

Registration:

There is a \$75.00 registration fee per individual (\$140.00 per couple) for three days or \$25.00 per day per individual. This includes full meals, snacks, a professional proceedings and book. Pre-registration is greatly appreciated. Checks are written to: University of Tennessee and mailed to: University of Tennessee, Animal Science, (*attn: Heather Means*), 251B Brehm Hall, 2506 River Drive, Knoxville, TN, 37996. Questions or more information: Please call 615-963-5539, email: 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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6th DAIRY GOAT CONFERENCE

22/23/24 September 2016
Lane Agri-Park Facility
315 John R. Rice Boulevard
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

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Name: _____
 Address: _____

 Phone number: _____
 Email address: _____
 Number attending: _____
 Amount enclosed: _____

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

AGENDA

(22 September 2016)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
9:00AM - 9:30AM	Registration	
9:30AM - 11:30AM	Dairy Goat Nutrition	Royce Towns
11:45AM - 12:45AM	LUNCH	
12:45PM - 2:00PM	Starting a Commercial Small Ruminant Dairy	Carol Delaney
2:00PM - 3:30PM	Housing, Equipment and Structures for Small Ruminants	Carol Delaney
3:30PM - 3:45PM	BREAK	
3:45PM - 4:45PM	Dairy Goat Selection	Carol Delaney

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(23 September 2016)

9:00AM - 10:00AM	Healthy Dairy Goats	Dr. Kevin Cox
10:00AM - 10:30AM	Hormones of Reproduction	Dr. Susan Speight
10:30AM - 10:45AM	BREAK	
10:45AM - 11:45AM	Value-Added Dairy Products	Robert Spencer
11:45AM - 12:45AM	LUNCH	
12:45AM - 2:00PM	Female/Male Reproductive Physiology and Anatomy	Dr. Susan Speight
2:00PM - 3:00PM	Cheezee Tasting	Bonnie Blue Farms
3:00PM - 5:00PM	Soap Making Yogurt Ice Cream	Robert Spencer An Peischel

CONTACTS:

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Susan Speight, Animal Scientist, TN State University, 615-963-5587, sspeight@tnstate.edu

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(24 September 2016)

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
9:00AM - 10:00AM	Working in the Tank	An Peischel Tanner Herring
10:00AM - Noon	Prepare equipment Setup holding stands Artificial Insemination demo	Robert Spencer Arden Ward
Noon - 1:00PM	Lunch	
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.

Bring your Artificial Insemination kit. If you don't have one, but would like to buy one, contact www.biogenicsltd.com. 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.

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