

Tri-State Beef Conference

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Ron Ramsey Regional Ag Center
Blountville, TN

A conference for both cow-calf producers
and stocker operators



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\$25 — Before July 19
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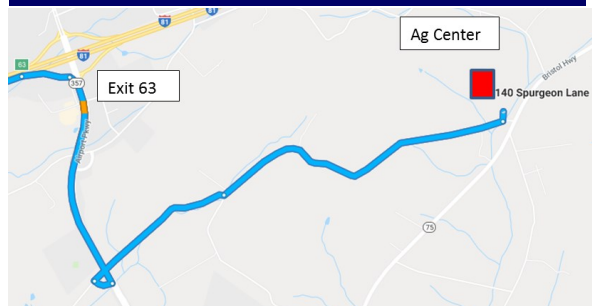
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Programs in agriculture and natural resources, 4-H youth development, family and consumer sciences, and resource development. University of Tennessee Institute of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Agriculture and county governments cooperating. UT Extension provides equal opportunities in programs and employment.

This year's conference will address topics of interest to both stocker and cow-calf producers. The conference will be a **one-day event** and will include educational sessions covering such topics as live demonstration of pregnancy evaluation, nutritional and genetic impacts on feedlot and carcass merit, beef cattle outlook, parasite management, and balancing rations throughout growth stages. We will also have a producer highlight where one operation is presented for their outstanding work. This year's conference will be one that should add dollars to your bottom line whether you run a stocker or a cow-calf operation.



Directions to Ag Center



140 Spurgeon Ln Blountville, TN 37617
 Take Exit 63 off I-81 to TN-357 S
 Turn right onto Centenary Rd
 Continue Straight onto Spurgeon Ln 1.4 miles

Thursday, August 1

Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. The program will begin at 9:00 a.m.

A steak lunch will be provided for all participants.

Topics and Speakers

Live Pregnancy Evaluation Demonstration

Dr. Lew Strickland
 Professor and Extension Veterinarian
 University of Tennessee

Nutritional and Genetic Impacts on Feedlot and Carcass Merit

Dr. Troy Rowan
 Assistant Professor
 University of Tennessee

Beef Cattle Outlook

Dr. Andrew Griffith
 Professor
 University of Tennessee

Parasite Management

Dr. John Currin
 Clinical Associate Professor
 Virginia Tech University
 Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary
 Medicine

Balancing Rations Throughout Growth Stages

Mr. Kevin Spurlin
 Grayson County Extension
 Virginia Extension

Producer Highlight

We will highlight one operation.

Hotels Near Conference

Sleep Inn & Suites
 200 Hospitality Place (off I-81 exit 63)
 Kingsport, TN 37663
 (423) 279-1811
 La Quinta Inn and Suites
 10150 Airport Parkway
 Kingsport, TN 37663

A trade show will be open during the conference, with many of the animal health, feed, and marketing organizations involved in the region's beef industry there for you to meet and learn more about their products and services.