-State Polytechnic Campus
College Center Conference Room
2310 Centennial - Salina, KS

This program will outline overall calving management and increase knowledge, practical skills, and your number of live calves raised.

Featured Presenters:
• Dr. AJ Tarpoff, DVM – K-State Extension Beef Veterinarian
• Shawn Ryan - MULTIMIN USA Technical Sales Representative (KS / NE)
• Cade Rensink – Central Kansas Extension District Livestock Production Agent
• Brett Melton – River Valley Extension District Livestock Production Agent

Topics:
• Stages of the normal calving process and tips to handle difficult calving situations
• When and how to intervene to assist cows and young heifers
• Demonstrate proper use of calving equipment on a life-size cow and calf model
• Environmental considerations for cow/calf health and performance

Meal sponsored by:

For more information or to RSVP by Friday, January 17 contact:

Cade Rensink - Central Kansas District at (785) 392-2147 or crensink@ksu.edu
Brett Melton - River Valley District at (785) 243-8185 or bmelton@ksu.edu

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The enclosed material is for your information. If we can be of further assistance, feel free to call or drop by the Extension Office.

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