

# Wiregrass Cotton EXPO

February 3rd, 2012

National Peanut Festival Fairgrounds - Dothan, Alabama

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- 7:30 - 8:40 a.m.**      **Registration and Exhibitor Show**
- 8:40 – 8:50**            **Wiregrass Farm Analysis – Thomas Hall, Extension Economist**
- 8:55 – 9:15**            **Farm Bill Update – Dr. Jim Novack, Extension Economist**
- 9:20 - 9:40**            **Cotton Diseases – Dr. Austin Hagan, Extension Pathologist**
- 9:45 - 10:05**           **Resistant Pigweed Control Options – Dr. Mike Patterson, Extension Spec.**  
**10:10 - 10:30**           **Break - Visit with Exhibitors**
- 10:30 - 11:10**        **Cotton Variety Update – Seed Company and On Farm Variety Trial Results**  
  
                                 **AL Pearson – DPL; Josh Mayfield – Fiber Max and Stoneville; Dr. Steve Brown – Phytogen; Ryan McKenzie – CPS**
- 11:15 - 11:25**        **Crop Weather Forecasting – David Zeirden, Florida Climate Center**
- 11:30 - 11:50**        **Cotton Pest Management – Dr. Ron Smith, Extension Entomologist**
- 11:55 - 12:15**        **Which Crops to plant? Dr. Marshall Lamb, National Peanut Lab**
- 12:25 p.m.**            **Alabama Cotton Commission update and Sponsored Lunch**  
                                 **Guest Speaker – John Mitchell, Autauga Quality Cotton Assoc.**  
  
                                 **Announcements – FSA, NRCS, Alabama Department of Agriculture**
- 1:15 p.m.**            **Precision Ag Demonstration – On Fairgrounds**  
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- Drawing for Door Prizes will be given away during the meeting.**