

REGIONAL HAY SCHOOL



Tips for Producing Quality Hay and Round Bale Silage in 2019

- This 6.5 hour non-credit course will thoroughly cover all aspects of hay and round bale silage production.
- The course is specifically designed for livestock producers who may already have their own hay equipment or have hay custom harvested on their land.

Tuesday, December 4

Tuesday, December 11

Thursday, December 13

6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

Meals included every evening

There is a lot at stake when making hay and many things to consider to make it worth your while and to be profitable. This program will give you the fundamental knowledge to achieve those goals. There will be discussions that address the following questions:

- What kinds of forages are best used for hay in Southwest Missouri?
 - What should I consider for my hay to meet the nutritional requirements of my livestock?
 - What can I supplement my hay with to make it better?
 - How do I interpret a hay test?
 - Can I afford to fertilize hay fields?
 - How do I effectively cut, rake, ted and bale hay?
 - What does it take to make good round bale silage?
 - Is making my own hay and round bale silage economical for my farming operation?
 - How can I reduce losses when storing and feeding hay?
 - How do I manage pests?
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December 4, 11 & 13, 2018

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DATES, TOPICS, & SPEAKERS

Tuesday, December 4

6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

- **Dinner**
- **Forages for Hay; Forage Quality** – Tim Schnakenberg, Agronomy Field Specialist
- **Meeting the Nutritional Needs of Cattle** – Andy McCorkill, Livestock Field Specialist



Tuesday, December 11

6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

- **Dinner**
- **Hay Fertility Management**– Will McClain, Missouri State University Assistant Professor
- **Hay Storage and Feeding Management** – Andy McCorkill, Livestock Field Specialist; Tim Schnakenberg, Agronomy Field Specialist
- **Hay and Baleage Harvest Systems** – Tim Schnakenberg, Agronomy Field Specialist



Thursday, December 13

6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

- **Dinner**
- **Pest Management**– Tim Schnakenberg, Agronomy Field Specialist
- **Economics of Hay Production** – Jim Spencer, Ag Business Field Specialist
- **Alfalfa as a Hay Crop**– Tim Schnakenberg, Agronomy Field Specialist



Location:

Darr Agricultural Center
2401 S. Kansas Expressway
Springfield MO. 65807
(Bond Learning Center Ball Room)

Registration Fee:

\$25 per person for series
\$40 per couple from same household or farm

To Register or for Further Information:

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REGISTRATION FORM

Regional Hay School

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

ST, Zip _____

Telephone# _____

Email _____

Note: Register early to insure your attendance. A minimum number is required for the school to be held. There is also a maximum number set for budgeting purposes.

Registration and payment is due by:

November 28

_____ # Attending

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\$40 per couple from same household or farm

\$ _____ Total

Special Dietary Needs _____

Return registration form and check payable to:

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You may also register on-line at :

<http://extension.missouri.edu/greene>