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The AG Sounder Newsletter

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Do you have an event or story you would like featured in
The Ag Sounder? Let us know!



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- Lost Rivers Grazing Academy - Register by September 1st
- SW Washington Grasslands & Grazing Photography Competition

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LOST RIVERS GRAZING ACADEMY

Regenerative Management of Irrigated Pastures

September 9th-12th, 2025, Marsing/Homedale Idaho
Registration and deposit are due by September 1st, 2025

The Lost Rivers Grazing Academy was developed by faculty of UI Extension, several of whom will serve as your instructors. They include Extension educators Scott Jensen, Joseph Sagers, Justin Hatch, and Jessica Windh, as well as retired agent Chad Cheyney of Butte County. You will not be disappointed in this boots-on-the-ground workshop for livestock operators who want to increase their forage production, stocking rates, animal performance, and net income.

To register, click [here](#).

ANNOUNCING: SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON GRASSLANDS & GRAZING

Photography Contest!



Agricultural photography can convey stories about farming, natural resources, and the day-to-day lives of farmers.

No matter your skills, consider participating in this photography contest to showcase your work and tell the story of local, grass-based agriculture.

Farmers have the inside story, so producers themselves are encouraged to join in!



For more information:
<https://extension.wsu.edu/thurston/swwa-grasslands-arts/>

Click [here](#) to learn more.

WSU EXTENSION CULTIVATING SUCCESS

Mondays online via Zoom / Los lunes en línea con Zoom 9/22 - 11/3 6:00pm-8:00pm

WHOLE FARM PLANNING

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Whole Farm Planning Course

The WSU Cultivating Success™ series of courses combines workshop and farmer-direct learning experiences to help foster the success of new and existing farms. The **Whole Farm Planning Course** will be held on Mondays, 6:00pm to 8:00pm, September 22 through November 3. Offered statewide, courses will be conducted online using the Zoom platform with in-person field trips available in regions of WA state. In addition, courses will be offered with Spanish language interpretation.

Click [here](#) to learn more and apply.



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