

# Grassroots Grazing 2016

A grazing management series for beginning and young livestock producers

September 15 • Boone • 5:30 P.M.

ISU Marsden Farm and Field Extension Education Laboratory, 1928 240th St.



## Schedule

5:30 p.m. — Tour the Marsden Farm cropping experiment with Dr. Matt Liebman, etc.

6:30 p.m. — Move to the Field Extension Education Laboratory building

6:30 p.m. — Light meal, start discussion on the 2016 grazing season

## Speakers and topics

**Hanna Poffenbarger** - Financial performance of conventional corn-soy and more diverse corn-soy-oat-alfalfa rotations, integrated or not integrated with cattle production

**Matt Liebman** - Agronomic, soil and environmental characteristics of conventional and more diverse crop systems

**Erika Lundy** – Grazing annual cover crops

**Joe Sellers** – Extending grazing to reduce feed costs (grazing crop residue and stockpiled grass)

Please RSVP by September 13 to Joe Sellers (641-203-1270 or [sellers@iastate.edu](mailto:sellers@iastate.edu)) or Erika Lundy (515-294-9881, [ellundy@iastate.edu](mailto:ellundy@iastate.edu)) Contact either for more information.

**Directions:** From Hwy 30, at U Avenue, turn south. (United Community School is on the northeast corner and the ISU Agronomy Farm is on the southeast corner of this intersection.) Proceed south on U avenue for one mile then turn right on 240th street. Proceed west for 0.5 miles. FEEL is on the south side of the road – the crop rotation plots are ½ mile north of FEEL.

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