



Join Us at a Cover Crop "Caravan" Field Day!

Join Practical Farmers of Iowa and our farmer hosts at a spring cover crop-focused field day near you! Many of these field days include stops at multiple farms or locations. Network with fellow farmers as you "caravan" to each stop; and learn more about cover crop issues like planter set-up and grazing.

These field days are **FREE**, open to everyone and each starts with lunch. **Please RSVP** to Debra Boekholder, debra@practicalfarmers.org or (515) 232-5661. **Visit** practicalfarmers.org for more details.

Cover Crops for Corn and Soybeans

* TUESDAY, MARCH 27 • Noon – 3 p.m.

HOST: Mike Jackson

LOCATION: * *Note: This event has two stops.*

Stop #1: Mahaska County Extension Office • 212 N I St. • Oskaloosa • 52577

Stop #2: 2559 Hwy 92 • Oskaloosa • 52577

TOPICS: Cover Crop Species Selection • Spring Cover Crop Management • Scouting for Insects • Achieving Long-Term Goals with Cover Crops

* WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28 • Noon – 3 p.m.

HOST: Josh Nelson and Austin Charlson

LOCATIONS: * *Note: This event has three stops.*

Stop #1: Heartland Museum • 119 9th St SW • Clarion • 50525

Stop #2: 2531 190th St. • Belmond • 50421

Stop #3: 2716 160th St. • Belmond • 50421

TOPICS: Cover Crop Species Selection • Spring Cover Crop Management • No-Till and Strip-Till

* THURSDAY, MARCH 29 • Noon – 3 p.m.

HOST: Clark Thompson

LOCATION: * *Note: This event has two stops.*

Stop #1: Royal Cafe • 1550 Broad St. • Story City • 50248

Stop #2: 16877 580th Ave • Story City • 50248

TOPICS: Cover Crops in a No-Till System on Heavy Soils • Herbicide Plan for Establishing Cover Crops • Planter Set-up • Bioreactors

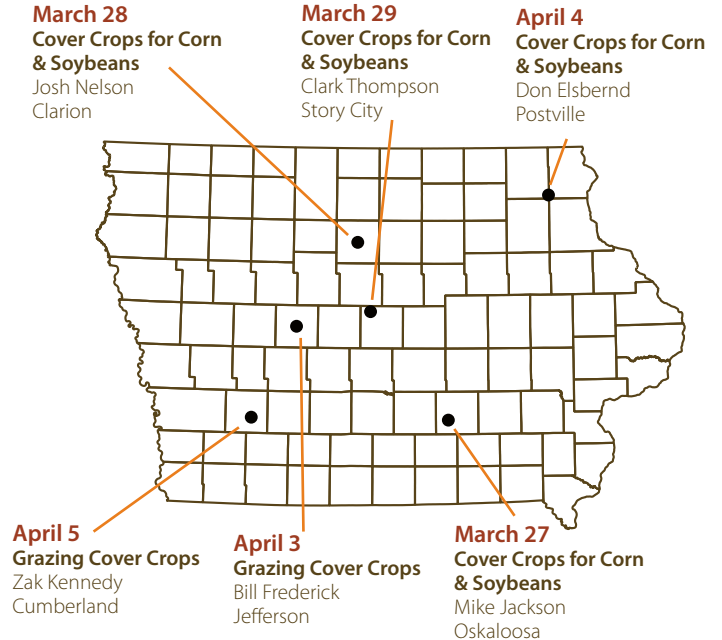
* WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4 • Noon – 3 p.m.

HOST: Don Elsbernd

LOCATION: 809 Pole Line Rd. • Postville • 52162

TOPICS: Cover Crop Seeding Dates for Northern Iowa • Delayed Cover Crop Termination • Soil Health Benefits of Cover Crops • Interseeding Cover Crops in Corn

Map of Events



Grazing Cover Crops

* TUESDAY, APRIL 3 • Noon – 3 p.m.

HOST: Bill Frederick

LOCATION: 2458 M Ave. • Jefferson • 50129

TOPICS: Cover Crop Grazing Mixes and Rates • Fall and Spring Grazing Management • Spring Termination

* THURSDAY, APRIL 5 • Noon – 3 p.m.

HOST: Zak Kennedy

LOCATION: * *Note: This event has two stops.*

Stop #1: Cumberland Community Building • 200 E 2nd St. • Cumberland • 50843

Stop #2: 64646 660th St. • Atlantic • 50022

TOPICS: Grazing Backgrounders and Cow-Calf Pairs • Teabags and Soil Health • Grazing Potential of Varied Fall Planting Dates

