## Soil Health

## Field Day with Gabe Brown

Gabe Brown, our featured speaker, manages 5000 acres with his wife, Shelly, and son, Paul, near Bismarck, North Dakota. Improving soil health is their priority using no-till, cover and companion crops, and livestock. Gabe is one of the pioneers in the soil health movement. Over 2,000 people visit the Brown ranch annually to see this unique operation for themselves. Field day also includes: Tours of Kauffman cover crop test plots and a panel of Kansas farmers talking about local cover crops.



Kauffman Seeds West - 9218 Halstead Road, Hutchinson, Kansas (watch for yellow field day signs)

Lunch provided courtesy of Kauffman Seeds. No cost to attend but please let us know you are coming so that we can plan the food. Call Howard by Tuesday, August 25th, to reserve a lunch at 620-727-6546 or email cheneylakewatershed@gmail.com.













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"We have eliminated the use of synthetic fertilizers, fungicides, and pesticides. We use minimal herbicide and are striving to eliminate it. We do not use GMOs or glyphosate. Our ever evolving grazing strategy allows most of our pastures a recovery period of over 360 days. These strategies have allowed the health of the soil, the mineral and water cycles to greatly improve. In other words, the natural resources have benefited. This results in increased production, profit and a higher quality of life for us. " - Gabe Brown



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