

OREGON GRAZINGLAND Soil Health Tour AGENDA

MAY 13-17
4 RIVERS CULTURAL CENTER & MUSEUM
ONTARIO, OR 97914

OBJECTIVES



Assist NRCS and Partner Soil Health efforts by increasing technical staff understanding of how soil health fits into grazing management.



Assist NRCS and Partner Soil Health efforts with appropriate messages to communicate soil health to ranchers.



Identify key next steps for improved soil health and grazing management integration.



MORNING



LUNCHTIME



AFTERNOON



EVENING

MONDAY, May 13



4-6pm

OPENING PROGRAM AND RECEPTION

4 Rivers Cultural Center & Museum
676 SW 5th Ave, Ontario OR 97814

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TUESDAY, May 14 (Malheur and Baker County Tour)



JENSEN FARMS

Kenneth and Sheri Jensen

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LUNCH PRESENTER: Marti Martino, Blue Mountain Land Trust

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SECRET VALLEY RANCH

Mark and Patti Bennett




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WEDNESDAY, May 15 (Grant County Tour)

	<p>SOUTHWORTH BROS. RANCH Jack and Teresa Southworth</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO READ THE COUNTRY NATURAL BEEF STORY</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT NATIONAL RECOGNITIONS</p>
	<p>LUNCH PRESENTER: Chad Boyd, ARS Research Leader, Range and Meadow Forage Management Research, Burns, Oregon</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE EASTERN OREGON AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH CENTER IN BURNS</p>
	<p>CROWN CATTLE RANCH Mat and Jennifer Carter</p>

THURSDAY, May 16 (Baker County Tour)

	<p>DEFREES RANCH Dean and Sharon Defrees, Lyle Defrees</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE RANCH</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO READ THE COUNTRY NATURAL BEEF STORY</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO READ THE BAKER CITY HERALD STORY</p>
	<p>LUNCH PRESENTER: Laticia Henderson, OSU Extension, Bob Parker, Retired – OSU Extension</p> <p>CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OSU BAKER EXTENSION</p>
	<p>TOUR SUMMARY AND CLOSE OUT Crossroads Carnegie Art Center: 2020 Auburn Ave. Baker City, OR 97814</p> <p>CLICK HERE FOR LOCATION INFORMATION</p>

FRIDAY, May 17 (Travel Home)

