

2012 Iowa Pork Regional Conferences



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Registration Form & Information

Pre-registration – Free

Registration at the door – \$5

Registration begins 30 minutes prior to the start of the conference. Pre-registration deadline is two business days prior to location date. Materials are guaranteed to all pre-registered participants. To pre-register, call the Iowa Pork Producers Association at (515) 225-7675 or (800) 372-7675 or email schristensen@iowapork.org.

Return form by mail to:

Iowa Pork Producers Association
P.O. Box 71009
Clive, IA 50325

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Please check the meeting you plan to attend:

- Carroll – March 6
- Sheldon – March 7
- Nashua – March 8
- Iowa City – March 9

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Mark Your Calendars!
March 6-9



Who Should Attend?
Owners/operators
Contract growers
Production employees
Veterinarians
Swine industry stakeholders

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Speakers and Topics



Eldon McAfee

Attorney – Beving, Swanson & Forrest P.C.
Regulatory, Environmental & Nuisance Case Update

Eldon McAfee will discuss practical aspects of compliance with Iowa DNR regulations and recommended practices for pork producers to protect and improve the environment. He will discuss state and federal regulatory rumblings and give an update on current livestock nuisance cases. If you missed Eldon's presentations at the 2012 Iowa Pork Congress, then here is your chance to catch up!

Protecting Yourself Through Contracts & Liens

It is critical for all in pork production to have a good understanding of contracts and liens to provide protection of their business. Eldon will review contract terms focusing on practical implications for both feeders and hog owners.

Eldon will discuss recent and pending court decisions and the practical implications of these decisions for feed dealers, lenders, veterinarians and pork producers.

The USDA Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration continues to assess penalties against hog owners for failing to have the required disclosures in contracts with contract feeders. Eldon will explain federal livestock contract requirements and what is required for compliance. He also will provide an update on the USDA contracting rules.



Dr. Eric Burrough and Dr. Rodger Main **DVM's - ISU Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory**

The Re-emergence of Swine Dysentery and Other Diagnostic Trends



Swine dysentery is a very expensive and damaging disease that has re-emerged in the Midwest. ISU VDL faculty will talk about the history and financial impact of the disease. While helping to identify the signs of dysentery, they also will highlight strategies for prevention and elimination. By encouraging you to work with your herd veterinarian, a refinement of

biosecurity plans will be discussed as well as the diagnostics to consider in discovering dysentery.

ISU Extension Swine Specialists

Good Records Gone Bad

Detailed production records are increasingly important in today's pork industry to benchmark performance, improve efficiencies and modify practices. Area swine extension specialists will review how to keep adequate wean-finish records and show where errors typically occur. They will provide actual examples of good records gone bad. This is an excellent opportunity to learn how to make your records more accurate, effective and worth the effort.

PQA Plus Training

ISU Extension swine specialists will offer PQA Plus training from 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. prior to each regional conference.

These sessions are sponsored by the Iowa Pork Producers Association and will be free for those who pre-register. For more information or to pre-register, contact IPPA at (800) 372-7675 or tbettin@iowapork.org.



Dates & Locations

Wednesday, March 6

Carroll

Carroll County Extension
1205 West U.S. Hwy 30
Suite G

1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 7

Sheldon

Northwest Iowa Community College
603 West Park St.
Building A, room 119

1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 8

Nashua

Borlaug Learning Center
3327 290th St.

1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Friday, March 9

Iowa City

Johnson Co. Extension Office
3109 Old Hwy. 218 S.

1 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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