

# 15<sup>th</sup> Kentucky Grazing Conference



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## **SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY**

- 8:00 Registration, Visit Exhibits, Silent Auction
- 8:45 Welcome
- 9:00 *Grazing Methods: Tool or Toolbox?* - Dr. Garry Lacefield
- 9:15 *Maximizing Stocker Gains on Pastures* - Dr. Jeff Lehmkuhler
- 9:30 *Forage Legumes: Their Importance and Management in Profitable Livestock Systems* - Dr. Ben Goff
- 9:45 Break
- 10:15 *Technical Service Provider: What is it and Why is it important to you?* - Mr. Bill Payne
- 10:30 *Summer Grazing Options* - Dr. Ray Smith
- 11:00 *Grazing Options for Fall and Winter* - Mr. Ed Ballard
- 11:45 Discussion
- 12:00 Lunch and Awards
- 1:00 Silent Auction Results
- 1:15 *Can I Afford to Spray for Weeds in Pastures* - Dr. Scott Flynn
- 1:45 Forage Spokesman Contest
- 3:00 Adjourn



## KFGC Award Winners History

Year	Grassroots	Public Service: County	Public Service: State	Industry
2014				
2013	John McCoy	Joanna Coles	John James	Chris Agee
2012	Barry Drury	Shane Bogle	Elmer Gray	Bill Bracy
2011	Buddy Smith	Lyndall Harned	Gene Olson	Scott Cooper
2010	Jim Landis	Tommy Yankey	Laurie Lawrence	Jon Doran
2009	Clayton & Christopher Gerals	Darrell Simpson	Glen Aiken	Jeremy McGill
2008	Todd Clark	Chris Milam	Ray Smith	Jeff Medlin
2007	John & Randy Seymour	Rick Greenwell	Lowell bush	Ralph Quillin
2006	Bill Payne	George Kelley	Mike Barrett	Buddy Rowlett
2005	Paul Beauchamp Ova Alexander	Rankin Powell	Byron Sleugh	Bred Winsett
2004	Lee Robey	Don Sorrell	Donnie Davis	Joe Stephens
2003	Jason Sandefur	Keenan Turner	Tim Phillips	Mike Feldhaus
2002	Jimmy May	Doug Shepherd	Chuck Dougherty	Charlie Leppert
2001	Steve Johnson	Charlie McIntire	Donna Amaral-Phillips	Sharon Burton
2000	Nicky Baker	Gary Tilghman	Oran Little	Phil Rowland
1999	Russell Hackley	Bill Green	Joe Wyles	John Long
1998	Minos Cox	Dr. Luther Smith	Billy Ray Smith	Bill Cisney
1997	Cecil Cade	Terry Gibson Darrell Burks	David Stipes	J.W. Stephens
1996	Bryan Hatfield	John Fourquarean	Jimmy C. Henning	Phil Howell
1995	Donnie Shaw	Steve Moore	John Johns	Tim Keene
1994 (Nov)	J.B. & Bill Holtzclaw	Steve Osborne Ken Johnson	David Williamson	Bill Talley
1994 (Jan)	Ben Crawford	Jack Ewing	Mike Collins	Gary Coughlin
1993	Larry Shirley	Paul Deaton	Roy Burris	Gary Lane
1992	Larry Jeffries	Tom Curtsinger	Harold Vaught	Dink Embry
1991	John Nowak	Dan Grigson	Ken Wells	Tim Sickman
1990	Wallace Campbell	Kelsey Driskill	Don Henry	Charles Dobbs
1989	None	None	None	None
1988	None	None	Normal Taylor	Henry T. McCarley
1987	Hillary Skees	John Kavanaugh (1 <sup>st</sup> year awarded)	Paul Burris	Wayne Harr
1986	Don Moore		Curtis Absher	Garland Bastin
1985	Lenn Lee Nelson Dr. G.L. Simpson		Monroe Rasnake	
1984	Paul McCarthy		A.J. Hiatt	Jack Crowner
1983	Dale Lovell		Bobby Pass	
1982	Larry Campbell			
1981	Harry Goodin Henry Besuden		Garry Lacefield J. Kenneth Evans	Aubrey Warren
1980	Charles Schnitzler Harold Rose John Turner Don Evans		Tim Taylor	Warren Thompson
1979				
1978				
1977				
1976			E.N. Fergus Bill Johnstone	Barney Arnold



# FOREWORD

This marks the 15<sup>th</sup> consecutive year we have come together to spend the day discussing “Practical Grazing Issues”. I am delighted to have the support, encouragement and assistance for this years’ conference. The program committee has assembled a great group of speakers covering a wide array of timely-practical topics relating to grazing in Kentucky.

I want to extend a special THANKS to all speakers and exhibitors. Special thanks to Christi Forsythe for handling all the details concerning program and proceedings.

I do hope the discussions of the day will be of value to you and your grazing program.

Garry D. Lacefield  
Program Chairman





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