

Three Time World Record Soybean Yield Holder Kip Cullers In Conference Lineup

16th Annual Conservation Systems Cotton & Rice Conference, The Southern Corn & Soybean Conference, The Southern Precision Ag Conference Books World's Top Soybean Producer

Kip Cullers has spent his life farming in Purdy, Missouri and seven southwest Missouri counties. Growing 600 acres of soybeans, 4,000 + acres of corn, cutting 2,500 acres of silage, growing green beans and winter spinach for a regional cannery; contracting for poultry and broiler production, managing an additional 6,000 acres of corn in Missouri for a large New Zealand dairy operation, Cullers has spoken with growers all over North America as well as Brazil sharing his knowledge and experience.

On January 31 and February 1, 2013 he will be appearing at the 16th Annual National Conservation Systems Cotton & Rice Conference, the Southern Corn & Soybean Conference and the Southern Precision Ag Conference at the Crowne Plaza, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Sponsored by Cotton Incorporated, the US Rice Producers Association and Soy Checkoff the event is a production of MidAmerica Farm Publications.

"Cullers will facilitate a Round Table Session where attendees can ask and get answers to their questions," stated John LaRose, Chairman of the Conference Steering Committee.

In addition to the Round Table Session, Cullers and David Hula will make a joint presentation. "We have one break out session scheduled where Cullers will focus on his winning soybean production practices and Hula will focus on his winning corn production practices. Two ag production leaders in one breakout session will present a unique opportunity for our attendees to learn from the winners; the world's top soybean yield producer and the world's top corn yield producer."

Kip Cullers of Pudy, Missouri, also known as; King of Bionic Ag, Babe Ruth of Soybean Production, and U.S. Soybean King, became the World Champion Soybean Grower in 2006 with 139 bushels per acre. In 2007 Cullers broke his own record with a yield of 154.57 bushels per acre. In 2008 Cullers harvested 117 bushel per acre in spite of uncooperative spring weather. In 2010 Cullers decided to mix things up a bit. Cullers completely changed all he did to grow

soybeans and set another world record of 160.6 bushels per acre. In 2011, Cullers won the Missouri Soybean Association Yield contest irrigated category with a yield of 108.8 bushels per acre.

Cullers and Hula are just two of the many speakers at the conference according to LaRose. "We have a great line up this year. We have 54 researchers, 38 farmers, eight crop consultants and five VIP's for a total of 105 speakers."

The conference is Co-Sponsored by the following seven mid-south universities: University of Arkansas, Mississippi State University, University of Missouri, University of Tennessee, LSU AgCenter, Auburn University, and Texas A&M. USDA-NRCS of Washington DC and USDA-NRCS centers in the Southern states also Co-Sponsor the event.

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