

Holstein USA, National DHIA Team Up In Animal ID

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Two members of the dairy industry have agreed to work cooperatively on improving the dairy cattle identification system firmly in place. During a joint Board of Directors meeting, Holstein Association USA and the National Dairy Herd Improvement Association (NDHIA) strongly confirmed their support for the American ID Numbering System (American ID) that was developed by the Council on Dairy Cattle Breeding (CDCB) in 1995. The Council is comprised of National DHIA, National Association of Animal Breeders, Purebred Dairy Cattle Association, and the USDA/AIPL.

The goal of American ID is to provide a unique number for each animal identified by organizations that incorporate the numbering system. CDCB initiated the move to such a single identification

numbering system in late 1995, approving American ID as a way to allow for unification of the industry's identification system. The American ID number will consist of a country code and a unique 12-digit number. The Boards also unanimously supported the concept of a voluntary national ID program referred to as the National Farm Animal Identification and Records (National F.A.I.R.). National F.A.I.R. would expand American ID beyond parentage and performance recording organizations, to also include state veterinarians, herd health practitioners, and USDA agencies, among others.

Administration of ID records electronically from the farm to databases would insure higher accuracy of the data while maintaining efficiencies. Various ID methods, including electronic ID and bar coding technology that

provide accurate ID for management purposes, would also be accommodated. A committee consisting of various industry organizations, including representatives from animal health and regulatory agencies will be appointed to develop the details for the National

F.A.I.R. proposal with the objective of obtaining input and gaining support across the farm animal industry.

Under the current system, dairy cattle can have several identification numbers assigned to them during their lifetime: calfhood

vaccination (USDA uniform series ear tag) number, breed registration number, DHI number, and DRPC computer number, to name a few. The new system will provide one identification number for milk recording, breed associations, USDA and animal health practitioners, among others.

Koons Inducted Into Hall Of Fame

DEFOREST, Wis. — ABS Global, Inc., recently honored Don Koons, Waynesboro, Pa., with the supreme honor of induction into the ABS Representative Hall of Fame.

ABS established the Hall of Fame to recognize those men and women who have unselfishly devoted their careers to help dairy and beef producers improve their breeding programs and

profitability.

Don Koons started his career with ABS in May of 1950 and is in his 46th year of service. For the first 25 years of his career, he serviced Franklin County, Pa. Later, Washington County was added to his area.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

STEAM-O-RAMA
SPRING FLING

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1996

9:00 AM

DIRECTIONS: Steam-O-Rama showgrounds near Windsor, PA. I-83 to exit 7. Rt. 124 east Prospect Rd. 7.5 miles to Manor Rd., turn right on Manor Rd. 1.3 miles to showgrounds. Watch signs.

TRACTORS - 1946 VAC Case (restored); 1940 Ford 9N (restored); 1940 Ford 9N; Cletrac AG w/blade; 1942 Farmall A (restored); J.D. LA w/plow and cultivator; J.D. 630; Farmall Cub w/snowplow; Farmall Cub; Farmall F-14 w/electric start and hydra lift; Massey Harris Pony; Oliver 99 4-cyl; Cockshutt 550G; 1945 LeRoI w/new tires; Allis Chalmers C; Farmall H; International 300 utility w/chains 3 pt; Simplicity Garden Tractor w/5 attachments; and other parts tractors: **EQUIPMENT** - Wiard 206 2 btm walking plow; David Bradley horse-drawn spreader on rubber (nice); (2) horse-drawn wood wheel wagons (nice) Ontario horse-drawn grain drill; Ford blade 3 pt; Ford Scoop 3 pt; 6' Scrape blade 3 pt; circular saw 3 2-row cultivator 3 pt; Massey Harris Corn planter; 3 btm rope trip plow; Woods 60" mower pull-type; New Holland saw; buck saw; Farquhar 2-row corn planter; Ironage 2-row planter (nice); Farquhar/Albright corn planter; Oliver Grain drill; H&D single hole corn planter (Real nice); H&D 1-hole corn sheller; IHC 1-hole corn sheller; 1,000 lb. platform scales; potato plow; walking plows; McCormick plate mill; flatbed wagon; J.D. and Case hydraulic cylinders; (2) fanning mills; cream separators: **STEAM AND GAS ENGINES** - Ideal (restored); 2 hp Witte (restored); 2 1/4 hp Galloway (nice); IHC 1 1/2 - 2 1/2 L. (rough); Stover 1 1/2 Khp. (rough); 1 1/2 hp J.D. (part engine); 2-cyl Horizontal Steam Engine (as is) **COLLECTIBLES** - J.D. 20 pedal tractor; Ironage watch fob potato w/bug; CAT watch fob; J.D. wrenches; J.D. tire pump; 1993 J.D. airplane; J.D. pewter belt buckles A, D, R, 55 series and more; J.D. tray; J.D. stained glass industrial light (hanging); J.D. glasses; J.D. popcorn can; Porcelain Waterloo Boy sign (repro); Waterloo Boy key chain; Chrome Case eagle; decal sets; Mundis Mills 50th Anniv. pitcher; toy tractors; Cast Iron seats - Deere Co., Oliver, Rock Island, Hayes, Woods, Aultman Miller Numerous pieces of literature various manufacturers: **MISCELLANEOUS** - Large Copper Kettle; Rear steel wheels for Mc-Deering 22-36; 22-36 parts; Hillside hitch for Farmall M; Rally riding mower; 3.5 kw Onan generator; 1978-87 Chevy snowplow frame; Hydraulic liftgate for pickup; Car ramps; New 12" plowshares for JD cast; 1/2" chain; shelving and pegboard; pair 8.3x24 tires; one 14.9x28 tire; pair Cub tires & rims; pair 11.4x24 tires; 3 flotation tires & rims; 2 new smudge pots; Rough sawn lumber oak, poplar, pine. Many items not listed.

Auctioneers Note -

The members of Steam-O-Rama have worked long and hard to put this sale together. There are many old, interesting, and collectible items to be sold. We feel it is in your best interest to attend this auction

TERMS - Cash or good check, all items to be settled for day of sale. PA sales tax will be charged. PA sales tax numbers and forms must be on file day of sale or you will pay tax.

Additional consignments will be accepted Monday, April 29 to Friday, May 3, 10 AM until dusk at sale location. Loading ramps and equipment available.

Flea Market and Yard Sale - May 4 and 5 all day - spaces available. Call Gloria Peters at 717/244-2954.


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PUBLIC SALE
OF FARM MACHINERY & TOOLS
Having sold my farm I will sell on the premises along Water Street Road, off Rt #26 just east of Mt. Pleasant, Fred'k County MD on
Fri., April 19, 1996
Beginning at 10 AM, the following:
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