



MAIL REGISTRATION TO:
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COST

\$100* per person

\$50 for each additional person from
the same operation

–GLCA members receive a \$10 discount–

*Fee includes session materials and meals.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Participants are responsible for lodging.

Super 8

1702 S Pokegama Ave., Grand Rapids, MN
218-327-1108

Ask for the “MN Grazing School Block”
(\$96 plus tax until August 3)

WHAT PARTICIPANTS SHOULD BRING

Bring a map of your operation/land, or
provide a legal description on the registration
form and a map will be printed for you.

SCHOOL LOCATIONS

Main Station:

UM North Central Research & Outreach Center
1861 E US Highway 169
Grand Rapids, MN

South Farm:

31654 Harris Town Road, Grand Rapids, MN



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accommodations, please contact Extension at 612-624-1222
at least two weeks prior to event.

Minnesota Grazing School

MN GLCA | UMN Extension | USDA NRCS

August 17-18, 2018

Grand Rapids, MN

www.mnglca.org



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REGISTRATION FORM
Minnesota Grazing School

Name: _____

Operation/Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

No. of people attending from your operation: _____

Amount enclosed: _____ (\$100 per person/\$50 for each additional person attending from the same operation.
GLCA members receive a \$10 discount.)

Legal description of your operation: _____

(A map will be printed for you to use during the Grazing School. If you prefer, please provide your own map of your operation.)

Grazing School Itinerary

Friday, August 17, 2018

- 12:30 PM—Registration
- 1:00 PM—Welcome and Introductions
- 1:15 PM—Plant Growth
- 1:45 PM—Soil Fertility
- 2:15 PM—Forage Quality
- 2:45 PM—Break & Travel to South Farm
- 3:15 PM—Plant ID
- 4:15 PM—Mini-grazing System Demo
- 5:15 PM—Travel Back to Main Station
- 6:00 PM—Supper
- 7:00 PM—Bull Pen Consultations

Saturday, August 18, 2018

- 7:00 AM—Light Breakfast at Main Station
- 7:30 AM—Resource Inventory
- 8:30 AM—Grazing Math
- 9:30 AM—Intro to Rotational Grazing
- 10:30 AM—Break
- 11:00 AM—Setting up Your System
- 12:00 PM—Lunch and Travel to South Farm
- 1:00 PM—Clipping for Yield Demo
- 1:30 PM—Grazing Utilization Demo
- 2:00 PM—Rainfall Simulator
- 2:30 PM—Break
- 3:00 PM—Mini-grazing System Eval & Discussion
- 4:00 PM—Closing Remarks and Travel to Main Station for Departure



The Minnesota Grazing Lands Conservation Association is hosting the Grazing School in Grand Rapids, MN on August 17 & 18, 2018. Contact us at 507.865.4436 or visit www.mnglca.org for more information.

The Grazing School is designed for producers and anyone with an interest in learning the basics of how to best manage grasslands to benefit livestock, the grassland ecosystem, and wildlife.

The agenda features presenters from state and federal agencies, and universities. Area producers share their expertise about various topics related to grazing techniques and grassland management.

Participants will hear presentations in the classroom and gain experience with hands-on activities in the field.

Space is **limited to 30 participants**.

Early registration is encouraged to participate.