

Name	Breed	Age	Milk	Fat	Pro
Don Gable					
Stephan	A	6-05	25,636	944	864
Ken & Marilyn Umble					
Dancer	H	5-02	25,411	875	884
# Dory	H	4-04	25,228	1022	828
Princess	H	2-00	24,183	776	822
Timberview Farm					
Ivana	H	2-11	26,538	884	838
Marilyn & Duane Hershey					
Dana	H	7-06	30,292	991	975
Al	H	4-05	25,315	854	832
Margin	H	3-03	28,302	626	868
Delta	H	5-04	26,166	822	835
Clara	H	2-02	25,353	848	863
Neal & Lou King					
Audio	H	3-08	25,835	1019	807
Walmoore, Inc. #2					
1031	H	2-11	27,003	894	846
Dunwood Farm					
Sweet	H	9-11	30,733	1156	879
Carrie	H	3-01	26,577	954	838
Clara	H	3-08	25,110	1050	862
Susie	H	2-03	24,116	977	870
Crystal-Ray Farm					
Marie	H	3-04	29,685	1070	942
Ann	H	2-11	24,999	887	803
Landis S. Reed					
184	H	9-04	24,552	856	800
Ridge Star Farm					
60	H	5-09	23,675	779	803
133	H	4-11	28,139	1036	917
147	H	4-03	30,898	731	1043
6	H	3-05	23,500	786	818
Walmoore Inc. #3					
3036	H	3-02	26,453	987	831
Joy-Will Farms					
107	H	4-04	25,797	904	886
Century Oaks Farm					
Beryl	H	5-11	28,627	961	861
Spiff	H	4-05	25,150	1064	816
Spray	H	3-01	27,544	1166	901
Jessie	H	3-01	23,843	1047	801
Bess	H	2-01	22,948	936	865
Richard Hostetter					
23	H	4-11	26,942	1019	802
Chester Hills Farm					
590	H	7-00	25,664	863	826
Thunder Valley Farm					
113	H	5-11	28,633	973	979
83	H	3-04	28,776	769	939
Dale Hostetter					
Karen	H	4-03	28,182	894	815
Audrey	H	4-06	27,244	959	839
Wilkinson Farm #1					
3058	H	5-01	31,067	955	967
77	H	4-00	25,610	1036	827
George Stutynski & Sons					
72	H	5-00	27,115	995	859
New Bolton Center					
146	H	7-02	28,650	776	867
178	H	4-02	27,049	1085	855
Melwood Farm					
Walnut	H	1-10	22,823	933	800
Nolan King					
Lydia	H	4-11	25,728	815	858
Loretta	H	4-03	26,966	823	808
Breck-A-De Farm					
425	H	3-02	32,361	999	921
Pei Valley Farm					
44	H	5-05	25,696	1038	896
50	H	3-04	26,319	804	856
55	H	3-10	23,184	881	803

## Chester County Dairy Milk Lines

Walter Wurster  
Extension  
Dairy Agent

29, 1996, from 9:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The cost will be \$30 per farm. Meals will be on your own in the cafeteria.

The program combines satellite technology with locally-shown videos and small group exercises so that a farmer comes away from the sessions with an excellent background in dairy nutrition. The purpose of the program is to give farmers a better understanding of how nutrition principles are applied on their farm by their nutritionist or feed company.

On February 22, the workshop will focus on silage fermentation and the effect it can have on forage quality. Emphasis will be on how to prevent problems in various storage structures, including balage, and how to cope with problems that develop. The use of silage additives and ways to handle mycotoxins will be discussed. Participants are encouraged to bring a sample of their milking cow silage to the first workshop so they can be used in the various activities.

On February 29, the session will start out by examining certain factors related to concentrate feeding, such as type, particle size, and amounts and how they influence dairy cow nutrition. Producers will take information from their own operations to evaluate their feeding systems and control points that can be incorporated to maximize production and to keep cows healthy. Forage quality and intake also will be discussed.

For reservations and information, call Walter Wurster at 610-696-3500 no later than February 20.

Ranck, Cochranville.

Awards were presented to the following herds with a 1995 RHA for protein over 750 lbs.:

1. Dunwood Farm, 856 lbs.;
2. Melwood Farm, 840 lbs.;
3. Breck-A-De Farm, 807 lbs.;
4. Thunder Valley Farm, 784 lbs.;
5. Crystal-Ray Farm, 774 lbs.;
6. Marilyn & Duane Hershey, 763 lbs.

Plaques were given to the two herds with the lowest average Somatic Cell Count for 1995: 1. Ivan S. Stoltzfus, 120,000; 2. Charles & Debra Young, 171,000. Certificates were presented to the herds with the highest Herd Management Scores in 1995. They were:

1. Breck-A-De Farm, 119 points;
2. Crystal-Ray Farm, 113 points;
3. Dunwood Farm, 111 points.

### 1996 DAIRY NUTRITION WORKSHOP

This excellent two-day workshop will be conducted at the Chester County Extension office on Thursdays, February 22 and

### CHESTER COUNTY DHIA

Chester County dairy farmers met for their annual DHIA banquet at West Fallowfield Christian School on December 7, 1995. Over 125 attended and heard Chairman Dan Miller report on a successful year which included final merger with PA DHIA. The majority of funds remaining in the treasury at the time of merger are being held by the state organization to be used only for Chester County events, such as subsidizing the banquet and purchasing awards. The balance of the funds were given as bonuses to the technicians for their outstanding contribution to the program.

Dean Amick, PA DHIA, reported on updated reports and new technology, especially the MUN (Milk Urea Nitrogen) Test. Members elected to the advisory committee for a 3-year term were Dan Miller, Chatham; Ken Miller, Jr., Chester Springs; and Glenn

## New Tobacco Auction for Lancaster County

### Farmer's Tobacco Warehouse

Kirkwood, PA

(location: Intersection Rt. 472 & Noble Rd., Kirkwood Hay Auction)

FARMERS,

I have a very important question that I want you to answer for me. Have you ever heard of a PUBLIC AUCTION that has silent bids?

There is nothing that can hurt your tobacco prices more than an auction allowing a tobacco company to buy at an "under the table" price. If a tobacco buyer has a higher price, why don't they show it up front on sale? Why is it done at night or on the "off day"? Could it be that they are afraid that another company may push the prices higher if their bid was known? I believe so.

If farmers want a true auction, it is here! No private deals will be done. It has to be done up front so that all buyers will know the bids and can possibly push the market higher if they want tobacco. How could you buy a load of hay if you don't know the other farmer is bidding at the hay auction?

I have worked hard to get the price where it should be for my farmers. I need your support & a full house to get the job done. please fill Farmers Tobacco Warehouse full next week and give me an opportunity to work for you.

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