

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

(SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7

- 6:30 a.m. **WSGA Officers' Breakfast Meeting**
- 8:00 a.m. **Registration Opens**
- 10:00 a.m. **Progressive Rancher Forum**
10:00—10:50 Session I
11:00—11:50 Session II
- 12:15 p.m. **Luncheon** (Sponsored by WY Wool Growers Association)
“Make it with Wool Fashion Show”
- 2:00 p.m. **Progressive Rancher Forum**
2:00—2:50 Session III
3:00—3:50 Session IV
- 2:00 p.m. **Ranch Toddler Safety Training**
—UW Extension and Young Producer Assembly
- 2:00—3:00 p.m. **WSGA Membership Committee**
- 2:00 p.m. **WY Wool Growers Association Business Meeting**
- 2:00—4:00 p.m. **WY Wool Growers Auxiliary**
- 3:00—5:00 p.m. **Young Producer Assembly**
- 6:30—8:30 p.m. **Branding Iron Bar & Reception**
—Entertainment by Caitlyn Ochsner

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8

- 6:30 a.m. **Officers/Past Presidents/Committee Chairs Breakfast**
- 6:30 a.m. **Continental Breakfast** (*Sponsored by Ramkota*)
- 7:00 a.m. **Registration Opens**
- 8:00—9:45 a.m. **Opening General Session**
President's Welcome – Scott Sims
Pledge of Allegiance
- 8:15 a.m. **Keynote Speaker**
—Dr. Joshua Specht
Author, Red Meat Republic: A Hoof-to-Table History of How Beef Changed America
- 9:15 a.m. **Wyoming Tax Challenges**
—Ashley Harpstreith, Executive Director,
Wyoming Taxpayer's Association
- 9:45—10:00 a.m. **Break**
- 10:00—11:45 a.m. **Committee Meetings**
- Brand
- Ag Promotion, Education & Enhancement
- Wildlife

- 12:00 p.m. **Buffet Luncheon**
 — Dr. Ed Seidel (invited)
 President, University of Wyoming
- WSGA Environmental Stewardship Award
 25th Anniversary Recognition
- 2:00—4:00 p.m. **Wyoming CattleWomen**
- 2:00—3:45 p.m. **Committee Meetings**
 - Livestock Health & Production
 - Federal Lands
 - Ag Finance & Tax
- 3:45 p.m. **Break**
- 4:00—5:45 p.m. **Committee Meetings**
 - Water
 - Marketing, Transportation & Labor
 - Private & State Lands
- 5:45—6:30 p.m. **WSGA Cattlemen’s Club Reception**
 (Cattlemen’s Club Members & Guests)
- 6:00—9:00 p.m. **Banquet and “American Pride Live & Silent Auction”**
 — Wyoming Senator-elect (invited)
 — Wyoming Stock Growers Land Trust
 20th Anniversary Recognition

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9

- 6:00 a.m. **Resolutions Committee**
- 6:30 a.m. **Registration Opens**
- 7:00—8:15 a.m. **Legislative Breakfast**
 —Legislative Update
- 8:30—12:00 **Closing General Session**
- 8:30 a.m. **“Restoring Ecological and Economic Health of the Ranch/Farm
 by Mimicking Nature’s Intelligent Design”**
 —Ray Archuleta, Soil Health Academy
- 9:30 a.m. **“The UW Ranch Management
 and Agricultural Leadership Center”**
 —Doug Stark
 University of Wyoming Foundation Board
- 10:00 a.m. **Break**
- 10:20 a.m. **Bayer Animal Health**

- 10:30 a.m. “Finished Cattle Price Discovery Triggers”
—**Tanner Beymer** (*invited*)
Manager, Government Affairs, Public Lands Council
- 11:00 a.m. “A New Take on Soil Health—Carbon Asset Network”
—**John Robitaille**
President, Encore Green Wyoming
- 11:30 a.m. “Getting the Most Out of Your Land”
—**Scott Williams**, Swan Land Company
- 12:00 **Awards Luncheon**
—Speaker: Governor Mark Gordon (*invited*)
—“Access Recognition Program”
WY Game & Fish Commission/ WY Board of Agriculture
—Special Recognition
- 1:30 pm **Wyoming Congressional Delegation**—Live Video
- 2:00-4:00 p.m. **WSGA Business Meeting**
Following the Business Meeting the convention adjourns.

PROGRESSIVE RANCHER FORUM

Monday, December 7, 2020

Concurrent programs starting at 10 AM and ending at 4 PM

This annual event provides useful information and educational topics important to the Wyoming Rancher. Sessions are designed to provide an opportunity for interactive discussion among the audience members and the presenters. There will be a total of four sessions. Be sure to check online for additional forum information!

NOTE: We anticipate that Congress will be in Session during our convention. Members of the Wyoming Delegation have been invited to share their perspective with us either through live video or taped messages as their schedules allow.

“American Pride Live & Silent Auction”

Early Silent and Live Auction Preview— Monday, December 7th at Branding Iron Bar & Reception until Tuesday evening. There is also a preview of the auction currently on our website: www.wysga.org

Buy your playing cards (available at convention) for your chance to win a shopping spree at Lou Tauberts in Casper.

Dates to Remember

- *November 21st—Last day for Guaranteed Convention rate (\$77) at Ramkota
Call 307-266-6000 for reservations.*
- *December 3rd— Last day for Pre-Registration*