## South Dakota Grazing School

**<u>REGISTRATION</u>** Send registration form and fee to:

South Dakota Grassland Coalition Attn: Judge Jessop 24690 299<sup>th</sup> Ave Presho, SD 57568

#### **COST**

\$150 per person \$75 for each additional person from the same operation \*Fee includes session materials and meals

#### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

Participants are responsible for lodging. AmericInn in Chamberlain • I-90, Exit 265 Web: www.americinnchamberlainsd.com Phone: 605-734-0985 Ask for the "Grazing School" block. (All classroom activities will take place here.)

#### WHAT PARTICIPANTS CAN PROVIDE

Bring a map of your operation/land, or provide a legal description of your location on the registration form and a map will be printed for you.

#### **INFORMATION**

Judge Jessop (605) 280-0127 jjessop@sdconservation.org



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# Held annually the 2nd week of September

For information, call: (605) 280-0127 Visit www.SDGrass.org

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A map will be printed for you to use during the Grazing School. If you prefer, please provide your own map of your operation.)
Legal Description of your Operation:
Amount Enclosed: (\$150 per person/\$75 for each additional person attending from the same operation.)
Number of persons attending from your operation:

	REGISTRATION FROM South Dakota Grazing School
Name:	
Operation/Affiliation:	
Address:	
Phone:	Fax:
Email:	Website:
Number of persons attending from your operation: _	om your operation:
Amount Enclosed:	(\$150  per person)



Grazing School participants will benefit from hands-on experience in the field.

Each year, the South Dakota Grassland Coalition hosts the South Dakota Grazing School in Chamberlain/Oacoma during the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of September. Contact us at (605) 280-0127 or visit SDGrass.org for specific dates.

The Grazing School is designed for producers and anyone with an interest in learning how to best manage grasslands to benefit livestock.

The agenda features presenters from state and federal agencies, and universities. Area producers share their expertise about various topics related to grazing techniques and grassland management. Participants will hear presentations in the classroom and gain experience with hands-on activities in the field.

Space is limited. Early registration is encouraged to participate.

### Some of the topics included in the **Grazing School agenda include:**

Adaptive Management Concepts of Grazing Managing Diversity on Rangelands Grazer's Math Pasture Allocation Inventory of Ranch Resources Plant Species Identification Mineral Nutrition Needs of Livestock Seasonality of Grazing Nutrition **Ranch Monitoring Exercises** Soil Health and Infiltration Transect Reading and Monitoring Planning Your Own Place Planning for a Forage Shortage Fencing and Watering Systems Holistic Management **Implementing Grazing Practices** 

> See specific dates and view a complete agenda: www.SDGrass.org.

#### The vision for the South Dakota Grazing School is:

To offer grazing land managers of South Dakota useful tools to maintain healthy and diverse ecosystems while optimizing available natural resources.