Tractor Safety Operator’s Course

Saturday, May 4, 2019
Dodge City Community College

PURPOSE OF COURSE & TEST:
To provide teenagers with a fuller appreciation and awareness of needed safety practices around tractors and farm machinery. As well as provide 14 & 15 year old youth an opportunity to receive a tractor operator’s permit, required by the Child Labor Regulations in regard to agricultural hazardous occupations before they can be employed to operate a tractor.

WHO MAY PARTICIPATE:
Any teenage youth, regardless of age. Those completing the course and test will receive an operator’s certificate upon completion of when he/she turns 14. Those who are 16 or older to not need an operator’s certificate, but are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

SCHEDULE:
Tractor & Farm Machinery Safety Instruction will be given from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 5th. Registration is from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at the Ag Tech Building (located just south of the small irrigation system, on the northwest corner of the campus) on Dodge City Community College’s campus.

COST:
$20.00 (made payable to the Ford County Ag Activity Fund) for noon meal, handouts and handbook.

MEAL:
The noon meal, included in the registration fee, is pizza. Students are encouraged to eat the meal provided. Please contact the Ford County Extension Office, 620-227-4542 with any participant’s dietary restrictions.

ENROLLMENT:
All participants will need to complete a registration form and a 4-H Participation form in order to participate.

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR TRACTOR COURSE IS REQUIRED BY APRIL 26th, TO YOUR LOCAL EXTENSION OFFICE.

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