

# MAMMA Welcomes New Program Director

TOWSON, Md. — Kara J. Tussey, a dairy farmer's daughter from Central Pennsylvania, is the new program director for the Middle Atlantic Milk Marketing Association (MAMMA). Daughter of Raymond and Susan Tussey, Kara graduated from the Pennsylvania State University in December 1996, majoring in dairy and animal science and minoring in agriculture communications. A former Huntington County dairy princess and state finalist, she was involved in the Penn State Dairy Science Club as secretary and on various other committees. She was also active in intramural sports and participated in various speaking

and presentation contests. A former member of both the Pennsylvania Junior Holstein Club and 4-H, Kara was a 1994 Distinguished Junior Member semifinalist at the National Holstein Convention and attended the National 4-H Congress as a PA State Winner in the dairy category. Since graduation, Kara has been visiting dairy farmers and conducting research on an economic study of dairy cow health in grazing and confinement dairy operations. She is an alumni member of the Dairyman's Club, Stockman's Club, Penn State Alumni Society, Golden Lion Society, and the Alpha Zeta Honor-

ary Fraternity. As program director, Kara will coordinate various MAMMA promotional events and MAMMA's extensive soccer campaign with the Baltimore Spirit, Harrisburg Heat, and Philadelphia Kixx. She will be a liaison to the schools enrolled in MAMMA's School Milk Quality Assurance Program and will work closely with other MAMMA staff in coordinating MAMMA's school assemblies and promotions.



Kara Tussey



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Programs will be jointly taught by Paula Leuenberger, a registered dietician, and Alletta Schadler, extension home economist.

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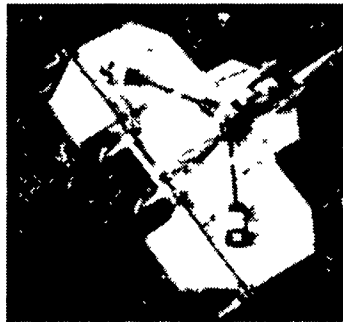
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