

# PRODUCERS

## COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

Proudly owned by the farmers and ranchers of the  
Brazos Valley since 1943.



### Upcoming Educational Aquatic Class

Producers will be hosting a free, in-person educational aquatic class on

**Saturday, June 12th @ 9am.**

#### Class information:

#### **Identifying & Controlling Common Aquatic Plants**

**Brittany Chesser, Aquatic Vegetation Management Program Specialist, Texas A&M  
AgriLife Extension**

**Date: Saturday, June 12th @ 9am**

**Location: Producers Cooperative Association, Bryan TX**

**In the conference room, next to the feed dock.**

**\*\*\*\*3 General CEU's\*\*\*\***

**Virtual viewing opportunity via Facebook Live will be available.**

**CEU credits offered for in-person attendees ONLY.**

Full occupancy is welcomed.

**Stay tuned for more class information to come!**

**979-778-6000**



### Heat Stress in Cattle

With the upcoming summer months, your cattle will experience the hot Texas weather. Making sure that pastures & facilities are setup to limit the occurrence of heat stress in our herds is crucial for several reasons. Heat stress can cause milk production to decrease, loss in weight gain, a reduction in feed intake and even depress fertility. Signs of heat stress may include open mouth breathing or panting, loss of coordination, foaming at the mouth and convulsions. Ranchers can prevent or minimize heat stress by:

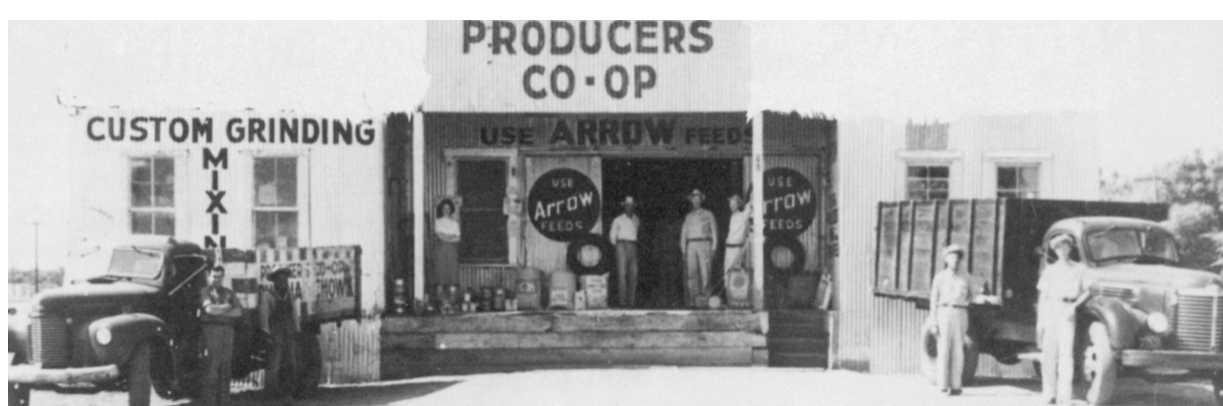
- Providing plenty of fresh, clean water.
- Sufficient shade that may include trees or other structures; such as, shade cloth.
- Adjust diet for lower intakes.
- Feeding & working cattle during the cooler parts of the day.

**For further guidance & recommendations on limiting heat stress, call Producers.**

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[Click Here for Heat Stress Video](#)

### A Glimpse Back In Time



**Producers Cooperative Association was founded in 1943  
and has seen a lot of changes along the way.**



### From The Ground Up

From The Ground Up educates our friends and neighbors in the Brazos Valley about agriculture and its impact on their everyday lives. Be sure to watch our weekly televised segment at approximately 6:15 am on Thursdays or during the Saturday 6 o'clock evening news on KBTX-TV 3, Bryan-College Station's CBS affiliate.

**This weeks From The Ground Up segment covers farmers & ranchers role in land management with Dr. Ronald Gill.**

**Bryan-Heidenheimer-Hillsboro**



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