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Special Announcement!

Attention landowners, ranch managers, quail hunters, and quail aficionados!

The Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute is excited to present the 5th Quail Short Course and Restoration Workshop

September 11th-12th, 2013 Caesar Kleberg Wildlife Center 1730 W Corral Kingsville, Texas 78363

The event will begin with an evening reception at the Wildlife Center on September 11th, and then September 12th will include a tour of the South Texas Natives Farm, a Restoration Workshop with emphasis on restoring Eagle Ford Shale land, and discussions on quail habitat, quail ecology, population counts, and more!



Providing the science behind quail conservation and management.

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Agenda

Wednesday, Sept. 11th, 2013

6:30 p.m.

Welcome Reception - Cocktails and Hors d'Oeuvres

Thursday, Sept. 12th, 2013

8:00a.m. - Tour of South Texas Natives Farm

Restoration Workshop

10:00 a.m. - Habitat Concerns and Restoration Challenges -A ranch manager and wildlife biologist's perspective on 5 years with the Eagle Ford.

10:30 a.m. - You planted what?

-Why exotic grasses may be the greatest threat next to complete habitat loss in the Eagle Ford.

11:00 a.m. - Getting native habitat restoration right -Examples and data supporting why when you plant, what you plant, and how you plant dictates success in South Texas oil field restoration.

11:30 a.m. - The Bottom Line of Eagle Ford Shale Restoration -Using Native Plants-what it costs and how to make sure it is getting done.

12:00 p.m. - Lunch

1:30 - Panel Discussion on restoration

5th Texas Quail Conference

1:30 p.m. -History of Feeding Quail: Research Results

2:00 p.m. - Interpreting Quail Density Estimates from King Ranch

2:30 p.m. - Quail Ecology: The Basics

2:45 p.m. - Break

3:00 p.m. - Quail and the Eagle Ford, The Nueces River Projects

3:30 p.m. - Habitat Changes and Quail

4:00 p.m. - Panel Discussion

How to Register

Registration is \$150 per person, which includes the reception on September 11th and all events on September 12th. This is a complimentary event for Caesar Kleberg

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Save the Date!

August 24th, 2013: South Texas Quail Coalition Annual Banquet and Fundraiser

For more information and to purchase tickets, click <u>here</u>.



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Interested in attending? You can register on-line here or by downloading a registration form and mailing it to:

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If paying by check, please make checks out to TAMUK. If paying by credit card, you may mail the registration form to the address above or fax it to (361) 593-3924.

Registration is limited! Please sign up by September 5th to guarantee a reservation.

For more information about registration, please contact:

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