

Sign Up Now!

Fill out the registration form in this brochure and mail it to the Washington County Extension office with the **\$75** fee. Registration limited to first 100 people. Registration will be available at the first session on January 28 if space allows.

Benefits

- Gain knowledge in cow-calf production and marketing
- Reference material for beef cattle management and production
- Master Beef Producer certificate
- Master Beef Producer hat
- Master Beef Producer farm sign
- Qualify to apply for increased cost-share through the Tennessee Agricultural Enhancement Program.

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Programs in agriculture and natural resources, 4-H youth development, family and consumer sciences, and resource development.

University of Tennessee Institute of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Agriculture and county governments cooperating. UT Extension provides equal opportunities in programs and employment.

Topics

- Genetics
- Nutrition
- Marketing Beef Cattle
- Reproduction
- Herd Health
- Beef Quality Assurance
- Electric Fencing Solutions
- Veterinary Feed Directive

“All farmers should take the Master Beef Producer Course.”

Comment from a Washington County Master Beef Producer

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Advanced Master Beef Producer Program



**The 2019 Class
Starts January 28 in
Jonesborough**

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Advanced Master Beef Producer Program

The Advanced Master Beef Producer Program is an educational program designed to provide information to Tennessee cow-calf producers to help them be the very best in the country, improve their profitability and position the industry to be competitive with other states.

The Advanced Master Beef Producer Program is led by a team of University of Tennessee Extension Specialists and Agents, with support and involvement of representatives of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture and supporting businesses and organizations.

The Advanced Master Beef Producer Program will:

- Include 8 educational sessions that focus on cow-calf production.
- Enhance the profitability and competitiveness of cow-calf operations.
- Provide participants with beef production reference materials that cover important educational information presented in the sessions.
- Enable producers to interact with trained experts and other cattle producers.
- Provide participants with a farm sign, hat, and certificate.

Schedule - Mondays, 6:30 pm

Monday	1/28	Genetic Selection
Monday	2/4	Forages/ Nutrition
Saturday	2/9	Marketing, Industry Issues, Facilities, lunch, Herd Health and BQA
Monday	2/11	Reproduction, Graduation

2019 Advanced Master Beef Producer

This multi-county Master Beef Producer Course will be held in Jonesborough on three consecutive Monday nights at 6:30 beginning on January 28 and will also meet all day on Saturday, February 9 from 9:00a.m.-4:00p.m. Register for the course by completing the enclosed registration form and mailing it with the **\$75** fee to the Washington County Extension office. Anyone is eligible to participate in this Advanced Master Beef Producer Course even if you have not completed the original Master Beef Producer Course. All Master Beef Producers who took the class in 2015 or earlier are required to take the Advanced Master Beef Producer Course in 2019 in order to qualify for the increased cost share benefit for the 2019-2020 Tennessee Agriculture Enhancement Program. Producers who completed a Master Beef Course in 2016 will need to repeat the course in 2020 for the increased TAEP percent.

The course would usually cost \$175, but all participants who are or become BQA certified will receive a \$100 scholarship from the TN Dept. of Agriculture and be eligible for increased TDA cattle cost share benefits through 2022. Participants will be able to obtain BQA certification during the course.

Locations.

All the sessions will be held at the Washington County Farm Bureau office (1103 Boones Creek Rd, Jonesborough, TN).

2019 Advanced Master Beef Producer Registration Form

Name: _____ Phone: _____ BQA #: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State: _____

Zip: _____ County: _____ Email: _____ BQA Exp.: _____

Mail form and check to:
Washington County Extension
206 West Main St.
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Enclose check for \$75 registration fee payable to
University of Tennessee.
Contact Anthony Shelton, Agriculture Extension Agent
423-753-1680 for more information.