

The Ohio State University Extension “District” Programs For Sheep and Goat Producer’s

This O.S.U. Extension Coordinated Program is an effort to provide outreach programs in several areas of sheep production. We invite sheep and goat producers from around Ohio to come to one or more of the educational sessions to learn more about different areas of sheep and goat production.

Programs Sponsored by: Ohio Sheep Improvement Association, Roger A. High, Executive Director, contact (614) 246-8299 or rhigh@ofbf.org or visit our website at www.ohiosheep.org for more information. Contact Extension Educators for possible meeting fees.

When, Where and What?

Wednesday, January 9, 2008 “Mt. Victory Program”

Location: Mt. Victory Plaza Inn, Mt. Victory, Ohio

Time: 6:00 p.m. - PAID RESERVATION IS REQUIRED FOR MEAL

7:00 p.m. – Program begins

Registration for meal: \$15.00/person: Paid Registration due by: January 5, 2007

Speaker: Dr. Stan Gehrt, OSU Wildlife Specialist – “Myths and Truths regarding the Ecology and Management of Coyotes”

Contact: Wesley Haun, Logan County Extension Educator at (937) 599-4227

Monday, February 11, 2008 “Piqua Program”

Location: Upper Valley Joint Vocational School, Applied Technology Center, Piqua, OH

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speaker: David White, OFBF, Animal Welfare, the Good, the Bad and the Ugly

Contact: Woody Joslin, Shelby County Extension Program Assistant at (937) 498-7239

Tuesday, February 19, 2008 “Wauseon Program”

Location: Robert Fulton Agriculture Center, 8770 State Route 108, Wauseon, OH

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speaker: Dr. Paul Kuber, OSU Animal Sciences, “International vs. Domestic Lamb Marketing”

Contact: Flo Chirra, Williams County Extension Educator at (419) 636-5608

Tuesday, February 26, 2008 “Lisbon Program”

Location: Columbiana County Career and Technical Center, 9364 St. Rt. 45, Lisbon, Ohio

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speaker: Dr. Henry Zerby, OSU Meats Specialist, “Lamb and Goat Carcass Evaluation”

Contact: Julie Herron, Columbiana County Extension Educator, (330) 424-7291

Thursday, February 28, 2008 “Newark Program”

Location: Licking County Extension Office, 771 E. Main St., Suite 103, Newark, OH

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speaker: Andy Montoney, USDA Wildlife Services-State Director, “Status of the USDA Wildlife Services Livestock Protection Program”

Contact: Howard Siegrist, Licking County Extension Educator, (740) 349-6900

Saturday, March 1, 2008 “Athens Program”

Location: Athens County Extension Office, 280 W. Union St., Athens, Ohio

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Speaker: Various Speakers and Demonstrations – Topic: Lambing and Kidding

Contact: Rory Lewandowski, Athens County Extension Educator, (740) 593-8555

Saturday, March 1, 2008 “Holmes County Program”

Location: Holmes County Training Center, 8001 TR 574, Holmesville, OH 44633

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Speaker: Various Speakers and Demonstrations – Topic: Sheep and Goat Production

Contact: Grace Brewer, Holmes County Program Assistant, (330) 674-3015

Tuesday, March 4, 2008 “Tiffin Program”

Location: Seneca County Agricultural Services Building, Extension Conference Room, 3140 St. Rt. 100, Tiffin, OH

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speaker: Bob Hendershot, USDA/NCRS Grazing Specialist, “Pasture Management”

Contact: Ed Lentz, Seneca County Extension Educator, (419) 447-9722

Thursday, March 6, 2008 “Butler County Program”

Location: UFCW Local 1099 Hall, 913 Lebanon St., Monroe, OH

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speaker: Gary Wilson, Hancock County Extension Educator, “Hay and Pasture Management for Sheep and Goats”

Contact: Steve Bartels, Butler County Extension Educator, (513) 887-3722

Thursday, March 13, 2008 “Woodsfield Program”

Location: Monroe County Courthouse, Extension Office Conference Room, 101 North Main Street, Woodsfield, OH

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speakers: Chris Penrose, Morgan County Extension Educator, “Pasture and Hay Management following the Summer Drought of 2007” and Daryl Clark, Retired Noble County Extension Educator/Sheep Producer “Developing a Parasite Resilient Sheep Program”

Contact: Steve Schumacher, Belmont Co. Extension Educator, (740) 695-1455

Mark Landefeld, Monroe County Extension Educator, (740) 472-0810

Thursday March 27, 2008 “Minford Program”

Location: Minford High School, 491 Bond Rd., Minford, Oh 45653

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Speakers: Dr. Bill Shulaw “Parasite Control Program for Sheep and Goats”

Contact: Rich Sherman, Scioto Co. Extension Educator, (740)354-7879

We are setting these programs up as “district” programs to reach as many sheep and goat producers around the state of Ohio as possible. We encourage you to come and to get your sheep and goat production questions answered.