

# Calving School

**Tuesday, Dec. 11**

**6:00 p.m.**

4-H Community Building,  
713 S. Fry St.  
Yates Center, KS 66783



RSVP to Southwind  
Extension District Yates  
Center office: 625-8620  
by December 10<sup>th</sup>.

\$10 fee payable at the  
door for meals and  
materials.

In anticipation of calving season, Kansas State University Animal Sciences and Industry and K-State Research and Extension – Southwind District are hosting a calving school on December 11, 2018

## Tips to handle difficult situations among topics to be addressed

The program will outline the normal calving process as well as tips to handle difficult calving situations. Dr. A.J. Tarpoff, DVM, extension beef veterinarian, said the purpose of the event is to increase knowledge and practical skills and increase the number of live calves born.

Experts will also share tips on when and how to intervene to assist the cow and how those times may be different when dealing with young heifers. Presenters will also demonstrate proper use of calving equipment on a life-size scale.

“Our goal is for producers to leave better prepared for calving season,” Tarpoff adds. “We will discuss timelines on when to examine cows for calving problems, and when to call for help if things are not going well. It’s an excellent program regardless of experience level.”