

# 2025 Kentucky Beginning Grazing School

**When:** April 29-30, 2025

**Where:** Logan County Extension Office

**Cost:** \$60/Participant – includes all materials, grazing manual, grazing stick, morning refreshments, and lunch both days

**Program Registration:** DEADLINE is April 21, 2025

**Online Registration with CREDIT CARD AT:**

<https://Spring2025GrazingSchool.eventbrite.com>

**Registration by U.S. Mail with CHECK:**

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Registration  
limited to 35  
participants!!!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of participants \_\_\_\_\_ x \$60 per participant = \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount

Call for student rates.

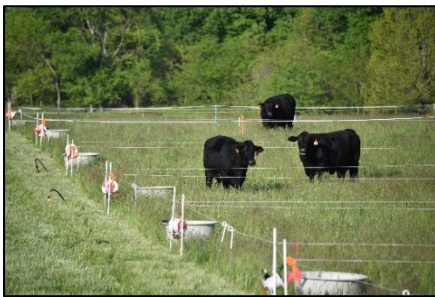
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| 7:30  | Registration and refreshments   | 7:30  | Refreshments  |
| 8:00  | Welcome and introductions   | 8:00  | Interpreting soil test results, John Grove, UK  |
| 8:15  | Getting stocking rate right-Ray Smith, UK   | 8:30  | Meeting the nutritional needs of grazing livestock-Katie VanValin, UK   |
| 8:30  | Forage plant growth and grazing management-Chris Teutsch, UK  | 9:15  | Electric fencing-Jeremy McGill, Gallagher Fencing   |
| 9:00  | Grazing system design-Jeff Lehmkuhler   | 10:00 | Break   |
| 9:45  | Break   | 10:30 | How I made grazing work on the farm-Local Producers   |
| 10:15 | Forage species-Chris Teutsch, UK  | 11:00 | Rejuvenating run-down pastures-Chris Teutsch, UK  |
| 10:45 | Hands on forage identification-Ray Smith, UK  | 11:30 | Financial assistance for improved grazing infrastructure- NRCS  |
| 11:30 | Grazing system planning exercise-Adam Jones, NRCS   | 12:00 | Lunch at church   |
| 12:00 | Lunch at church   | 12:45 | Travel to host farm   |
| 12:45 | Travel to host farm   | 1:00  | Hands on electric fencing<br>Hands on watering system<br>Grain drill calibration and set up<br>Frost seeding demonstration<br>Presentation of grazing plans |
| 1:00  | Introductions and farm overview<br>Soil sampling pastures<br>Hay sampling<br>Pasture condition scoring<br>Hay sampling<br>Grazing planning exercise | 4:00  | Surveys and graduation  |
| 4:00  | Adjourn   |       |   |

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