

New Jersey Holstein Tour

BELVIDERE, N.J. — Rutgers Cooperative Extension, in cooperation with the Warren County Holstein Association, is sponsoring a dairy tour to the eastern shore of Maryland on Tuesday, March 26. The bus will leave at 7:00 a.m. from the upper parking lot of the Wayne Dumont Jr. Administration Building located on Route 519 one mile south of Belvidere, and will make another pickup at Rymon's Equipment, Route 31, Washington at 7:15 a.m. We will return at approximately 10:30 p.m.

We will be visiting four farms with outstanding herds and facilities:

Pintail Farm: The farm is operated by a former Warren County dairyman and Holstein enthusiast, Steve Hughes. The dairy consists of 80 top pedigree cows and beautiful facilities, which include a tie stall dairy barn and a new heifer barn. Pintail is known for its top sale consignments and embryo

sales from strong cow families. The farm also boasts several other enterprises, including an aquaculture farm raised striped bass, shooting preserve and sporting clay range. The sporting clay range will be open at a cost.

Caw Croft Farm: This farm is owned and operated by Roy Crow and family. The herd consists of five cows averaging 23,000 lbs. The milking herd is housed in a free stall barn, but milked in a flat barn. This is a well managed herd consisting of strong functional dairy cattle.

Centerdel Farms: This farm is owned and operated by Jay and Laura Phipps. Amos Rudderow, former Burlington County dairyman, is the herdsman. On this farm, there are 120 cows averaging 26,000 lbs. The herd is housed in a free stall barn and milked three times a day. They are using BST and getting good results. There is a

new dry cow and heifer loafing barn.

Jones Dairy Farms: This farm is owned and operated by a former Burlington County dairyman, Bucky Jones and family. The farm consists of 1200 acres and all new dairy facilities constructed in 1995. There are 600 cows averaging over 24,000 lbs. of milk housed in a free stall barn, and milked in a double 20 parallel parlor with a floating floor. The dairy facility is constructed to allow for expansion to 1,000 cows in the future. Buildings include new heifer barns, maternity ward and commodity storage.

The Directors have planned an excellent tour. Cost for the bus is \$20.00 per person. Bring your lunch to eat on the bus between stops. The bus will be stopping at the Howard Johnson Restaurant for dinner, and you will order from the menu at your expense.

Contact your county extension service before Friday, March 22. Make check payable to Warren County Holstein Association.

N.E. Pa. Barn Meetings

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Rt.414 for two miles, turn south (right) on the farm road. This is beside the Tri-County Electric Sub Station. The farm will be next on the left.

Tioga County

On Thursday, March 28, from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., a meeting is scheduled at the dairy farm of Bill and Carol Chamberlain, of rural Convington.

The Chamberlains milk 78 cows with a rolling herd average of 20,482 pounds of milk, 752 pounds of fat, and 646 pounds of protein.

Their barn features tunnel ventilation with four 48-inch exhaust fans at one end of the barn providing winter and summer ventilation. The ventilation adjusts both manually and automatically. In addition, the farm features a milk house waste treatment system and they practice intensive grazing.

The farm is locate five miles east of Mansfield. From Mainesburg, travel south on Mainesburg Road (by Anne's Store), take the second dirt road to the right called Webster Road. It is the first farm, with a large pond and a brown

barn.

For more information call extension agent Craig Williams at (717) 724-9120.

Lycoming County

On Friday, March 29, from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., a meeting has been scheduled to be held at Kuhns Dairy Farm in rural Montoursville.

With a 50-cow milking string, the Kuhns Farm has a mixed herd of Holsteins and Jerseys with a rolling herd average of more than 19,000 pounds milk. To market that milk, they have their make their own ice cream and sell it in the area as Kuhns Ice Cream.

As far as facilities, they are in the process of installing a ventilation system in a stall barn with a new addition.

To get to the farm, turn east on Back Street by the Loyalsock Hotel and go a quarter of a mile to a small one-lane bridge then turn north (left) after crossing the bridge. The farm is there.

For more information about that barn meeting, call extension agent Bill Messersmith at (717) 327-2350.

PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, March 23rd
9:30 AM
Accord, NY

Albert DeJager has sold his farm and commissioned Frank Walker Livestock to sell his farm machinery and barn equipment at his farm located on DeJager Lane, Accord, NY. From Kingston Thruway Exit 19, take 209 South approximately 16 miles. Turn North on Ulster County Route 1 (approximately 2/10 of a mile North of PX Convenience Store in Accord). Take County Route 1 1.1 miles to DeJager Lane.

TRACTORS: IH 1486 w/cab, MF 1105 w/cab, MF 1155 w/cab, Leyland 2100, MF 2775 w/cab and duals (weak clutch pump), Cat D4 bulldozer, Michigan 175 4WD loader, skid steer trailer, JD 24 skid loader, 1967 Dodge 500 dump truck w/16 ft. rack.

COMBINES: MF 750 w/6 row corn head, Gleaner (K) w/2 row corn and 10 ft. hay heads.

FIELD MACHINERY: JD 38 forage chopper w/2 row corn & hay heads, Veemer 504H round baler, NH 479 haybine, Dion 1018 forage wagon w/tandem gear, White 5 btm. variable width auto reset plow, NH 256 hay rake, Brillion 20 ft. packer seeder w/meter, Gehl 880 haybine, MC rotary scythe, double rake hitch, 10 ft. Bush Hog disc, AC 6 row corn planter (no till), Vicon seeder, culti-packer, IH 830 forage harvester w/2 row corn & hay heads, JD 13 hole grain drill w/packer, IH 3 btm. fast hitch plow, 10 shank, 3 pt. chisel plow, PK crop sprayer, PTO irrigation pump, 5 wooden hay wagons, Lely hay tedder, mixer wagon tandem axle, 2 Dion forage wagons (1 right, 1 left handed), Martin manure auger, 16 ft. flatbed trailer, 3 pt. tire scrapper, 3 pt. post hole digger, 3 pt. buzz saw, 3 pt. fertilizer spreader, bale buncher, hay & grain elevator, AC 6 btm. plow, Dion forage blower, Mayrath hay & grain elevator, 3 pt. back blade, Vermeer 3 pt. bale carrier, Hawk Bilt 480 hay stacker, NH 90 hay loader, Scholer dump table, 2 running gears, Martin slinger manure spreader, wood splitter, Woods 10 ft. rotary mower, grain elevator, 16 ft. spring tooth harrow, silo pipe, JD culti-mulcher, wheel rake, horse hay tedder.

BARN EQUIPMENT: Harvestore 20 ft. silo unloader, Harvestore feed roller mill, Boumatic milking parlor system to be sold separately consisting of 24 units, 12 DeLaval weigh jars, 7 Boumatic weigh jars, Boumatic 4 pipe receiver, Boumatic sink, 30 ft. precooler, Boumatic pipeline washer, 3-7 1/2 hp vacuum pumps, 1 new Zero pump, stainless preheater, 160 free stalls to be sold in various lots, approx. 50 ft. concrete feed bunks, Patz 60 ft. automatic feeder, 4 frost-free waterers, 20 ft. silage auger, 2-20 ft. silo unloaders, Mojonier 500 gal. bulk tank, several grain augers, sprinkler pump, several fans, misc. feeders, rubber mats

MISCELLANEOUS HAND TOOLS & PARTS: Milk cans, cement mixer, wagon jack, stone boat head, pressure washer, fuel tank, school bus for storage, normal collection of misc. hand tools and parts found on working farm.

Terms: Cash or good check, ID required. All merchandise sold as is where is. Immediate payment required. Nothing removed until settled for. No Sunday removal.

Owner: **Albert DeJager**
Accord, NY Phone (914) 626-7748
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