

Tips for planting dual-purpose crop

wheat as a forage crop which also serves as a grain crop is a way for farmers to boost the income from their wheat operation, but there are several things to consider when planning a dual-purpose crop.

Kansas State University agronomist Jim Shroyer said usually having enough moisture to get the crop up and then through the winter can be a problem.

"Moisture is always a consideration at planting time," he said, "but this year we've had good moisture across most of the state except the southwest. In fact, in some areas it's been a little too wet, a somewhat unusual occurrence for late summer in Kansas."

Shroyer, a crop production specialist with K-State Research and Extension, said that farmers planning to graze wheat this fall and the harvest grain next summer should plant 10 to 14 days earlier than they would for grain production only.

One problem a farmer can encounter with planting early is that the soil is too warm, which can keep the coleoptile from extending, the agronomist said. That's usually not a problem in Kansas, however, and it certainly isn't this year.

"You need a good root system before turning cattle out on wheat," he said, "so you'll want at least four to six weeks of growth and maybe more, depending on soil moisture and other factors. The root system is key, so the cattle can't pull the plants out. The plants should be at least 6 to 8 inches tall with tillers."

Earlier planting does increase the need for keeping an eye on the crop, Shroyer said. Early-planted wheat can act as a host for greenbugs, bird cherry-oat aphids, Hessian flies and wheat streak mosaic until later fields are planted.

"You also should increase seeding rates by about 50 percent, because you'll lose some plants to grazing," he said. "For example, if you normally seed at a rate of 60 to 75 pounds per acre, you should bump it up to 90 to 120 pounds."

In terms of nutrients, Shroyer said, a grower who typically ap-

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K-State Research and Extension plies 1.5 to 2 pounds of nitrogen MANHATTAN - Growing (soil nitrogen, plus applied N) for a grain-only crop would need to increase that nitrogen for dual-purpose wheat by 0.4 pound per acre.

"If you are shooting for a dualpurpose crop and you only put on nitrogen for the grain, there won't be enough nitrogen left come grainfilling time," he said. "The cattle will have removed it in the forage.

"When (grazing out) is the best option in some years, depending on the price of wheat and the price of cattle, you'd better be fertilizing for both forage and grain to get the biggest bang out of your forage buck.'

Public Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THOMAS COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DONALD R. SMULL, SR.

CASE NO. 08-PR-37 PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER 59

CORRECTED NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on September 8, 2008, a petition was filed in this Court by James M. Milliken, executor named in the Last Will and Testament of Donald R. Smull, Sr., deceased, dated August 28, 1998, praying the Will filed with the petition be admitted to probate and record; petitioner be appointed as executor, without bond; and petitioner be granted Letters Testamentary

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before October 8, 2008, at 10:00 A.M. in the District Court, Colby Thomas County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within four months from the date of first publication of this notice, as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred

James M. Milliken, Petitioner

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The agronomist suggested if a soil test bears out the need, farmers should put down "a starter for good phosphorus support - recognizing that prices are high this year."

Shroyer cautioned against grazing cattle too long on wheat that is also to produce a grain crop.

"Usually fall grazing has little effect on grain yields at the end," he said, "but eight or nine times out of 10, if you graze in the spring, you'll have some yield reduction ... "

Public Notice

NOTICE OF PLACES AND DATES OF REGISTRATION FOR GENERAL ELECTION

In compliance with the provisions of K.S.A 25-2311(c), notice is hereby given that the books for registration of voters of Thomas County will be open at the following places and times specified.

The County Clerk's office at 300 N. Court Ave., Colby, Kansas, during regular office hours from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

On OCTOBER 20, 2008 at 5:00 p.m. all voter registration books for the general election will close at the end of regular business hours. Registration books will remain closed until the 5th day of November 2008.

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When a voter has been registered according to law, his or her registration shall continue to be valid until one of the following occurs:

1. The voter changes his or her name by marriage.

2. The voter changes residence

3. The voter's name has been purged according to law

If any of the above has occurred, you must re-register.

An individual applicant may request an application for registration in person, by telephone or in writing, by such applicant to the County Election Officer.

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of my office this 15th day of September 2008

(S) Shelly A. Harms, County Clerk/Election Officer Thomas County, Kansas

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SEPTEMBER 27

	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
KLBY/ABC	Good Morning Kansas Saturday		Good Morning America (N) (CC)		Good Morning Kansas Saturday		That's- Raven	That's- Raven	Hannah Montana	Zack & Cody	Emperor New	Replace- ments
KSNK/NBC 8 8	Today (N) (CC)		Jane- Dragon	Zula Patrol	Babar (EI) (CC)	Friend Rabbit	Jane- Dragon	Zula Patrol	Pen- guins	Veggie- Tales	PGA Tour Tour Char	Golf: The npionship
KBSL/CBS	The Early	Show (N) (CC)		News (N)				Straw- berry	Care Bears	Paid Program	Paid Program
K15CG 2	Thomas- Friends	Bob the Builder	Market- Market	Lassie's Pet Vet	Bob the Builder	Thomas- Friends	Beren. Bears	Biz Kid\$ (CC)	Score- board	Motor- Week (N)	Wood- wright	Victory Garden
ESPN 28	SportsCer	nter (CC)	SportsCenter (CC)		SportsCenter (Live) (CC)		College Gameday (Li		ive) (CC)		College Football	
USA 37)	Paid Houses Program For \$300		P90X	Paid Program	Psych (CC	2)	Monk Mr. Monk Buys a House (CC)		House Spin (CC)		Movie: Blue Crush ** (2002) (CC)	
TBS 38	(5:45) Movie: Hook *** (1991, Fantasy) La turns into Peter Pan to save kids from Capta					ck \star ¹ / ₂ (1996) A young rs the real world. <i>Robir</i>		victim of accelerated n Williams. (CC)		Movie: Yours, Mine & Ours ** (2005)		
WGN 39		People- People	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Funniest Pets	Funniest Pets
TNT 40	(5:00) Movie: Angel Law & Order White Eyes ** ¹ / ₂ (2001) Rabbit (CC) (DVS)				Law & Oro (CC) (DVS		Law & Order Sundown		Raising the Bar Pilot (CC)		Raising the Bar (CC)	
DSC (42)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Dirty Jobs Working with animals.		Dirty Jobs Cave Biologist		Dirty Jobs Billboard Installer (CC)		Left Earth: NASA Missions	
A&E (47)	Biography Steve Marti of comic-actor Steve M		tin Chronicling the life Aartin.		Sell This House!	Sell This House!	Busi- Sell This ness House!		Flip This House Green project. (CC)		Movie: The Godfather (1972)	
HIST (48)	Heavy Metal A-10 Tankbuster (CC)		The Presidents 1789-1825 (CC)		The Presidents 1825-1849 (CC)		Secret Access: Air Force One (CC)		The Hunt for John W		/ilkes Booth (CC)	
NICK 55	Jimmy Neutron	Jimmy Neutron	OddPar- ents	OddPar- ents	Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	Barn- yard	Mighty B	Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	WorldWide Day of Play	
DISN 56	The Wiggles	Johnny- Sprites	Ein- steins	Tigger & Pooh	Tigger & Pooh	Mickey Mouse	lmag. Movers	Handy Manny	Higgly- town	Charlie & Lola	Movie: Gotta Kick It Up ★★½ (2002)	
FAM 58	Step by Step	Step by Step	Sabrina- Witch	Sabrina- Witch	Full House	Full House	Ground- ed-Life	Ground- ed-Life		Novie: The Face on the Milk Carton ** 1995, Drama) Kellie Martin, Jill Clayburgh.		
HALL 60	Little House on the Prairie My Ellen Prairie (CC)			Little Hou: Prairie The					★★ (1998, Comedy) Reunited twin back together. <i>Lindsay Lohan.</i> (CC)			

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KLBY/ABC	Paid Paid Paid Paid Program Program Program				College Foot.	College Football: Arkansas at Texas, Colorado vs. Florida State, Fresno State at UCLA or Wisconsin at Michigan. (Live)						
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KBSL/CBS	Paid Paid Links to Legends Program Program (CC)			Football Today	College Football: Tennessee at Auburn. (Live) (CC)							
K15CG 2	Yankee Shop	This Old House	Ask This Old	Home- time (N)	For Your Home	Food	Barbe- cue	School- Fine Art	Love of Quilting	Place- Our Own	Antiques Roadshov	v (CC)
ESPN 28	(11:00) Co Announce		ball: Teams	to Be	Score- board							Score- board
USA 37)	(11:00) Movie: Blue Crush ** (2002) Movie: American We Comedy) Jason Biggs			dding ★★ (5. (CC)	k (2003, Movie: Happy Gilmon hockey player joins the					Movie: Sweet Home Alabama **		
TBS 38	(11:00) Movie: Frie Yours, Mine & Ours (CC		Friends (CC)		Sex and the City	Seinfeld Seinfeld King of (CC) (CC) Queens		King of Queens		ovie: Phenomenon 996, Drama) John T		
WGN 39	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Milwaukee Miller Park. (Live) (CC)				Brewers.	Tenth Inning				All-Time All- Chicago Team (CC) Home		
TNT 40	Raising th Will, I'm W		Raising the Richie Rick) Sam Gera e. <i>Tommy L</i>				
DSC (42)	Left Earth: NASA Missions		Left Earth: NASA Missions		Left Earth: NASA Missions		Left Earth: NASA Missions		Left Earth: NASA Missions		Mega-Tsunamis (CC)	
A&E (47)	(11:00) Movie: The Godfather **** (1972) patriarch tries to hold his empire together. M						Cold Case Files (CC)		Cold Case Files (CC)		CSI: Miami Recoil (CC)	
HIST (48)	Ship of Gold (CC) MonsterQuest Ghosts (CC)			MonsterQuest Giant Killer Snakes		MonsterQuest China's Wildman		The Next Big Bang (CC)		The Universe Cosmic Apocalypse		
NICK 55	(11:00) WorldWide Day of Play				Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	Spon- geBob	iCarly (CC)	iCarly (CC)
DISN 56	(11:00) Movie:	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place	Wizards- Place
FAM 58			eerleader Tori Spellin		Samurai C	irl (Part 1	of 3) (CC)	-	Samurai Girl (Part 2 of 3) (CC)			
HALL 60	Movie: Mu Van Dyke.		2006, Myste	ery) <i>Dick</i>	Movie: McBride: Dogged (2007, Mystery) John Larroquette, Marta Dubois. (CC)				Movie: Mystery Woman: Snapshot (2005, Mystery) Kellie Martin. (CC)			



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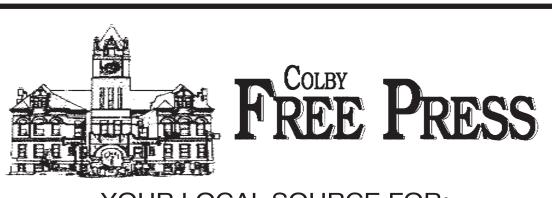
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DSC (42)	Raging Nature Tornadoes (CC)				De- stroyed	De- stroyed	Raging Nature Landslides.		How It's Made	How It's Made	Raging Nature Swarms of insects.	
A&E (47)	CSI: Miami Grand CSI: Miami Prix (CC) (CC)			i Bait CSI: Miami Complications (CC)					The Sopranos Luxury Lounge (CC)		CSI: Miami Bait (CC)	
HIST (48)	Modern Marvels Super City: No The Pig (CC)			: New Yor				How the Earth Was I history. (CC)		ogical	Super City: New York (CC)	
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