

Tennessee Poultry Association*



Grower Education Seminar Series

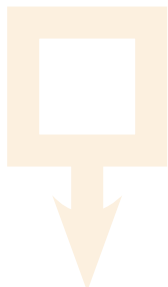
presents

Reducing Poultry House Heating COSTS

Are you fighting a battle between maintaining performance and paying the bills due to high propane costs and wintertime temperatures? Learn from a world-renown expert the steps you can take in cold weather months to reduce fuel usage to heat poultry houses while also improving environmental conditions to optimize bird performance.

PLUS. . . Representatives of the USDA Rural Development will explain how you can get up to 25 percent in matching grant funds and/or loan assistance to implement energy efficient improvements or purchase renewable energy systems. Application assistance will be provided.

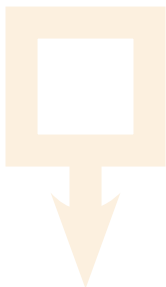
Featured Speakers



Mike Czarick

Extension Engineer – Poultry, University of Georgia

The poultry industry in the U.S. and internationally considers Czarick to be the father of tunnel ventilation. He has conducted training on aspects of poultry house environmental controls, including cold-weather ventilation, in every poultry-producing state.



Dr. Brian Fairchild

Extension Poultry Specialist, University of Georgia

Partnering with Czarick, Dr. Fairchild has conducted extensive research and published papers on the topic of energy efficiency in broiler houses. His ongoing research projects include reviewing new technologies that can be adapted to improve broiler production.

Monday, February 16

10 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Boling University Center**
The University of Tennessee Martin
Martin, TN
Featured Speaker: Brian Fairchild

Tuesday, February 24

10 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Clyde York 4-H Center**
62 4-H Center Drive
Crossville, TN
Featured Speaker: Mike Czarick

Monday, February 23

10:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. **Lane Agri-Park**
(Rutherford County Extension Office)
315 John Rice Blvd.
Murfreesboro, TN
Featured Speaker: Mike Czarick

Wednesday, February 25

10 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Bradley County Extension Office**
95 Church Street, SE
Cleveland, TN
Featured Speaker: Mike Czarick

All times are local. • Complimentary lunch served at all meetings.

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The programs are coordinated by TPA in cooperation with The University of Tennessee Extension.

This is a free seminar and luncheon, however pre-registration is required. See the reverse side for registration information.

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Recommended biosecurity for poultry growers attending meetings

- I. Meeting at another poultry farm or facility
 - A. Do not go to meeting directly after being in your poultry houses. Change shoes and clothing and preferably shower before attending meeting.
 - B. At meeting, park as far away from poultry houses or facility as possible.
 - C. After meeting, inspect shoes for any manure or debris, and clean and disinfect them if needed.
 - D. If possible, wash vehicle and disinfect tires before arriving back at your premise.
 - E. After arriving home, change clothes and shoes before entering your poultry house. Shower if possible.
- II. Meeting at facility with no connection to poultry
 - A. Do not go to meeting directly after being in your poultry houses. Change shoes and clothing and preferably shower before attending meeting.
 - B. After meeting, inspect shoes for any manure or debris, and clean and disinfect them if needed.
 - C. After arriving home, change clothes and shoes before entering your poultry house. Shower if possible.
- III. Document date and place of meeting for future reference if problem occurs.

The Tennessee Poultry Association represents you

The Tennessee Poultry Association is a nonprofit, statewide trade association promoting a positive business climate for producers and processors of chicken products through effective government and public relations, membership services, and educational activities. Learn more: www.tnpoultry.org.

Registration

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February 2009

Registration, meals, and materials are free to all registrants. TPA membership is not required for attendance.

YES, I will attend the grower seminar in (Check one)

Martin Murfreesboro Crossville Cleveland

My Name: _____

Guest Name: _____

Farm Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

I am a grower for: _____



Mail your registration to:

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REGISTRATION CLOSSES FIVE BUSINESS DAYS BEFORE DATE OF THE SEMINAR.

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