

Idaho State Rangeland Assessment CDE

October 12-13, 2020; Blackfoot, Idaho



University of Idaho



In-person Competition

Where:

Eastern Idaho State Fair Grandstand Arena*
97 Park Street
Blackfoot, Idaho 83221

*We are doing our best to hold a fun, educational event for the students. Depending on the participation level and weather, the exact location may be subject to change but will remain in the Blackfoot area.

Schedule

Monday, October 12th (optional; a sign-up form will be emailed to those schools that plan to attend the evening training to block out a 30 minute session for their chapter. Equipment and tables will be cleaned in-between chapter use).

- 6:00-9:00 pm: Welcome, Dinner (pizza provided), CDE Training/Practice

Tuesday, October 13th

Below is our tentative schedule. To limit people's contact, chapters will rotate together through each part of the event. Rotations will be randomly assigned.

- 7:00-8:00am: Pick-up packets
- 8:00am-1:30pm: Rotate through Part 1-Part 5. Some chapters will start by completing Part 1A and 1B at the fair grounds, while other chapters will head immediately to the field to complete Part 2-5
 - Part 1: 90 minutes (fair grounds)
 - Part 2 and 3: 30-45 minutes (field)
 - Part 4: 30-45 minutes (field)
 - Part 5: 30-45 minutes (field)
- 1:30-2:30pm: Luncheon (fair grounds)
- 2:30-3:30pm: Career Presentation and Awards (fair grounds)

In-person Registration

Registration is due **Wednesday, October 7th** and is **\$10/person**. This includes dinner on Monday (pizza) and the catered lunch on Tuesday.

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Virtual Experience

If you are unable to attend the in-person competition, or would like additional practice, we will be offering a virtual experience following the basic event guidelines on October 15th. Students will have 90 minutes to complete the virtual event. The event will be available from 7:00am to 9:00pm. Further instructions will be provided following registration.

*This experience will be free but requires you to register your team(s) and or individuals. Registration is due **Wednesday, October 7th**. Awards (unofficial) will be given for the virtual experience.*

Virtual Experience Registration

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Visit:

www.IdahoRangeCDE.org

for **Event Information** (Rules, Event Manual, and Event Scorecards), **Scenario Examples** (problems and solutions), and **Plant List** (including plant links and Quizlet).

Novice Rangeland Assessment Event

To allow new students the opportunity to learn and take interest in the Rangeland Evaluation CDE, a Novice Rangeland Assessment Event will take place simultaneously with the regular CDE. The regular contest elements will be modified for novice (visit www.IdahoRangeCDE.org for more information).

Safety Guidelines related to covid-19

- Face coverings are required inside buildings and when social distancing of at least six feet is not sustainable.
- You are responsible to provide face coverings and are responsible for your own personal health and hygiene. Disinfectants and hand sanitizers will be provided at the event.
- All equipment, tables, chairs, etc. will be disinfected prior to the event and throughout as needed.
- The luncheon will be served to students by masked servers. Tables will be at least 6 feet apart.
- To minimize interaction between schools, 1-2 chapters will complete each station at a time.
- Each coach or district is responsible for transporting their own students to the event site.
- You should not come to the event if you are sick with COVID-19 symptoms, test positive for COVID-19, or have been exposed to someone with symptoms or someone suspected or confirmed to have COVID-19.
- Thermal scanning: individuals having a body temperature of 100.4 or higher will not be permitted to attend.
- Organizers and volunteers must wear a face covering.
- If you choose to not comply with the above guidelines, you be asked to leave the facilities and will be unable to compete in the CDE.

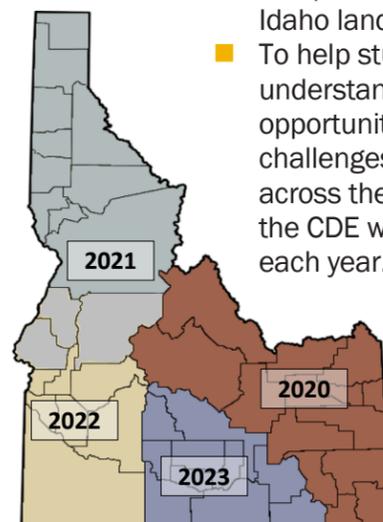
Please contact April Hulet if you have any additional questions/concerns.

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Rangeland CDE Location:

- Idaho's iconic rangelands comprise more than 50% of Idaho lands.
- To help students understand the rich opportunities and complex challenges on rangelands across the state of Idaho, the CDE will rotate locations each year.



Western National Rangeland CDE

Baker City, OR | November 9-10, 2020

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