

Third Thursday Thing Program March 17, 2016

Program was focused on:

Sustainable Agriculture Workshop

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Goat Production and Alpaca and Fiber Production

TIME	PROGRAM
10:00 – 10:10 am	Welcome and Announcements – Ken Andries, KSU
10:10 – 10:50 am	Producer Value Added Grants and KCARD – Joni Nelson, KSU & Kati Bowman, KCARD

At the 10:50 break the agenda will break into two tracts:

- **Goat Production**
- **Alpaca and Fiber**

Goat Production

11:00 – 11:50 am	Scrapie Program Update & Issues
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Grazing Program for Improved Production Ken Andries, KSU
2:10 – 3:30 pm	Hands on Kid Processing Ken Andries, KSU

Alpaca and Fiber

11:00 – 11:50 am	Finding Your Fiber Art Alvina Maynard, River Hill Ranch, & Others
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 – 1:50 pm	Raising & Harvesting Alpaca Fleece for Maximum Quality & Usage Part 1
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Raising & Harvesting Alpaca Fleece for Maximum Quality & Usage Part 2