CASNR in Photos: Faculty retreat focuses on multidisciplinary programs
Held at the National Ranching Heritage Center, the annual gathering centered on sustainability and multidisciplinary programs. Speakers included Texas Commissioner Agriculture Todd Staples, TTU President Guy Bailey, and Senator Robert Duncan. The sessions were followed by a dinner featuring CASNR’s 2009 award recipients. Photos: N. Martin. more >>

CNN.com: 10 unusual majors can get you these jobs
Two of the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources’ primary academic programs – food science and natural resources – were featured Wednesday on a leading national news Web site in an article on how unusual majors can get students a job in today’s stressful job market. more »

Returning Red Raiders set to rein in rodeo accolades
Led by last year’s southwest region reserve all-around champion, Texas Tech rodeo team leaders are predicting an upcoming season of solid performances built on hard-earned experience. The Red Raider riders took second place last year at the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association regional and placed in the ‘Top 20’ at Wyoming’s College National Finals Rodeo this summer. more »

In the News: Texas wine grape industry continues growth
In the 1860s Spanish missionaries began cultivating grapes near present day El Paso. In 1883, Frank Qualia founded the Val Verde Winery in Del Rio, the oldest bonded winery still in operation today. Texas viticulturist Thomas Munson is credited with saving the European wine industry. more »

CASNR students honored during Summer Commencement
More than 1,250 students, including 25 from the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, received diplomas at Texas Tech University’s undergraduate...
agricultural awareness plan among teachers and students on the local level and to share the importance of agriculture.

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Tech grants Bayer CropScience license to cotton technology
An exclusive licensing agreement to utilize a new cotton technology from Texas Tech University’s International Center for Excellence in Agricultural Genomics and Biotechnology has been inked by the university’s Office of Technology Commercialization and Bayer CropScience.

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International cotton school brings pros to Lubbock
More than a dozen cotton industry experts from across the nation attended the Aug. 10 start of the Texas International Cotton School at Texas Tech University’s Fiber and Biopolymer Research Institute.

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Research Farm: Turfgrass field day focuses on fire ants
The latest turfgrass research from controlling fire ants to conversion of bermudagrass to buffalograss, and weed control options in wildflowers highlighted the 2009 Turfgrass Field Day on Aug. 11 at Texas Tech University’s Quaker Research Farm.

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