

# WESTERN KANSAS FORAGE CONFERENCE

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**K-State Research & Extension**  
**Kansas Forage and Grassland Council**

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February 21, 2018  
Southwest Research-Extension Center  
4500 E. Mary Street, Garden City KS  
9:00 am – 3:30 pm (CST)

9:00 a.m.	<b>Registration</b>
9:10 a.m.	<b>Impact of climate variability on western Kansas agriculture</b> – Jeffrey B. Basara, University of Oklahoma
10:10 a.m.	<b>Nutritional value of forage sorghum in silage feed animal production system</b> – Kim McCuistion, Sorghum Checkoff
11:00 a.m.	<b>Break</b>
11:10 a.m.	<b>Triticale forage production and variety selection and future outlook</b> – Racey Padilla , TriCal
12: 00 pm	<b>Lunch</b> ~ <b>Keynote: Dairy Farmers of America</b> – Wesley Clark, Operations Director, DFA Garden City
1:00 p.m.	<b>Trucking laws</b> – Lt. Joe Green, KS Highway Patrol
1:30 p.m.	<b>Getting the most out of your silage</b> – Chuck Grimes
2:20 p.m.	<b>Silage Safety</b> – Justin Waggoner, K-State
2:50 p.m.	<b>Break</b>
3:00 p.m.	<b>Speaker/ Producer Panel</b>
3:30 p.m.	<i>Depart for home. Safe travels!</i>