## 2023-24 Tifton Bull Evaluation Program Calendar

9/1/23	Deadline for Entry (Post-marked)
10/5/23	<ul> <li>Receive bulls (out of state bulls will need a valid health certificate).</li> <li>Samples are taken to test for PI-BVD.</li> <li>Bulls are Dewormed using a drench, given a intranasal vaccine to prevent BRSV, pour-on fly control as well as a fly control ear tag is installed. VID &amp; EID is also installed.</li> </ul>
10/24/23 & 10/25/23	<ul> <li>On-Test weights are recorded over two days.</li> <li>Bulls are boostered with Express 10 and Caliber 7.</li> </ul>
11/21/23	<ul><li>28 day weights are taken.</li><li>Monthly pour-on fly control is applied.</li></ul>
12/19/23	<ul> <li>56 day weights are taken.</li> <li>Monthly pour-on fly control is applied.</li> <li>Check feet &amp; legs</li> <li>Notify management of request for retained ownership on sale bulls</li> </ul>
1/16/24 & 1/17/24	<ul> <li>84 day weights are taken. Final weights</li> <li>Yearly scrotal measurements are taken in accordance with BIF Guidelines (1/16/24).</li> </ul>
January	<ul> <li>Carcass ultrasound bulls. Actual date will depend on breeds &amp; birthdates.</li> </ul>
1/18/24	<ul> <li>Final day to indicate bull(s) are going home – by 5PM.</li> </ul>
February	<ul> <li>Breeding Soundness Exam. Actual date will depend on schedules.</li> </ul>
3/5/24	Tifton Beef Cattle Short Course
3/6/24	• 66 <sup>th</sup> Annual Sale – 12:30 p.m.