



Douglas County Livestock Association

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Quarterly Newsletter

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If it relates to livestock, it's news to us.

The Douglas County Livestock Association is now on Facebook

Upcoming Events-At a Glance

- 4/12 Spring Conference
- 4/16 Stockmen's Breakfast
- 4/20 UVJC Jackpot Show
- 5/21 Stockmen's Breakfast
- 6/1 Lamb Show
- 9/17 Stockmen's Breakfast
- 9/21 Holistic Management

Spring Conference

Date: April 12, 2019

Location: Winston Community Center

BQA Training : 11:45 AM to 2:30 PM

Speakers : 1:00 PM to 5:30 PM

Dinner : 5:30 to 7:00 PM

Featured Speaker Jim Robb 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM

See enclosed flyer for further details

Stockman's Breakfast

Third Tuesday of each month.

Location: Elmer's Restaurant

Time: 8:00 to 9:00 AM

Next Date: April 16, 2019

Presenter: Phil Morton, Farm Service Agency

See Committee reports for future speakers

UVJC Jackpot Show

Date : April 20 2019

Location : Douglas County Fairgrounds

Time: All day

Livestock are allowed to arrive any time after 5:00

P.M. on Friday, April 19th.

See sponsor request form. Tony 541-643-8533

Holistic Management Meeting

Date: September 21, 2019

Location: Lookinglass Grange, ranch tour at the

Epps farm to follow.

For information contact Shelby Filley at 672-4461

Announcements

**FSA is accepting drought applications.
There is also a program for death loss and
fence damage due to the storm.
FSA 541-673-6071**

**To include your advertisement in this
Newsletter, please send the information to
Kathy at katpau4@msn.com or call
541-440-3791**

Committee Reports

Spring Livestock Conference....S. Hendy DVM

This event is held every Spring. It consists of educational presentations and information booths that are of interest to livestock producers. A meal is usually served at the event. This year's event is scheduled for April 12th at the Winston Community Center. A flyer with all the details is included in this mailing.

Stockman's Breakfast.....Marwood Hallett

At our Feb and March Stockmen's Breakfasts, both Randy Wilson - USDA/APHIS - and Gary McAninch - OR Dept of AG, Dir, Industrial hemp program - generated a lot of discussion and questions from their presentations on animal ID and traceability and growing hemp.

Randy shared what is legal and proper for animals crossing state lines. The website: interstatelivestock.com lists requirements nationwide. All agreed, what is now required for health reasons will be the model as food suppliers ask for "traceability" for "farm to fork".

Gary shared the details of testing, permitting, registration, fee structures, etc., for growing industrial hemp. All gained a new appreciation for the attention to detail, hard work and risks of growing industrial hemp. Rules and statutes can be found at: oda.direct/hemp. 503-986-4644.

FUTURE SPEAKERS

April 16, Phil Morton, Dir. Douglas County Farm Service, will share the latest from USDA as well as 2018 Farm Bill implications.

May 21, Kyle Reed, Fire prevention specialist from DFPA will focus on preparations for fire season.

Sept 17, Nathan Jackson, President, OR Cattlemen's assoc will be with us to discuss both state and national issues.

Website.....Wes Crawford

Check out our website at www.dclivestock.org. It is a great way to find out what is happening through the Association

LegislationBill Hoyt

Cap-and-trade **HB 2020**:.....
Huge impact on fuel costs. Taxes fuel at rate of .16 cents / gallon per year. Reduces carbon emissions to 1990 levels by 2035. Looking for AG related amendments this week

Clean Diesel **HB 2007**:.....
This bill bans all on road Diesel engines older than 2010. Farm plates are exempt.

CAFO **SB 876**:.....
Creates new permitting process.

Water/Navigability **HB 2835**:.....
Gives the public the right of recreational use on navigable waters. The key is the definition.

Land Use amendments to **HB 2436**:.....
Dealing with fill and removal regulation

Paid family Leave **HB 3031**:.....
Impacts Employers with 1+ employee's.
Establish 32 weeks paid family/medical leave per year. Creates State run Family insurance program.
Creates a new payroll tax up to 1% paid 50% employer 50% employee.

Umpqua Valley JR. Classic.....Tony Brumbach

This year's event is scheduled for April 20th. The U.V.J.C. is a junior livestock show designed for youth to exhibit their projects in a competitive environment. It's a one day show held at the Douglas County Fairgrounds in April. The show includes competitions for both sheep and cattle and typically attracts lambs, steers and heifers from all over Oregon and Northern California.

A Sponsor request form has been included in this Newsletter. Any donation you can offer will be gladly accepted. Please help us make the 2019 UVJC another successful event.

contact: Tony Brumbach 541-643-8533

Lamb Show & BBQ.....Denny Quinby

This year's event will be held on Saturday June 1st. The Douglas County Lamb Show has a long history of being an exhibition of the products of the sheep. Today, the DCLA is the organizing body behind this event which includes the Junior Livestock Auction, Lamb barbecue, and other events

MembershipKathy Love

We currently have about 190 memberships that are current on dues. Those memberships include everyone in the ranch or family, so the number of individual members is much higher. Membership dues fund this organization. Encourage your friends and neighbors to join. Info? Kathy at 541-440-3791

Annual MeetingKristina Haug

The 2019 Annual meeting has a tentative date of October 19th at the Winston Community Center.

Ranch Tour.....Kristina Haug

The Pendleton Roundup has been suggested as a destination for this year’s Ranch Tour. Details and dates are in the early planning stages. Contact Kristina Haug at 1-360-747-0172 for more information.

Newsletter & Ads.....Kathy Love

I would like to include more photos in the Newsletter. If you have a photo you would be willing to share of a DCLA event or Livestock related activity, please send an electronic copy to: katpau4@msn.com

Membership DirectoryScott Hendy DVM

The Membership Directory went out in early March. The printers omitted phone numbers in the first mailing, so an edited Directory was mailed a few weeks later. This Directory is printed each year after the end of the fiscal year, which is September 30th. If you need any extra copies, talk to Scott.

Purebred Breeders.....Lee Sandberg

This year’s ultrasound was scheduled for March 1 but was canceled due to the extreme weather our County experience in Late February, early March. It may not be rescheduled, since it is getting too late in the year to meet ultrasound reporting deadlines.

An annual ultrasound clinic has been held each year, usually in March. Live animal carcass ultrasound is used to estimate carcass retail yield and meat quality. The common traits estimated include ribeye area (REA), backfat (BF), rump fat (RF) & percent intramuscular fat (IMF). This allows better accuracy and data which can help improve herd performance.

This program is assisted by the OSU Extension Service. For information on future Clinics, please contact Shelby Filley at 541-672-4461 or Lee Sandberg at 541-580-5154.

Heifer Replacement Program.....Veril Nelson

Each year the DCLA presents up to two heifers to two youth who are selected by a committee appointed by the board of DCLA.

The 2018 recipients were Aubrey Murphy and Morgan Vincent. Applications for the 2019 year will be accepted this Fall. Heifer donations will be needed from our membership. If you would be willing to donate a heifer, please contact Veril.

More information on this program is available at our website. <http://www.dclivestock.org>. (Look under the youth tab). Veril Nelson at 541-643-9759

Wool Pool.....Troy Michaels

Wool Pool contracts were mailed out in early February. The Wool Pool is a marketing effort organized by the DCLA in order to help sheep producers maximize return on their wool each year. The Pool sells all wool submitted as one load and organizes the pick-up date. If you are not on the list and would like to be included, call Troy at 541-825-3760.

Summer BBQ.....Kristina Haug

There has not been a decision made on whether there will be a 2019 Summer BBQ.

Informational Reports

Prescribed BurningGeorge Sandberg

The Douglas Forest Protective Association has removed burn restrictions. To hear an up-to-date recording on current restrictions, call the DFPA at 541-672-037

Watershed Council (Partnership for the Umpqua Rivers - PURS)Paul Heberling

The Watershed council is a Non-Profit voluntary corporation charged with restoring and enhancing water quality and fish habitat within the Umpqua basin. PURs board has representatives from timber, agriculture, recreation and environmental groups. If you would like information on the Council, please call Paul at 541-440-3791. www.umpquarivers.org

Water ResourcesPaul Heberling

FSA is accepting drought applications. D-3 extreme drought was declared in Douglas County for 1 week in Feb. There is also a program for death loss and fence damage due to the storm that wreaked havoc on the county in late February. Evidence (records and pictures) will be needed to apply. Contact Tyree or Phil at FSA for more information on these programs.....541-673-6071

As of April 26th, the Umpqua Basin is at 95 % of normal precipitation for the water year that began on October 1. Snow water equivalent is at 116%. The Willamette Basin is at 83 % of normal precipitation and 107% snow water equivalent.

The following information is from the National Weather Service Forecast Office in Medford OR. Measurements are taken in Roseburg

Monthly Rainfall

Month/Year	Precip.	Comp. to Avg.
January	4.42"	- .67"
February	8.50"	+4.55"
March 1st-26th	1.22"	-1.65"

Monthly Downpours

Month/Year	Downpour	Date
January	1.24"	19th
February	2.25"	24th
March 1st-26th	.53"	6th

Temperature

Month/Year	Low/High	Avg.	Dev.
January	59/27	42.8	-0.3
February	58/27	40.5	-4.8
March 1st-26th	78/29	46.9	-1.4

Member Advertisements

Bulls & Seed-stock.....

E & L Cattle 541-580-5154
Registered Black Angus and Sim Angus

Mastel Family Murrey Greys 541-679-0677
Purebred commercial herd bulls & heifers

Nelson Red Angus 541-643-9759
Registered Red Angus

Linda Sherman 541-863-2058
Registered Herefords

Swingley Angus Century Farm 541-825-3352
Registered Black Angus Performance Herd

Sheep Shearing.....

John Quimby 541-496-0767

Chad Furlong 541-914-1093

Farm Supplies.....

Douglas County Farmers Coop
3171 NE Stephens St Roseburg 541-673-0601
124 Douglas Blvd Winston 541-679-8380
Bulk Grain Facility
7585 Hwy 99 N Wilbur OR 97494 541-673-0604

Dixonville Farm & Ranch Supply 541-440-9607
18368 Dixonville Rd Roseburg

Labrie Ranch & Seed 541-673-6989
7505 Garden Valley Blvd Roseburg

Equipment.....

Dick Langdon
Farm equipment appraisals and Consignments
541-520-3417 dicklangdon@centurylink.net

Meat Cutting.....

Crystal Creek Meats 541-673-9946
Wholesale slaughterhouse & Custom processing

Large Animal Vets.....

Parkway Animal Hospital 541-672-1621
2655 NW Edenbower Blvd. Roseburg

Bailey Veterinary Clinic 541-673-4403
248 NW Garden Valley Blvd Roseburg

Livestock Scales & Sales.....

Dixonville Livestock Scales 541-672-2360
Behind Dixonville Store

Kurt Spencer 541-913-1802
Cattle buyer

Townsend Sheep & Cattle 541-995-8167
Receiving at Dixonville Scales every Saturday

Lebanon Auction Yard, Inc.
Lebanonauctionyard.com and on Facebook
37063 Kgal Dr. Lebanon, OR 97355 541-259-1251

Livestock auctions every Thursday 1:00 pm



A receiving station is available for your convenience at the Dixonville Scale location. Reservations need to be made by Tuesday 4:00 pm for the week you are wishing to send animals.