

Northeast Kansas Sheep and Goat School is coming to Troy

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This upcoming Wednesday March 12th, K-State Research and Extension - Doniphan County will be hosting the annual Northeast Kansas Sheep and Goat School in Troy, KS. This event is an annual educational sheep and goat producer meeting that rotates throughout northeast Kansas Research and Extension units. This will be the first time in over four years that this free program returns to our community.

This evening meeting will begin at 6:00 pm with registration. Dr. Kelsey Bentley, K-State University Small Ruminant Extension Specialist, will speak on parasites and management strategies for sheep and goat producers at 6:30 pm. The second speaker, Dr. Drew Ricketts, K-State Wildlife Extension Specialist will present beginning at 7:30 pm on managing predation when raising small ruminants. There will be time for a break for questions and answers at the end of each presentation.

The event will be held at the Leonard L. Clary Community Building located at 1225 Last Chance Road Troy, KS 66087. **Attending this free educational event will give 4-H youth an opportunity to add this event to their project records at the end of the 4-H year in September.** Please register so we can get a headcount on attendance and provide light snacks. You can register for this free event by March 10th via this link: <https://forms.gle/jj6wc9ADWeLE2Qf99> . Or please contact your local agriculture agent to register, or ask questions:

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More information about the Northeast Kansas Sheep & Goat School is available at www.doniphan.k-state.edu/community/ .