

Illinois Wheat Association To Hold Winter Wheat Forum

BLOOMINGTON, ILL.

The Illinois Wheat Association's annual Winter Wheat Forum will be held Feb. 11, 2013, at Krieger's/Holiday Inn Convention Center in Mt. Vernon, Ill. The forum, which aims to help Illinois wheat producers increase productivity and profitability, again features a wide variety of attractions for producers and processors alike.

Attendees at this year's forum can expect to participate in sessions covering several topics, including 2012 high wheat yield research results, managing risk in a volatile market, southern Illinois weather trends, fertilizer manufacturing and expansion in the Midwest, and an update from the Army of Corps of Engineers on the Mississippi river system. In addition to browsing a wide variety of exhibitors, participants also will have the opportunity to at-

tend the Illinois Wheat Association annual meeting, held at the conclusion of the forum.

Registration will begin at 8:00 a.m., with educational sessions beginning at 9:00 a.m. The forum will conclude at 3:00 p.m., with lunch provided to registered attendees. Illinois Wheat Association members may register for the conference on site for \$15 per person; the general public may attend for \$30 per person.

To receive more information about the Winter Wheat Forum, visit the Illinois Wheat Association website at www.illinoiswheat.org, or contact Diane Handley, executive secretary, Illinois Wheat Association, at 309-557-3662. The forum is made possible through the support of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Risk Management Agency and the Illinois Farm Bureau. Δ



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