

# BEEF, DAIRY & FORAGE NEWSLETTER

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## JANUARY 2019

### NORTHEAST TEXAS CATTLEMAN'S CONFERENCE AND RANCHER LEASING WORKSHOP

The Northeast Texas Cattleman's Conference and the Rancher Leasing Workshop will be held on Wednesday, **January 30, 2019** at the Carroll Green Civic Center, 602 South McAllister Street, Quitman, Texas. **Please RSVP by January 21, 2019** to your County Extension Office to guarantee lunch.

The program is sponsored by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Counties of Wood, Rains, Camp, Franklin, Upshur, and Van Zandt.

Registration begins at 8:15 a.m. and the Program starts promptly at 9:00 a.m. The cost for registration is \$20.00 per person, which includes lunch, refreshments, handouts and CEUs.

Topics for the program include:

- Reproduction Management and Bull Selection
- Pre-conditioning and Backgrounding of Calves
- Disease, Laws and Regulations Updates.
- Grazing, hunting, and live-stock leases.
- All participants will receive a copy of the Ranchers' Agriculture Leasing Handbook.

There will be 1 CEU given for TDA Private Applicator License (1 IPM).

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### UPPER SABINE COW-CALF CLINIC

The Upper Sabine Cow-Calf Clinic will be held on **March 22, 2019** at the Van Zandt County Fairgrounds. This program is provided by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Offices in Rains, Van Zandt, Wood, and Kaufman Counties.

More information will be provided soon.

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## MULTI-COUNTY PESTICIDE APPLICATOR TRAINING



A Multi-County Pesticide Applicator Training will be held on **Friday, April 26, 2019** at the Rains County Texas A&M AgriLife Extension and Conference Center in Emory, Texas. This training will be for those individuals that want a license to buy state-limited or restricted-use Pesticides.

The Program is sponsored by Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Offices in Rains and Van Zandt Counties. The Registration fee is \$10.00 at the door.

Please RSVP by **April 22, 2019** to either of the following County Offices:

**Rains** (903/473-4580) or **Van Zandt** (903/567-4149).

Attendees must purchase a current Study Guide (\$25.00) and the Laws and Regulations book (\$15.00) which are available at the County Extension Office. If you purchased your study guide and laws and regulations book at another Extension Office, we need verification (receipt of purchase, or the books themselves).

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## EAST TEXAS FORAGE CONFERENCE

**Three CEU's (1 IPM and 2 General) will be given.**

The East Texas Forage Conference will be held on **February 22, 2019** at the Rains County Fairgrounds (Highways 69 & 19) in Emory, Texas for all beef, dairy and forage producers in the area.

Registration starts at 8:30 a.m. and the program begins promptly at 9:00 a.m. Topics include:

- ◆ Hay Storage - Net Wrap vs. String Wrap vs. Barn
- ◆ Year Long Forage Management
- ◆ Importance of Hay and Forage
- ◆ Hard to Control Grasses and Weeds
- ◆ Rejuvenating Pastures after the Drought

Registration fee of \$20.00 per person includes lunch and refreshments. Three CEUs (1 IPM, and 2 General) will be given.

**Please RSVP by February 15, 2019** for an accurate meal count.

This program is sponsored by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Offices in Rains, Wood and Van Zandt Counties.

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**Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service, or accommodation in order to participate in these activities are encouraged to contact the Rains County Extension Office at 903-473-4580 for assistance.**

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