

Bradford, Sullivan

Thorbahn Assumes New ABS Duties

Schedule

Agronomy Day

TOWANDA — Bradford and Sullivan Counties announce the 1987 Agronomy Day on March 25 at the Ulster Fire Hall. The doors will be open at 9:30 a.m. for coffee and visiting with exhibitors. The program gets underway at 10:30 a.m.

New regulations make pesticide licensing and keeping the license tougher. A forgiveness period for private licenses expiring in 1986 has been extended and will close March 31. To renew a license expiring in 1986-1987 you will need four points (two core and two category). The Agronomy Day program will provide all four, and update certification can be completed that day at the end of the sessions. You must attend both morning and afternoon sessions to qualify. Update training will also be valid for commercial category 1 (agronomic).

Doctor Douglas Beegle will discuss nutrient management for the farmer. He will focus on the concept of building nutrients with farm manures and legumes for the most efficient use by your crops.

Dr. John Yocum, new to this region, will address the problem of weed and insect control in corn and forage crops. Yocum is from the Penn State's Landisville Research Center, and will point out how to protect yourself and others from pesticides and discuss solutions to weed and insect problems.

James Garrahan, from the

DeFOREST, Wisc. — David Thorbahn, regional sire analyst for American Breeders Service, has accepted responsibility for the company's acquisition of young Guernsey bulls. This announcement was recently made by Richard G. Smith, manager of sire selection at ABS. In this expanded role, he will select young Guernsey sires to be progeny tested by ABS.

Thorbahn was raised on a large Registered Holstein farm near Vickery, Ohio, and graduated from Ohio State University with a B.S. degree in Agriculture, majoring in Dairy Science.

Thorbahn joined ABS following graduation and worked in Minnesota as a representative supervisor. He will continue to work out of his office at 2112 Cherry Valley Road, Newark, Ohio, phone (614) 522-3293.



David Thorbahn

Department of Agriculture, will present the latest information on restricted-use pesticide licenses.

Dinner reservations must be made at \$1 each. Send payment by

March 19 to Agronomy Day, PO Box 69, Towanda, Pa. 18848. Make checks payable to Bradford County Extension Service.



The Bull-etin Board

ABS Names Supervisor

DEFOREST, Wisc. — Russel J. Berna, national sales manager for American Breeders Service, has announced the appointment of Gerry D. DeYoung to representative supervisor for western Pennsylvania and northeast Ohio.

DeYoung, born in Ravenna, Ohio, graduated from Ravenna High School in 1972 and received an Associate degree in Applied Dairy Science from the Ohio State University Agricultural Technical Institute in Wooster, Ohio, in 1974. In 1980, he was employed by ABS as a sales representative in northeastern Ohio, a position he has held since his promotion. As an ABS representative he has received a number of awards for his outstanding performance and achievements.



Gerry DeYoung

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- Hog Feeders
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