## 2020 Novel Tall Fescue Renovation Workshop

8:30—4:30 Wednesday, March 18, 2020 Middle Tennessee Research and Education Center 1000 Main Entrance Dr. Spring Hill, TN 37174



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**Toxic tall fescue** reduces livestock weight gains and lowers reproductive performance. This one day workshop will give you the tools and information needed to remove toxic tall fescue and replace it with novel tall fescue varieties. Speakers include local producers, company representatives and extension specialists and researchers from across the country.

#### **Topics include:**

- Fescue Toxicosis: Symptoms and Causes
- Economics
- Establishment and First Year Management
- Seed and Endophyte Testing
- Transitioning from Toxic Fescue
- Company Products
- Incentives and Cost Share
- Producer Panel

### All 2020 Workshops:

Middleburg, VA	March 10
Mt. Ulla, NC	March 12
Watkinsville, GA	March 16
Spring Hill, TN	March 18
Lexington, KY	March 19
Harrison, AR	March 24
Mt. Vernon, MO	March 25



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Register online at http:// TallFescueTN2020. eventbrite.com

**Registration:** \$65 before March 10 \$80 After March 10 Includes lunch, refreshments and proceedings

Complete the form on the back and mail to: Gary Bates, 112 Plant Biotech 2505 EJ Chapman Dr. Knoxville, TN 37996

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- 8:15 Registration Opens
- 8:45 Welcome Dr. Gary Bates, University of Tennessee
- 9:00 **Tall Fescue Toxicosis: Symptoms and Causes** Dr. Craig Roberts, University of Missouri
- 9:20 **Toxicosis Management** Dr. Gary Bates, University of Tennessee
- 10:20 Break and Microscope Demonstration
- 10:35 Video: Producer Economics by Darrel Franson
- 10:55 **Establishment and First Year Management** Dr. Chris Teutsch, University of Kentucky
- 11:40 Seed Quality and Testing Dr. Nick Hill, Agrinostics
- 12:05 Lunch and Microscope Demonstration
- 12:50 Company Highlights
- 1:20 **Drill Calibration** Dr. Gary Bates, University of Tennessee
- 1:50 **Plot Tours** Dr. Gary Bates, University of Tennessee
- 2:50 **Economics** Dr. Matt Poore, North Carolina State
- 3:20 Cost Share and Incentive Programs Tammy Swithart, USDA NRCS
- 3:40 Producer Panel
- 4:15 Adjourn

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