

SMALL ACREAGE ISSUE TEAM

*Our Mission:
To create a culture
of stewardship
among small acreage
land managers by
promoting sustain-
able practices which
enhance the ecologi-
cal, economic and so-
cial aspects of the
land and its people.*

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“Hands On” Small Acre

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“HANDS ON” SMALL ACRE WORKSHOP



***Tuesday July 17, 2007
6-9 P.M.***

***Ask Questions.
Get Answers.
Discover Resources.***

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WORKSHOP IS FREE

Find answers to your most pressing concerns.

*Join us as Wyoming's
Finest Resource
Professionals discuss:*

6:45-7:15 Prairie Dog Management, A Cooperative Approach

Brian Connely (Education Coordinator, Natrona County Weed and Pest)

Larry Bentley (Natrona County Prairie Dog CRM)

Get acquainted with the essential tools and techniques to control prairie dogs on your property. Prairie dog ecology, biology, and control techniques and resources will be discussed. Important cooperative management strategies will also be presented.

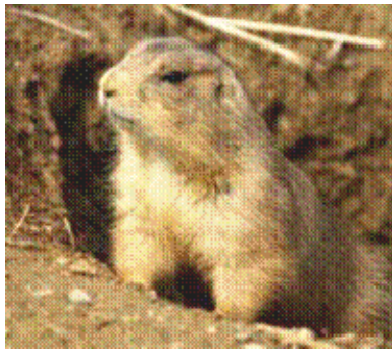


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7:30-8:00 Cheat Grass Explosion: A Single Plant with the Potential to Radically Change and De- grade our Western Landscapes and Ecology

Brian Connely (Education Coordinator, Weed and Pest)

Learn how Cheat Grass has destroyed hundreds of thousands of acres in the Great Basin. These areas will no longer support wildlife or livestock. Learn how to STOP the invasion on your land.

8:15-8:45 What if we had a drought and our garden plants didn't know it?



Tom Heald (Extension Educator, University of Wyoming Cooperative Extension Service)

The intense drought we've experienced has been a blessing in disguise for the Wyoming gardener. Dwindling water supplies have spurred efforts to bring native and adapted plants to our market. There are some outstanding finds! Learn about tough trees, shrubs, flowers and grasses that want to flourish in our rugged Wyoming conditions.

Workshop will be located at:
**Cooperative Extension
Building
2011 Fairgrounds Road
Casper, WY**

Registration begins at 6:00 PM
Introductions by the NRCS at 6:30 PM

To pre-register or
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