

WHO SHOULD **ATTEND**

If you are planning to do farm work, and it is for someone other than a parent or guardian, and you are 14 or 15 years of age, you must take a tractor safety course following the U.S. Department of Labor requirements.

REGISTRATION DUE

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CLASSROOM SESSION

Thursday, May 23rd 8:30 am-4:30 pm



FEES

\$10 due when registering Lunch-Provided



LOCATION

Blue Fair Barn, 108 E 9th, Harper, KS

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Parents and Youth 14-15 years old,

K-State Research and Extensions along with our partner Prairieland Partners are once again hosting "Tractor Safety" training. This is the federally required course for youth of these ages to work for someone other than their parents or grandparents.

There can be stiff penalties assessed to farmers who employee youth of this age without this training. We know that you also want to keep your youth safe as they venture out into what will be for most, their first job.

Our goal with this class is to shed some light on the potential dangers involved in agriculture as well as teach some basic tractor operational and maintenance information. The core class requires 10 hours of contact time.

This year we are sending home a reading assignment and worksheet to be completed before the session to cut down on our actual classroom time. Hopefully this will allow for a more interactive session.

At the end of the classroom time the students will take a test. After passing the test they are required to do 2 hours of tractor operation, completing a list of tasks. No compensation can be received for this time. After successful completion of the tractor operation, they will return their documentation back into the office. Two certificates of completion are issued from the Extension Office, one for the youth and one for the employer.

Please sign up early so youth can get started on their homework. This can be done at the Kingman County Extension Office, 125 N Spruce, Kingman, KS.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any additional questions.

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