

STOCKMANSHIP & STEWARDSHIP

June 26 - 28, 2025 | Watertown, South Dakota

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Thursday June 26

12:00pm - 5:00pm **SBS Train the Train Trainer Workshop**
(lunch provided)

Friday June 27

Location: Kopriva Angus (41577 169th St., Raymond, SD 57258)

9:00am **Buses will leave from SDSU Extension Codington County Office**
1910 W. Kemp Ave., Watertown, SD 57201

10:00am – 10:15am **Welcome & Opening Remarks**

10:15am – 11:00am **Defending Against Disease:
Strengthening Biosecurity Systems**
South Dakota State Veterinarian office

11:15am – 12:45pm **Biosecurity Rotations**
11:15am – 11:45am **Premises Mapping 101**
(rotation one)
Julia Herman, DVM, NCBA

11:45am – 12:15pm **Back to the Basics for Everyday Biosecurity Success**
(rotation two)
Kirk Ramsey, DVM, Neogen

12:15pm – 12:45pm **Just Bring Back Souvenirs:
Managing the Disease Risk after International Travel**
(rotation three)
Russ Daly, DVM, SDSU

1:00pm – 1:45pm **Lunch – Issues Management**

2:00pm **Travel back to SDSU Extension Codington County Office**
1910 W. Kemp Ave., Watertown, SD 57201

2:30pm **Registration opens**

3:00pm **Welcome from SDSU, National Cattlemen's Beef Association,
SD Beef Council, SD Cattlemen's Association, Neogen**

3:15pm – 4:30pm **Ask the Vet!**
Julia Herman, DVM; Kirk Ramsey, DVM, Neogen; Russ Daly, DVM, SDSU

4:30pm – 5:15pm **Advocacy that Connects and Educates**
Jaclyn Wilson, Wilson Flying Diamond Ranch

5:15pm – 6:30pm **Dinner**
5:30pm – 6:30pm **Protecting Our Legacy: Biosecurity, Advocacy
and the Next Generation of Producers**
Colin Woodall, NCBA

6:30pm **Wrap Up Day One**



Saturday, June 28th

8:00am **Welcome Back**
coffee, water, breakfast snacks

8:15am – 9:45am **Grazing Rotations**

8:15am – 8:45am **Cover Crops and Crop Residue Management**
(rotation one)
Erika Woolfolk, Iowa State University

8:50am – 9:20am **Rooted in Resilience: Importance of Grasslands**
(rotation two)
Sandy Smart, South Dakota State University

9:25am – 9:55am **Grazing with a Plan**
(rotation three)
Rob Cook, National Grazing Lands Coalition

10:05am – 11:15am **From the Ground Up: Producer Panel**
Barb Downey and Joe Carpenter, Downey Ranch, Kansas

Justin Robbins, Robbins Land & Cattle, Iowa

Rachel Gray, Little Timber Farms, Minnesota

Jerry Doan, Black Leg Ranch, North Dakota

11:15am – 12:15pm **Lunch**

12:15pm **Drive to Derby Downs Rodeo Arena**
2801 5th Ave. NW, Watertown, SD 57201
(Transportation not provided)

12:30pm – 1:15pm **Cattle Behavior Basics and Selecting for Temperament**
Ron Gill, PhD, Curt Pate, and Kirk Ramsey, DVM

1:15pm – 2:00pm **Chuteside Training**
Ron Gill, PhD and Kirk Ramsey, DVM

2:00pm – 3:00pm **Working Cattle Tools: Facilities, Dogs, Horses, Handling Aids**
Ron Gill, PHD and Curt Pate

3:00pm **Thank You and Wrap Up & Take the BQA Test**





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