

Agenda

Friday, November 27, 2026

- 12:00 PM Farm Tour 1: Linc Farm - River John, NS**
- 1:15 PM Farm Tour 2: Bayhead Farm - Bayhead, NS**
- 3:45 PM Conference Registration Opens**
- 4:15 PM Conference Welcome**
- 4:30 PM Session 1: Managing Multiples**
- Kara Chisholm - Agri-Commodity Management Association
 - Dr. Wilma Schenkels - Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture
- 5:30 PM Lamb Dinner**
- 6:45 PM Session 2: Keynote Address**
- Dr. Heather Aitken - Rideau-St. Lawrence Veterinary Services

Saturday, November 28, 2026

- 8:00 AM SPANS Annual General Meeting - Business Meeting**
- 9:00 AM Farm Tour 3: Ruminant Animal Centre (Dalhousie University)**
- 10:00 AM Nutrition Break**
- 10:15 AM Session 3: Grazing Cover Crops**
- Shane Wood - Perennia Food and Agriculture
- 11:15 AM Session 4: TBD**
- 12:15 AM Lunch**
- 1:30 PM Session 5: TBD**
- Isaac Matchett (Zoom) - Matchett Sheep Farm
- 2:00 PM Session 6: Next Generation International Exchange Program**
- Juliet Oraziotti - Linc Farm
- 2:30 PM Fireside Chat**
- 3:00 PM Wrap-Up and Evaluation**