



Tennessee Cow/Calf Conference

Wednesday, October 8, 2014

**UT Highland Rim Research and Education Center
3181 Experiment Station Road, Springfield, Tennessee**

Registration starts at 8:30 a.m.

Program starts at 9:00 a.m. – Lunch at 11:45 a.m.

Fencing with High-tensile Woven Wire



Buddy Rowlett is the Tennessee/Kentucky territory manager for Stay-Tuff Fence Manufacturing located in New Braunfels, Texas. Having been involved in agriculture all his life, his expertise in fencing and construction combined with his grazing and grass management knowledge makes him a great resource for cattle producers. Buddy will present a hands-on fencing demonstration using high-tensile fixed knot fencing. He will also address brace design and installation as well as selection of fencing materials.

Cow and Calf Health Management



Dr. Lew Strickland is an Assistant Professor and Extension Veterinarian housed in the Department of Animal Science at the University of Tennessee Knoxville. He provides animal health information and education for county Extension agents and the public. He received his Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine from Auburn University where he also completed a residency in theriogenology. Dr. Strickland will present a “chute-side hands-on clinic” demonstrating a complete bovine health check from mouth to tail.

Winter Nutrition Guide



Kevin Laurent is an Extension Senior Associate in the Department of Animal and Food Sciences stationed at the University of Kentucky Research and Education Center in Princeton. He provides county Extension agents support for beef Extension programs primarily in the areas of grazing systems, nutrition, feeder calf marketing and bred heifer sales. Kevin earned his Master of Science in Meat Science from LSU. Kevin will present a program on winter feeding and providing adequate nutrition through the tough winter months.

\$20 per participant includes breakfast, lunch and meeting material.

Pre-registration is encouraged but not required.

Contact Vickie Witcher (615-446-2788 or vwitcher@utk.edu) to register or for additional information.