

**42nd Annual Montana Range Days**  
**Red Lodge, Montana, June 18 - 20, 2018**



**Tentative Schedule of Events**

**Monday, June 18th (All youth under 18 must be supervised by a parent or advisor!)**

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Registration	Fairgrounds
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Staff Lunch (others on your own)	Fairgrounds - Home Ec. Building
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Steering Committee Lunch/ Meeting	Fairgrounds - Home Ec. Building
1:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Practice Site	Fairgrounds
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Instructors Prep Meeting	Fairgrounds
<b>SUPPER ON YOUR OWN!!</b>		
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Illustrated Talks	Red Lodge High School
7:30 PM - 10:00 PM	Movie	TBA



**Tuesday, June 19th (Youth will be supervised by staff from 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM)**

**Parents and Advisors must provide supervision before and after those times.**

6:00 AM - 7:30 AM	Breakfast	Fairgrounds - Home Ec. Building
6:00 AM - 7:30 AM	Registration	Fairgrounds - Office
8:00 AM	All Plant Collections, Weed Collections, Range Displays and Completed 4-H Range Units must be set up in the designated Judging room by 8:00 AM Tuesday morning or they will not be evaluated. Fairgrounds - Rabbit Barn	
7:30 AM - 7:45 AM	Board Bus at Fairgrounds for Workshop	
8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Work Shops	Sunlight Ranch Co.
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Lamb BBQ	Sunlight Ranch Co.
1:00 PM - 3:30 PM	Work Shops	Sunlight Ranch Co.
4:00 PM - 6:30 PM	Free Time/Study/Practice Site	
4:00 PM - 6:30 PM	Curriculum Advisory Committee	Fairgrounds
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM	Beef Banquet	Fairgrounds - Home Ec. Building
8:30 PM - 9:30 PM	Parents and Advisors Meeting	Fairgrounds
8:30 PM - 10:30 PM	Dance	Fairgrounds - Home Ec. Building
11:00 PM	Lights OUT!	

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**Wednesday, June 20th (youth will be supervised by staff from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM.**

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6:00 AM - 7:30 AM	Breakfast	Fairgrounds - Home Ec. Building
7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	Travel to Testing Site	Sunlight Ranch Co.
8:00 AM - 11:30 AM	TESTING	Sunlight Ranch Co.
8:45 AM - 10:30 AM	Buckaroos & Ecosystem Explorers	Yellowstone Wildlife Sanctuary
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Lunch	Fairgrounds - Home Ec. Building
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Awards Ceremony!	Fairgrounds - Sales Barn

***TOURS***

**Tuesday, June 19th**

**7:45 AM - 8:00 AM Board Bus**

**8:30 AM - 4:30 PM** “Comparing Length of Grazing Management” Three separate ranches (along Cottonwood Creek, Silesia MT) have followed a prescribed grazing system for various lengths of time, 20+ years, 5 years, and zero years. The tour will focus in on the differences in the riparian areas between the three ranches. This is Carbon Counties best example of rangeland recovery. This tour is scheduled during the workshop portion of Range Days.

**Lunch provided**

**Wednesday, June 20th**

**7:45 AM - 11:30 AM Bus Tour with Matt Ricketts** “Plants along the Beartooth Scenic Highway” This tour is scheduled during the testing portion of Range Days.

**Tour Cost: \$10 per person, including lunch on Tuesday**