

**Central Oregon Forage Seminar**  
**Wednesday, January 30, 2019**  
**4-H Clover Building, Prineville, Oregon**

- 8:15 Registration (Coffee and Refreshments)
- 9:00 Producing Low Carb Horse Hay – Natalie Shaw, Wilco
- 9:45 Fertilizer Update – Tim Williams, Midstate Fertilizer
- 10:00 How Storage Affects Hay Quality and Dry Matter – Glenn Shewmaker, Extension Forage Specialist, U. of Idaho
- 11:00 Water Outlook for Central Oregon in 2019 - Kyle Gorman, Region Manager, Southcentral Region, Water Resources Dept
- Noon Lunch (Provided by Area Agribusinesses)
- 1:00 Measuring Reduced Lignin Quality – Glenn Shewmaker, Extension Forage Specialist, U. of Idaho
- 1:30 Industrial Hemp in Central Oregon Panel  
Mike Cowan and Brandon Bachtel, MC Farmer, LLC  
Evan Skandalis, Lazarus Farms, Lazarus Naturals
- 2:30 Break
- 2:45 Forage Pest Control Panel\*  
Scott Simmons, Helena Agri-Service  
John MacKenzie, Wilbur Ellis, Co.  
Rod Fessler, Pratum Co-op
- 3:30 Cabbage and ZP Bait Control of Belding’s Ground Squirrel Update\* - Scott McLean, Vertebrate Pest Control
- 3:45 Oregon Department of Agriculture Update\* – Laurie Gordon, ODA
- 4:45 Conclude
- 5:00 Central Oregon Hay Growers’ Association Annual Business Meeting  
Guest Speaker: Keith Middleton, Alfalfa Hay Farmer  
*Local Innovation: Bale Scale and Double Hitch for Running Two Hay Balers*  
**RSVP** for Light Dinner buffet for a bit of socializing.
- 6:30 Conclude  
Door Prize Drawing: \$500 Gift Certificate from Pro-Line Fabrication, Inc  
(Must be a COHGA member to win)
- 2 pesticide recert credits have been applied for from ODA for the afternoon session.

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