Dreaming of green.....

North Country Pasture Meeting 2013

Saturday
February 23, 2013
Malone, NY

911 Building
55 Bare Hill Rd

$30.00 per person
$5.00 for additional people from the same farm

Planned by CCENNY Livestock Team
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NNY Livestock Team presents:
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Adirondack North Country Association
Saranac Lake, NY

Feed Commodities, Inc
Middlebury, VT
Program:

10:00 Registration and Idea Exchange

10:30 Pasture Experiences from Vermont

    Jenn Colby, Pasture Program Coordinator, UVM Center for Sustainability

11:30 From the Field:

* How the drought of 2012 will affect your pasture in 2013
* Adding Forage radishes or grazing corn to spice up late summer or fall grazing
* Results from Jefferson County pasture nitrogen trial

    Mike Hunter, Agronomy Educator from Jefferson County

Lunch: Sponsored by FCI

1:00 Programs of interest to Grazers, Trish Decosse, Franklin County Soil and Water

1:15 Pasture and Forage Insurance - What You Need to Know, Pete Hagar, CCE Clinton

1:30 Introduction to Silvaculture—Joe Orefice, North Branch Farm, Saranac, NY

2:00 Break Out Sessions—Each farmer will tell a little about their operation and then lead the discussion.

    Dairy: Bob Zufall, Lisbon, grass based dairy

    Sheep: Hugh Sutherland, Huntingdon, Quebec, 700 sheep, some milking

    Beef: Joe Eisele, Canton, backgrounding operation

Featured Speaker: Jenn Colby

Jenn Colby, is the grazing specialist from Vermont. Every year she organizes the Vermont Grazing Conference in mid January. Some of the projects she has going on in Vermont include teaching animals to eat weeds, a pasture blog, compaction, radishes and more. She also has her own farm where she raises sheep, pigs and poultry.

Register now!
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