

# Southwest Center Grazing School

A three-day seminar on management-intensive grazing for  
Economic and environmental sustainability at the

## University of Missouri - Southwest Research Center

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**Mt. Vernon, Missouri**

**May 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Topics include:**

The “Art and Science” of Grazing  
Soil Basics and Fertility  
Plant Growth  
Fencing and Water Systems  
Matching Livestock and Forage Resources  
Meeting Nutritional Needs of Livestock from pasture  
Layout and Design of Grazing Systems  
Economics of Management-intensive Grazing  
Plus, Outdoor Field Exercises and Tour of  
Producers’ Farms

***(Dress appropriately for weather conditions)***

**Please Note:** This is the “basic” grazing school that is applicable to all types of livestock. Completion of this school may help qualify you for cost-share programs (check with your local NRCS office for more information).

**Registration Information:** Maximum enrollment is 45 people. Registration is \$140 per person or \$225 for couples (**couples share one set of printed materials**). Registration forms and payment must be received no later than May 1. This fee includes the *Missouri Grazing Handbook, Forages and Weeds of Pastures, Watering Systems for Serious Graziers, Electric Fencing for Serious Graziers* and a grazing stick, as well as lunches and refreshments during breaks. **Classes begin at 8:00am on all days and will end at approx. 4 pm each day.**

The Southwest Center is located 4 miles southwest of Mt. Vernon on Hwy H, and can be easily reached from I-44 via Exit 38 or Exit 44 (see map to the right). **Registration deadline is May 1, 2018.**



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### REGISTRATION FORM – SOUTHWEST CENTER GRAZING SCHOOL 2018

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: (additional name, if sharing materials) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Total amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please enclose check payable to “Lawrence County Extension Council”  
Return to: U of MO Extension Center, P.O. Box 388, Mt Vernon, MO 65712

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