

WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE & SMALL BUSINESS CONFERENCE

Eastern Oklahoma State College-McAlester, OK

July 20, 2018

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Hosted by Ouachita Mountains RC&D, Inc.



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| 8:00-9:00 | Registration | |
| | Opening Session – Welcome Barbara Gilbertson, Ouachita Mountains RC&D, Inc. | |
| 9:15-9:30 | Refreshments/Locate Classrooms | |
| | Session 1 | Session 2 |
| 9:30-10:15 | “The Farm” - Soania Wilson (Aquaponics, Greenhouses, and Marketing) Pollinators - Serena Woodard (Woodard Workshops) | Small Business Development - Dana Hugle (Small Business Start-up/Ag Lending) Small Business Grants - James Arati, OSU-Extension |
| 10:15-10:30 | <i>Break</i> | |
| 10:30-11:15 | Federal Cost Shares - Scott Pace, USDA/NRCS State Cost Shares - Bradley Hamilton, Pittsburg County Conservation District | Property Leasing - Jason Bradley, Noble Research Institute (Lease rates, legal and liability issues - hunting, recreation, grazing, etc.) |
| 11:15-11:30 | <i>Break</i> | |
| 11:30-12:15 | Annie’s Project - Sara Siems, OSU Ag-Econ, State Women in Ag Coordinator & Rachel Lockwood, Pittsburg County OSU Extension FCS Educator | Food Modernization - Ravi Jadeja, OSU FAPC Home Bakery Act - Andrea Graves, OSU FAPC |
| 12:15-1:30 | Luncheon Agritourism Panel - Meriruth Cohenour & Julie Sears, Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Stacey Thomas, OSU Ag Econ, Becky Franks, Rebel Hill Guest Ranch, Darleen & Dave Shaw, Buffalo Creek Guest Ranch Ag Woman of the Year Award | |
| 1:30-2:15 | New Tax Law, LLC’s, Estate Planning - Dave Shaw, Buffalo Valley Tax Service | Value Added Beef - David Cantrell, OSU Extension-Pittsburg County Vac 45 Program - Julie Grant & Kate Buckner, McAlester Stockyards |
| 2:15-2:30 | <i>Break</i> | |
| 2:30-3:15 | Social Media & Branding - Marla Herndon, REI Women’s Business Center | Oil and Gas Updates - Gina Peek & Larry Sanders, OSU Human Sciences and OSU Ag |
| 3:15-3:30 | Door Prizes/Wrap Up | |