The Newland family owns and operates Newland Farms in southeast Kansas. The family operation consists of an Angus-based commercial cow-calf herd, a farming enterprise where corn, soybeans and wheat are produced and a backgrounding business. Fescue grass haylage is cut and baled for feed for the cow herd. The Newlands retain their own replacement females and background calves on native pasture.

Background

Our Beef with Flies: Why House Flies are more than Nuisance Pests
Dr. Cassandra Olds,
Assistant Professor, KSU Department of Entomology

House flies are a common pest in confined animal production systems that often reach nuisance levels. Dr. Olds will discuss the role of house flies in the spread of antimicrobial-resistant bacteria and the importance of developing integrated pest management programs.

Aerial Seeding Panel
Panel Discussion
Austin Hobbs, Tyce Marple, Bradley McVey & Ethan Seller

Aerial seeding quickly is gaining popularity among those planting cover crops. This panel of local farmers will discuss the benefits and drawbacks of using fixed-wing planes versus helicopters to complete the job.

Using Drones for Crop Spraying
Agri Spray Drones

Drones have proven to be an effective tool in crop production throughout the U.S. While drones have a multitude of uses in the field, this session will focus on their usage for liquid or granular product application. A technician from Agri Spray Drones will dive into the metrics of utilizing a drone in this capacity and demo the technology for attendees. Agri Spray Drones is a full-service drone sales firm focused on helping producers and landowners utilize unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs) in liquid and granular application.

Program

Parking Location & Directions

Location
Newland Farms
3405 Brown Rd
Thayer, KS 66776

From Chanute:
Head south for 19 ¼ miles on US 169. Turn west (right) onto 30th Road for half a mile before turning north (right) at the first cross street onto Brown Road. Travel north on Brown Road for half a mile and Newland Farms will be on the west (left) side of the road. “Field Day” directional signs will be posted.

Questions about the field day?
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