

**Tour de Forage** is a series of regional meetings. If you are unable to attend the Albany meeting, consider joining us at another site:

**January 30** - Southeast MN Forage Council Winter Meeting  
St. Charles Community Center  
830 Whitewater Ave, St. Charles, MN

**February 1** - Northeast MN Forage & Grassland Council Winter Meeting  
The Event Center  
201 W 7<sup>th</sup> Ave, Floodwood, MN

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# 2018



## Central MN Forage Council & MFA Winter Meeting

**Wednesday, January 31, 2018**  
**Shady's Hometown Tavern & Event Center**  
451 Railroad Ave  
Albany, MN 56307

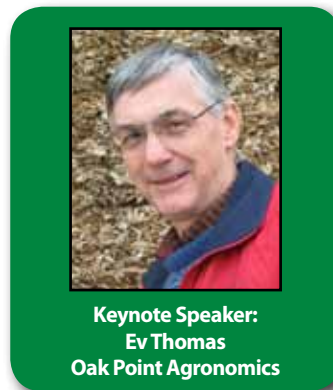
This is one in a series of regional meetings. If you are unable to attend the Albany meeting, additional sites are listed in this brochure.

Organized by:



**Albany Tour de Forage • January 31**  
**Central Minnesota Forage Council & MFA Winter Meeting**  
**Shady's Hometown Tavern & Event Center • 9:00 - 2:30**

- 9:00 Registration/Welcome**
- 9:35 Winter Kill & Other Peril Insurance Options**  
Steve Frelich, NAU Country - Madelia, MN
- 10:15 Managing Soil Nutrients on Dairy Farms**  
Ev Thomas, Oak Point Agronomics - Hammond, NY
- 11:15 Cover Crop/Manure Trial Update**  
Randy Pepin, University of Minnesota - St. Cloud, MN
- 11:30 What's Hot & What's Not in Corn Hybrids for Silage**  
Ev Thomas, Oak Point Agronomics - Hammond, NY
- 12:05 Meet the Sponsors**
- 12:15 Lunch/Exhibits**
- 1:00 Grass & Alfalfa-Grass Mixtures: Keys for Success**  
Ev Thomas, Oak Point Agronomics - Hammond, NY
- 2:00 MFA/NAFA Update**
- 2:15 Local Council Report**  
Dan Martens, University of Minnesota Extension - Foley, MN
- 2:30 Adjourn**



**Location: Shady's Hometown Tavern & Event Center**  
 451 Railroad Ave, Albany, MN 56307

**For questions on presentations, contact:**  
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**Online registration available at:**  
**midwestforage.org**

Registration questions? Call 651.484.3888

**Agendas/speakers subject to change.**  
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**Save the Date!**  
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**Beef Cow/Calf Days**  
**January 23-26 & February 5-9**

Come and learn about: Calf Value Marketing;  
 Grazing; Bull Selection; and More!

For additional information, visit: [www.extension.umn.edu/beef](http://www.extension.umn.edu/beef)

**Albany Tour de Forage**  
**Preregistration Form**

*Preregistration requested (not required), to make adequate meal plans and efficient use of resources.*

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Farm/Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Council: \_\_\_\_\_

**Check One:**

\_\_\_ **Agency**                      \_\_\_ **Extension/University**

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**Circle:**

- Ag Lenders
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- Nutrition
- Seed
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**Circle:**

- Beef
- Commercial Hay
- Dairy
- Equine
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ **Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**2018 Tour de Forage Preregistration Fee**

**Albany**                      **\$25.00**    \$

**Tour de Forage**                      *On-site \$30*

*Registration includes proceedings, meal, and presentations.*

**'18 CMFC/MFA**                      **\$45.00\***    \$

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**\$10 Discount for current**                     

**CMFC/MFA members**                     

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**TOTAL ENCLOSED**                      \$

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