

2016 Agroecology 720 Field Study Itinerary

Monday 8/29: *** Bring a lunch and be prepared to work outside***

8:30 - 9:30: meet up on campus for orientation

9:45 - 10:30: visit FH King and Eagle Heights Garden

11:00 - 1:00: Badger Rock Middle School and Madison Growing Power

be prepared to work outside

2:00 - 4:30: Crossroads Community Farm

be prepared to work outside

5:00: arrive on campus

Tuesday 8/30: bring some cash to buy lunch on the road

8:00: meet at driveway by east entrance to Moore Hall to leave at 8:05

9:00: Rosy Lane Holsteins (45 min from campus)

Check out their very active facebook page:

https://www.facebook.com/pages/Rosy-Lane-Holsteins-LLC/109173589103106

11:45 – 1:15: Lunch at Salvatore's Tomato Pies (~40 min from Rosy lane)

1:30-3:30: Derr Farms - Bioenergy and Cropping systems (15 min from sun prairie)

4:00: arrive on campus

Wednesday 8/31: THIS IS AN OVERNIGHT. Bring sheets, pillow, blanket, swimsuit, musical instruments! Also bring some cash for food and adult beverages.

9:30: meet at Moore Hall to leave for 2-day field study excursion.

10:30 – 12:00: Join one of the tours at Arlington field day. Schedule here.

12:00-1:00 Lunch and speaker - Professor Phil Townsend on remote sensing technology

2:30 – 4:30: Dierks' Coloma Farms Potatoes (Travel time Arlington- Dierks = 1 hr)

4:30: head to Central WI Environmental Station for overnight (1 hr north of Diercks')

Note: <u>bring your own bedding</u> (sheets, pillow, blanket) we have 3 cabins and can split up. There is a lake and fire pits.

Thursday 9/1:

8:00: Leave CWES, have breakfast at the Landmark Coffeehouse

9:30 - 11:30: Paul and Pat Onan (Master Dairy Grazing Apprentices)

Lunch on the road.

12:30 – 2:30: Visit Buena Vista State Wildlife Area - conservation grazing initiatives

Guides: Grazier Bill Kolodziej and DNR Wildlife Technician Erin Grossman

Return to Madison ~4:00

5:30 – 9:00: 10th annual Fall Agroecology BBQ at Randy's house 711 Oneida Place

This is a potluck, but returning students will supply the bulk of dishes and field study participants should not feel obligated to bring food. Trixie's Liquor is 2 blocks away if you want to pop in for some beer. Grill will be on and available with many veggie and meat options.

Friday 9/2:

Morning Free

1:00 - 2:00: field study debrief - 462 Moore Hall

2:00 – 3:00: Academic and Professional Development Workshop. Eileen Callahan, UW-Madison Graduate School, and Alan Turnquist, Agroecology Program Coordinator.

Field study concludes