



**SDCA Annual Convention & Trade Show**  
**December 2-3, 2009**  
**DRAFT AGENDA**

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2009**

2:00 pm – 7:00 pm Exhibitor Move-In  
2:00 pm – 6:00 pm Cattle Handling Seminar with Dr. Tom Noffsinger  
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm Board of Directors Meeting  
8:00 pm – 10:00 pm Welcome Reception in Trade Show

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2009**

8:00 am – 6:00 pm Registration Open  
7:30 am – 8:00 am Continental Breakfast in Trade Show – *Sponsored by Farm Credit Services*  
8:00 am – 10:00 am Opening Session – *Sponsored by Fort Dodge Animal Health*  
**Advanced Strategies for Lawsuit Protection, Tax Reduction & Estate Planning**  
*G. Kent Mangelson, American Society for Asset Protection*  
10:00 am – 11:00 am Joint Council Meeting  
**A Beef Packer's Perspective, Chandler Keyes, JBS**  
11:00 am – 12:00 pm Cow-Calf Council Meeting – *Sponsored by Ducks Unlimited*  
11:00 am – 12:00 pm Feeder Council Meeting  
12:00 am – 1:30 pm Lunch – *Sponsored by Hoop Beef Systems*  
**Impact of COOL on Meat Markets, Don Stewart, Stewart-Miller Inc.**  
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm Trade Show Time  
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm Committee Chairs Meeting  
2:00 pm – 2:15 pm Break Served in Trade Show  
2:30 pm – 5:00 pm Committee Meetings  
5:30 pm – 8:30 pm President's Auction/Bufferet in the Trade Show – *Dinner Sponsored by Dacotah Bank*  
**NCBA Update – Gary Voogt, NCBA President**  
8:30 pm – Midnight Casino Night – *Sponsored by First Dakota Bank*

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2009**

7:30 pm – 8:30 pm Affiliate President's/Regional VP Breakfast Meeting  
8:00 am – 2:00 pm Registration Open  
8:00 am – 8:30 am Continental Breakfast in Trade Show  
8:30 am – 10:30 am Cattlemen's College – *Sponsored by Pfizer Animal Health*  
**Economic Outlook & Feeding in the Midwest**  
*Dr. John Lawrence, Director, Iowa Beef Center*  
**Impact of Technology on Beef Production**  
*Dr. Gary Sides, Cattle Nutritionist, Pfizer Animal Health*  
10:30 am – 11:30 am Regional Caucus Meetings  
11:30 am – 1:00 pm Lunch – *Speaker Sponsored by the South Dakota Grasslands Coalition*  
**Money Saving Ideas Including Extending the Grazing Season**  
Terry Gompert, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension  
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Trade Show Time (Trade Show closes at 2:00)  
2:00 pm – 6:00 pm Annual Membership Meeting – *Sponsored by Novartis*  
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Social & Ag in the Classroom Silent Auction Closes – *Co-Sponsored by Cattle Business Weekly, KWAT-950 AM*