



## 2025 TN Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Conference Tentative Agenda

*Theme: Raising Barns, Building Communities*

### Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am Registration

AITC Benefit Silent Auction (auction closes @ ~ 3:00 pm)

View Scrapbooks (vote for People's Choice Award)

Visit with Industry Partners

Free Blood Pressure Checks for Everyone

*sponsored by Farm Bureau Health Plans*

9:00

*Opening Remarks* – Brenda Baker, TN Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee Chair, Obion Co.

*Devotion* – Megan Jernigan, TN Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee, 2024 YF&R Outstanding Young Woman, Coffee Co.

*Pledge* – Lou Nave, TN Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee District IV Chair, Cannon Co.

*Welcome* – Eric Mayberry, President, TN Farm Bureau Federation

### *Essay Contest*

Linda Fowler, TN Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee District I Chair, Weakley Co.

### *Essay Finalists*

Sadie Gray, Anderson County

Kate Cooley, Hamblen County

Tymur Hnatkovskiyi, Jefferson County

*Osteoporosis: Signs, Symptoms, and What Should I Do?* – Christopher M. Loftis, M.D., Tennessee Orthopaedic Alliance

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*National & State Legislative Update* – Public Policy Division, TFBF

11:30 LUNCH

12:35 pm *Legal Documents Every Farm Family Needs* – Julie Bowling, General Counsel, Tennessee Farm Bureau Federation

*Agricultural Advocacy* – Shelby Vannoy, Public Policy Division, TFBF

*Announcement of Farm Bureau Gives Back Winners* – Paige Bottoms & Mark Turner, TFBF

*Making A Difference: TN Ag Literacy Week* – Kevin Ferguson, Executive Director, FACCT

*Things My Grandparents Knew* – Lisa Smartt, Motivational Humorist & Author

4:00 pm *Closing Remarks* – Valerie Teal, TN Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee District III Chair, Coffee Co.

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*\*\*Opportunities to stretch, visit with industry partners, bid on auction items, announcements, door prize giveaways, etc., are mixed throughout the program\*\**

***TN Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee Mission Statement:***

*The Tennessee Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee engages women in leadership opportunities to advocate, communicate and educate for the advancement of agriculture.*

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