

National Lamb Feeders Association

2014 HOWARD WYMAN SHEEP INDUSTRY LEADERSHIP SCHOOL

July 13–July 16, 2014 in Dixon, California

Sponsored by National Lamb Feeders Association, Superior Farms, American Lamb Board, National Sheep Industry Improvement Center & NLFA's Legacy Fund

LAMB BY-PRODUCTS – Discovering the 5th Primal

Sunday, July 13, 2014

3:00 PM Registration
6:00 PM Dinner at Cattlemen's
7:00 PM Welcome –Steve Schreier, NLFA President
Introduction of NLFA representatives and attendees
History of Howard Wyman Sheep Industry Leadership School
Introduction/Overview – Dr. Melissa Vanlaningham
Group Photos

Monday, July 14, 2014

7:30 AM Board bus for Superior Farms
8:00 AM Tour of Superior Farms processing facility
Production flow & manufactured products –Shane Mackenzie
Overview of Quality & Yield Grade characteristics – Dennis Weatherford
Pelt processing and grading –Shane Mackenzie
Ovine blood collection –Gordon Murphy
12:00 PM Lunch – Emigh's Market
2:00 PM Local Wool Shop – Ms. Meridian Jacobs
4:00 PM UC Davis research review, lamb forages and feedstuffs
6:00 PM Dinner – Various lamb products currently in the marketplace
Return to hotel to work on study group questions.

Tuesday, July 15, 2014

7:30 AM Board buses for Superior Farms Pet Provisions – Morning overview
8:00 AM Tour of Superior Farms Pet Provisions – Dr. Melissa Vanlaningham
10:00 AM Visit to Nugget Market –Chad Aldridge
11:30 AM Lunch – Nugget Market
1:00 PM Tour of Sacramento Rendering Company –Michael Koewler
4:00 PM Dinner
Return to hotel to work on study group questions

Wednesday, July 16, 2014

8:00 AM Study Group Meetings
9:00 AM Study Group Reports
11:00 AM Awards and adjourn school