Grazing Conference Set For Feb. 13th

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK.

he nationally acclaimed forage and grazing specialist, R. L. Dalrymple, will headline the 8th annual Grassroots Grazing Group (GGG) Conference in Fayetteville on February 13th, 2010. The conference will take place in the Pauline Whitaker Center from 9 am - 3 pm.

R. L. Dalrymple developed many innovative rotational grazing techniques, and the "Red River" crabgrass selection, during his 36-year reign as an agronomist at the Noble Foundation in Ardmore, Oklahoma. Retirement has given him more time, between speaking engagements, to perfect controlled grazing on his own farm and to develop a new crabgrass selection,

"Quick-N-Big". Tests have shown that the newer variety grows more rapidly and taller than "Red River", while maintaining excellent quality. R. L. has been instrumental in promoting crabgrass as a forage and demonstrating the multiple benefits of the rotational grazing required for its management.

Other speakers will include Dr. Ron Morrow on NRCS cost-share practices, Dr. Ann Wells on reducing livestock stress and Dr. Alan Hunnicutt on early weaning of calves. The registration fee of \$30 per farm will cover the program, GGG membership and one lunch. Another \$10 will be charged for each additional lunch. Δ



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