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Apply for LEAD class by June 15

If you've always wanted to be part of the country's top agricultural leadership program, now is your chance.

Applications for Nebraska LEAD (Leadership Education/Action Development) Group XXVIII are available for men and women involved in production agriculture or agribusiness. Deadline is June 15.

"Up to 30 motivated men and women with demonstrated leadership potential will be selected from five geographic

districts across our state," says Terry Hejny, Nebraska LEAD program director.

In addition to monthly three-day seminars throughout Nebraska from September through April each year, Nebraska LEAD Fellows also participate in a 10-day National Study/Travel Seminar and a two- to three-week International Study/Travel Seminar.

Seminar themes include economics, foreign cultures, government, commu-

nications, international trade, politics, business, labor, environment, finance and industry, as well as agriculture.

Applications are available via e-mail from the Nebraska LEAD Program. Please contact Amber at akinnaman2@unlnotes.unl.edu.

Applications also can be obtained by writing to Room 318, Biochemistry Hall, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE 68583-0763 or by calling 402-472-6810.

LEAD class XXVI finishes program

ANOTHER Nebraska LEAD class is ready to lead.

The 30 graduates of LEAD XXVI are: Matt Albers, Wisner; Britt Anderson, Gothenburg; Laif Anderson, Harrisburg; Jim Ballard, Raymond; Eldon Bish, Aurora; Jason Bonsack, Wood River; Dwayne Braun, Aurora; Wayne Bruns, Waco; Scott Eisenmenger, West Point; Mike Fogarty, Hartington; Jeff Friedrich, Wausa; Suzanne Glendy, Oconto; Craig Grams, Upland; Willow Holoubek, David City; Bryce Kelley, Scottsbluff; Grady Koch, Upland; Mark Koch, Laurel; Nick Ladenburger, Stratton; Marty Larsen, Whitman; Brooks Larson, Lyons; Norman Lewandowski, Rockville; Lana Likens, Fairbury; Susan Nelson, Monroe; Katie O'Kief, Wood Lake; Ron Pavelka, Glenvil; Wayne Sackschewsky, York; Paul Schadegg, Sidney; Scott Spohn, Lincoln; Brian Starck, Fairbury; and Brian Wray, Ord.

The purpose of the Nebraska LEAD Program is to prepare and motivate men and women in agriculture for more effective leadership.

'Beef State' has 2 premier showings

THE June 1 documentary, "Beef State: A History of Nebraska Beef," will have two premiere showings as part of fundraising efforts.

On May 21, the Nebraska State Historical Society Foundation will hold a premier at the Haythorn Land and Cattle Co., north of Ogallala. Diane Rolfmeyer, executive director of the NSHS Foundation, says the "world premiere" begins at 5:30 p.m. with a social hour, following by dinner and a dance. Tickets are \$100 each, and proceeds go to the foundation. Call the foundation at 402-435-3535.

The second one, set for May 29 in Lincoln, is billed as the "Governor's Premiere" and will be held at the Cornhusker Hotel. Gov. Dave Heineman will deliver the keynote address. A special reception will be held at 5:30 p.m., with dinner and the screening of "Beef State" at 6:30 p.m.

This premiere is a fundraiser for the NET Foundations for Television and Radio with group tables and individual tickets available. For information about the special reception and the dinner/screening, contact Jenny Herstein of the NET Foundations, at 402-472-9333, ext. 556, or e-mail jherstein@netNebraska.org.

The actual airing of the "Beef State: A History of Nebraska Beef" will occur on June 1, at 6 p.m., on NET 1 and NET HD (Read the story on Page 4 of the April *Nebraska Farmer*).

Photo identification

Our April issue, on Page 4, carried a feature detailing the June 1 NET 1 airing of "Beef State." Illustrating the feature was a photo from the Nebraska State Historical Society showing cattle on the Grassmyer farm near Amherst in 1903. Photo ID was lost during production.

It should have been identified as: Nebraska State Historical Society Photo from the Solomon D. Butcher Collection.

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