

Idaho Wool Growers Association Presents
The Idaho “Mini” 24-Hour Convention

Riverside Inn, Boise, Idaho
Nov. 5 & 6, 2020

***** TENTATIVE AGENDA *****

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

8:00 am **Registration Opens**

8:00 am **Non-Convention Meetings Start** These meetings are open to the public, but are in no way a part of the convention. They are being held at the Riverside Inn in conjunction with our convention for convenience sake.

8:05 to 8:50 am	Ram Sale Committee Meeting
9:05 to 9:50 am	Animal Damage Control Board Meeting
10:05 to 10:50 am	Idaho Sheep and Goat Health Board Meeting

12:00 (noon) **Opening Ceremony Luncheon** (*Sponsored by the Idaho Sheep and Goat Health Board*)
Welcoming Remarks—Naomi Gordon, *IWGA Executive Director*
Invocation—Gary McCuin, *University of Nevada* (Not Confirmed Yet)
Flag Salute—Blake Youngkin, *Son of Jason and Shantel Youngkin* (Not Confirmed Yet)
Idaho Sheep and Goat Health Board Presentation—Kim Royer, *ISGHB Chairman*

1:30 pm **Member Meeting**
Introduction of Guests/Review of Program—John Noh, *IWGA President*
President’s Remarks—John Noh, *IWGA President*
Executive Director’s Yearly Report—Naomi Gordon, *IWGA Executive Director*
Board Election Process
Board Member Nominations for Committee

3:00 pm **Break**

3:15 pm **Speaker—Kaitlyn Glover**, *Executive Director, Public Lands Council & NCBA Natural Resources* (Wash. D. C.) Glover will delve into the legalities of recent events involving the permanent retiring of Idaho AUM’s, the proper transfer of AUM’s and the new legislative items her and her staff are working on

4:00 pm **Speaker—Judy Boyle**, *Idaho State Representative and Agriculture Affairs Chair (Midvale, ID)*
Boyle will be speaking about how the state of Idaho’s Agriculture has fared through the Covid-19 crisis and what she foresees this coming legislative session.

4:30 pm **Break**

4:45 pm **Keynote Speaker—Jessi Roberts**, *Owner of Cheeky’s Clothing Line and Author of the book Backyard Boss Lady (New Plymouth, ID)* Robert’s was the Keynote Speaker for Inc 500 in New York last year and has built her business from nothing in New Plymouth, Idaho to a \$22+ Million phenomenon. She will be speaking on how she and her family recovered from losing it all and how they turned their lives, and their hometown, around.

5:30 pm **Book Signing**

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6:00 pm **Shepherd's Dinner**
Awards Ceremony
Reveal New Logo
Winners of Silent Auction

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

8:00 am **Breakfast**

9:00 am **Board of Directors Meeting**
Election
Adjourn/Retire the Last Board
Call to Order with the New Board
Review of Minutes
Financials for FY19-20
Plan for FY20-21

BREAK OUT SESSIONS

(These will take place during the BOD Meeting. Please plan accordingly)

9:30 am **Session A—Marketing Your Lamb/Wool Through the Idaho Preferred Program**
Laura Johnson, *Market Development Division Bureau Chief for the Idaho State Department of Agriculture (Boise, ID)* Johnson will be speaking about ways you can capitalize on the ISDA Idaho Preferred program and other types of marketing means available to you (sheep producers) in the area

9:30 am **Session B—NSIP & Barber Pole Worm Workshop** (*Sponsored by the ISGHB*)
Caleb Pirc, *IWGA Government Affairs Manager and Parasite Control Trainer (Meridian, ID)*
Description coming soon with possible NSIP guest speaker

10:45 am **Session A—Unusual Ideas to Make Money From Your Wool**
Deanna Timm, (*Idaho Falls, ID*)
Description coming soon to include wool for electronics, and the cabin industry

10:45 am **Session B—When Do You Need A Trapper + How To Make Money Off of Coyote Pelts**
Rusty Kramer, *President of the Idaho Trappers Association (Fairfield, ID)*
Description coming soon to include making hundreds of dollars off of pelts

12:00 am **Closing Ceremony Luncheon**
Final Remarks
Committee/Volunteer Sign Ups