



Setting Up a Sheep or Goat Enterprise Workshop

will be held on

Tuesday, April 30, 2019

from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

at the John Randolph VFD

(2145 Cumberland Road,

Farmville, VA 23901)

Are you interested in raising your own sheep or goats? Join us in Cumberland, Virginia for a class on starting out with small ruminants. Sheep and goats can be raised to provide meat, milk, and fiber. They can be raised for 4-H Projects, clearing brush from an area or simply as pets. If you're interested in raising sheep and goats for meat, this class covers all the basics you will need to start your enterprise.

- **Starting a farm business:** insurance, tax, and legal considerations
- **Everything you need to know to raise sheep and goats:** breed selection, housing, supplies/equipment, fencing, feeding, and marketing
- **Health of your sheep and goats**
- **Reproduction:** to include preparing for lambing and kidding
- **Hands-on activities:** including hoof trimming, body condition scoring, correct drenching techniques, lambing, FAMACHA, etc. (Please dress warmly as the afternoon portion of the workshop will be held at a local producer's farm.)

The \$10.00 per person registration fee will help cover program expenses. Lunch is included. Registration forms with fee must be received by **April 19, 2019**. Space is limited so register today!

Please contact Dana Plumley at the Virginia Cooperative Extension Office in Cumberland, VA at (804) 492-4390 or e-mail dplumley@vt.edu if you need more information.

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Names of those attending: _____
(Please Print) _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

**Please enclose \$10
per person.**

Please make checks payable to: **Treasurer of Virginia Tech** and send them with the completed form to Virginia Cooperative Extension-Cumberland, P.O. Box 80, Cumberland, VA 23040
Space is limited so register today! **Registration deadline is April 19, 2019.**

If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact Dana Plumley at (804) 492-4390/TDD* during business hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to discuss accommodations 5 days prior to the event.

*TDD number is (800) 828-1120.