

Goat Health Conference Nov. 2

UNIVERSITY PARK (Centre Co.) — Final preparations are under way for the 1991 Goat Health Conference sponsored by the Penn State College of Agriculture and the Pennsylvania Dairy Goat Association. The one-day conference will be held Nov. 2, in the new Agricultural Sciences Industry Building on the Penn State University Park Campus.

A wide variety of topics will be addressed. Nelson Escobar, extension goat specialist at Langston University in Oklahoma, will discuss a research project that traces marketing trends. He will relate his research to the East Coast.

Wendy Freedman, a small ruminant specialist at the University of Pennsylvania's New Bolton Center, will focus on goat health issues for the 1990s.

Michael O'Connor, Penn State professor of dairy science, will discuss recent developments in reproductive physiology. Stephen Spencer, Penn State professor of dairy science, will talk about hand milking and using milk machines.

Larry Hutchinson, conference chair and Penn State professor of veterinary science, will moderate the sessions.

Early registration is encouraged. The cost is just \$15. Checks should be made payable to Penn State and sent to the Goat Health Conference. The Pennsylvania State University, 306 Ag Administration Building, University Park, PA 16802.

For specific program information, contact Carol Burns, Penn State program coordinator, at (814) 863-0488 or Helen Snyder, president of the Pennsylvania Dairy Goat Association, R.D. 2, Box 182, Newport, PA 17074 (717) 567-3554.



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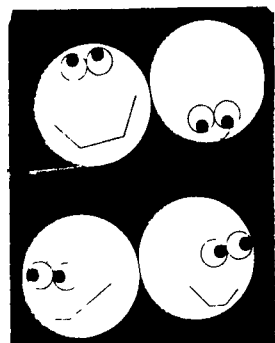
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