

What is Headwaters RC&D?

Headwaters RC&D is a non-profit organization serving the residents of Jefferson, Elk, Clearfield, Cameron, McKean, Potter, Clinton and Centre Counties. The mission of this organization is to provide leadership through projects and partnerships that develop or enhance the sustainable cultural, environmental and economic well-being of north central Pennsylvania communities.

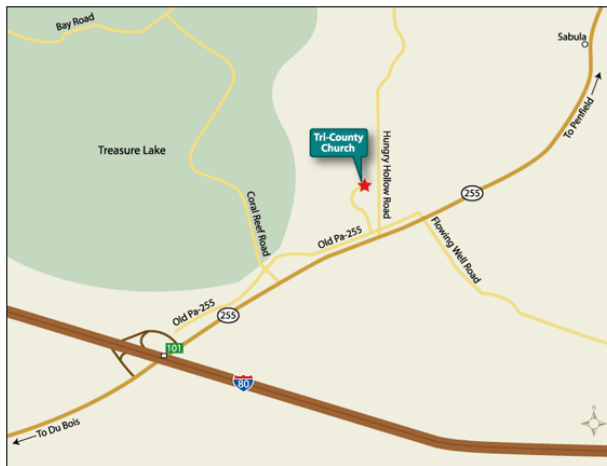
Directions To Tri-County Church

From DuBois:

Turn left 1/2 mile past Treasure Lake Entrance off RT 255N onto Hungry Hollow Road; make an immediate left turn and then right up the hill.

From Penfield, St. Marys, etc:

Turn right just past Hardware Specialties off RT 255 S onto Hungry Hollow Road; make an immediate left turn and then right up the hill.



Local Lodging

There are many nearby hotels available for your stay, such as the Best Western, Hampton Inn, Clarion and Holiday Inn Express.

The USDA and Headwaters RC&D are equal opportunity providers and employers.

Headwaters RC&D Council
478 Jeffers St, Bldg 3, Ste D
DuBois, PA 15801

2009 Northwest PA Grazing Conference Tuesday March 17, 2009

To be held at:
Tri-County Church
DuBois, PA



Sponsored By:

Headwaters Resource Conservation
and Development Council

USDA-Natural Resources
Conservation Service

Penn State Cooperative Extension

Jefferson County Conservation
District



Meet Kit Pharo

Our Keynote speaker, Kit Pharo of Cheyenne Wells, CO, is a nationally-known expert on profitable grazing and beef production. Early in his career, he realized that bigger calves did not necessarily create bigger profits. Over the last 25 years, Kit has developed unique and innovative management ideas and philosophies that differ substantially from traditional ways of thinking. Don't miss the opportunity to hear this highly regarded speaker.



Agenda

9:15 - 9:45

Pasture/Hay/Crop Risk Management

Gene Gantz, USDA-Risk Management Agency

9:45 - 10:45

Utilizing Pasture With a TMR

John Vanderstappen, Van De Jerseys-Mercer Co

10:45 - 11:45

Production vs. Profit—Which Will You Choose?

Kit Pharo, Pharo Cattle Company

11:45 - 12:45

Lunch

Don't forget to visit our vendors!

12:45 - 1:45

Three Keys to Profitability

Kit Pharo, Pharo Cattle Company

1:45 - 2:00

Break

Feel free to network and visit our vendors

2:00 - 3:00

Three Keys to Profitability, cont'd

Kit Pharo, Pharo Cattle Company

3:00 - 3:15

Cost-share Program Update

Gary Swope, USDA-NRCS

3:15 - 4:15

Farmer Panel

- Mike Wright, Sheep/Goats
- Alvin Vogel, Beef Cattle
- Junior Gilkinson, Dairy Cattle

Registration

The registration fee is \$25.00 per person (includes hot buffet lunch).

Name (s) : _____

Business: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Number attending: _____ X \$25.00 each

= Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Questions? Call Headwaters RC&D

at 814-375-1372 ext 4

Please mail registration fee by

March 1, 2009 to:

Headwaters RC&D Council

Attn: Pam Vota

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