

# 2024 Ranch Horse Program

## Sunday, August 4, 2024

### 8:00-8:30 AM Registration

Hildebrand Equine Complex

### 8:30-8:45 AM Welcome

### 8:45-9:15 AM Horse Happenings

- Dr. Chelsie Huseman: Discussing the results of the 2023 American Horse Council Economic Impact Survey
- Dr. Jennifer Zoller: Brief update on equine equine programs in the Department of Animal Science

### 9:15-10:15 AM Ranch Horse Joint Health

- Dr. Kati Glass: Clinician Associate Professor in Large Animal Surgery, Dept. of Large Animal Clinical Sciences, Texas A&M University
- Dr. Jessica Leatherwood: Associate Professor, Dept. of Animal Science, Tarleton State University

Joint health is crucial for the long-term productivity of equine athletes. Drs. Glass and Leatherwood will discuss joint structure and management practices that promote joint health and longevity in working horses. Their extensive research in this field enables them to offer valuable insights beneficial to horse owners and producers.

### 10:15-10:30 AM Break

### 10:30-11:30 AM Business Management Practices

Dr. Roger Hanagriff: Associate Professor and Texas Aggie Rodeo Coach, Department of Animal Science, Texas A&M University

Dr. Hanagriff integrates his expertise in Agricultural Business and Agricultural Education with hands-on experience from managing his own operation to offer practical business solutions. He will discuss cash flow budgets, providing an example template, detailed instructions, and guidance on using these tools to develop projected financial statements.

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### 11:30-12:30 PM The Stuart Ranch-Q&A with Terry Stuart Forst

Terry Stuart Forst: General Manager

Terry Stuart Forst, a rancher and innovator, oversees the historic 75 Stuart Ranch, the oldest family ranch in Oklahoma. Under her leadership, the ranch has become one of the most profitable in the Southwest and one of the top North American quarter horse ranches, earning the AQHA Best Remuda Award in 1995. Terry achieved this success by implementing significant changes in cattle operations, greatly improving the ranch's profitability. She graduated at the top of her class from Texas Christian University's Ranch Management Program and serves on multiple industry boards, contributing her expertise and leadership to the ranching community.

### 1:00-3:00 PM In the Arena with Craig Cameron

Craig Cameron is a celebrated horse trainer and clinician from Texas, known for his compassionate and effective horsemanship techniques inspired by Ray Hunt. He founded the Extreme Cowboy Race and hosts "Ride Smart with Craig Cameron" on RFD-TV, traveling extensively to teach and inspire horse enthusiasts worldwide. Cameron's approach emphasizes patience and understanding, earning him numerous accolades, including induction into the Texas Cowboy Hall of Fame. His influence and dedication to traditional ranching methods continue to shape the horse training community.

