

## 2023 Mid-West Goat Producers Certificate Program

<b>Wednesday, May 31</b>			<b>Forage &amp; Nutrition Day</b>		
9:30 AM	Hay Quality Variation in Central Missouri	Mr. Gene Schmitz - Missouri of University			
10:30 AM	Understanding and Using Hay Test - Developing a Ration	Dr. Patrick Davis - University of Missouri			
11:30 AM	Targeted Grazing: Goat Nutrition and Toxic Plants	Ms. Margaret Chamas - Practical Farmers of Iowa			
12:30 PM	<u>Lunch Break</u>				
<b>Afternoon Demo</b>					
2:00 - 4:00 PM	Proper Antibiotics and Drug Usage in Goats	Dr. Chris Baughman, DVM			
<b>Thursday, June 1</b>			<b>Economics &amp; Marketing Day</b>		
9:30 AM	Production Records that Improve Your Financial Outcomes	Mrs. Jennifer Lutes - University of Missouri			
10:30 AM	Planning The Future: Farm Estate Planning	Mr. Wesley Tucker - University of Missouri			
11:30 AM	Modeling Your Business and Goat Market Trends	Dr. Eleazar Gonzalez - Lincoln University			
12:30 PM	<u>Lunch Break</u>				
<b>Afternoon Workshop</b>					
2:00 - 4:00 PM	Future Planning for Your Business - Succession	Mr. Wesley Tucker - University of Missouri Dr. Homero Salinas - Lincoln University Mrs. Jennifer Lutes - University of Missouri			
<b>Friday, June 2</b>			<b>Herd Management Day</b>		
9:30 AM	Pasture management for Parasite control	Dr. Mohan Acharya - Lincoln University			
10:30 AM	Best management practices for parasite control	Dr. Steve Hart - Langston University			
11:30 AM	Scrapie program and the import/export situation	Dr. Charlotte Clifford-Rathert			
12:30 PM	<u>Lunch Break</u>				
<b>Afternoon Demo</b>					
2:00 - 4:00 PM	Fecal Egg Count Clinic	Dr Acharya - Lincoln University Dr. Homero Salinas - Lincoln University Ms. Susan Jaster - Lincoln University			
<b>Saturday, June 3</b>			<b>Value-Added Day</b>		
9:30 - 12:00 PM	Cheese Elaboration Demo. Soap elaboration demo. Fiber Spinning and Felting Butchering Demo Yoga Goats	Maria Dietz Spade Lori Nelson Michelle Reynolds Kyle Whittaker & Jennifer Lutes			