



TEXAS FARM BUREAU YF&R

FALL TOUR



East Texas Pineywoods
Sept. 11-13



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2026 Fall Tour Agenda

September 11–13, 2026 | East Texas Pineywoods

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

9 a.m.-10:15 a.m.

Registration

**Holiday Inn Longview
Infinity Event Center**

300 Tuttle Circle Longview, TX 75605



10:30 a.m.

Buses depart

Efurd Orchards

4004 Highway 271 South, Pittsburg, TX 75686

Efurd Orchards is a family-owned operation known for its high-quality produce, including peaches, berries, and fresh vegetables. The orchard emphasizes sustainable growing practices and direct-to-consumer sales through local markets.



11:15 a.m.

12 p.m.-12:45 p.m.

Lunch at Efurd Orchards

1:15 p.m.-5:15 p.m.

Priefert Manufacturing

2630 S. Jefferson Ave, Mt. Pleasant, TX 75455

Priefert is a leading manufacturer of livestock handling equipment based in Texas. Known for innovation and durability, Priefert products are used nationwide by ranchers and agricultural professionals.



Smarty Roping Supply

2059 County Rd. 3210, Mt. Pleasant, TX 75455

Smarty Roping Supply specializes in training equipment and supplies for roping enthusiasts. Their products are designed to help improve roping skills for both beginners and experienced competitors.



3:00 p.m.

Bus 1 and Buses 2 & 3 will rotate between the two stops. Participants will spend about 1.5 hours at each location and switch at 3 p.m.

5:30 p.m.

Dinner at Priefert

2630 S. Jefferson Ave, Mt. Pleasant, TX 75455

Enjoy dinner and networking hosted at Priefert's facility.

Guest Speaker—Ryon Cox, Cox Concrete

Cox Concrete

Cox Concrete provides high-quality concrete products and services for agricultural, residential, and commercial applications.



9:00 p.m.

Return to Hotel

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

6:30 a.m. **Buses Depart**

8 a.m.-9:30 a.m. **Texas Forestry Museum**
1905 Atkinson Dr., Lufkin, TX 75901

The Texas Forestry Museum highlights the history and importance of the forestry industry in East Texas. Exhibits showcase logging equipment, industry evolution, and the role forestry plays in the state's economy.



9:45 a.m.-11 a.m. **Onsite Logging Experience**

TBD

Observe a live logging demonstration and learn about modern forestry practices, equipment operation, and sustainable timber harvesting techniques. Logging has been a cornerstone of East Texas for over a century and contributes to regional development and economic growth.



12:00 p.m. **Stephen F. Austin State University**
Pineywoods Cafeteria (Lunch)

608 E College St, Nacogdoches, TX 75965

Lunch will be provided on campus at Stephen F. Austin State University



1 p.m.-5 p.m. **Stephen F. Austin State University**
Todd Agricultural Research Center
419 E College St, Nacogdoches, TX 75962

Participants will experience hands-on learning and demonstrations in:

- Agricultural research initiatives
- Beef cattle operations
- Poultry processing and fabrication

This stop highlights innovations and education in modern agriculture.



5:30 p.m. **Dinner at Fredonia Brewery**
Downtown Nacogdoches

138 N Mound St, Nacogdoches, TX 75961

Dinner at the brewery or eat on your own in historic downtown Nacogdoches.



8:00 p.m. **Return to Hotel**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

7:00 a.m. **Breakfast & Devotional at the Hotel**

Participants are invited to gather for breakfast followed by a brief devotional. Following breakfast, participants will depart.

Safe travels home!

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