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**Pie & Coffee Series** – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland  
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m.  Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.  
Program: Economics of Planting and Grazing Cover Crops  
Speaker: Mykel Taylor, KSU Extension Ag Economist  
Registration: No advance registration required  
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)

**Range Burning Workshop** – Helvering Center, 111 S. 8th Street, Marysville  
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m.  Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.  
Program: Planning and Conducting a Prescribed Burn  
Speakers: KSU, FSA, NRCS and Kansas Department of Wildlife & Parks personnel  
Registration: Call the Marshall County Extension Office at 785/562-3531, or e-mail anastasia@ksu.edu, by January 6  
Cost: $20 (includes meal and materials)
January 12

**Coffee Shop Agronomy** – Nelson’s Landing, Leonardville  
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m.  Adjournment: 12:00 noon  
Program: Lease Law and Leasing Principles  
Speaker: Chuck Otte, Geary County K-State Research & Extension  
Registration: Register online at [www.riley.ksu.edu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu) or call 785/537-6350 by January 11  
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

January 18

**Blue Valley Pork Producers Annual Meeting** - Nelson’s Landing, Leonardville  
Starting Time: 6:30 p.m.  Adjournment: 9:00 p.m.  
Program: China - Soybean Trade Mission  
Speaker: Nathan Larson  
Registration: Register online at [www.riley.ksu.edu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu) or call the Riley County Extension Office at 785/537-6350 by January 13  
Cost: $10 membership (includes dinner)

January 20

**Mental Health First Aid Course** – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland  
Starting Time: 8:30 a.m.  Adjournment: 5:00 p.m.  
Program: How to identify, understand, and respond to signs of mental health and substance abuse disorders. Learn how to help a friend, family member, or co-worker in need.  
Speakers: Program presented by Pawnee Mental Health  
Registration: Register online at [www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu](http://www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu) by January 13. Contact Erin Tynon at 785/457-3319, or e-mail etynon@ksu.edu for more information.  
Cost: $30 (includes lunch and materials)

January 20

**Grain Marketing Strategies** – Community Center, 810 S. Broadway, Herington  
Starting Time: 8:45 a.m.  Adjournment: 12:00 noon  
Program: Futures, options, and other marketing strategies  
Speaker: Dan O’Brien, K-State Research & Extension Ag Economist  
Registration: Register online at [www.dickinson.ksu.edu](http://www.dickinson.ksu.edu) or call 785/263-2001 by January 17.  
Cost: None (sponsored by First National Bank of Hope, Agri Trails Co-op, and Marion National Bank)

January 24

**Pie & Coffee Series** – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland  
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m.  Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.  
Program: Plant Species and Cattle Compatibility when Grazing Cover/Forage Crops  
Speaker: Jaymelynn Farney, KSU Southeast Kansas Beef Specialist  
Registration: No advance registration required  
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)
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<td>Starting Time: 10:30 a.m.</td>
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<td>Adjournment: 12:00 noon</td>
<td>Program: Cover Crop Impact on Subsequent Crop Yields</td>
<td>Speaker: DeAnn Presley, KSU Soil &amp; Water Conservation Specialist</td>
<td>Registration: Register online at <a href="http://www.riley.ksu.edu">www.riley.ksu.edu</a> or call 785/537-6350 by January 25</td>
<td>Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)</td>
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<td>Starting Time: 10:30 a.m.</td>
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<td>Adjournment: 12:00 noon</td>
<td>Program: Totally Tomatoes</td>
<td>Speaker: Gregg Eyestone, Riley County Extension Horticulture Agent</td>
<td>Registration: Register online at <a href="http://www.riley.ksu.edu">www.riley.ksu.edu</a> or call 785/537-6350 by January 25</td>
<td>Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Riley County Farm Bureau Association)</td>
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<td>Understanding Your Production Cost – Community Center, 810 S. Broadway, Herington</td>
<td>Starting Time: 8:45 a.m.</td>
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<td>Adjournment: 12:00 noon</td>
<td>Program: This workshop will give you the tools needed to understand your cost of production, and what can be done to reduce variable costs.</td>
<td>Speakers: Gregg Ibendahl, KSU Ag Economist &amp; Doug Shoup, KSU Southeast Area Agronomist</td>
<td>Registration: Register online at <a href="http://www.dickinson.ksu.edu">www.dickinson.ksu.edu</a> or call 785/263-2001 by January 25.</td>
<td>Cost: None (Sponsored by First National Bank of Hope, Agri Trails Co-op, and Marion National Bank)</td>
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<td>Starting Time: 6:30 p.m.</td>
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<td>Adjournment: 9:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Program: National Bio and Agro-defense Facility: Confronting Global Infectious Disease Threats</td>
<td>Speaker: Ron Trewyn, NBAF Facilities Liaison</td>
<td>Registration: Register online at <a href="http://www.riley.ksu.edu">www.riley.ksu.edu</a> or call 785/537-6350 by January 23</td>
<td>Cost: $15 membership, includes steak dinner</td>
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<td>January 31</td>
<td>Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville</td>
<td>Starting Time: 12:30 p.m.</td>
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<td>Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Program: True Colors</td>
<td>Speaker: Sarah Maas, K-State Research &amp; Extension - Saline County 4-H Agent</td>
<td>Registration: Register online at <a href="http://www.marshall.ksu.edu">www.marshall.ksu.edu</a> or call 785/562-3531 by January 25</td>
<td>Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions &amp; lunch each time - space limited to 25)</td>
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February 7

**Women Involved in Agriculture** – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville  
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m.  
Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.  
Program: Estate Planning & FSA/NRCS Programs  
Speaker: Shon Robben, with Arthur-Green Law Firm; Brandon Wilson, and Dan Faulkner, FSA & NRCS  
Registration: Register online at [www.marshall.ksu.edu](http://www.marshall.ksu.edu) or call 785/562-3531 by January 25  
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

February 7

**Pie & Coffee Series** – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland  
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m.  
Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.  
Program: Cover Crops in No-Till Rotations  
Speaker: Kraig Roozeboom, K-State Research & Extension Agronomist  
Registration: No advance registration required  
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)

February 9

**Coffee Shop Agronomy** – Nelson’s Landing, Leonardville  
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m.  
Adjournment: 12:00 noon  
Program: Crop Rotations/Sequencing: Why certain crops should or shouldn’t follow another crop  
Speaker: Kraig Roozeboom, K-State Research & Extension Agronomist  
Registration: Register online at [www.riley.ksu.edu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu) or call 785/537-6350 by February 8  
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

February 13

**RAM II** – Community Center, 810 S. Broadway, Herington  
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m.  
Adjournment: 3:30 p.m.  
Program: Advanced Risk Assessed Marketing – Crop Insurance, Hedging, Futures, and Options  
Speakers: Dan O’Brien and Art Barnaby, KSU Ag Economists  
Registration: Contact the Dickinson County Extension Office at 785/263-2001 by February 8.  
Cost: $5, lunch included (Sponsors are First National Bank of Hope, Agri Trails Co-op, and Marion National Bank)

February 14

**Women Involved in Agriculture** – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville  
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m.  
Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.  
Program: Marketing  
Speakers: Mark Nelson, Kansas Farm Bureau  
Registration: Register online at [www.marshall.ksu.edu](http://www.marshall.ksu.edu) or call 785/562-3531 by January 25  
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)
**February 15**

**Winter Ranch Management Seminar** – McCormick Elementary School, Olsburg
Starting Time: 5:00 p.m.   Adjournment: 8:30 p.m.
Program: Profit Enhancing Strategies for Beef Producers – Health, Nutrition, Management, Genetics, and Reproduction (Town Hall Q&A Format)
Speakers: Bob Weaber, K-State Research & Extension cow-calf specialist, and other K-State beef specialists.
Registration: Register online at [www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu](http://www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu), or call 785/457-3319. Due by February 7.
Cost: $10 (meal partially sponsored by Union State Bank of Olsburg)

**February 17**

**Women Involved in Agriculture II** – Riley County Public Works, 6215 Tuttle Creek Boulevard, Manhattan
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m.   Adjournment: 4:00 p.m.
Program: Succession Planning/Communication: Starting the conversation, tips for better communication with family, landlords, and business partners, and strategies to make the business worth passing on to the next generation
Speakers: Charlie Griffin and Charlotte Shoup Olsen, K-State Research & Extension
Registration: Register online at [www.riley.ksu.edu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu) or call 785/537-6350 by February 12.
Cost: $10 (includes lunch)

**February 21**

**Pie & Coffee Series** – Sunflower Room, 612 E. Campbell, Westmoreland
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m.   Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Transitioning the Farm to the Next Generation
Speaker: Duane Hund, Kansas Farm Analyst Program
Registration: No advance registration required
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of the Pottawatomie County Conservation District)

**February 21**

**Women Involved in Agriculture** – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m.   Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Kansas Lease Law, Developing Equitable Leases
Speakers: Chuck Otte, Geary County Extension Agriculture Agent; Mykel Taylor, K-State Research & Extension Agriculture Economist
Registration: Register online at [www.marshall.ksu.edu](http://www.marshall.ksu.edu) or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

**February 23**

**Coffee Shop Agronomy** – Nelson’s Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m.   Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Dealing with Herbicide Resistant Weeds
Speaker: Dallas Peterson, K-State Research & Extension Weed Scientist
Registration: Register online at [www.riley.ksu.edu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu) or call 785/537-6350 by February 22
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Performance Ag, Farmway Co-op, Sullivan Ag Services, Sump Ag, LG Seeds, and Riley County Farm Bureau Association)
February 23

Coffee Shop Horticulture – Nelson’s Landing, Leonardville
Starting Time: 10:30 a.m.  Adjournment: 12:00 noon
Program: Effective Irrigation Techniques
Speaker: Gregg Eyestone, Riley County Extension Horticulture Agent
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by January 25
Cost: None (Refreshments provided courtesy of Riley County Farm Bureau Association)

February 28

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m.  Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Understanding Financial Statements, and Family Dynamics & Communication
Speakers: Gage Zierlein, Frontier Farm Credit; Charlotte Shoup Olsen, K-State Research & Extension
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

March 3

Cattlemen’s Day at KSU – Weber Hall, KSU - Manhattan
Registration: 8:00-10:00 a.m.  Program Starts: 10:00 a.m.
Program: K-State Research & Extension Specialists
Registration: Advance registration requested.  Details will be available on the web at: www.asi.k-state.edu/events/cattlemens-day/
Cost: $20 per person in advance, $30 at the door

March 7

Women Involved in Agriculture – City Hall, 209 N. 8th Street, Marysville
Starting Time: 12:30 p.m.  Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.
Program: Learning to Use Quick Books 2017
Speaker: Kara Mayer, Wabaunsee County Extension Agent
Registration: Register online at www.marshall.ksu.edu or call 785/562-3531 by January 25
Cost: $75 (includes all 6 sessions)

March 10

Women Involved in Agriculture II – KSU Meats Lab, Weber Hall, Manhattan
Starting Time: 1:00 p.m.  Adjournment: 5:00 p.m.
Program: Cooking with New and Different Cuts of Meat
Speaker: Travis O-Quinn, K-State Research & Extension Meat Scientist
Registration: Register online at www.riley.ksu.edu or call 785/537-6350 by March 6.
Cost: $10
March 11

**Kansas Junior Swine Producer Day** – Weber Hall, KSU - Manhattan
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m.  Adjournment: 3:00 p.m.
Program: Swine Nutrition, Daily Care, Selection, Grooming & Clipping
Speakers: Kade Hummel, JBS United, and K-State Faculty and Graduate Students
Registration: Register online at: [http://www asi k-state edu/events/youthlivestockevents html](http://www.asi.k-state.edu/events/youthlivestockevents.html) by February 22
(Scroll down to “Junior Producer Days” to find flyer and registration.)
Cost: $15 if registered by February 22, $20 after February 22

March 25

**Kansas Junior Meat Goat Producer Day** – Weber Hall, KSU - Manhattan
Starting Time: 8:45 a.m.  Adjournment: 4:00 p.m.
Program: Meat Goat Nutrition, Health, Selection, and Showmanship
Speakers: K-State Faculty and Graduate Students
Registration: Register online at [http://www asi k-state edu/events/youthlivestockevents html](http://www.asi.k-state.edu/events/youthlivestockevents.html) by March 3.
(Scroll down to “Junior Producer Days” to find flyer and registration.)
Cost: $15 if registered by March 3, $20 after March 3

March 29

**Riley County Livestock Association Spring Meeting** –
Starting Time: 6:30 p.m.  Adjournment: 9:00 p.m.
Program: Beef Genetic Testing
Speaker: To be determined
Registration: Register online at [www riley ksuedu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu) or call the Riley County Extension Office by March 24
Cost: $10 per person, supper included

May 26 & 30

**Hazardous Occupations Training (Tractor Safety)** – Kan-Equip, Wamego
Starting Time: 9:00 a.m.  Adjournment: 4:00 p.m.
Program: Tractor operation safety training for 14 & 15 year old youths.
Attendance both days is required for certification.
Registration: Register online at [www pottawatomie ksuedu](http://www.pottawatomie.ksu.edu) by May 15.
Cost: $30 (includes course materials and lunch both days)

August 27

**Riley County Livestock Association Summer Tour** – Manhattan Area
Starting Time: 5:00 p.m.
Program: Location to be determined
Registration: Register online at [www riley ksuedu](http://www.riley.ksu.edu) or call 785/537-6350 by August 20
Cost: None (sponsored meal)