

Eastern Cow Camp 2026

Detailed Agenda

Order of activities could change based on weather.

May 5th

- 9:00 Registration – coffee & donuts
- 9:15 Getting to know each other
- 10:00 Nutrition breakout sessions
 - Basics of nutrients
 - Sampling – Hay, standing forage, bagged feed/silage
- 11:30 Lunch & Networking
- 12:30 Simple ration and stocking rate calculations
- 1:30 Genetic Selection Exercise
- 2:30 Break
- 2:45 Cattle handling classroom session
- 3:30 Break
- 3:45 Herd health planning
- 4:15 Breakouts
 - Delivering effective vaccinations
 - Visual Identification Options
 - Implants
- 6:00 Body condition scoring overview
- 6:30 Dinner and networking on site

May 6th

- 8:00 – Coffee & donuts
- 8:15 – Head to handling facilities (uncovered)
- 8:30 – Breakout sessions at handling facilities
 - Body condition scoring
 - Tail bleeding
 - Freeze branding
 - Practical records
 - Vaccine cooler build
 - Reproduction
- 11:50 – Wrap up & closing remarks
- 12:30 - Adjourn