

2021 Novel Tall Fescue Renovation Workshop



When: Tuesday, March 23, 2021 8:30 - 4:30

Where: MU Southwest Research Ctr.
Agricultural Education Ctr. 14548 Hwy.
H Mt. Vernon, MO 65712

Cost: \$65, includes educational
materials and lunch

Topics:

- Fescue toxicosis
- Economics
- Testing
- Establishment
- Management
- Products
- Incentives

Toxic tall fescue reduces livestock weight gains and lowers reproductive performance. This one day workshop will give you the tools and information needed to remove toxic tall fescue and replace it with novel tall fescue varieties. Speakers include local producers, company representatives and extension specialists and

Certified Crop Advisor (CCA) and AAVSB RACE approval pending

Register at

<https://TallFescueMO2021.eventbrite.com>

Space is limited. Registration deadline: 3/21/21

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Alliance for Grassland Renewal Partners:



The Alliance for Grassland Renewal is a national organization focused on enhancing the adoption of novel endophyte tall fescue technology through education, incentives, self-regulation and promotion. To learn more, go to www.grasslandrenewal.org.

Agenda

- 8:15 Registration Opens
- 8:45 Welcome Reagan Bluel, University of Missouri
- 9:00 **Tall Fescue Toxicosis: Symptoms and Causes**, Dr. Gabe Pent, Virginia Tech
- 9:20 **Toxicosis Management**, Dr. Craig Roberts and Gene Schmitz, University of Missouri
- 10:20 **Understanding Endophytes**, Dr. Carolyn Young, Noble Research Institute
- 10:45 Video: Producer Economics by Darrel Franson
- 11:05 **Establishment and First Year Management**, Dr. John Andrae, Clemson University
- 11:50 **Seed Quality and Testing** Dr. Nick Hill, Agrinostics
- 12:15 Lunch
- 12:50 **Novel Endophyte Products**
- 1:30 **Drill Calibration** Matt Massie, University of Missouri
- 2:00 **Plot Tours** Matt Massie, University of Missouri
- 3:00 **Economics** Dr. Matt Poore, North Carolina State University
- 3:30 **Cost Share and Incentive Programs** Selma Mascaro, USDA-NRCS
- 3:50 **Producer Panel**, Ron Locke, Todd Schallert, and Bart Snyder
- 4:30 Adjourn



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Notice: All national, state, local, and organizational COVID related restrictions and guidelines will be followed. Face coverings and social distancing will be enforced. Event is subject to cancellation with full refund. Space is limited, advanced registration is required.