

# IS GRASS MORE PROFITABLE THAN 200 BUSHEL CORN?



**Where:** Nickeson Farm one mile south  
of Veblen and ¾ west

**When:** August 20<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 AM

**9:00 A.M. WELCOME**  
**9:30 – 11:00 A.M. TOUR**



## **SPEAKERS:**

**Todd Churchill:** owner of Thousand Hills Cattle Co. will be the first speaker. He will be discussing the state of the grass finished beef. Huge growth curve . Todd is one of the original builders/procurers of grass finished beef and has a strict protocol . Todd will talk about the type of beef that fit his regime.

## **12:00 NOON TEXAS STYLE BRISKET FEED**

**Gabe Brown & Son Paul:** are great users of the MOB/MIG system of grazing for a number of years. Winter bale grazing and many years of experience make both Gabe and Paul fun to listen to. They run 350 seedstock cows just east of Bismarck, ND. Gabe serves on the Burleigh Co. NRCS advisory board and has hosted many field days and spoken at a number of grazing seminars. Plan to pick up many helpful points from this father/son combo.

**Jim Faulstich:** Highmore, SD is a longtime converter of farmland to grass. Jim is vice chair of the SD Grasslands Coalition . Jim and family also run 350 Red Angus cows on their operation. Jim has one of the most unique crop grazing systems for winter feeding. Practical approach to profit in many ways is the way one would describe this operation.

**Neil Effertz:** Neil is Vice chairman of the national Lowline Association and was the importer of the first Lowlines to the United States. Neil will comment on how the breed fits calving heifers and adding longevity , fleshing ability to the type of beef that fits the Grass Fed Beef industry.

**Doug Gunnink:** is the regional representative for Brandenbrug Seed a nationwide company in the grass seed business. Doug is a nutritionist, MIG system analyst and an excited producer of profitable beef. Doug also writes for different publications including the Stockman Grass Farmer.

**Rick Lloyd:** owner of Bovine Genetics from Chamberlain, SD will be doing a hands on demonstration of Ultrasound. Rick is a proponent of what's under the hide for genetic selection and evaluation. Rick is a Lowline producer of many highly regarded seed stock animals. He brings size and practicality to the finished product. Surprising what you can bring to the process before killing the animal. Have you sent the wrong ones to town?

Comments by SD Grassland Coalition and NRCS



**MORE NET DOLLARS PER ACRE WITH - GRASS FINISHED BEEF**

