Sherman Station 100th Anniversary Celebration
Wednesday, June 16th, 2010
Moro, OR

A demonstration of the changes in dryland farming since 1910, highlighting the role of the Sherman Station in those changes.

8:00 – 8:20 Attendees arrive at Sherman County Jr/Sr High School, coffee and donuts available in cafeteria
8:20 – 8:30 Welcome and orientation by Steve Petrie
8:30 – 8:55 100 year of Research at the Sherman Station, Bill Schillinger
8:55 – 9:10 Travel to station on buses
9:10 – 10:15 Demonstrations of a century of crop variety development and testing
Discussion of heritage wheat varieties by Matt Kolding and Mike Flower
Demonstration of alternate crops by Steve Petrie
10:00 – 10:15 Break
Cookies baked from heritage wheat flour
10:15 – 11:00 Changing farming practices – from horses to horsepower
Horses
Early D 2 caterpillar track tractor
Current model
11:00 – 11:10 Travel to station headquarters
11:10 – 11:30 History and status of Sherman Station Endowment Fund in front of donor board by Ernie Moore.
11:30 – 12:15 Travel to Sherman County Museum to view displays of wheat farming and grain handling equipment, and demonstration of stationary power equipment
12:15 – 12:25 Travel to Jr/Sr High School
12:25 – 1:25 Lunch with bread samples supplied by Andrew Ross
Remarks by invited guests
Ed Ray OSU President
CAS Dean Sonny Ramaswamy
Andy Hammond, USDA-ARS Area Director
Katy Coba, ODA Director (invited)
Representative of Oregon Wheat Growers League
Representative of Oregon Wheat Commission