Nebraska Ranch Practicum  
September 10, 2015  
Gudmundsen Sandhills Laboratory  
Whitman, NE  
Agenda

7:30 a.m. (MT) Coffee and Rolls – Wagonhammer Education Center
7:50 a.m. Rumen Function – Aaron Stalker
9:20 a.m. Break – Wagonhammer Education Center
9:35 a.m. Plant ID Final Test – Jerry Volesky, Bethany Johnston and Troy Walz
10:30 a.m. Health Considerations for Weaning and Transition to Feedlot – Dale Groteluschen
11:30 a.m. Lunch – Wagonhammer Education Center
12:15 p.m. Ranch Scale Monitoring  
- Pasture Assessment/Grass Snap App – Jerry Volesky, Bethany Johnston and Troy Walz  
- Sandhills Defoliation Response Index System – Jerry Volesky  
- Meadow Hay Management/Forage Sampling – Jerry Volesky, Bethany Johnston and Troy Walz  
- Herd Body Condition Score – Brent Plugge and Aaron Stalker
2:15 p.m. Grazing Records and Planning – Jerry Volesky
2:45 p.m. Break
3:00 p.m. Calf Management and Marketing Strategies – Kelly Bruns
4:00 p.m. Decision Support Tools – Aaron Stalker
5:00 p.m. Adjourn