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FIRST ANNUAL MEETING SLATED DECEMBER 1, 1992 AT TAYLOR

The 1992 Annual Meeting of the Peace River Forage Association of British Columbia will be held on December 1st at 1:30 in the afternoon in the Taylor Community Hall at Taylor, B.C.

AGENDA

1. Call to order - Order of Business
2. Minutes - June 20th meeting (Formation of Association)
3. Correspondence
4. Reports - Directors Meetings report
 - Presidents Report
 - Committee Report
 - DROUGHT
 - FORAGE COMPETITION
 - RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT
 - ADVISORY COMMITTEE
 - Treasurer Report
5. Old Business
 - a. News Letter
6. Guest Speakers - Mark Grafton
 - President of the B.C. Forage Council
 - Jim Tingle (BCMAFF)
 - Provincial Forage Management Specialist
7. New Business
 - a. Constitution
 - b. Discussion on Research and Development
 - c. Other New Business

EDITORIAL

The Directors of the Peace River Forage Association of British Columbia take pleasure in inviting members and their friends and neighbours to our first annual meeting of the Association.

We will be fortunate to have as our first speaker the President of the B.C. Forage Council, Mark Grafton, Mark is the successful manager of the Bar K, a large beef cattle operation in the Prince George area. He will give us some interesting insights into the workings of the B.C. Forage Council, plus telling us how they manage their cattle and forage down on the Bar K; and, maybe even throw in a few bush pilot tales and jokes.

Our second speaker will be Jim Tingle, the Provincial Forage Management Specialist with the B.C. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in Prince George. Jim is going to tell us about the Forage highlights of the recently concluded Circum Polar Agricultural Conference held in Whitehorse, Yukon. He will also be prepared to discuss specialty variety performance in the North Eastern B.C. Forage Variety Trials with those persons who have observations or questions on this topic.

For those of you who are not yet members of the Peace River Forage Association but want to become involved, our 1993 **Combined Membership** in B.C. Forage Council - Peace River Forage Association of B.C. is \$30.00.

Our Association is dedicated to putting forage first in the hearts and minds of farmers and ranchers and we will be glad to have you as a member if this philosophy appeals to you.

Looking forward to seeing you at the annual meeting in the Taylor Community Hall at 1:30 PM on December 1st. There is no cost to attend this meeting.

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