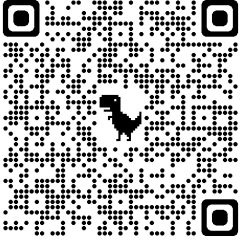


**35th Annual
Dr. O.D. Butler Forage Field Day
Friday, May 20, 2022**

Circle X Land & Cattle Company
Camp Cooley Division
4297 Camp Cooley Ranch Rd, Franklin, Texas

**3 CEU's
1 hour of
Laws & Regs
& 2 hours
of General**

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Program Agenda

8:00am-9:00am	Registration & Sponsor Booth Visitation \$30 Registration fee
9:00am-9:15am	Welcome, Introductions & Instructions Chris Duewall –Chairman, Brazos Area Hay Producers Association
9:15am-11:30am	Tour Demonstration Plots and Program Stops <u>Stop #1</u> –Making the most out of your Fertilizer Dollars <u>Stop #2</u> –Weed Control, Drought & Fertilizer Cost <u>Stop #3</u> - Eliminating Waste & Hay Spoilage
11:30am –12:15pm	New Farm Equipment Highlights
12:15pm–12:45 pm	Lunch, Sponsor Booth Visitations and Contest
12:45pm-1:40pm	Laws & Regulations Effecting Pesticide Applicators
1:40pm –2:30pm	Proper Weed & Brush ID for more effective control
2:30pm - 2:45pm	Evaluation, Final Door Prizes, Announce Contest Winner and CEU Certificate Distribution
2:45pm	Adjourn



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O.D. Butler Forage Field Day

This year's O.D. Butler Field Day (Friday, May 20th) will be an in-person event. This year's field day will address high input cost such as fertilizer & preparing for this year's predicted drought. The field day will be held at the Camp Cooley division of Circle X Ranch. The GPS location of the ranch is 4297 Camp Cooley Ranch Rd, Franklin, TX 77856.

The format for the day's activities will be like past field days. We will gather at the sale headquarters from 8 to 9 am to register and visit with Ag Industry booths and view farm equipment displayed outside of the sale pavilion. We are expecting 25 to 30 industry booths, and 5 to 7 farm equipment dealers to be present. Three CEU's will be awarded (2 General & 1 Laws & Reg's) to eligible participants.

After some brief introductions and instructions, we will proceed to three outside tour stops. We will have trailers available to transport participants to the stops. Each stop is scheduled to last about 45 minutes. Below is more information for each location.

- Pasture Weed Control Products. Dr. Scott Nolte will tie together new products and how they can save fertilizer dollars and save forage if we get into a drought situation, as is predicted.
- Saving Your Fertilizer Dollars. Dr. Vanessa Corriker-Olson will address ways to use fertilizer dollars more wisely. Discussion items will include alternative fertilizer sources, can we adjust type of commercial fertilizer used, the value of timing of application and use of weed control.
- What can we do to Minimize Hay Loss? Dr. Larry Redmond will discuss the benefits of hay barns, wrapping hay & pads to store hay. Every pound of hay we save will reduce fertilizer cost & save hay during times of drought.

Late morning, we will return to the A/C at the sale pavilion. We will have brief updates from participating farm equipment dealers on new farm equipment and technology available to producers.

Following the brief farm machinery presentations, we will have lunch and time to visit with the Ag Industry booths. We will also have a contest for field day participants. You will have a chance to win cash if you finish in the top three placings.

After lunch, Dr. Don Renchie will discuss Pesticide Laws & Regulations presentation. His program will include new and updated laws and regulation information. If you have not heard Dr. Renchie before, you are in for a real treat.

Our final speaker will be Dr. Barron Rector. Barron will give the results of the contest. He will also address why proper weed and brush identification is important to save us chemical dollars, fertilizer dollars and help produce valuable pounds of grass during drought periods.

Pre-registration & pre-payment is required. The Cost of the program registration will be \$30. You can register online at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/35th-annual-dr-od-butler-forage-field-day-tickets-329769668957> Please feel free to call the Robertson County (979-828-4270) or the Brazos County (979-823-0129) Extension Offices for registration information or information about the program.