



## Northern Plains Forage Association Annual Meeting Sponsorship Information Package

**Dec. 11, 2025**

**Holiday Inn Express, Brandon, SD**

On behalf of the Northern Plains Forage Association, we are excited to host our third annual meeting at Brandon, SD. This meeting is open to anyone with an interest in the forage industry in the Northern Plains (no need to be a member to attend). Currently, we are asking for your support for the 2025 event.

Forages are an unsung hero in the Midwest and good production practices are often overlooked. This year, we plan to host a day-long educational session concluding with a short business meeting. The session will host keynote speaker, Erika Rodbell with Forage Genetics International speaking about alfalfa weevil management. Other topics include "Diverse Cropping Systems and Livestock Integration" (Bryan Jorgensen, Jorgensen Land & Cattle), a baleage panel discussion (local producers, Dan Funke and Josh Schmidt), and "Sorghum/Corn Intercropping work in SD" (Peter Sexon and Sean Robinson, SDSU).

The meeting will be advertised through the NPFA website and Facebook page, the SDSU Extension website, print and broadcast media, flyers, paid social media advertising, and other means as funding allows. As a potential supporter of the program, we appreciate any additional promotion you are willing to provide through flyers, newsletters, email, or word of mouth! If you're interested in sponsoring, please visit <https://www.npforage.com/annual-meeting-sponsorship.html> to sign up and pay online or fill out the invoice for the desired amount of sponsorship, and return to the address listed on the form by Nov. 14.

Please contact Sara Bauder at [sara.bauder@sdstate.edu](mailto:sara.bauder@sdstate.edu) with any questions you may have regarding sponsorship. We look forward to your participation and promotion of our event to your clientele. A formal flyer is enclosed.

*Sara Bauder*, SDSU Extension Agronomy Field Specialist, NPFA Director

*David Elliot*, Northern Plains Forage Association President

### **Sponsorship Information:**

#### **Gold Sponsorship- \$500 Level**

- Your logo will be posted in our program and promotions
- Informational booth/display table provided for conference break networking
- 1 Handout from your business or group can be placed in the meeting packet for participants

#### **Silver Sponsorship- \$250 Level**

- Your logo will be posted in our program and promotions
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#### **Bronze Sponsorship- \$100 Level**

- Your logo will be posted in our program and promotions

### **Additional notes to sponsors:**

- If you choose to be a Gold or Silver sponsor, please mail your business handouts (~100) by 11/14/25 to: Northern Plains Forage Association, c/o Sara Bauder, 29881 421st Ave. Tyndall, SD 57066
- Please supply a high-quality version of your logo to Sara Bauder at [sara.bauder@sdstate.edu](mailto:sara.bauder@sdstate.edu) by 11/14/25



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2025 Sponsorship Invoice

Sponsor Name:

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Sponsorship Levels:

1. Gold Sponsorship - \$500
2. Silver Sponsorship - \$250
3. Bronze Sponsorship - \$100

Please pay by check by 11/14/25. Checks can be made payable to “Northern Plains Forage Association” and include a copy of this invoice with your check. Please mail in time for an 11/14/25 arrival to:

Northern Plains Forage Association  
c/o Sara Bauder  
29881 421<sup>st</sup> Ave.  
Tyndall, SD 57066

***Thanks for your support of the Northern Plains Forage Association!***

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