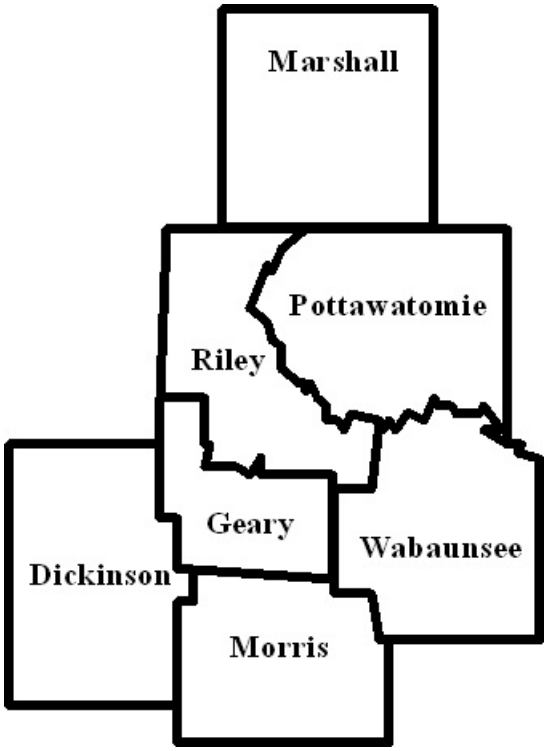

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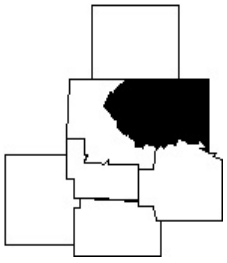

Pie & Coffee Series – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m. Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Economics of Planting and Grazing Cover Crops
Speaker: Mykel Taylor, KSU Extension Ag Economist
Registration: No advance registration required
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)

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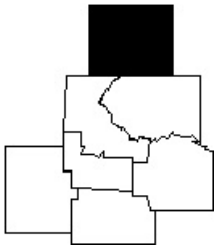

Range Burning Workshop – Helvering Center, 111 S. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m. Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Planning and Conducting a Prescribed Burn
Speakers: KSU, FSA, NRCS and Kansas Department of Wildlife & Parks personnel
Registration: Call the Marshall County Extension Office at 785/562-3531, or e-mail anastasia@ksu.edu, by January 6
Cost: $20 (includes meal and materials)

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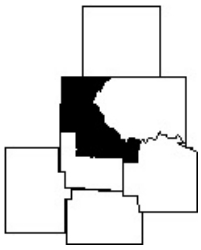

Coffee Shop Agronomy – Nelson's Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Lease Law and Leasing Principles
Speaker: Chuck Otte, Geary County K-State Research & Extension
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by January 11
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

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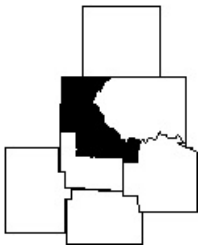

Blue Valley Pork Producers Annual Meeting - Nelson's Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 6:30 p.m. Adjournment: 9:00 p.m.
Program: China - Soybean Trade Mission
Speaker: Nathan Larson
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call the Riley County Extension Office at 785/537-6350 by January 13
Cost: $10 membership (includes dinner)

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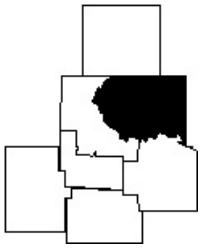

Mental Health First Aid Course – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland
Starting Time: 8:30 a.m. Adjournment: 5:00 p.m.
Program: How to identify, understand, and respond to signs of mental health and substance abuse disorders. Learn how to help a friend, family member, or co-worker in need.
Speakers: Program presented by Pawnee Mental Health
Registration: Register online at www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu by January 13. Contact Erin Tynon at 785/457-3319, or e-mail etynon@ksu.edu for more information.
Cost: $30 (includes lunch and materials)

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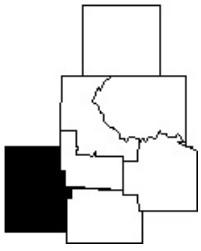

Grain Marketing Strategies – Community Center, 810 S. Broadway, Herington
Starting Time: 8:45 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Futures, options, and other marketing strategies
Speaker: Dan O'Brien, K-State Research & Extension Ag Economist
Registration: Register online at www.dickinson.ksu.edu or call 785/263-2001 by January 17.
Cost: None (sponsored by First National Bank of Hope, Agri Trails Co-op, and Marion National Bank)

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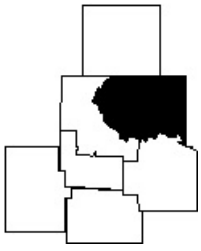

Pie & Coffee Series – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m. Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Plant Species and Cattle Compatibility when Grazing Cover/Forage Crops
Speaker: Jaymelynn Farney, KSU Southeast Kansas Beef Specialist
Registration: No advance registration required
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)

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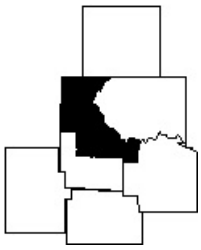

Coffee Shop Agronomy – Nelson's Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Cover Crop Impact on Subsequent Crop Yields
Speaker: DeAnn Presley, KSU Soil & Water Conservation Specialist
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by January 25
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

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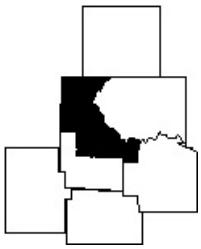
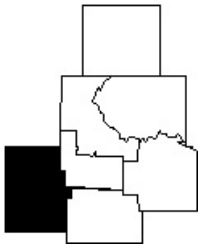


Coffee Shop Horticulture – Nelson's Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Totally Tomatoes
Speaker: Gregg Eyestone, Riley County Extension Horticulture Agent
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by January 25
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

January 30



Understanding Your Production Cost – Community Center, 810 S. Broadway, Herington
Starting Time: 8:45 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: This workshop will give you the tools needed to understand your cost of production, and what can be done to reduce variable costs.
Speakers: Gregg Ibendahl, KSU Ag Economist & Doug Shoup, KSU Southeast Area Agronomist
Registration: Register online at www.dickinson.ksu.edu or call 785/263-2001 by January 25.
Cost: None (Sponsored by First National Bank of Hope, Agri Trails Co-op, and Marion National Bank)

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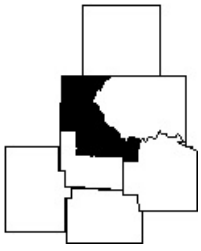

Riley County Livestock Association Annual Meeting – Pottorf Hall, Manhattan
Starting Time: 6:30 p.m. Adjournment 9:00 p.m.
Program: National Bio and Agro-defense Facility: Confronting Global Infectious Disease Threats
Speaker: Ron Trewyn, NBAF Facilities Liason
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by January 23
Cost: $15 membership, includes steak dinner

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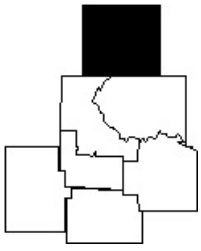

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m. Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: True Colors
Speaker: Sarah Maas, K-State Research & Extension - Saline County 4-H Agent
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions & lunch each time - space limited to 25)

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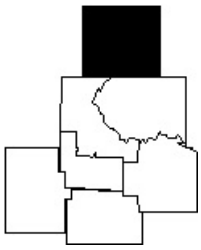

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m. Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Estate Planning & FSA/NRCS Programs
Speaker: Shon Robben, with Arthur-Green Law Firm; Brandon Wilson, and Dan Faulkner, FSA & NRCS
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

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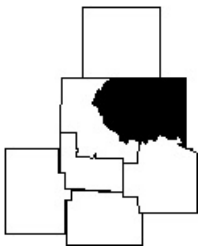

Pie & Coffee Series – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m. Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Cover Crops in No-Till Rotations
Speaker: Kraig Roozeboom, K-State Research & Extension Agronomist
Registration: No advance registration required
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)

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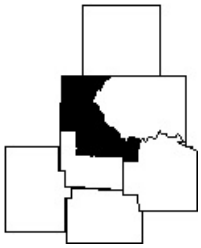

Coffee Shop Agronomy – Nelson's Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Crop Rotations/Sequencing: Why certain crops should or shouldn't follow another crop
Speaker: Kraig Roozeboom, K-State Research & Extension Agronomist
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by February 8
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

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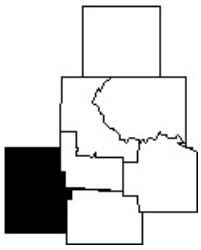

RAM II – Community Center, 810 S. Broadway, Herington
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m. Adjournment: 3:30 p.m.
Program: Advanced Risk Assessed Marketing – Crop Insurance, Hedging, Futures, and Options
Speakers: Dan O'Brien and Art Barnaby, KSU Ag Economists
Registration: Contact the Dickinson County Extension Office at 785/263-2001 by February 8.
Cost: $5, lunch included (Sponsors are First National Bank of Hope, Agri Trails Co-op, and Marion National Bank)

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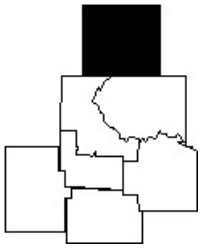

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m. Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Marketing
Speakers: Mark Nelson, Kansas Farm Bureau
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

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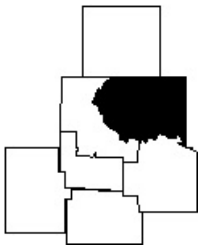

Winter Ranch Management Seminar – McCormick Elementary School, Olsburg
Starting Time: 5:00 p.m. Adjournment: 8:30 p.m.
Program: Profit Enhancing Strategies for Beef Producers – Health, Nutrition, Management, Genetics, and Reproduction (Town Hall Q&A Format)
Speakers: Bob Weaber, K-State Research & Extension cow-calf specialist, and other K-State beef specialists.
Registration: Register online at www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu, or call 785/457-3319. Due by February 7.
Cost: $10 (meal partially sponsored by Union State Bank of Olsburg)

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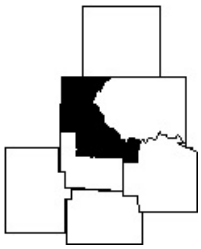

Women Involved in Agriculture II – Riley County Public Works, 6215 Tuttle Creek Boulevard, Manhattan
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m. Adjournment: 4:00 p.m.
Program: Succession Planning/Communication: Starting the conversation, tips for better communication with family, landlords, and business partners, and strategies to make the business worth passing on to the next generation
Speakers: Charlie Griffin and Charlotte Shoup Olsen, K-State Research & Extension
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by February 12.
Cost: $10 (includes lunch)

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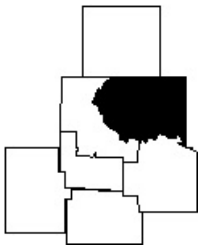

Pie & Coffee Series – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m. Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Transitioning the Farm to the Next Generation
Speaker: Duane Hund, Kansas Farm Analyst Program
Registration: No advance registration required
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)

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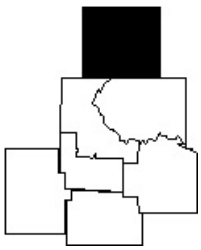

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m. Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Kansas Lease Law, Developing Equitable Leases
Speakers: Chuck Otte, Geary County Extension Agriculture Agent; Mykel Taylor, K-State Research & Extension Agriculture Economist
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

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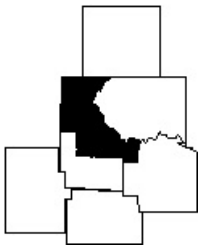

Coffee Shop Agronomy – Nelson's Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Dealing with Herbicide Resistant Weeds
Speaker: Dallas Peterson, K-State Research & Extension Weed Scientist
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by February 22
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

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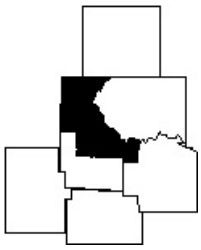

Coffee Shop Horticulture – Nelson's Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m. Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Effective Irrigation Techniques
Speaker: Gregg Eyestone, Riley County Extension Horticulture Agent
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by January 25
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

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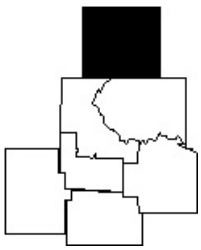

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m. Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Understanding Financial Statements, and Family Dynamics & Communication
Speakers: Gage Zierlein, Frontier Farm Credit; Charlotte Shoup Olsen, K-State Research & Extension
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

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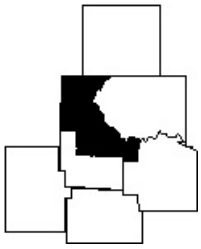

Cattlemen's Day at KSU – Weber Hall, KSU - Manhattan
Registration: 8:00-10:00 a.m. Program Starts: 10:00 a.m.
Program: K-State Research & Extension Specialists
Registration: Advance registration requested. Details will be available on the web at: www.asi.k-state.edu/events/cattlemens-day/
Cost: $20 per person in advance, $30 at the door

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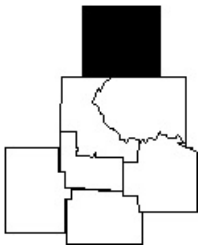

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m. Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Learning to Use Quick Books 2017
Speaker: Kara Mayer, Wabaunsee County Extension Agent
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

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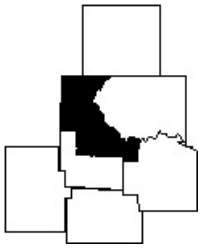

Women Involved in Agriculture II – KSU Meats Lab, Weber Hall, Manhattan
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m. Adjournment: 5:00 p.m.
Program: Cooking with New and Different Cuts of Meat
Speaker: Travis O-Quinn, K-State Research & Extension Meat Scientist
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by March 6.
Cost: $10

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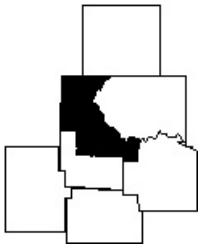

Kansas Junior Swine Producer Day – Weber Hall, KSU - Manhattan
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m. Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Swine Nutrition, Daily Care, Selection, Grooming & Clipping
Speakers: Kade Hummel, JBS United, and K-State Faculty and Graduate Students
Registration: Register online at: http://www.asi.k-state.edu/events/youthlivestockevents.html by February 22
(Scroll down to "Junior Producer Days" to find flyer and registration.)
Cost: $15 if registered by February 22, $20 after February 22

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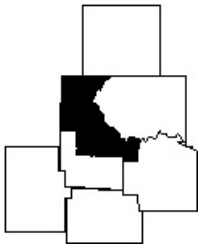
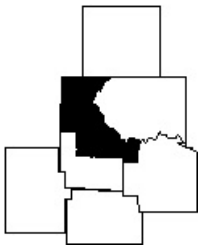


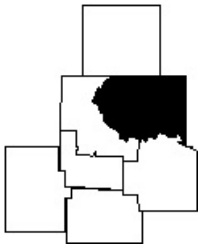
Kansas Junior Meat Goat Producer Day – Weber Hall, KSU - Manhattan
Starting Time: 8:45 a.m. Adjournment: 4:00 p.m.
Program: Meat Goat Nutrition, Health, Selection, and Showmanship
Speakers: K-State Faculty and Graduate Students
Registration: Register online at http://www.asi.k-state.edu/events/youthlivestockevents.html by March 3.
(Scroll down to "Junior Producer Days" to find flyer and registration.)
Cost: $15 if registered by March 3, $20 after March 3

March 29



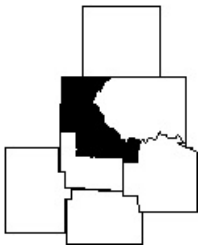
Riley County Livestock Association Spring Meeting –
Starting Time: 6:30 p.m. Adjournment: 9:00 p.m.
Program: Beef Genetic Testing
Speaker: To be determined
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call the Riley County Extension Office by March 24
Cost: $10 per person, supper included

May 26 & 30



Hazardous Occupations Training (Tractor Safety) – Kan-Equip, Wamego
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m. Adjournment: 4:00 p.m.
Program: Tractor operation safety training for 14 & 15 year old youths. Attendance both days is required for certification.
Registration: Register online at www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu by May 15.
Cost: $30 (includes course materials and lunch both days)

August 27



Riley County Livestock Association Summer Tour – Manhattan Area
Starting Time: 5:00 p.m.
Program: Location to be determined
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by August 20
Cost: None (sponsored meal)

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