

# Biochar: Know It, Make It, Use It

Thursday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Pratt Community College – Pratt, KS

Free Workshop – Lunch Provided



**Registration Deadline:** Monday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

Limited to the first 60 registrants!

To Register: Contact Pratt County Extension  
at **620-672-6121** or online at

<https://biochar-workshop.eventbrite.com/>

*This workshop is designed for individuals interested in using biochar as a value-added component in composting, gardening, farming, windbreak management, or improving your soils and rangeland.*

## Agenda:

8:00 a.m. – Registration and Refreshments at  
[Riney Conference Center room 312](#)

8:30 a.m. – Biochar Basics

- Science behind biochar
- Examples of biochar applications
- Biochar and the carbon cycle

10:00 a.m. – Break

10:30 a.m. – Pyrolysis Basics

- Traditional charcoal
- DIY flame carbonization
- Industrial biochar technologies

Noon-3 p.m. – Lunch and Biochar Burn Demo

**About the Presenter:** *Kelpie Wilson is an engineer and analyst with 30 years of experience in renewable energy, sustainable forestry, and resource conservation.*

A special screening of the movie “Break from the Herd” will be held at the Barron Theater in Pratt, KS October 24<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. Following the movie a Q&A session will be held with Gail Fuller, a Kansas farmer featured in the documentary.

Admission will be \$5 for the public and free for students. Preview the movie trailer at: <https://vimeo.com/themagicletters/breakfromtheherdofficialtrailer>



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