

## Friday, January 6

**PM** *Alphin-Stuart Livestock Arena*

**4:00** Virginia Sheep Industry Board Meeting (Open to public)

**6:00** Virginia Sheep Producers Association Board Meeting (Open to public)

## Saturday, January 7

**AM** *Alphin-Stuart Livestock Arena*

**8:15** Registration & Commercial Exhibits

**9:00** “Sheep Parasite Management- Past, Present, Future”

Dr. Scott Bowdridge, Division of Animal & Nutritional Sciences, West Virginia University

**9:45** “On-farm Applications of FAMACHA for Parasite Control”

Dr. Will Getz, Extension Specialist, Fort Valley State University

**Break**

**10:45** “Our Experiences with Direct Marketing of Lamb and Wool”

Dr. Craig Rogers, Border Springs Farm, Patrick Springs, VA

**11:30** Roy Meek Outstanding Sheep Producer Award Presentation  
Virginia Sheep Producers Association Annual Business Meeting

**PM**

**12:15** Lunch – *will be provided*

**“Let’s Grow with TwoPlus Campaign- Implications for Virginia”**

Dr. Will Getz, ASI Executive Board- Region II Director, Georgia

**“What’s New with the American Lamb Board”**

Mr. Leo Tammi, Director- American Lamb Board, Mt. Sidney, VA

**1:30** “Management and Feeding Tips for the Ewe Flock- Body Condition Scoring, Hay Quality/Supplementation, and Flock Health” (*hands-on session & concurrent youth education session*)

Dr. Scott Greiner & Dr. Mark McCann, Department of Animal & Poultry Sciences, Virginia Tech

Dr. Kevin Pelzer, DVM, Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine

**Break**

**3:15** “Improving Carcass Merit in Sheep”

Mr. Joe Emenheiser, Department of Animal & Poultry Sciences, Virginia Tech

**3:45** “Experiences with Sheep CIDRs to Induce Fall Lambing”

Dr. Scott Greiner & Dr. Mark McCann, Department of Animal & Poultry Sciences, Virginia Tech

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