2015 Annual Forage/Livestock and Extension Field Day

Virginia Tech
Southern Piedmont Agricultural Research & Extension Center
2375 Darvills Road, Blackstone, VA

July 30, 2015

Registration begins at 2.30 p.m.

Sorghum Variety Tour
  o Impact of shade on cool-season forage mixtures
  o Bermudagrass for summer grazing
  o Summer annual grasses for high quality summer forage
  o Improving drought tolerance of silage production systems in the Mid-Atlantic

Return from sorghum tour: 500

Registration begins at 5.00 p.m.

Dinner: 5.30 p.m.

Silvopasture Research Tour to begin at 6.00 p.m.
  o Stockpiling cool-season grasses for summer grazing
  o Silvopasture project overview
  o Time zero ecology of silvopasture area
  o Silvopasture establishment: thinning the existing stand
  o Silvopasture establishment: seedbed preparation
  o Silvopasture establishment: forage species

Please RSVP by emailing makenny@vt.edu or call 434-292-5331 Margaret Kenny

If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services, or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact Betty Mayton or Margaret Kenny (434) 292-5331 during business hours (M-F: 7:30 am to 4:30 pm) 5 days prior to the event to discuss accommodations.