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**5 Pesticide Applicator CEUs have been approved for this meeting**

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## **2020 Southwest Hay & Forage Conference**

**January 29<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, & 31<sup>st</sup>  
2020**

**Ruidoso Convention Center  
Ruidoso, New Mexico**

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# 2020 Southwest Hay & Forage Conference

## Wednesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>

**1 - 5 pm** - Exhibit Setup  
**5:00 pm** - NMHA Board of Directors Meeting, MCM Elegante Hotel Lobby  
**6:30 pm** - Premier Sponsor Appreciation/Board of Directors Dinner, Texas Club Steakhouse

### **Ruidoso Convention Center**

## Thursday Morning, January 30<sup>th</sup>

**8:00 am** - Trade Show Floor Opens - Coffee and Donuts available  
**8:30 am** - Registration Opens  
**9:45 am** - **Welcome** Joel Klein, NMHA President  
    - **Opening Remarks & Conference Logistics** - Mark Marsalis, NMSU Extension Forage Specialist  
  
**10:00 am** - **Glyphosate: History, Challenges, Concerns** - Russ Perkins-Bayer Crop Science  
**10:45 am** - **Insect Pest Update** - Dr. Pat Porter, Texas AgriLife Extension  
**11:30 am** - **Mobile/Internet/Consulting Technologies** - James Todd, Todd Ag Consulting  
  
**12:00 noon** - **Buffet Lunch**

## Thursday Afternoon, January 30<sup>th</sup>

**1:00 pm** - **Spouses' Interest Session - 'Painting with Peggy Krantz'** - Convention Center Side Room TBA  
  
Main Session:  
**1:00 pm** - **Water Wells & Pump Efficiency** - Chance Coats, Coats Pump & Supply, Dexter, NM  
**1:30 pm** - **Soil Moisture Monitoring: Go Underground with AquaSpy** - Russ Hodges, AquaSpy  
**2:00 pm** - **Industry Updates**  
  
**2:30 pm** - **Coffee Break / Booth Visitation**  
  
**3:10 pm** - **"Twin Pak" Double Small Baler Debut** - Jason Grady, Grady Press Trailers, Farmington  
**3:40 pm** - **Enhanced Efficiency Fertilizers: Yield and Environmental Considerations** - Bryan Hopkins, BYU  
**4:20 pm** - **NMDA Pesticides Update** - Steve Baca, NMDA  
**5:00 pm** - **New Mexico Hay Assn. Annual Business Meeting** - Joel Klein and Cassie Bussey  
    **Business Meeting Recess**  
**5:15 pm** - **Social Hour**  
**6:00 pm** - **Dinner**  
**6:45 pm** - **After Dinner Entertainment** - Larry Weaver, Family Friendly Comedian

## Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup>

**8:00 am** - Trade Show Floor Opens - Coffee and Donuts Available  
**8:15 am** - Registration Re-opens  
  
**8:30 am** - **Weed Update & Research** - Dr. Leslie Beck, NMSU-Las Cruces  
**9:15 am** - **Economic/Market Outlook in a Water-short Region** - George Frisvold, Univ. of Arizona Extension  
**9:45 am** - **Industry Updates Con't.**  
  
**10:05 am** - **Coffee Break / Booth Visitation**  
  
**10:35 am** - **Legislative Update** - NM Farm & Livestock Bureau  
**11:15 am** - **Rodent/Wildlife Control** - Jon Grant, USDA-APHIS-WS  
**12:00 pm** - **Adjourn / CEUs Awarded**  
  
**12:05 pm** - **NMHA Annual Business Meeting Reconvenes** - Joel Klein, Cassie Bussey, and Officers  
  
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**5 NM Pesticide Applicator CEUs have been approved for this meeting; Texas, Arizona, and Certified Crop Adviser CEUs have been requested.**  
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