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**N.E. Texas Cattleman's Conference Set for January 25<sup>th</sup>**

The Northeast Texas Cattleman's Conference will be held on January 25, 2017 at the Carrol Green Civic Center located at 602 S. McAllister St. Quitman, Texas. Registration starts at 8:15 a.m. with the educational program starting at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 3:30 p.m. There is a \$20.00 cost for the conference with a catered lunch provided. Topics on the program are listed below:

Winter Feeding and Supplementation Basics for Cow-Calf Operations - *Dr. Jason Banta, Associate Professor & Extension Beef Cattle Specialist– Overton, TX*

Mineral Supplementation: What's Right for My Operation - *Dr. Jason Banta*

Anaplasmosis & Ticks - *Dr. Tom Hairgrove, Associate Professor & Extension livestock & food systems coordinator – College Station, TX*

Proper Vaccination Scheduling - *Dr. Tom Hairgrove*

Hornfly Control– *Lee Dudley, CEA-Ag, Panola County*

Three (3) Continuing educational units (CEU's) will be given for the program, Two (2) hours in the Integrated Pest Management (IPM) category and One (1) in General category. Please RSVP to the Rains County Extension Office Located at 410 Tawakoni Drive, Emory, or call 903-473-4580 by **1-18-17**. This will let us have an accurate participant count for the amount of food to order for lunch. We will also be having booth exhibits from various agricultural related industries.

The program is sponsored by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Counties of Wood, Rains, Camp, Upshur, and Van Zandt. I look forward to see everybody at the conference!