

Zimbabwe Herd Book

Beef School 2026 - 15th & 16th September

"Beefing up skills – raising the 'steaks' with adapted cattle"

Tuesday 15th September

07:00 - 07:30	Registration
07:30 - 07:40	Welcome
07:40 - 07:45	Sponsor Slot
07:45 - 08:35	Selection In Practice Using BREEDPLAN - Dr Fiona Macarthur
08:35 - 09:25	Fetal Programming: Investing In the Future - Willem Augustyn
09:25 - 09:55	Break
09:55 - 10:00	Sponsor Slot
10:00 - 10:50	Animal Health Update - Dr Pious Makaya
10:50 - 11:40	No Profit Without Adaptable Cattle - Pikkie Uys
11:40 - 13:10	Lunch
13:10 - 13:15	Sponsor Slot
13:15 - 13:45	A Global Perspective on Profitable Livestock Production (Challenges and Opportunities) - PJ Budler
13:45 - 14:45	Year of the Boran - PJ Budler & Pikkie Uys
14:45 - 15:35	Meat Protein Market Assessment - Dr Reneth Mano
15:35 - 16:05	Break
16:05 - 16:10	Sponsor Slot
16:10 - 17:00	Bridging The Gap: Using Alternative and Natural Remedies Alongside Standard Veterinary Medicines to Keep Livestock Healthy - Prof Jan Myburgh
17:00 - 17:50	How Not to Save Yourself Broke on A Beef Farm - Dennis Tsondayi
17:50 - 18:00	Cash Bar
18:00 - 19:00	Modern Stud Breeding Trends - PJ Budler
19:00	Dinner

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Wednesday 16th September

07:00 - 07:30	Opening
07:30 - 07:35	Sponsor Slot
07:35 - 08:25	Harnessing Africa's Cattle Potential - Dr Doug Bruce
08:25 - 09:15	Winter Supplemental Strategies to Optimize Body Condition and Reproduction in Beef Breeding Animals - Dr Hinner Köster
09:15 - 09:45	Break
09:45 - 09:50	Sponsor Slot
09:50 - 10:40	Raw Materials and Feed Trends - Dr Chrispen Sukume
10:40 - 11:30	Budgeting The Way A Cattleman Thinks - Rowan Hayter
11:30 - 13:00	Lunch
13:00 - 13:05	Sponsor Slot
13:05 - 13:55	Practical Knapsacks and Spray Races - Lozino / Red Dane Agri Solutions
13:55 - 14:45	Electric Fencing and Handling Facilities - Nemtech
14:45 - 15:35	Fixed Time AI - Anne Cooke
15:35 - 16:05	Break
16:05 - 16:10	Sponsor Slot
16:10 - 17:00	Home Mixing of Feed: Taking Control of the Ration - Chris Cilliers
17:00 - 17:50	Labour Motivation: Build Your Best Team - Ajs Kirk
17:50 - 18:00	Cash Bar
18:00 - 18:30	ZHB Awards
18:30	Dinner