



TENTATIVE AGENDA

Schedule is subject to change

Thursday: October 31

- 1:30-3:30 p.m. Mountain Plains Agricultural Service Board Meeting
- 1 p.m. Idaho Wool Growers Association Board Meeting and Committee Meetings
- 4 p.m. Wyoming Wool Growers Association Meeting

Friday: November 1

- 7-9 a.m. Mountain Plains Agricultural Service Member Meeting with guest speaker Brian Pasternak, DOL
- 9 a.m. Convention Welcome & Trade Show Opens
- 9 a.m. Public Lands Council & ASI Policy Updates
- 10:15 a.m. Ram Sale Round Table (*breakout*)
- 10:15 a.m. Research Update: *Pneumonia in bighorns & domestic sheep* by USDA Animal Disease Research Unit
- 11:00 a.m. *A New Market on the Horizon? Lamb Exports and what it could mean for American Lamb* by the US Meat Export Federation
- 12:00 p.m. Lamb: It's What's For Lunch
- 12-8 p.m. Skillathon and Meats Judging Contest hosted by the University of Idaho
- 1:30 p.m. *Renewable Energy & Public Lands* by Tanya Thrift, Idaho BLM Deputy State Director
- 2:30 p.m. *Solar Grazing: Opportunities and Challenges in the West* by Reid Redden, Premier Solar Sheep, Kip Krebs, OR Sheep Producer

Friday: November 3, cont.

- 3:45 p.m. *Nutrition & Ewe: Building a better flock* by Dr. Chris Schauer, NDSU
- 4:30 p.m. *Building Blocks of Success: Mineral Supplementation* by Redmond Agriculture
- 5:30 p.m. Getting to Know Ewe Reception
- 6-8 p.m. Strolling Supper & Live Auction
- 7:30-10:00 p.m. Young Entrepreneurs Social & Session with guest speaker Matt Goble

Saturday: November 2

- 7:30 a.m. Rocky Mountain Sheep Marketing Association Board & Member Meeting
- 8:30 a.m. *The US Lamb Meat Industry: an Analysis of Potential Trade Policy Impacts* by Patrick Hatzenbuehler, Ph.D. and Brett Wilder, M.S. University of Idaho
- 9:30 a.m. *What's in Store for American Lamb Markets* by Tyler Cozzens, Director, LMIC
- 10:45 a.m. *Sheep & the Environment: Grazing for the Future* by Matt Goble
- 11:30 a.m. *Insurance Tools: Whole Farm Revenue* by Justin Pranger, Graybeal Group
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch & Presentation by *Rocky Mountain Prime: Idaho's New Lamb Plant*
- 2:00 p.m. *What's Next for Wool* panel featuring Wade Kopren, Fishhook socks
- 3:00 p.m. US Sheep Experiment Station Symposium with Dr. Bret Taylor
- 5-9 p.m. President's Banquet with keynote speaker ASI President, Brad Boner