

Pollinator Habitat Presentations

Wednesday, September 9th

South Dakota State University
McFadden Biostress Lab, Room 103
Brookings, SD

Pete Berthelsen, Pheasants Forever Director of Habitat Partnerships, will be speaking about the importance of pollinator habitat, changes happening on the landscape and how important it is to consider pollinators in our planning. Pete is a wildlife biologist with 30+ years of experience, the 2011 North American Pollinator Protection Campaign Farm-Rancher of the Year, the 2014 American Beekeeping Federation Hoopnanager Award winner and comes to us with a wealth of experience and insight.



3:00 to 4:00 pm: Graduate Seminar

Landscape changes and their impacts on pollinators: Changes on the landscape are happening at a dramatic pace and that impact pollinator health. Learn about some of those changes and what is being done through partnerships to try and provide nutritious forage habitat for honey bees and other pollinators.

6:30 pm Social Gathering

7:00 to 8:30 pm Public Seminar

Considerations for creating great pollinator habitat: What are the most important factors to consider before, during and after you plant your next pollinator habitat project. Following these guidelines will help to produce the best results possible.

For more information, please contact Dave Nomsen at 605-864-8138.

