USDA-ARS Range Research Field Day

September 24, 2019 from 9:00-3:30

at the Southern Plains Experimental Range, Ft. Supply, OK

RSVP

We kindly ask you to RSVP by September 18 so we can be sure and have enough food.

RSVP to Emalee Friend @

580-256-7449 x 103 or at Emalee.Friend@usda.gov

<u>Lunch</u>

Lunch will be provide by Farm Credit and Northwest Oklahoma Cattleman's Foundation

Directions

16.4 miles south of Buffalo, OK on US Highway 183 or

3.1 miles north of Ft. Supply, OK on US Highway 183

There is a sign on east side of road that reads "Southern Plains Experimental Range"

Agenda

9:00-9:30 Registration

9:30-12:15 Morning topics and speakers: (Will be presented in shop area)

- Subseasonal, Seasonal, and Interannual Variability of Weather and Climate Extremes in the Great Plains, Jeff Basara, University of Oklahoma
- Introduction to the USDA-ARS Beef Grand Challenge, Larry Kuehn, USDA-ARS, Clay Center
- Using wheat pasture in a cow/calf enterprise, Dave Lalman, Oklahoma State University

12:15-1:30 Lunch

1:30-3:30 Afternoon topics and speakers: (Will be loading on trailers to see projects)

- Soil and vegetation change from 75+ years of no grazing or fire, Corey Moffet, USDA-ARS, Woodward
- Distiller's grain-based supplements for cattle on grass, Paul Beck, Oklahoma State University
- Beef Grand Challenge: the Oklahoma perspective, Jim Neel, USDA-ARS, El Reno
- New technologies for measuring efficiency of beef cattle, Stacey Gunter, USDA-ARS, Woodward

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