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Corn/Soybean Schools Coming in January

The annual collaboration between Kansas Corn, Kansas Soybean, and K-State Research & Extension for Corn and Soybean educational events across the area are this year combined into a single day, with this year's event coming to Northeast Kansas on Tuesday, January 14th.

The full day event will include four agronomic and one ag economics topic of interest to corn and soybean growers. Morning presentations will focus on diseases of concern (K-State Research & Extension Plant Pathologist Dr. Rodrigo Onofre) and fertility management (Nutrient Management Specialist Dr. Dorivar Ruiz-Diaz in the morning. Dr. Sarah Lancaster, K-State Weed Management Specialist will headline the afternoon, providing an overview of new herbicide products and regulations of potential interest to growers.

Geiger Ag (1758 Coronado Rd., Highland) will be this year's host. Doors open at 8:30 with refreshments. The program will start at 9:00. Lunch will be served onsite. CCA and Commercial Pesticide Applicator credits have been applied for. The program will conclude by 3:00 P.M.

This is a free event, but registration by January 9th is requested if at all possible. Please do so online at https://kscorn.com/Schools/. If you have questions, please feel free to contact any of our District Offices for additional information.

Chemical Weed Control Books Available

Want to get a head start on reviewing herbicide options for the coming growing season? The 2025 KSU Chemical Weed Control Guide is now available online. You can access it at: https://bookstore.ksre.ksu.edu/pubs/SRP1190.pdf.

If you're familiar with the guide, you're also familiar with the wealth of chemical weed control information it includes for field crops, pastures, rangeland, and noncropland. In addition to product evaluation information from this past summer's weed control plots, it also includes information on tankmixes, glyphosate formulations, personal protective equipment, and even price estimates.

Interested in a hard copy? As soon as printing is complete (typically mid-January), copies will be available via all District Offices.

If you have questions about accessing the book, or obtaining a copy through any of our offices, drop me a line at dhallaue@ksu.edu or by calling any District Office.