

Necropsy Demonstrations

As part of the Southern Tier Stocker Initiative, 3 workshops have been planned to demonstrate the value of a veterinarian performed necropsy. Each of the sessions below have been planned by Cornell Cooperative Extension Educators.

The Southern Tier Stocker Initiative included a Short Course held last year. Each of these sessions were recorded. Contact Audia Denton, Audia Denton, ad982@cornell.edu for information on obtaining access to the recordings.

Details on the Stocker Initiative can be found at:

<http://blogs.cornell.edu/beefcattle/eventsprograms/southern-tier-stocker-initiative/>

In addition to the support of the host locations, funding is provided by the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets project "Stocker cattle: Using underutilized grasslands to improve economic viability of the Southern Tier while providing viable careers for beginning farmers."

Delaware County - April 14 1:00 pm



Necropsy Workshop

Large Animal Teaching Facility – SUNY Delhi

1020 Arbor Hill Rd, Delhi, NY 13753

Saturday, April 14, 2018, 1PM – 3PM

No cost to attend

- Discussion covering when it is appropriate to do a necropsy, your safety when doing a necropsy, techniques, and euthanasia
- Demonstration of an actual necropsy

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Delaware County, SUNY Delhi, and the Watershed Ag Council are hosting a workshop to teach how to safely and correctly perform a necropsy on a ruminant. Dr. Faith Burns of Delhi Animal Hospital will cover the basics of how to perform a necropsy, what to look for or photograph to facilitate a discussion with your vet, and how to keep yourself safe.

To register, contact Kim Holden at 607 865-7090 or kmh19@cornell.edu Classroom size is limited so register early.

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Lewis County - April 18, 6:30 pm

With Dr. Deanna Fuller, DVM; Countryside Veterinary Clinic, Lowville

Learning why an animal died is a good first step to preventing future losses. This class will review what the veterinarian is looking for and when it is appropriate time to conduct the evaluation. The most valuable animal on your property is the one that just died, because there is much to learn from a necropsy,

- Discussion covering when it is appropriate to do a necropsy
 - your safety when doing a necropsy
 - techniques and evaluation

HOWARD G. SACKETT TECHNICAL CENTER - BOCES

5836 State Route 12, Glenfield,



Space limited to the first 20 people. Please **RSVP** with Ron Kuck, rak76@cornell.edu to assist with planning. There is no cost to attend.

Sponsored by Cornell Cooperative Extension of Jefferson and Lewis County; NYS Ag and Markets Southern Tier Stocker Cattle Initiative.

Thank you to Dr. Fuller. Another thank you to Blake Place and BOCES for allowing us to use their facilities.

Allegany County - April 21, 10:00 am

Beef Stocker Cattle - Necropsy

Saturday, April 21, 2018, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Location

Alfred State College Farm 1254 State Route 244 Alfred, NY 14802

Much of the ability to spot something abnormal comes from understanding what is normal. By observing a necropsy, you can make management decisions to avoid needing necropsies for diagnostics on your farm in the future.

Observing a necropsy can be very educational in understanding why proper and timely treatment are key to success treatment as well as helpful in diagnosing diseases and parasite issues within your herd.

There is no cost to attend however RSVP with Lynn Bliven is requested by April 18 to assist with planning.

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