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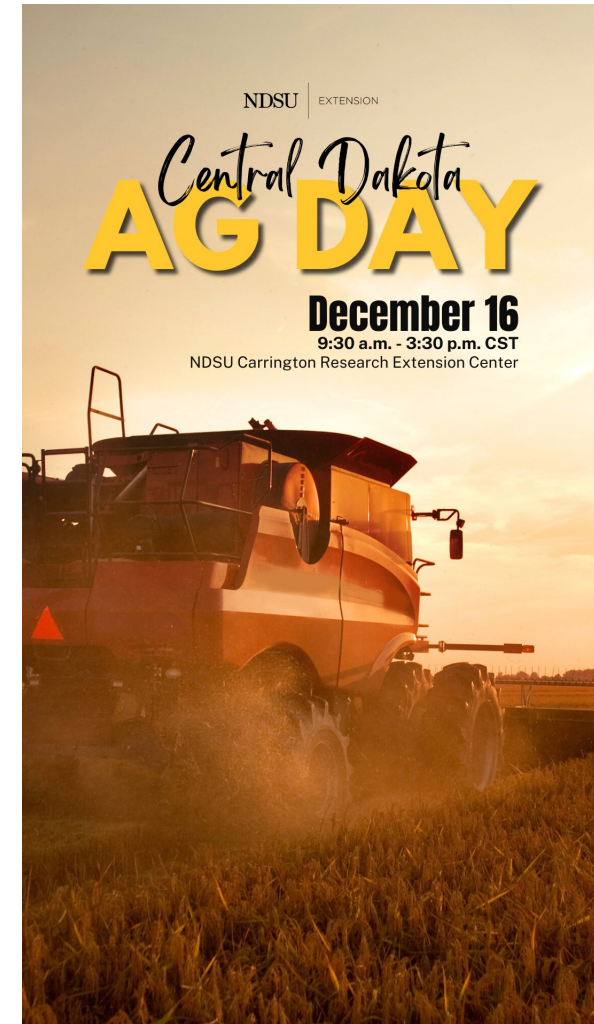
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Central Dakota Ag Day Monday, December 16, 2024

	Agronomy Sessions Large Conference Room	Ag Life Sessions Video Conference Room	Livestock Sessions Library
9:30 a.m.	Vendor time: coffee and donuts		
9:50 a.m.	Welcome and introductions		
10:00 a.m.	2024 Wheat disease review and associated quality issues. Andrew Friskop, Plant Pathologist, NDSU Extension (0.5 CCA PM)	Beekeeping the way my family taught me. Ethan Johnson, beekeeper, Robson Honey Company	Cattle markets and inventory (pt 1). Tim Petry, Livestock Economist, NDSU Extension
10:30 a.m.	Playing defense against emerging soybean diseases. Wade Webster, Soybean Pathology Specialist, NDSU Extension (0.5 CCA PM)	What is a pollinator garden? Michelle Gilley, Agriculture and Natural Resources Agent, NDSU Extension Eddy County	Cattle markets and inventory (pt 2). Tim Petry, Livestock Economist, NDSU Extension
11:00 a.m.	Washington, D.C. Agriculture update. Tom Brusegaard, Field Representative for U.S. Senator John Hoeven (0.5 CCA CM)		
11:45 a.m.	Lunch		
12:30 p.m.	Spray drones with a dash of artificial intelligence. Rob Proulx, Agriculture Technology Systems Specialist, NDSU Extension (0.5 CCA PM)	North Dakota Agricultural Weather Network. Cassidy Holth, NDAWN Field Technician and Climatologist, ND State Climate Office	Managing a successful beef AI program. Lacey Quail, Livestock Management Specialist, NDSU North Central Research Extension Center
1:00 p.m.	Basics of canola production. Anitha Chirumamilla, Cropping Systems Specialist, NDSU Langdon Research Extension Center (0.5 CCA CM)	Kids win and farms win with North Dakota Farm to School. Amanda Olson, Farm to Child Nutrition Specialist, ND Department of Public Instruction	Preparing for a successful sheep breeding season. Rachel Gibbs, Ruminant Systems Management Specialist, NDSU Hettinger Research Extension Center
1:30 p.m.	Dry bean and soybean weed management. Jeff Stachler, Cropping Systems Specialist, NDSU Carrington Research Extension Center (0.5 CCA PM)	Ag History in Foster County. Kim Watson, volunteer, Foster County Museum	How to put up good silage. Karl Hoppe, Livestock Systems Specialist, Carrington Research Extension Center
2:00 p.m.	Maximizing weed control: a systems approach. Alicia Harstad, Agriculture and Natural Resources Agent, NDSU Extension Barnes County (0.5 CCA PM)	Landscaping ideas and plants for color and fun. Dennis Swanson, Co-chair, Carrington Garden Club	Beef Quality Assurance tidbits. Sarah Crimmins, Agriculture and Natural Resources Agent, NDSU Extension Sheridan County
2:30 p.m.	Now what? 2025 Crop market outlook. Frayne Olson, NDSU Extension Crops Economist (1.0 CCA CM)		
3:30 p.m.	Conclude		