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**Holiday Inn
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April 10-11, 2007

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**Pre-registration - \$50
Registration Day of the
Seminar - \$65**

**Tuesday, April 10, 2007
7:00 to 10:00 am – Registration**

General Session

Morning Session

Todd Kiracofe, Moderator

- 8:25 am **Welcome** – Todd Kiracofe
- 8:30 am **Political Update** – Hobey Bauhan
- 8:50 am **Broiler Industry Update**
Bill Roenigk - NCC
- 9:10 am **Turkey Industry Update**
Joel Brandenberger - NTF
- 9:30 am **Energy Conservation on Farm**
Gary Van Wicklen
- 9:55 am **Break/Trade Show**
- 10:25 am **Alternative Uses for Litter**
Jactone Ogejo
- 10:50 am **Rodent and Insect Control**
Robert Rowland
- 11:20 am **Research & Biosecurity Update**
Audrey McElroy and Curtis Novak
- 11:50 am **Awards and Lunch**

Afternoon Session

Patrick Evick, Moderator

- 1:00 pm **Keynote Speaker: Animal
Agriculture** – Matt Lohr
- 2:00 pm **Nonantibiotic Alternatives**
Bob Buresh
- 2:30 pm **Wild Bird AI Surveillance**
Jonathan Sleeman
- 2:55 pm **Break/Trade Show**

General Session, cont.

- 3:25 pm **Mass Depopulation with Foam**
Bud Malone
- 3:50 pm **Neighbor Relations**
Christy Richmond
- 4:20 pm **Production Trends and
Technologies** – Mike Czarick
- 4:50 pm **Adjourn for Trade Show and
Hospitality Hour**

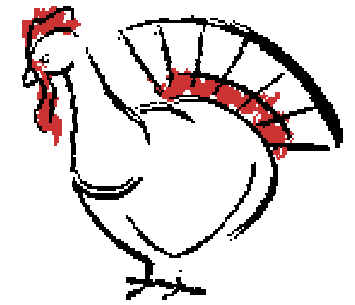
Wednesday, April 11, 2007

- 7:30 am Continental Breakfast

Broiler Session

Jim Bebbler, Moderator

- 8:30 am **ORP Water Sanitation and Field
Problems** – Susan Watkins
- 9:00 am **Gas Chlorination** – Ron Grange
- 9:30 am **Ventilation** – Mike Czarick
- 10:00 am **Break**
- 10:20 am **Chick Quality Impacts on
Performance and Management**
Scott Martin
- 10:50 am **Managing the Cobb Broiler**
Leonard Fussell
- 11:30 am **Disease Prevention**
Scott Gustin
- 12:00 pm **Adjourn**



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Broiler Breeder Session

Mike Watkins, Moderator

- 8:30 am **Generator Maintenance**
Walter Petty
- 9:00 am **Agristats: Breeder Performance Trends and Cost Associated with Performance** – Dana Weatherford
- 9:30 am **Floor Egg Prevention** – Neil Sidden
- 10:00 am **Break**
- 10:30am **Lighting Systems: Cost & Performance** – Larry Trissel
- 11:00 am **Ventilation for Pullets and Breeders** – Robert Barnwell
- 11:45 am **Adjourn**

Turkey Session

Andre Dight, Moderator

- 8:30 am **Turkey Diseases**
Bill Pierson
- 9:00 am **Poult Quality and Starting**
Helen Wojcinski
- 9:30 am **Water Sanitation: C&D**
Susan Watkins
- 10:00 am **Break**
- 10:30 am **Turkey House Ventilation**
Mike Czarick
- 11:00 am **Bird Welfare**
Bob Evans
- 11:30 am **Gas Chlorination** – Ron Grange
- 12:00 pm **Adjourn**

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