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From Louisville:
Take I-65 SOUTH to Exit 94 (HWY 62). At the top of the ramp, make a RIGHT. Follow Hwy 62 all the way through Elizabethtown (about 4.1 miles). After the Shell Station at the stoplight, PETERSON DRIVE is the second street on your right. Make a RIGHT. We are the first driveway on the RIGHT.

From Bowling Green:
Take I-65 North to Exit 91 (Fort Knox, Elizabethtown). Take the WESTERN KENTUCKY PARKWAY (WK) to Exit 136. This is the 31W By-Pass. Take the cloverleaf exit for Hwy. 62. At the bottom of the ramp make a RIGHT. After the Shell Station at the stoplight, PETERSON DRIVE is the second street on your right. Make a RIGHT. We are the first driveway on the RIGHT.

From Paducah:
Take the WESTERN KENTUCKY PARKWAY (WK) to Exit 136. Turn LEFT at the end of ramp. This is the 31W By-Pass. Take the cloverleaf exit for Hwy. 62. At the bottom of the ramp make a RIGHT. After the Shell Station at the stoplight, PETERSON DRIVE is the second street on your right. Make a RIGHT. We are the first driveway on the RIGHT.

From Lexington:
Take the BLUEGRASS PARKWAY all the way to I-65 (the end). Take I-65 NORTH to the first exit (EXIT 94 - Elizabethtown HWY 62). Make a LEFT onto HWY 62. Follow Hwy 62 all the way through Elizabethtown (about 4.1 miles). After the Shell Station at the stoplight, PETERSON DRIVE is the second street on your right. Make a RIGHT. We are the first driveway on the RIGHT.

From Fort Knox:
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Agenda

9:00 a.m. Welcome- Dr. David Ditsch
           Mr. Ray Bowman

Grazing Management
9:15 a.m. Using Annual Forage Species for Grazing – Dr. Ray Smith
10:00 a.m. Endophyte Infected Tall Fescue: Do we have a problem? Dr. Glen Aiken
10:30 a.m. Break
10:45 a.m. Characterizing the parasite challenge of meat goats grazing pastures in western Maryland - Dr. Susan Schoenian

Producer Presentations
11:30 a.m. Predator Control for Sheep and Goat Production: The Berea College Experience - Dr. Neil Douglas
12:00 p.m. Lunch
1:00 p.m. From IBM to Goat Production – Mr. Barry Arnett
1:30 p.m. Sheep Production – Dr. Diane Hellwig, DVM
2:00 - Break

Economics/Marketing Outlook
2:15 p.m. Sheep and Goat Marketing for 2011 - Tess Caudill

Parasite Management
2:45 p.m. A Five Point Evaluation System for De-worming Decision Making – Dr. Michelle Bilderback, DVM
3:10 p.m. FAMACHA Training – Dr. Ken Andries, (optional Cost $10.00)