The Management Intensive Grazing Schools are designed to teach producers, educators and agency staff the basics of management intensive grazing with a hands-on approach.

This two-day intensive workshop provides opportunities for in-depth discussions, field exercises, and reference materials that cover both livestock and agronomic topics related to grazing.

All are welcome! Take time to attend. You'll be glad you did!

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Two Day Seminar
September 14-15, 2017
Forage Systems Research Center, Linneus, MO
GRAZING SCHOOL AGENDA

Thursday September 14, 2017

12:30 p.m.  Registration
1:00 p.m.  Introduction to MIG
John Turner
2:00 p.m.  Livestock Nutrition
Zac Erwin
3:00  Break
3:15 p.m.  Fencing Demonstration
John Turner
4:15 p.m.  Evaluation of Farm Resources
Dee Vanderburg
5:00 p.m.  Plan Your Farm (Optional)

Friday, September 15, 2017

8:00 a.m.  Economic Aspects of Grazing Management, Joe Koenen
8:50 a.m.  Grazing Calculations
John Turner
9:20 a.m.  Break
9:30 a.m.  Basic Forage Growth Management and Fertility
Valerie Tate
10:50 a.m.  Layout & Design of Grazing Systems, Tim Clapp
11:20 a.m.  Matching Livestock and Forage Resources, Valerie Tate
12:00 p.m.  Watering Facilities for MIG
Tim Clapp
12:30 p.m.  Lunch
1:30 p.m.  FSRC Farm Tour & Field Exercises
- Evaluating Pasture Conditions
- Identifying Pasture Plants & Weeds
- Estimating Forage Yields
- Soil Testing
- Stockpiling for Winter Pasture
5:00 p.m.  Tying it all Together
Adjourn

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Cost of the two-day regional grazing school is $115.00 for the first person and $75.00 for the second person per farm/firm. A $30.00 advance deposit will be required by September 1, 2017 to reserve participation. The balance will be paid the first day of class. Registration will be open to the first 50 individuals.

The fee includes the cost of lunch Saturday and refreshments both days. The course also includes materials on grazing management specific to the Midwest.

If you need special accommodations because of a disability, or if you need materials in an alternative format, please inform me immediately. Contact Valerie Tate at 660-895-5123.

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