

Western Leadership Conference

January 26-27, 2023

Dixie Convention Center | 1835 S Convention Center Drive | St. George, UT 84790

Thursday, January 26

12:30 PM-1:15 PM

Mix & Mingle-Refreshments prior to opening general session
Trade Show Open
Exhibit Hall - Tradeshow

1:30 PM-3:00 PM

Opening General Session
Welcome -Ron Gibson
Brian Steed
Garden Room

3:00 PM-4:00 PM

Break – Trade Show Time
Exhibit Hall - Tradeshow

4:15 PM-5:15 PM

General Session
Brett Stuart- Global Agritrends
Speaker TBD
Garden Room

5:30 PM

Dinner at Convention Center
Ballroom AB

6:30 PM

Social event at convention center following dinner TBD
Cornhole, Roping Dummies, Bingo, Games, Refreshments
Ballroom CDEF

Friday, January 27

8:30 AM-10:15 AM

General Session
Tara Vander Dussen, New Mexico Milkmaid
Cody Lyon, Managing Director, Advocacy & Political Affairs AFBF
Garden Room

10:15 AM – 10:45 AM

Break Foyer

Breakouts Round 1

10:45 AM-11:45 AM

Extension Ag Wellness/Mental Health- Josh Dallin and Jake Hadfield Sunbrook A	AFBF Advocacy - Cody Lyon Sponsored by Women's Entrada A
Safety CEU Class – AJ Ferguson Sunbrook B	Designed for County YF&R chairs: Each county Young Farmer and Rancher program is different, yet each shares an

	<p>interest in preserving and promoting agriculture. How can we accomplish that? This training will provide resources to support YF&R chairs to cultivate successful county programs and develop themselves as the leaders they are.</p> <p>Sponsored by YF&R</p> <p>Entrada B</p>
<p>Animal Ag Alliance- Emily Solis</p> <p>Sunbrook C</p>	<p>How to Utilize Reels – w/ Tara</p> <p>Sponsored by P&E & WLC</p> <p>Entrada C</p>

Lunch

12:00 PM-1:30 PM

Lunch
Ballroom

Breakouts Round 2

1:30 PM-2:30 PM

<p>The Biggest Asset is You-</p> <p>Josh Dallin and Jake Hadfield, USU Extension</p> <p>Sunbrook A</p>	<p>AFBF Advocacy - Cody Lyon</p> <p>Sponsored by Women's</p> <p>Entrada A</p>
<p>Communications & Relationships - Dave Schramm</p> <p>Sunbrook B</p>	<p>2024 YF&R Applications Preparation</p> <p>-Mason & Erika Anderson, Clayton & Dakota Rindlisbacher</p> <p>Sponsored by YF&R</p> <p>Entrada B</p>
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2:30 PM – 3:00 PM

Break
Foyer

Breakouts Round 3

3:00 PM-4:00 PM

<p>Pesticide CEU Class - UDAF</p> <p>Sunbrook A</p>	<p>AFBF Advocacy - Cody Lyon</p> <p>Sponsored by Women's</p> <p>Entrada A</p>
<p>Communications & Relationships - Dave Schramm</p> <p>Sunbrook B</p>	<p>Sponsored by YF&R</p> <p>Entrada B</p>
Sunbrook C	Entrada C

4:15 PM - 4:30 PM

Convention Send Off – Ron Gibson

Garden Room

Saturday, January 29
8:30 AM-12:00 PM

Utah Board of Directors Meeting/Lunch
Sunbrook AB