

## Registration:

There is a \$60.00 registration fee per individual (\$110.00 per couple) for both days. This includes two full meals, snacks, a professional proceedings and book. Pre-registration is greatly appreciated. Checks are written to: University of Tennessee and mailed to: Tennessee State University, Cooperative Extension Program, (*attn: An Peischel*), 3500 J.A. Merritt Blvd., Box 9635, Nashville, TN, 37209-1561. Questions or more information: Please call 615-963-5539 or email: [apeischel@tnstate.edu](mailto:apeischel@tnstate.edu)

## Directions:

Lane Agri-Park is located at 315 John R. Rice Blvd., Murfreesboro, TN 37129. Traveling south on Interstate 24 toward Murfreesboro, exit on ramp 78A, go to the first light, then turn right at the next light which is John R. Rice Blvd. Go approximately 3/4 of a mile on John R. Rice Blvd. and the Lane Agri-Park building is on the left. Questions: Please call the Rutherford County Extension Office at 615-898-7710.

## Hotels:

Holiday Inn Express - 615-849-2000  
165 Chaffin Place, Murfreesboro, TN 37129

Microtel Inn - 615-904-2000  
151 Chaffin Place, Murfreesboro, TN 37129

Sleep Inn - 615-396-3000  
193 Chaffin Place, Murfreesboro, TN 37219

Fairfield Inn and Suites - 615-849-1150  
175 Chaffin Place, Murfreesboro, TN 37219



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# 4<sup>th</sup> DAIRY GOAT CONFERENCE

25 / 26 September 2015  
Lane Agri-Park Facility  
315 John R. Rice Boulevard  
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

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Bringing goat(s) to artificially inseminate you MUST contact Dr. An Peischel  
 6 weeks in advance to receive the estrus synchronization protocol.

## AGENDA (25 September 2015)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
8:00AM - 8:30AM	Registration	
8:30AM - 9:30AM	Dairy Goat Nutrition	Royce Towns
9:30AM - 10:30AM	Starting a Commercial Small Ruminant Dairy	Carol Delaney
10:30AM - 10:45AM	BREAK	
10:45AM - 11:45AM	Healthy Dairy Goats	
11:45AM - 12:45AM	Dairy Goat Selection	Carol Delaney
12:45PM - 1:30PM	LUNCH	
1:30PM - 3:00PM	Housing, Equipment and Structures for Small Ruminants	Carol Delaney
3:00PM - 3:30PM	BREAK - Cheese Tasting	Bonnie Blue Farms
3:30PM - 4:30PM	Value-Added Dairy Products	Robert Spencer
4:30PM - 5:30PM	Soap Making Yogurt Ice Cream Making	Sydne Spencer An Peischel An Peischel

### CONTACTS:

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**Jim Tanner** (Bonnie Blue Farms), 931-722-4628  
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**Carol Delaney**, Horn of Plenty, Small Ruminant Dairy consultant, Montpelier, VT 802-229-2950/802-656-0697  
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**Tanner Herring**, Rutherford County 4-H member and Artificial Inseminator (Triple H Farms) 615-427-8298

## AGENDA (26 September 2015)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
8:00AM - 8:30AM	Registration	
8:30AM - 10:00AM	Female/Male Reproductive Physiology and Anatomy	An Peischel Carol Delaney
10:00AM - 10:30AM	Hormones of Reproduction	Carol Delaney
10:30AM - 10:45AM	BREAK	
10:45AM - 11:15AM	Nutritional Effects on Reproduction	Carol Delaney
11:15AM - 11:45AM	Working in the Tank	An Peischel Tanner Herring
11:45AM - 12:30PM	LUNCH	
12:30PM - 1:00PM	Prepare equipment/goats Setup holding stands for AI	Carol Delaney An Peischel Tanner Herring
1:00PM - 5:00PM	Artificially Inseminate Goats	

If you are going to artificially inseminate a goat(s) - bringing your own, you must bring a doe that is in heat, an Artificial Insemination stand or a grooming/milking stand and your own AI equipment.

If you are in need of CIDRs, prostaglandin and PG600, please contact your veterinarian or Teresa Wade so they can be shipped to you on time.

Bring your Artificial Insemination kit. If you don't have one, but would like to buy one, contact [www.biogenicsltd.com](http://www.biogenicsltd.com) or Teresa/Don Wade at 208-756-6500. If you do not want to purchase a full kit, you can purchase the disposable equipment you would need for the day from BiogenicsLTD.

You MUST CONTACT ME IMMEDIATELY (An Peischel) if you are going to bring your own goat so I can get the estrus synchronization protocol to you AND you must order your drugs.

### CONTACTS:

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**Sydne Spencer**, 931-438-8388