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AGENDA

Wednesday, April 4th, 2012:
9:00 a.m.  Sign-in & Get Notebooks/ Materials
9:30    Welcome & Introductions
        Dr. Dennis Hancock, Moderator

         BERMUDAGRASS STAND MANAGEMENT

9:45    Identifying & Preventing Bermudagrass Stand Decline
        Dr. Dennis Hancock, Forage Extension Specialist
10:15   Selecting the Right Forage for Georgia Cattle Producers
        Dr. Bill Anderson, Forage & Biomass Breeder (USDA-ARS Tifton)
10:45   Break (Visit Display Area)
11:00  Bermudagrass or Bahiagrass: Which is Most Economical?  
Dr. Curt Lacy, Extension Livestock Economist

11:30  Key Steps in Re-Establishing Pastures & Hayfields  
Dr. Dennis Hancock, Forage Extension Specialist

12:00  Lunch Break (Visit Display Area)  
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UPGRADING SOUTHERN FORAGE SYSTEMS

1:00  Welcome & Introductions  
Dr. Dennis Hancock, Moderator

1:10  Keys to Forage Profitability  
Dr. Garry Lacefield, Forage Ext. Specialist, Univ. of Kentucky  
Dr. Don Ball, Forage Ext. Specialist, Auburn Univ.

2:30  Break (Visit Legume Plant & Seed ID Demo & Display Area)

3:00  10 Great Reasons for Growing Clover  
Dr. Garry Lacefield, Forage Ext. Specialist, Univ. of Kentucky

3:30  Selecting & Establishing the Best Clovers for Your Farm  
Dr. Dennis Hancock, Forage Ext. Specialist, Univ. of Georgia

4:10  Stocker Calf Development + Clover = Profit  
Dr. Don Ball, Forage Ext. Specialist, Auburn Univ.

4:50  Wrap-Up and Dismiss for Supper (On Your Own)

Thursday, April 5th, 2012:

PEST MANAGEMENT: IN-DEPTH

1:00  Welcome & Introductions  
Dr. Dennis Hancock, Moderator

1:10  Insect Management Issues for Georgia Cattlemen  
Dr. David Buntin, Extension Entomologist

1:50  Weed Management Issues for Georgia Cattlemen  
Dr. Tim Murphy, Extension Weed Scientist

2:40  Break (Visit Display Area)

3:00  Sprayer & Nozzle Selection & Maintenance  
Paul Sumner, Extension Ag Engineer

3:30  Calculating Rates & Calibrating your Sprayer  

4:00  Minimizing Non-Target Damage  
Jeremy Kichler, Macon Co. Ext. Coord., UGA Forage Extension Team Member

4:30  Dismiss for Supper (On Your Own)

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