





2017 Annual Livestock and Forage Field Day

Virginia Tech's Southern Piedmont Agricultural Research and Extension Center

2375 Darvills Road, Blackstone, VA

Directions can be found at http://www.arec.vaes.vt.edu/southern-piedmont/contact/index.html

July 25, 2017

Registration for Pre-Dinner Tour begins at 2:00 PM

Pre-Dinner Silvopasture and Stocker Cattle Tours at 3:00 PM

- Silvopasture perspectives, JB Daniel and Jason Fisher
- Developing a pasture-based stocker system, Gabriel Pent
- Tools for selecting replacement heifers, Vitor Mercadante

Dinner and guest speakers at 5:00 PM

- Theme: Livestock heat stress management
 - Tall fescue toxicity mitigation, Robin White
 - o Silvopasture implementation, Adam Downing

Post-Dinner Break, Hay Judging and Forage ID Contests

Post-Dinner Exercise

• Testing hay and balancing winter rations, Bain Wilson

Please RSVP to Margaret Kenny by emailing makenny@vt.edu

or calling 434-292-5331 by Friday, July 21st.







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