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Kentucky Beef Council and Fort Harrod Beef Festival present
the
“Fort Harrod Beef Festival Cattle Crawl”

Lexington, Kentucky- The Kentucky Beef Council and the Harrodsburg Beef Festival will hold the annual Fort Harrod Beef Festival Cattle Crawl in Harrodsburg on Tuesday, May 28, 2013. The Cattle Crawl will feature four local restaurants/businesses during a progressive dinner from 5:00 to 11:00 pm. The goal of this event is to support, promote, and advocate local ventures while showcasing the main star Beef!

Featured Restaurants

Menu items are subject to change

AgriExposure (Kaye Weaber)- Appetizer

Various Appetizers- Wine and cheese pairing introduction, followed by various choices of appetizers such as Asian Beef Kabobs, French Blue Cheese Shaved Beef Crustini, Italian Gourmet Meatball Sliders, Southern Mini Chicken Fried Steak and Gravy, and Mexican DIY Beef Fajitas

Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill- Salad

*Beef Tenderloin Salad-*Char-grilled Filet Mignon atop a wilted salad of spring greens, featuring cherry tomatoes, scallions, boiled eggs, and asparagus topped with hot bacon vinaigrette.

Beaumont Inn- Entrée

Braised short ribs- Herb crusted Beef short ribs braised in Bacon and served with a red wine and sautéed onions, tomato ragout, served atop homemade grits.

The Fudge Company- Dessert

Kentucky Fudge Pie- A delicious homemade pecan and chocolate fudge pie served warm with chopped pecans, chocolate chips, and whipped cream, and drizzled with a delightful bourbon caramel sauce.

The Fort Harrod Beef Festival Cattle Crawl is limited to 55 participants. Participants will take a charter bus from the Mercer County Extension Office to the four featured businesses. The price is \$50/person and includes a 4-course meal, with beverage (water, tea, and coffee), transportation during the tour and a Cattle Crawl commemorative gift. This event is open to the public and tickets can be purchased by calling LeMayne Ellis (859-734-5546) or Dana Anderson (859-734-4378). For more information please contact Caitlin Swartz (859-278-0899) or via email at cswartz@kycattle.org.

About The Beef Checkoff

The Beef Checkoff Program was established as part of the 1985 Farm Bill. The Checkoff assesses \$1 per head on the sale of live domestic and imported cattle, in addition to a comparable assessment on imported beef and beef products. States retain up to 50 cents on the dollar and forward the other 50 cents per head to the Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Board, which administers the national Checkoff program, subject to USDA approval.