

Workshops addressing small-acreage issues set across Wyoming

Interested in water, composting, wildlife, horses, or landscaping, or do you have questions about weeds or septic systems? These subjects and many more will be featured in small-acreage workshops around the state this spring!

Small-acreage workshops provide attendees with the chance to hear from experts in these subjects and to meet other landowners and managers dealing with similar issues in their communities.

You can find out about workshops around the state (including more workshops, further information, flyers and agendas) and more by visiting www.barnyardsandbackyards.com/events. htm. You can also receive announcements of events as they become available by signing up for the Barnyards & Backyards e-mail listserv at www.barnyardsandbackyards.com.

Sheridan County Small-Acreage Workshop

"How to Manage Horse Grazing on Small Acreages" Dates: April 17 and 24 6:30 p.m. Old Highland Park School Sheridan

For more information, contact Blaine Horn at the Johnson County University of Wyoming Cooperative Extension Service (UW CES) office at (307) 684-7522 or bhorn@uwyo.edu

Star Valley Backyard Wildlife Habitat Workshop

Thursday, April 17 7 p.m. 4-H Exhibit Building Lincoln County Fairgrounds Afton

For more information, contact the Star Valley Conservation District at (307) 885-7823 or bashworth@starvalleycd.org, or Hudson Hill at the Lincoln County UW CES office at (307) 885-3132 or hrhill@uwyo.edu

Goshen County Small-Acreage Workshop

Tuesday, April 22
4-9 p.m.
James C. Hageman
Sustainable
Agriculture Research
and Extension Center
(SAREC)
2753 State Highway 157

(http://uwadmnweb. uwyo.edu/uwexpstn/ SAREC/Location.htm)

Topics include: Trees, pasture grasses, irrigation, wildlife habitat, electric fencing, and more!

For more information, contact Dallas Mount at (307) 322-3667or dmount@

uwyo.edu at the Platte County UW CES office, or Wayne Tatman at the Goshen County UW CES office at (307) 532-2436 or wtatman@uwyo.edu.

Cheyenne Area Small-Acreage Workshop

Wednesday, April 23
4-9 p.m.
Laramie County
Fairgrounds (Old

Archer Research
Station) (Interstate
80 take Archer exit,
go south, and follow
signs)

Cheyenne

Topics include: Trees, pasture grasses, irrigation, wildlife habitat, electric fencing, and more!

For information, contact Dallas Mount at the Platte County UW CES office at (307) 322-3667or dmount@uwyo.edu, or Rex Lockman at the Laramie County Conservation District at (307) 772-2600.

Platte County Small-Acreage Workshop

Monday, April 21 4-9 p.m. Platte Valley National Bank Community Room Wheatland

Topics include: Trees, pasture grasses, irrigation, wildlife habitat, electric fencing, and more!

For more information, contact Dallas Mount at the Platte County UW CES office at (307) 322-3667 or dmount@uwyo.edu, or the Platte County Resource District at (307) 322-9060

Star Valley Water-wise Landscaping and Irrigation Management Workshop

Thursday, April 24 7 p.m. 4-H Exhibit Building Lincoln County Fairgrounds Afton



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Weston County Small-Acreage Workshop

announced.

May 3
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
U.S. Department of
Agriculture Service
Center Building in
Newcastle
More information to be

Albany County Small-Acreage Workshop

May 31 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. UW CES classroom

Albany County Fairgrounds

Fairground Laramie

Topics will include tree/ shrub selection and diseases; water quality and wellhead protection; and selecting and planting native grasses to reduce erosion.

For more information contact Kellie Chichester, Albany County UW CES educator, at (307) 721-2571 or kelliec@uwyo.edu, or

contact the Laramie Rivers Conservation District at (307) 721-0072.

Lander Small-Acreage Workshop

May 10

9 a.m.- noon Lander

Agenda includes information on grasses, trees, and weeds.

For more information contact Fremont County UW CES at (307) 332-1044.

Mountain Pine Beetle Education Field Day June 12

9 a.m.-noon

Natrona County Nordic Ski Lodge Casper

Workshop will cover mountain pine beetle identification, its lifecycle, and prevention and control techniques. There will be a short presentation inside with the rest of the activities outside, so dress for the outdoors.

RSVP no later than Friday, May 30

Contact Deena McDaniels, Natrona County Conservation District, at (307) 234-4022, or deena. hood@wy.nacdnet.net.