

**Women in Agriculture**  
**First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall**  
**1401 W. 4th, Holton, KS 66436**  
**April 24, 2012**

**Agenda**

- 4:00 p.m. David Hallauer - Horticulture Tips, Meadowlark Extension District**  
**Jody Holthaus - Women with Livestock/Pastures, Meadowlark Extension Dist.**
- 4:30 p.m. Salads and Sandwiches (Compliments of the Conservation District)**
- 5:00 p.m. Shannon Maxwell, FFA – “Teens in Ag”**  
**Kay Albright – Women in Ag Careers – Jackson County Farm Bureau Assoc.**  
**Marlene Bosworth – Women & Water Quality, Delaware WRAPS**  
**Holly Wilkins – Women & Wildlife; Pheasants Forever Wildlife Biologist**
- 5:45 – 6 p.m. Marylyn Bell – “Tips From the Trenches”**
- 6:15 -7:30p.m. Gregg Hadley – Passing on the Farm – Steps to a Successful Transition.**

**Marylyn Bell** is from Lincoln, Kansas. Her husband, Byron, taught at Soldier High School in the early 1960's. In addition to farming, Byron was the Jr. High School Coach and 7th grade teacher at Tescott, KS, at the time of his death in August 1986 due to an accident just two miles from their country home. Their youngest child, (who miraculously survived the accident), had not yet started Kindergarten. She will encourage attendees to help others who have to endure something such as this and give a few examples of what they can do to help. Her talk in a nutshell is a list of some of the things to think about and have taken care of in case of the sudden loss of a spouse. The list is not all-inclusive, but it is meant as a place to get started with emphasis on "don't put it off."

**Gregg Hadley, PhD, Assistant Director Agriculture, Natural Resources and Community Development, K-State Research and Extension** will be speaking on “Passing on the Farm - Steps to a Successful Transition.

In order to know how much food to prepare, please RSVP to the Jackson County Conservation District by April 20th at (785)364-4638, ext. 136 if you plan to attend. Men are invited to attend as well.

**Sponsors include: Jackson County Conservation District, Kansas Association of Conservation Districts, Farm Service Agency, NRCS, Meadowlark Extension District, K-State Research and Extension , Jackson County Farm Bureau Association, and Delaware WRAPS.**