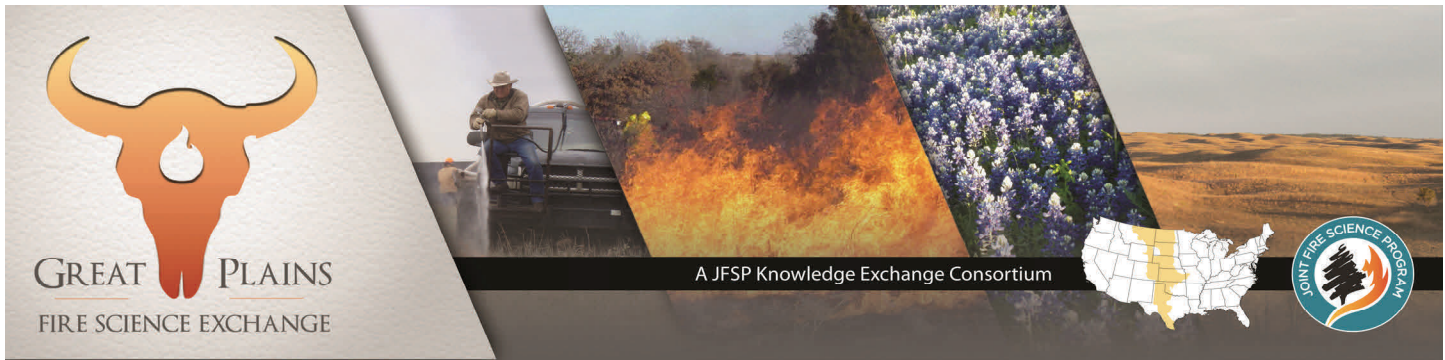




Patch Burn Grazing Meeting 2015

August 26-28, 2015 Pratt, KS

4-H building (81 Lake Road, Pratt, KS 67124)

REGISTRATION: \$24.00 PRE-REGISTRATION BY: AUG. 7.

Click here to register <https://commerce.cashnet.com/firescience> *****Travel stipends of \$250 available to non-federally employed participants. Ask Sherry for details.

AGENDA

August 25: Fire Equipment Exposition and social 3:30-5:30pm. Bring your innovative fire equipment and tools to share and show off. Contact [Jason Hartman](#) if you'd like to bring an item to show.

August 26th: Registration from 8-9am. Presentations from 9-4. Lunch will be on your own in Pratt. We've scheduled in plenty of time for you to interact with participants between presentations. From 4-5:30 join us for a social hour at the Equipment Exposition.

August 27th: We'll open with a couple more presentations and then head out for a field trip to Ed Koger's [Hashknife Ranch](#) to see lesser prairie-chickens and learn about how he uses fire and grazing in the shortgrass prairie. Lunch provided with registration.

Join us for dinner (cost on your own) at [Buster's Saloon in Sun City](#) at 5:30pm.

August 28th: On Friday morning we are also excited to offer an optional trip to the [Z-Bar Ranch](#), one of Ted Turner's properties. We'll get a rare opportunity to see how the ranch is being managed with principles of pyric herbivory in mind. 8-12:00.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS:

We welcome anyone to submit an abstract for the presentation portion of the meeting: researchers, landowners, graduate students, agency managers all have something valuable to share. Please keep a diverse audience in mind as you develop

your talk. Send an abstract to peterosnr408@gmail.com by **July 10, 2015**.

Please include the following with your abstract:

1. Title
2. Author name (s), corresponding email address, phone number
3. Author mailing address
4. Type of presentation (paper. Poster)
5. Abstract body 450 words or less.
6. Any comments or needs.

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Contact: [Sherry Leis](#) for more information and watch our [web-site](#) for additions/corrections.

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