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Workshop Series

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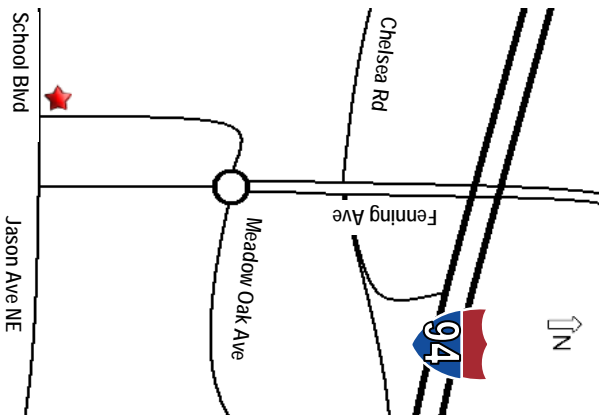
Tuesdays
6:30pm - 9:30pm
March 2nd thru April 20th
at
Monticello High School
Monticello, MN

-or-

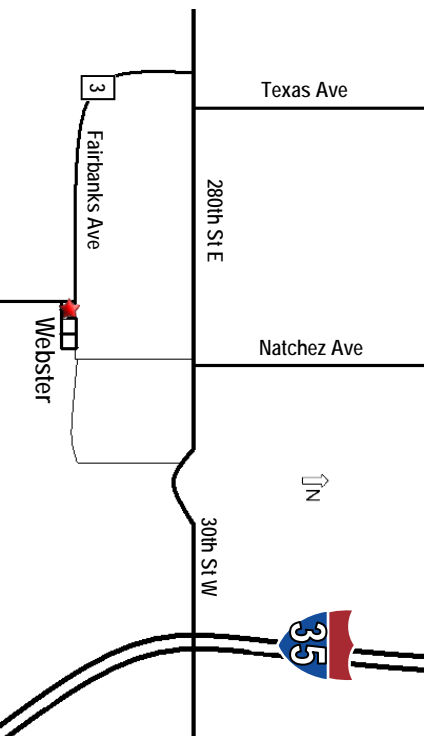
Thursdays
6:30pm - 9:30pm
March 4th thru April 22nd
at
Rancho Supper Club
Webster, MN

Get answers to all your land management questions!

University of Minnesota Extension
Wright County
10-2nd St NW
Buffalo, MN 55313



Monticello Class:
Monticello High School
5225 School Blvd,
Monticello, MN
55362



Webster Class: Rancho Supper Club
4452 40th Street West, Webster, MN 55088



Living on the Land Workshop Series

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Series is being offered by the University of Minnesota Extension. The eight-week course is designed to farm landowners with basic agricultural information to enable them to be good stewards of their 40-acre (or less) tract. The course will begin with goal setting and individual property inventory, then address soil, plant and water basics.

For more information, please contact :

Monticello Location -
Brenda Postels
763-682-7394/post0060@umn.edu

Webster Location -
Laura Keiser
952-466-5306/torb0022@umn.edu



Schedule of Events

Choose between attending classes Tuesday nights in Monticello or Thursday nights in Webster.

Night 1 (March 2 or 4)	What do you have and what do you want? <i>Introductions and information about Extension, goal setting, property inventory, and get to know each other.</i>
Night 2 (March 9 or 11)	What can I do with my land? <i>Understand available resources and regulations, discussion with panel of regulators, and agriculture enterprise opportunities and planning.</i>
Night 3 (March 16 or 18)	Water quality & protecting your household drinking water. <i>Review of global and local water resources, our impacts on water quality, and maintaining septic systems and wells.</i>
Night 4 (March 23 or 25)	Getting down and dirty with soils & farm equipment! <i>Basics of soils and their functions and maximizing soil quality, decision making for purchasing equipment and what is right for your situation.</i>
Night 5 (March 30 or April 1)	How plants grow and Minnesota plant communities. <i>Plant biology basics for better decision making, and Minnesota's eco-regions and native plants.</i>
Night 6 (April 6 or 8)	What to do about weeds? <i>Learn about common weeds in a variety of settings and management techniques including chemical and non-chemical options.</i>
Night 7 (April 13 or 15)	Lawn and pasture maintenance. <i>Get tips and information on the best techniques for caring for your lawn, pasture and trees.</i>
Night 8 (April 20 or 22)	Farm tour & feedback/evaluation dinner <i>We will visit a local small farm operation. Afterwards, you will have the opportunity to put the pieces of the series together, tell us what you liked about the class, and what needs improvement.</i>
April 27 or 29	Make-up Date <i>In case of class cancellation due to inclement weather, this date may be used for class make-up</i>

Registration Fee \$175.
Bring a friend for free!
Reduced Early Registration Fee (\$150)
before Feb. 19th!

Price Includes:

- ◆ Soil samples
- ◆ Handouts and publications
- ◆ Farm tour and dinner
- ◆ Light refreshments provided
- ◆ Networking with peers and experts
- ◆ Site visit from extension educator in your area

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Class Location (select ONE):

Monticello (Tues. evenings) -or-

Webster (Thurs. evenings)

Early Bird Registration Fee \$150 Enclosed
(Prior to Feb. 19th)

Regular Registration Fee \$175 Enclosed

Make checks payable to: University of Minnesota
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Mail payment and this form to:
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