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The Stockman's Fall Field Day is an educational outreach program put on by CTAHR Cooperative Extension Service. The program aims to provide the latest information on grazing and livestock management to Hawaii's livestock industry. Topics include low-cost beef production, bio-control for fireweed, drought management and risk management for ranching. Field day presentations and events address critical issues affecting our livestock industry and other agricultural entities. The Stockman's Fall Field day is a great opportunity to learn and share knowledge with extension specialist, agents, researchers and other industry personnel.



Dr. Mark Thorne with field day participants. -2012

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2013 Stockman's
Fall Field Day



Aug. 30 & 31, 2013
Mealani Experiment Station
Kamuela, HI



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Friday August 30, 2013 8 am - 4:30 pm

- 8:00 – 8:30 Registration
- 8:30 – 8:45 Welcome and Introductions
- 8:45 – 10: 45 Low-input (Profitable) Beef Production
- 10:45 – 11:00 Break
- 11:00 – 11:30 *Secusio extensa* Release Program: a biocontrol for Fireweed
- 11:30 – 12:00 Incorporating *Secusio extensa* into an integrated fireweed management program
- 12:00 – 12:45 Lunch - Provided
- 12:45 – 1:45 Rainfall and Forage Production Index: A Drought Management Tool for Hawaii
- 1:45 – 2:45 Ag Risk I – Tools for Managing Risk for Hawaii Ranchers
- 2:45 – 3:00 Break
- 3:00 – 4:00 Ag Risk II –Understanding USDA’s Livestock Risk Protection (LRP) Insurance program
- 4:00 -4:30 Kamehameha Schools Leucaena Project: An Interim Report

Saturday August 31, 2013 8 am - 12:15pm

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration
 - 9:00 - 9:15 Welcome and Field Day Logistics
 - 9:15 – 10:15 First Rotation (All events)
 - 10:15 – 11:15 Second Rotation (All events)
 - 11:15 – 12:15 Third Rotation (All events)
 - 12:15 – Pau Lunch – Provided
- Events:**
1. *Secusio extensa* rearing and release workshop – Melelani Abran and Alex Beaton
 2. Using RightRisk Tools for Ranch Management – John Hewlett and Dr. Jay Parsons
 3. Assessing Drought Stricken Range and Pasturelands : A pasture walk – Dr. Mark Thorne



Secusio extensa larvae

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Sign-Up Form Title

Event Day:	No.	Cost
Friday, Aug. 30	___ x	* <u>10.00</u>
Saturday , Aug. 31	___ x	* <u>10.00</u>

Subtotal: _____

Total: _____

Name

Address

Phone

Method of Payment

- Check (Make payable to RCUH #0002378)
- Cash

*** Pre-registration fee, late registration \$15.00 per person/day at the door.**

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