

Periodicals

Forage Systems Update. University of Missouri, Forage Systems Research Center, 21262 Genoa Road, Linneus, MO, (660) 895-51221. Free and issued quarterly. This newsletter provides informative summaries of research at the Linneus station.

Holistic Management Quarterly. Center for Holistic Management, 1010 Tijeras NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102, (505) 842-5252. \$25/year. This quarterly summarizes how Holistic Management is applied to improve the natural and human capital of businesses.

Pasture Prophet. Grazing Lands Technology Institute, Pasture Systems and Watershed Management Lab, Natural Resources Conservation Service, University Park, PA 16802-3702. Irregularly issued. This newsletter provides summaries of research on grazing systems from across the country.

Smoky Hills Grazing Newsletter. Contact Dave Morrison, Smoky Hills Grazing Cluster, 1717 East Stimmel Road, Salina, KS 67401, (785) 823-8454.

The Stockman Grass Farmer. Mississippi Valley Publishing Corporation, 282 Commerce Park Drive, Ridgeland, MS 39157, (800) 748-9808. \$28/year issued monthly. This magazine mixes producer articles with university research summaries to generate new ways at making a profit from grass farming.

Publications

A Guide for Planning and Analyzing a Year-Round Forage Program. Waller, Steven, Lowell Moser, and Bruce Anderson. Nebraska Cooperative Extension. EC 86-113-C.

Aide Memoire for Holistic Grazing Planning. Center for Holistic Management, 1010 Tijeras NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102, (505) 842-5252. This publication takes the reader through 17 steps to both plan

and record grazing moves and stocking rates. Also available are paddock grazing charts for planning and monitoring.

Comprehensive Guide to Financial Planning for Agricultural Businesses. Center for Holistic Management., 1010 Tijeras NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102, (505) 842-5252. This plan takes the reader through 19 steps to plan and monitor financial transactions. Software is also available.

Ecological and Business Management Applied to Grazing Production Systems. Ohlenbusch, Paul and Rodney Jones. 1997. Workshop presentation. Manhattan, Kansas.

Grass: The Stockman's Crop. Dietz, Harland. 1988. Sunshine Unlimited, Inc. Lindsborg, Kansas.

Grazing Distribution. Ohlenbusch, Paul, Steve Watson, and Joseph Harner. 1994. Kansas State University, Cooperative Extension Service, Umberger Hall, Room 24, Manhattan, KS 66506-3402, (785) 532-5830. Publication identification No. MF-515.

Interseeding Legumes into Cool-season Grasses. Posler, Gerry and Steve Fransen. 1978. Kansas State University Extension. Publication No. 40.

Forage Resource Management and Integration. Coffey, Chuck. The Noble Foundation. Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Knee Deep in Grass. Loeffler, Brian, Helene Murray, Dennis Johnson, and Earl Fuller. University of Minnesota, Minnesota Extension Service, 405 Coffey Hall, St. Paul, MN 55108-6068. Publication identification No. BU-6693-S. This publication summarizes a survey of 29 grazing operations in Minnesota.

Managing Kansas Grazing Lands for Water Quality. Kansas State University, Cooperative Extension Service, Umberger Hall, Room 24, Manhattan, KS

66506-3402, (785) 532-5830. Publication identification No. MF-2086. This publication discusses how grazing management can improve water quality.

Missouri Grazing Manual. Annually updated. University of Missouri, Forage Systems Research Center, 21262 Genoa Road, Linneus, MO, (660) 895-51221. \$12. This publication provides very useful summaries of grazing system research in Missouri.

Pastures for Profit. University of Wisconsin Extension and Minnesota Extension Service. Order from Cooperative Extension Publications, Rm. 245, 30 N. Murray St., Madison, Wisconsin 53715, (608) 262-3346. Publication identification No. A3529. An introduction to establishing a rotational grazing system with some grazier profiles.

Pre-conditioning Calves on Grass. Coffey, Chuck and Mark Skiles. 1996. The Nobel Foundation. Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Performance of Grass-Legume Mixtures in Eastern Kansas. Posler, Gerry, Francis Barnett, and Joseph Moyer. 1986. Kansas State University Extension. Bulletin No. 649.

Smooth Brome Production and Utilization. Lammond, Ray, John Fritz, and Paul Ohlenbusch. 1992. Kansas State University Cooperative Extension. C-402.

Stocking Rate and Grazing Management. Ohlenbusch, Paul and Steve Watson. Kansas State University, Cooperative Extension Service, Umberger Hall, Room 24, Manhattan, KS 66506-3402, (785) 532-5830. Publication identification # MF-1118. This publication introduces how stocking rates can be adjusted for better grazing management in response to livestock classes and forages.

Tall Fescue Production and Utilization. Kilgore, Gary and Frank Brazzle. 1993. Kansas State University Extension. C-729.

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Books

Dollars & Sense. Tranel, Larry. 1994. Green Park Press. Jackson, Mississippi.

Forages: An Introduction to Grassland Agriculture. Barnes, Robert, Darrell Miller, and C. Jerry Nelson. 1995. Iowa State University Press. Ames, Iowa.

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Greener Pastures On Your Side of the Fence. Murphy, Bill. 1987. Capital City Press. Montpelier, Vermont.

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Moving 'Em. Smith, Burt. 1998. The Graziers Hui. Kamuela, Hawaii.

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Shelter and Shade. Mortimer, John and Bunny Mortimer. 1996. Green Park Press. Jackson, Mississippi.

Videos

Basic Herding. Smith, Burt. 1993. The Graziers Hui. A 52 minute video with a 80 page manual.

Controlled Grazing. Farming for the Future: A Farmer-to-Farmer Video Series. 1991. The Land Stewardship Project. An 18 minute video.

Pasture Primer: A Hands on Guide to Controlled Grazing. Pratt, David and Roger Ingram. University of California Cooperative Extension.

Four Seasons of Grazing: Spring, Summer, Fall. 1996. Penn State University. Pre-taped segments for a February 8, 1996 broadcast.

Four Season of Grazing. 1996. Penn State University. A 60 minute video.

Managed Grazing. 1994. Iowa State University Extension. A three-part series: Introduction to Managed Grazing (12 minutes); Managing Pasture Plants (14 minutes); and Fencing and Watering (17 minutes).

Teaching Low-Stress Livestock Handling. 1990. Williams, Bud. A 5-hour video of William's presentation to the 1990 Stockman Grass Farmer Grazing Conference.

Training

Holistic Management training. Center for Holistic Management, 1010 Tijeras NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102, (505) 842-5252. Stan Freyenberger, Kansas State University, 323C Waters Hall, Manhattan, KS 66506, (785) 532-4486. Educators from across the country provide several three-day courses on setting three-part goals, testing guidelines, financial planning, biological planning, and monitoring.

Ranching for Profit. Ranch Management Consultants, Inc., 7719 Rio Grande Boulevard N.W., Albuquerque, NM 87107, (505) 898-7417. A week long training, or a self-study course is provided.

University of Missouri, Forage Systems Research Center, Linneus, MO. Contact Missouri Forage and Grassland Council, 2000 E. Broadway No. 225, Columbia, MO 65201, (573) 499-0886, mfgc@psu.missouri.edu. A popular three-day workshop with in-class and in-paddock instruction.

Internet

KSU forage website is at http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/pr_forage/. Another site is <http://www.lib.ksu.edu/issa/forage/forage.htm>.

A forage discussion site is "forage-mg" at almanac@oes.orst.edu. To subscribe, send a message to this address stating "subscribe forage-mg".

A grazing discussion site is "graze-l" at listserv@taranaki.ac.nz. To subscribe, send a message to this address stating "subscribe graze-l".

A sheep grazing discussion site is "sheep-l" at sheep1@listserv.uu.se. To subscribe, send a message to this address stating "subscribe sheep-l".

A dairy discussion site is "dairy-l" at listerve@umdd.umd.edu. To subscribe, send a message to this address stating "sub dairy-l firstname lastname".

Other Resources

The Samuel Roberts Nobel Foundation. P.O. Box 2180, Ardmore, OK 73402, (405) 223-5810. The Nobel Foundation provides research and education on management intensive grazing, crabgrass/cereal grain grazing systems, and stockpiling.

Appropriate Technology Transfer For Rural Areas, P.O. Box 3657, Fayetteville, Arkansas 72702, (800) 346-9140. ATTRA provides free copies of compilations of articles and research on many sustainable agricultural topics including management intensive grazing.

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