

20th Anniversary of the Third Thursday Thing Program

July 20, 2017

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| 9:00 – 9:45 am | Registration |
| 9:00 – 10:00 am | Displays Open: |
| 10:00 am | Moderator and Introduction of the Agenda Dr. Courtney Owens, Interim Assistant Extension Administrator/ State Specialist in Program and Staff Development, College of Agriculture, Food Science & Sustainable Systems Cooperative Extension |
| 10:10 am | Welcome from the Kentucky State University Cooperative Extension Program Dr. Johnnie Westbrook, Associate Extension Administrator College of Agriculture, Food Science & Sustainable Systems Cooperative Extension |
| 10:20 am | Welcome from the Southern Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education Professional Development Program Coordinator (SARE-PDP) Mr. David Redhage, The Kerr Center for Sustainable Agriculture, Poteau, OK |
| 10:30 am | The Farmer Participant Perspective Ms. Jane O’Tiernan, Madison County, Kentucky |
| 10:40 am | Welcome and Overview of the Kentucky State University Land Grant Program and College of Agriculture, Food Science and Sustainable Systems Dr. Kirk Pomper, Director of Land Grant Programs; Professor - Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources College of Agriculture, Food Science & Sustainable Systems |
| 11:00 am | Keynote Address Dr. Jeff Jordan, Director of Southern SARE and Professor in the Department of Agriculture and Applied Economics at the University of Georgia Griffin Campus |

Invocation

Rev. William Curle, Larue County, Kentucky

11:30 am – 12:30 pm

Lunch

| TOPICS AND LOCATIONS | 12:30 - 1:10 | 1:30 - 2:10 | 2:30 - 3:10 | 3:30 - 4:10 | 4:30 - 5:10 |
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| Location: Goat Barn Area and Beyond | Grazing Practices for Increased Performance of Goats - Dr. Ken Andries, KSU | Using the Grazing Stick to Evaluate Available Forage and Manage Grazing - Dr. Ken Andries, KSU | Blackberries and Insect Pests: Integrated Pest Management of Spotted Wing Drosophila in Blackberries: Dr. John Sedlacek, KSU | Basic Goat Health Care - Emily Clement, KSU | Beef Cattle Management Practices During the Summer - Dr. Ibukun Ogunade, KSU |
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| Location: Organic Research Area and Mobile Processing Unit beyond the Black Barn | Industrial Hemp (<i>Cannabis sativa</i> , L.): Growing Opportunities for Kentucky Producers – Dr. Shawn Lucas, KSU | Farmers Markets – Jane O’Tiernan, Richmond, KY | Daylillies - Derek Law, KSU | Integrated Crop-Livestock Rotations: Good old directions in modern organic agriculture – Dr. Shawn Lucas, KSU | KSU Mobile Processing Unit for poultry, fish, and rabbits - Steve Skelton, KSU |
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| Location: Tan Office Building | Honeybees - Dr. Thomas Webster and Martin Matisoff, KSU | Bees as Livestock - Martin Matisoff, KSU | Dr. Farita Olden, Honeybee Research Activities, KSU | Practical Honey Bee Production - Laura Rogers, KSU | Potential for Queen Rearing - Laura Rogers, KSU |
| | | | Honey bee sterilization autoclave and Honey Spinner - Laura Rogers, KSU | | Bees as Pollinators - Martin Matisoff, KSU |

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| Location: Vineyards | Grapevine Propagation - Angie Whitehouse, KSU | Pruning techniques - Angie Whitehouse, KSU | Bird Control - Angie Whitehouse, KSU | Black Rot Disease Control - Angie Whitehouse, KSU | |
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| Location: beside the PawPaw Trees to the right of the Center | Starting the Young Horse - Todd Slusher, Three Hills Farm, Stamping Ground, KY | Mares, Foals, and Breeding - James Skipper, Blanchard, OK | Horse Farm Management - James Skipper, Blanchard, OK | Round pen reasoning, Keeping your horse attentive - Todd Slusher, Three Hills Farm, Stamping Ground, KY | What's that Label? Understanding Feed Labels - Dr. Christina McManus, KSU |
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| Location: Near the Pond | Aquaculture classroom displays, pond construction and management, and Aquaculture production - Dr. Robert Durborow, Dr. James Tidwell, Kathryn Mitchell, Shawn Coyle, Ken Thompson and Forrest Wynee, KSU | Aquaculture classroom displays, pond construction and management, and Aquaculture production - Dr. Robert Durborow, Dr. James Tidwell, Kathryn Mitchell, Shawn Coyle, Ken Thompson and Forrest Wynee, KSU | Aquaculture classroom displays, pond construction and management, and Aquaculture production - Dr. Robert Durborow, Dr. James Tidwell, Kathryn Mitchell, Shawn Coyle, Ken Thompson and Forrest Wynee, KSU | Benthic Macroinvertebrates are Useful in Determining Water Quality because of their Traits - Ed Wilcox, KSU | |
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| Location: Room A | Reaching Diverse Populations - Nancy Calix, KSU | Center for Crop Diversification - Dr. Christy Cassady, UK | Creative Dollars Through the Digital Marketplace - Dr. Allison Young, KSU | The quality of irrigation water and its impact on the food safety aspects along with its relevance in the Food Safety Modernization Act - Dr. Avinash Tope', KSU | Beginning Farmer Program - Dr. Sid Dasgupta and Richard Bryant, KSU |
| | | Cleaver Family Farms, Travis Cleaver, Bonnieville, KY | How to Utilize Digital Resources to Market Products Developed by Individual Artisans – Dr. Allison Young, KSU | | KY EXCEL Farm - Robyn Whitted and Amanda LeFevre, Frankfort, KY |
| Location: Room B | Afro-Columbians' Fight to Save Family Farm Land - Nancy Dawson, Russellville, KY | Farming for Community Engagement: The development of the Russellville Urban | Having a Safe and Healthy Home - Dr. Joanne Bankston, KSU | Get More Bang for Your Buck: A Plan for Spending Your | Drone captured data - Jeremy Sandifer, KSU |

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| | | Gardening Project, Inc. - Dr. Nancy Dawson, Russellville, KY | | Money - Dr. Joanne Bankston, KSU | White's Creek School FFA - Dr. Garry Gibson, Nashville, TN (20 minutes inside), followed by 20 min demonstration in the Center parking lot |
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| Location: Room C | Lotus as a potential crop - Dr. Changzheng Wang, KSU - move to later | KY African American Heritage Center and Riley Farm – Wayne Riley, London, KY | Orchids: Dr. Hideka Kobayashi, KSU | Cut Flower Production and sales, Ms. Jane O'Tiernan, Richmond, KY | Food Products from Asian Carp - Changzheng Wang, KSU |
| Location: Patio | Introduction to AgrAbility - Mike Lewis and Beth Hunter, UK | Veteran's Program and AgrAbility - Mike Lewis, UK | Working with Farmers with Disabilities in Production Agriculture - Mike Lewis, UK | AgrAbility, Production Agriculture, and Assistive Technology - Mike Lewis, UK | Demonstration of Assistive Technology equipment - Mike Lewis, UK |
| Location: PawPaw Orchard and Blackberry Plots (the blackberry plots are past the old office building and | Pawpaw and Blackberries - Sheri Crabtree and Jeremy Lowe, KSU | Pawpaw and Blackberries - Sheri Crabtree and Jeremy Lowe, KSU | Integrated Pest Management of Spotted Wing Drosophila in Blackberries - Dr. John Sedlacek, KSU* PLEASE NOTE: LOCATION CHANGE: Near the goat barn. | Urban Agriculture, Dr. Leigh Whittinghill, KSU | Pawpaw and Blackberries - Sheri Crabtree and Jeremy Lowe, KSU |

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| barn, just past the organic. | | | | | |
| Location: NCRCS Pond and Beyond Black Barn | Soil Amendments – Dr. Maheteme Gebremedhin, KSU | Soil Profile: Steve Blanford, NRCS | Organic Amendments for Agriculture Production – Dr. George Antonious, KSU | Pond Design and Management: Bill Thomas, NRCS | |
| Concrete pad near PawPaw orchard | From 1:30 – 2:40 Cooking and Processing trailers open for inspection | | | | |
| Kentucky Department of Agriculture Rollover Tractor demonstration - on hill behind Center. | | | | | |

5:30 – 8:00 pm Barbeque, fish fry and entertainment