8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Registration & Visit Trade Show Location: Farm Bureau Tent

\$10 per person for OSIA Members (includes lunch)

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9:00 - 9:30 a.m. Introductions/Welcome Location: Predator Control Workshop Tent

Roger A. High, OSU Sheep Extension Specialist, Executive Director, OSIA & OSWP

Daryl Clark, President, Ohio Sheep Improvement Association

The Basic History, Development & Management of Ray Family Farm Shawn & Kim Ray, Owner/Operators

Morning Breakout Session 1 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

ASI Eastern Region Predator Control Workshop - a comprehensive seminar
on predator control for the Eastern
United States, specifically coyotes and
black vultures

Morning Breakout Session 1 (cont.) 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Predator Control Workshop Tent **Facilitator**: Andy Montoney

State Predator Programs and Philosophies

Andy Montoney, Ohio Director, USDA-APHIS

Wildlife Services

Scott Peters, District Three Wildlife Mgmt. Supervisor, ODNR Division of Wildlife Sam Mills, Wildlife Biologist, West Virginia, USDA-APHIS Wildlife Services

Dr. Sheldon Owen, Wildlife Extension Specialist, West Virginia University **Harris Glass**, Pennsylvania State Director, USDA-APHIS Wildlife Servides

<u>Effective Use of Guard Animals for Predator</u> Control

Mike Marlow, Wildlife Biologist, Resource Management Specialist, Ft. Collin, CO, USDA-APHIS

Non-Lethal Control Techniques for Predator Control

Mike Marlow, Wildlife Biologist, Resource Management Specialist, Ft. Collin, CO, USDA-APHIS

Morning Breakout Session 2 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Land and living facilities wagon tour of farm with sessions along the route **Facilitator:** Shawn Ray

<u>Understanding the Value of Agricultural</u>
<u>Lime as a Pasture or Hay Field Nutrient</u> **Clif Little**, OSU Ag Natural Resources Educator, Guernsey County Morning Breakout Session 2 (cont.) 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Approved Practices for Successful Pasture
Improvement and Renovation

Bob Hendershot, Green Pasture Services

Approved EQIP Practices on Small
Ruminant (Sheep and Goat) Operations
Abigail McClain, Soil Conservationist, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Services

Morning Breakout Session 3 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Location: Pole Barn

Facilitators: Doug Clevenger & Chris Clark

Basic Sheep Management Practices

Doug Clevenger, Shepherd, OARDC, Wooster **Chris Clark**, OARDC/EARS

<u>Key Considerations When Selecting Sheep</u> Equipment

Dean Armstrong, Townsend Livestock Equipment Sales

Kim Ketcham, Ketcham Sheep Equipment Sales

Dennis Schoenian, D-S Livestock Equipment

<u>Development and Set-up of a Lambing Barn</u> <u>Arrangement</u>

Doug Clevenger, Shepherd, OARDC, Wooster **Chris Clark**, OARDC/EARS

Lamb Lunch (prepaid at registration) 12:00 - 1:30 p.m. *Location: Farm Bureau Tent* **Afternoon Breakout Session 1** 1:30 - 4:00 p.m.

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Location: Predator Control Workshop Tent

Facilitator: Andy Montoney

<u>Dealing with Black Vultures, Control</u> <u>Methods and Permitting</u>

Eric Householder, Wildlife Technician, USDA-APHIS Wildlife Services

<u>Utilization of Trapping and Snaring</u> <u>Techniques for Predator Control</u> **Mike Dyer**, Professional Trapper

<u>Utilization of Livestock Protection Collars</u> (<u>LPC's</u>) and M-44's as Predator Control Techniques

Sam Mills, Wildlife Biologist, West Virginia, USDA-APHIS Wildlife Services

Afternoon Breakout Session 2

(Repeat of Morning Breakout Session 2) 1:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Location: Land and living facilities wagon tour of farm with sessions along the route Facilitator: Shawn Ray

<u>Understanding the Value of Agricultural</u>
<u>Lime as a Pasture or Hay Field Nutrient</u> **Clif Little**, OSU Ag Natural Resources
Educator, Guernsey County

Afternoon Breakout Session 2 (cont.) (Repeat of Morning Breakout Session 2) 1:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Approved Practices for Successful Pasture Improvement and Renovation

Bob Hendershot, Green Pasture Services

Approved EQIP Practices on Small
Ruminant (Sheep and Goat) Operations
Abigail McClain, Soil Conservationist, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Services

Afternoon Breakout Session 3 (Repeat of Morning Breakout Session 3) 1:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Location: Pole Barn

Facilitators: Doug Clevenger & Chris Clark

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4:00 p.m. Adjourn Have a Safe Trip Home!

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