How Can Greene County Extension Help You?

Greene County Extension has services available to landowners, producers, and the public. Some offerings include:
- Research-based information
- Educational conferences, meetings, workshops and demonstrations
- Various equipment loans and rentals
- Soil testing services

Since 1914, Greene County residents have sought help from Greene County Extension on topics related to agriculture, gardening, 4-H youth, nutrition, cooking, families, housing and business and community development. Learn about upcoming local programs and other ways you can engage with Greene County Extension online at http://extension.missouri.edu/greene

For further information or to make special arrangements, contact:
Tim Schnakenberg, agronomy specialist
Stone County, (417) 357-6812
Or
David Burton, county program director
Greene County, 417-881-8909

Greene County Soil and Water Conservation District

Soil and Water Conservation Districts provide financial incentives to landowners to implement conservation practices that help prevent soil erosion and protect water resources. District staff provides technical support with the design, implementation and maintenance of these practices.

By promoting good farming techniques that help keep soil on the fields and waters clean, each soil and water conservation district is conserving the productivity of Missouri’s working lands.

The primary funding for these cost-share practices comes from the one-tenth-of-one-percent parks, soils and water sales tax, which is shared by the Department of Natural Resources’ Soil and Water Conservation Program and Division of State Parks.

Tonight’s meal is provided by the Greene County Soil & Water Conservation District.

92nd Annual
Greene County Soils and Crops Conference & SWCD Annual Meeting-Awards

Monday, March 16, 2015
5:45 p.m.

LOCATION
Springfield Livestock Marketing Center
(2nd floor banquet room)
6821 West Independence
Springfield, MO 65802

Exit 70 off I-44, west of Springfield
www.springfieldlivestockcenter.com

Conference Planning Committee
Mark Green, Will Rhodes, Eric Morris,
David Burton, Tim Schnakenberg,
Andy McCormick and Jerome Rader
This annual event offers opportunities to help you better manage and profit from your farming or rural enterprises.

5:00 p.m.  Registration Begins

5:45 p.m.  Welcome & Dinner
David Burton, Greene County Extension
Meal provided by the Greene County Soil and Water Conservation District

6:05 p.m.  Program Updates
◆ Natural Resources Conservation Service: Mark Green, District Conservationist, NRCS
◆ Farm Service Agency: Abby Inglis, County Executive Director,
◆ Greene County Commission

6:30 p.m.  SWCD Update and Presentation of Greene County SWCD Awards
Will Rhodes, SWCD

6:45 p.m.  Program/Speakers
Custom Grazing and Rental Agreements – Wesley Tucker, MU Extension agriculture business specialist

Managing Forage Grazing Heights and Stockpiling for Winter Pasture – Mark Kennedy, Grazing Specialist, Missouri Forage and Grassland Council.

Fine-tuning your Forage Fertility Program – Tim Schnakenberg, agronomy specialist with MU Extension

9:00 p.m.  Adjourn
Thanks to Maggie Maes of Miller, Mo. for catering our meal.

Registration Required

Please register so we can plan the amount of food and seating needed. Registration helps to reduce costs.

To register, call Greene County Extension at 417-881-8909 or send an email to the office at greeneco@missouri.edu with:
- name, mailing address with city and zip
- telephone number (so we can call you in case of a schedule change) and
- total number attending with you.

DEADLINE
Must be Received by Monday, March 11, 2015

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