



PNW Section, Society for Range Management

Tour of Starkey Experimental Forest & Range

Wednesday, June 27, 2018

Time	Topic/Location	Presenters
0745	Depart La Grande in Buses (no individual vehicles or pets—bring water, sun block and field apparel for sun or rain, heat or cold)	
0900-0930	Starkey Research: Introduction and Overview / Main Gate	Mike Wisdom, Marty Vavra, Darren Clark
1000-1030	Cattle-Deer-Elk Competition Studies / Elkhorn-Syrup Creek Overlook	Bruce Johnson, Priscilla Coe
1045-1130	Cattle and Elk Herbivory Research / Doug Prairie Walk Through	Bryan Endress
1130-1215	Lunch at Doug Prairie	
1230-1300	Meadow Creek Restoration Research / Pasture 3	M. Wisdom, Mary Rowland
1300-1340	Cattle Grazing and Salmonid Recovery / Pasture 3	David Bohnert, M. Wisdom, Aric Johnson
1340-1400	Water Break/Walk to Pasture 2 Enclosures	
1400-1445	Ungulate Riparian Grazing Effects-Monitoring Compliance / Pasture 2 Enclosures	Josh Averett, B. Endress
1445-1500	Return to Buses	
1515-1545	Winter Handling and Care of Wild Deer and Elk-Tame Elk Research / Winter Facility	Brian Dick, Ryan Kennedy
1545	Depart for La Grande	
1645	Arrive Back to La Grande	

Speakers (in order of presentations):

Mike Wisdom, Research Wildlife Biologist and Team Leader, USDA Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station, La Grande, OR

Marty Vavra, Emeritus Range Scientist, USDA Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station, La Grande, OR

Darren Clark, Wildlife Research Scientist and Team Leader, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, La Grande, OR

Bruce Johnson, Wildlife Research Scientist and Team Leader (Retired), Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, La Grande, OR

Priscilla Coe, Wildlife Research Scientist (Retired), Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, La Grande, OR

Bryan Endress, Rangeland Vegetation Ecologist, Department of Animal and Range Sciences, Oregon State University, La Grande, OR

Mary Rowland, Research Wildlife Biologist, USDA Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station, La Grande, OR

David Bohnert, Animal Scientist, Department of Animal and Range Sciences, Oregon State University, Burns, OR

Aric Johnson, Range Conservationist, Wallowa-Whitman National Forest, La Grande, OR

Josh Averett, Rangeland Vegetation Ecologist, Department of Animal and Range Sciences, Oregon State University, La Grande, OR

Brian Dick, Starkey Area Manager and Range Conservationist, USDA Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station, La Grande, OR

Ryan Kennedy, Range Conservationist, USDA Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station, La Grande, OR

Starkey Grazing Research Collaborators on Social Science to Speak at Thursday SRM Session:

Susan Charnley, Research Social Scientist, USDA Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station, Portland, OR

Kendra Wendel, ORISE Fellow, USDA Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station, Portland, OR

