

# Silvopasture Field Day 2019

July 25, 2019; 9:00 am - 3:45 pm

Registration and meeting location: Montgomery Dr, Goldsboro, NC 27530

Later in the day participants will visit the Agroforestry Unit at CEFS Field Research Education, and Outreach Facility at Cherry Research Farm  
(farm coordinates: 35.3841520, -78.0344300)

8:30-9:00a	Registration opens	
9:00-9:10a	Welcome and remarks	<p>Johnnie Howard, Interim Superintendent Cherry Research Farm</p> <p>Natalie Hummel Assistant Director to NCARS</p>
9:10-9:40a	Silvopasture systems: hows and whys!	John Fike, Crop & Soil Environmental Sciences, Virginia Tech
9:40 – 10:10a	CEFS silvopasture design and some production and soil responses	Alan Franzluebbers, USDA
10:10-10:40a	Forage productivity and heat-stress mitigation in the CEFS silvopasture	Miguel Castillo, Crop & Soil Sciences, NC State
10:40-10:50a	Break	
10:50 – 12:45p	Visit agroforestry/Silvopasture site	
12:45 – 1:30p	Lunch	Catering from Great Harvest Bread Company
1:30 – 2:00p	Opportunities to lease land using Silvopasture systems	Sarah Blacklin and Lee Menius, NC Choices, NC State
2:00 - 2:30p	Animal performance in the CEFS Silvopasture study	Matt Poore, Animal Sciences, NC State
2:30 – 3:00p	Animal performance and welfare in Virginia Silvopastures	Gabriel Pent, Crop & Soil Environmental Sciences, Virginia Tech
3:00 – 3:30p	The economics of agroforestry and Silvopastures in the Southeast USA	Greg Frey, USDA Forest Service
3:30-3:45p	Closing remarks, adjourn	

