

8TH Annual Horse Field Day



TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2017
6:00 to 8:00 pm

University of Minnesota
Leatherdale Equine Center
Nutrena Conference Room
1801 Dudley Avenue
St. Paul, MN



PROGRAM AGENDA

6:00 pm – Doors open

6:30 pm – Welcome and walk to Animal Science experimental horse pastures (5 min walk)

6:40 to 7:55 pm – Participants will rotate through four stations (15 min each)

- Keep it Clean, Not Green: Keeping Water Tanks Clean by Devan Catalano, M.S. and Amanda Reiter Univ. of MN. *Learn about our research investigating the use of goldfish to maintain water quality in horse tanks.*
- Warm-Season Grasses, Cool-Season Grasses and Legumes: Oh My! by Marcia Hathaway, PhD and Michelle Schultz, M.S., Univ. of MN. *Understand key differences between these forages and how they can fit into the horse diet.*
- Tips on Setting Up a Rotational Grazing System by Craig Sheaffer, PhD and Amada Grev, M.S. Univ. of MN. *Gets tips on drylots, fencing, seeding, and paddock size and location.*
- Weed Control by Krishona Martinson, PhD, and Rachel Mottet, M.S., Univ. of MN. *A discussion on weed control in pastures and hayfields; bring your weeds for identification!*

8:00 pm – Program concludes

REGISTRATION REQUIRED BY MONDAY, AUGUST 7TH, 2017 at Noon

- Cost is \$15 per person
- Proceedings and light refreshments included (dinner not provided)
- Register online at www.regonline.com/HorseFieldDay2017
- Call 800-876-8636 or 612-624-4900 with online registration questions
- Programs are recommended for ages 13 and up, but are open to everyone
- Sunscreen, bug spray and comfortable walking shoes and clothing are recommended