

Lemhi County Cattlemen's Winter School 2024

Cattlemen's Winter School will be held every Tuesday night in January at the Elks Lodge and via zoom. Educational presentations will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited and it is free to attend to workshops on your choice. If you would like to attend via zoom please register at the following link:

<https://forms.gle/Z1JdWnW2p2ArThVG8> or use this qr code:



January 2: Ranching is a Business

Ranching for Profit is inviting producers to dinner that night at 6:00 p.m. to kick off Winter School. Andrew Morris will give an overview of the Ranching for Profit school and present "3 secrets" to a profitable ranching business. David Anderson with American Farmland Trust will do an introduction to succession planning.



January 9: Beef – the Final Product

Come learn from Dr. Phil Bass, UI Meat Scientist, about the newest research and techniques in processing beef.



January 16: Beef Management

Dr. Ben Abby with Pioneer Animal Health will talk about PAP testing in bulls. Shannon Williams will cover the steps to developing a calf marketing pool. Kathi Rassmussen will discuss protecting the value of your calf-crop with Livestock Risk Protection and protecting your grazing acres from a lack of precipitation with Pasture Rangeland Forage insurance plans.



January 23: Pesticide Education

A representative from Idaho Department of Agriculture will be here to teach us about quagga mussels, how to identify and implications to our waterways and irrigation systems. Dr. Jim Sprinkle will cover using grazing as control for cheat grass and the cheat grass challenge. Trent Brusseau with Corteva will discuss cheatgrass control with herbicides. (Three recertification credits are available.)



January 30: Calf Care

Dr. Lauren Christensen, UI Extension veterinarian, and students will teach us about how to do a necropsy. They will also discuss the proper way to tube a calf and give an update on antibiotic regulations. Dr. Sara Chaplin with Mountain River Vet will present on "Every Calf Counts- Guidance for the Challenging Neonate".



*** Note: If you would like to come at 6:00 p.m. that night, there will be a community dinner in the big hall. We will have Winter School in the dining room.