

Nebraska Youth Range Camp Agenda

MONDAY

10:00	Registration & Move into cabins
11:00	“Plants of Nebraska”
Noon	Lunch
12:45	Introductions - Review of Agenda - How Crews Work
1:00	Pretest
1:20	Crew Competition - Get Acquainted
2:00	Plant Anatomy
2:30	Plants of the Day
2:40	Break
2:50	Geology and Groundwater
3:35	Plant ID - First 10 plants (<i>outdoors</i>)
4:30	Plant Physiology (Crew Competition – Scavenger Hunt)
5:30	Ranch Economics
6:15	Evening Meal (SRM Council will join)
6:45	Range Ecosystems
7:30	Elect Wranglers
7:45	Plant ID – 10 Additional plants
8:15	Crew Competition - Mini Plant ID (12 plants)
9:00	“Going to College 101” Workshop
	Free Time
10:30	In Cabins
11:00	Lights Out

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TUESDAY

7:00	<i>Breakfast</i>
7:30	<i>Crew Boss / Wrangler Meeting</i>
7:45	Plants of the Day
8:15	Range Sites
9:00	<i>Break</i>
9:15	Range Condition
10:00	Plant ID or Stocking Rates <i>by Crew (indoors/outdoors)</i>
11:00	Stocking Rate
11:45	<i>Lunch</i>
12:30	Grazing Strategies <i>(indoors)</i>
1:15	Plant ID - Add 10 Plants <i>(total of 30 plants to date)</i>
2:00	Crew Competition - <i>Recreational (outdoors)</i>
2:30	Range Site/Condition Exercise <i>(outdoors)</i>
4:00	<i>Break</i>
4:30	Ranch Problem/Review Judging Card
5:00	Crew Competition - <i>Mini Plant ID Contest (18 plants)</i>
6:00	<i>Evening Meal</i>
7:00	<i>Canoeing / Tubing</i>
	<i>Free Time</i>
10:00	<i>In Cabins</i>
10:30	<i>Lights Out</i>

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WEDNESDAY

7:00	<i>Breakfast</i>
7:30	<i>Crew Boss / Wrangler Meeting</i>
7:45	Plants of the Day
8:15	SRM
9:00	HSYF
9:15	Fire Ecology
10:00	Plant Line (<i>Add 10 more plants</i>)
10:30	Crew Competition (<i>outdoors</i>)
11:15	Water Developments
Noon	<i>Lunch</i>
12:45	Ruminant Nutrition
2:30	Plant Line - Range Sites <i>with Crew</i>
3:15	Review for Exam
4:00	<i>Exam</i>
4:30	Plant ID (<i>35 Plants to date</i>)
5:00	<i>Plant ID Contest (24 plants)</i>
6:15	Sponsoring Ranch Presentations
6:30	<i>BBQ</i>
7:00	<i>Crew Competition - Recreational (outdoors)</i>
8:30	<i>Free Time</i>
10:00	<i>In Cabins</i>
10:30	<i>Lights Out</i>

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THURSDAY

7:00	<i>Breakfast</i>
7:30	<i>Crew Boss / Wrangler Meeting</i>
7:45	Plants of the Day
8:30	Tour of Bessey Unit, NE National Forest
10:30	Plant Line & Range Sites
Noon	<i>Lunch</i>
12:45	Leave for Atkins Ranch
1:15	Practical Ranch Management & Tour of Ranch
3:30	Range Judging Contest
6:30	<i>Steak Fry</i> (@ Forest Service Shelter)
7:15	<i>Range Camp Rodeo</i>
	Load Buses and Return to Camp
8:30	<i>Primp for Dance</i> (notebook check before going to dance)
9:00	<i>Dance</i>
12:00	<i>Good Night</i>

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FRIDAY

8:00	<i>Breakfast</i>
8:15	<i>Crew Boss / Wrangler Meeting</i>
8:30	Range Management Careers
	<i>Evaluations - Clean Cabins</i>
10:00	Land Use Conflict Resolution
	Crew Competition - Preparation
11:15	Pictures
11:30	<i>Lunch</i>
12:00	Conflict Resolution - Crew Competition
1:00	NE Range Camp PowerPoint
1:30	<i>Awards</i>
2:00	<i>Good Bye</i>