Coffee Shop Meetings

2022

The Farmhouse
Riley, KS

10:30 a.m. - noon

January 13 – Summer Range Burning & Sericea Lespedeza Control, 
KC Olson

January 27 – Livestock Risk Protection & Pasture, Range, Forage Protection (livestock insurance products), 
Jenny Ifft

February 10 – Grazing Cover Crops, 
Dale Strickler

Sponsored by:
KSU-Riley County Extension Service
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Meeting Format:
The Coffee Shop Meeting series will feature a single topic and a single expert presenter at each session. Speakers will make a short presentation, then will spend the remainder of the allotted hour and a half answering questions and discussing your production concerns.

Arrive a few minutes early for refreshments. Discussion will start promptly at 10:30 a.m. and will adjourn by noon.

Who Should Attend:
Everyone is welcome. Topics this year lean more toward the interests of livestock producers.

About the Speakers:
**KC Olson** (January 13) always does a great job. The discussion may get off topic and include more than just summer burning – maybe we will discuss calving in the spring instead of mid-winter. KC’s job is actually teaching and research, but we snagged him for this Extension meeting.

**Jenny Ifft** (January 27) is relatively new to Kansas and we have tasked her with making livestock insurance products interesting. We know she can do it, but if that doesn’t convince you to attend, maybe the **free meal** after this session will do the job.

**Dale Strickler** (February 10) is well-known among cover crop enthusiasts. You won’t want to miss this one!

Dates, Topics & Speakers:

**Thursday, January 13**
- **Summer Range Burning & Sericea Lespedeza Control**
  - KC Olson, KSU Professor of Range Beef Nutrition and Management

**Thursday, January 27**
- **Livestock Risk Protection and Pasture, Range, Forage Protection**
  - Jenny Ifft, K-State Research & Extension Agriculture Economist
  (Reservations needed by January 24 since there is a free lunch after this meeting.)

**Thursday, February 10**
- **Grazing Cover Crops**
  - Dale Strickler, Green Cover Seeds

Cost:
There is no cost to attend.

Reservations are provided courtesy of Frontier Farm Credit.

The meal January 27 is sponsored by Copeland Insurance, Riley State Bank, and Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Wakefield.

Reservations:
Call the Riley County Extension Office at 785/537-6350, or register online at [www.riley.ksu.edu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu).