

Maryland DHIA Report For March 1996

The March 1996 Dairy Herd Improvement information for dairy herds from the DHI processing center in Provo, Utah. The list includes herds from Maryland, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia. The information is listed by herd name, county association, number of cows in the herd and the average production per cow in the herd. To be included, the herd must have 10 cows averaging 65 pounds or more of 3.5 percent fat corrected milk per cow, per day. All herds reported are on official DHI or DHIR test.

Also listed are the top 10 herds in Maryland for the Brown Swiss, Guernseys, and Jerseys, and the top eight herds for Ayrshires.

AYRSHIRE

County Ass'n	Herd Name	# Cows in Herd	ECM
Howard	David & James Patrick	61	71.5
Frederick	Homestead Farm	19	69.1
Frederick	Vales Pride Farm	16	68.8
Washington	Ralph W. Shank	111	61.3
Baltimore	William Wams Farm	14	59.5

BROWN SWISS

County Ass'n	Herd Name	# Cows in Herd	ECM
Frederick	Fir-Thorne-B	47	79.9
Frederick	K. Scott & Judy Hood	32	78.6
Harford	Green Castle Swiss	14	78.0
Washington	Frey and Bassler	38	72.2
Carroll	Garstlyn Brown Swiss	42	65.6
Montgomery	Rudell C. Beall & Sons	12	64.0
Frederick	Dwayne & Miriam Bell	77	63.6
Carroll	Ryan Bell	10	63.3
Washington	Rocky Haven Brown Swiss	15	56.4
Frederick	Harold Long Brown Swiss	27	53.6

GUERNSEY

County Ass'n	Herd Name	# Cows in Herd	ECM
Cecil	Mt. Ararat Farms	38	71.1
Kent	Keith Dixon	23	67.0
Frederick	Walnut Ridge Farm	81	66.1
Washington	Cletus & Janice Frey	25	62.5
Washington	Crown Stone Farm	71	62.5
Cecil	Pleasant View Gold Farm	38	57.1
Queen Anne's	William B. Messer III	16	51.3
Frederick	Anovadik Guernseys	33	46.8
Kent	Dogwood Lane Farm	75	44.7
Frederick	Three Brooks Farm	80	41.1

JERSEY

County Ass'n	Herd Name	# Cows in Herd	ECM
Carroll	Oucken Acres Jerseys	148	86.5
Cecil	Tol-Je-So Farm	24	64.9
Carroll	Paul & Naomi Petersheim	33	61.8
Washington	Michael Forsythe	16	64.7
Frederick	Glenn Beard	11	62.7
Frederick	Gaywinds Farm	85	60.0
Washington	Willow Spring Farm	41	56.6
Frederick	Jersey Spring Farm	67	55.6
Carroll	Tomorrow's Promise Inc.	67	54.2
Kent	P. Thomas Mason	34	54.1

MARYLAND CO. DHIA		
Herd Name	Cows In Herd	ECM
Steve & Christine Wood	72	75.3
Dairy Cattle Research	116	75.2
Steve Wilson	196	71.4
Richard Edwards	274	93.9
Faithland Farm	241	85.2
Hollingsworth Daniel 3	49	75.2
Meadow Lane Farms	10	72.7
Queen Acres Jersey	148	86.5
Unicorn Associates Inc	156	83.2
James & John Myers	69	82.4
Marlin Hoff	681	82.2
Maple Lawn Farm, Inc	197	81.3
Joe A Schwartzbeck	169	79.5
Windsor Manor	85	79.1
Cranberry Meadow Farms	148	76.6
Cedar Knoll Farms	91	76.4
D. Richard Flickinger	119	76.3
Flint Hill Farm	68	75.7
Md - Carrollton	57	74.5
James A Carmack	154	74.3
Derwyn Holsteins	56	73.8
Mike & Anita Haines	66	73.5
Orion-View Holsteins	88	73.2
Weant-Haven Farm	90	72.0
Bryon D Stambaugh	96	71.0
Close, Carl E	155	70.7
Richard L. Hahn	40	70.6
Dwyane & Miriam Bell	60	70.1
Lethbridge, Charles L	87	69.8
Panora Acres Inc	189	69.2
Ralph L. Robertson	102	68.7
Mal-Lene Farm	72	68.4
Jerry & Rick Lease	99	68.3
Thomas H. Muller	123	67.7
Eric F-Faith M. Burall	103	67.3
Ash & Bear	59	67.2
Geo And Daniel Fritz	66	66.6
Gemstone Farm	62	66.1
Gartslyn Brownswiss	42	65.6
Leaseway Holsteins	118	65.4
Doug & Lillian Colson	69	65.4
R A S L Doody	63	65.1
Mt Ararat Farms	43	85.8
Tol-Je-So Farm 1	58	85.1
Tom And Joy Crothers	47	84.6
Staff-Herd Farm	81	73.8
Wil-O-Mar Farms	93	71.8
Mt Ararat Farms	38	71.1
Pleasant View Farms	141	67.5
England Farm Inc	59	66.2
Zion Meadows	100	65.1
Grossnickle Farm Inc	256	95.8
Dave & Carole Doody	135	93.2
Dool-Leigh Farm	121	88.7
Smith-Mead Farm	116	85.7
Fir-thorne	70	85.7
K. Scott & Judy Hood	28	84.1
Glen-Toctin Farm	128	83.7
Mike & Lisa Gaver	78	83.3
Wayne Z Tucker	195	82.4
Aldale Farm	58	81.6
Paul K. Coblentz & Sons	326	81.5
Hobble-Hill Holsteins	81	80.4
Paul R. Dotterer	86	80.1
Fir - Thorne - B	47	79.9
K Scott & Judy Hood	32	78.6
Glade - Rock Farm	126	78.4
G. Donald Shafer & Son	162	77.5
Leigh Castle Holsteins	126	77.2
Wayne Burdette	89	77.0
Glenn Beard	83	76.9
Enfield Farm	101	76.9
Franklin M. Stottlemeyer	48	76.4
Teabow Inc	385	76.0
Jerry & Dawn Murphy	63	74.2
Harshman Partners	127	72.2
Hara Vale Farms	78	71.5
Dublin Hills Swiss	77	71.5
Chuck Fry	126	70.1
Warner Bros Inc	169	69.4
Homestead Farm	19	69.1
Vales - Pride Ayrshire	36	68.8
Plain Four Farms	116	68.7
Md-Garden Spot Farm	88	68.1
Dyke & Mary Garver	99	67.5
Taylor Made Farm	55	67.4
David F. Grossnickle	117	67.3
Mehrle H. Ramsburg Jr	313	67.0
Homestead Farm	40	66.9
Gaywinds Farm	51	66.4
Walnut Ridge Farm	81	66.1
James E. Roderuck	68	65.0
Philip Beachy	78	94.0
Fred Petershiem	47	86.8
Jerry L. Yoder	67	85.8
Calvin Schrock	58	80.3
Gap Run Farm Inc	80	79.7
Andrew W. Schrock	52	77.7

Ernest & Dan Ganoe	142	76.1	Holstein
Melinda Thomas	22	76.1	Holstein
Kenneth L. Yoder	79	75.9	Holstein
Paul & Henry Kinsinger	79	75.7	Holstein
Mar-K Farms	65	74.5	Holstein
Gladheart Holsteins	36	74.2	Holstein
Menno J. Yoder	58	74.0	Holstein
Piney Run Farms	118	73.9	Holstein
Bender, Carl	123	73.8	Holstein
Arlin Maust	67	73.4	Holstein
Paul Yoder	107	72.9	Holstein
Wayne E. Schrock	45	72.7	Holstein
Jonas D. Kinsinger	20	71.9	Holstein
Gary Mc Clintock	82	71.3	Holstein
Delvin Mast	197	71.1	Holstein
Daniel Lee Yoder	36	71.0	Holstein
Art Maust	56	70.8	Holstein
Charles Mason Jr	78	70.6	Holstein
Oren C. Bender	125	70.5	Holstein
David W. Yoder	43	69.6	Holstein
Randal Beitzel	66	69.3	Holstein
Clover Farms	69	68.5	Holstein
Glenn A. Durst	50	67.9	Holstein
Tobie Kinsinger	28	66.1	Holstein
Rufus Peachey	66	65.5	Holstein
Maroamo Farm	115	84.3	Holstein
My-Ladys--Manor Farm	317	83.2	Holstein
Stephen C. Trout	41	79.9	Holstein
Green-CastleSwiss	14	78.0	Br Swiss
Strawberry Hill Farm	143	76.5	Holstein
David M. Keyes	91	75.9	Holstein
David Hopkins	72	73.7	Holstein
JD & GE Miller	60	72.3	Holstein
Dublin View Dairy	105	70.7	Holstein
Orville & Donald Lyons	40	68.5	Holstein
Eternal Flame Holsteins	150	66.2	Holstein
Brick House Farm	220	65.4	Holstein
Paul F. Harrison Jr	106	103.5	Holstein
David & James Patrick	133	91.4	Holstein
Patrick, David & James	61	71.5	Ayrshire
University Of Maryland	98	71.0	Holstein
Bowling Green Farm	145	68.3	Holstein
Wordford Farm	132	67.7	Holstein
Caw-Croft Dairy	73	79.3	Holstein
Fair Hill Farm Inc	255	78.7	Holstein
Greenwood Acres	80	78.5	Holstein
R & E Brink	70	78.0	Holstein
Brick House FM Inc	81	77.9	Holstein
Jonas & Ruth Stoltzfus	92	77.2	Holstein
Hills Dairy Partnership	140	76.5	Holstein
Howard McHenry	205	74.3	Holstein
WM & Kathleen Schrodol #2	144	72.2	Holstein
Friendship Farms, Inc	86	67.0	Holstein
McGure Bros Inc	81	66.1	Holstein
Glad-Mar Farm Inc	143	72.4	Holstein
Mendelssohn Terrace Farm	133	78.6	Holstein
Kevin & Laurie Savage	27	72.8	Holstein
Rudell C. Beall & Sons	175	72.7	Holstein
Beneva Farms	72	71.6	Holstein
H. M. & F. C. Ensor	206	66.9	Holstein
Vossmon Farm	59	87.2	Holstein
True Vine Holsteins	72	79.2	Holstein
Potomac St. College	63	70.2	Mixed
Charles E. Twigg	26	67.2	Holstein
Brookdale Holsteins	89	65.6	Holstein
Benjamin Stanton	71	96.3	Holstein
Boone Brothers	170	91.6	Holstein
F & J Moore	142	88.0	Holstein
Donald W. Skinner	108	84.9	Holstein
Lester C. Jones, Inc	996	82.0	Holstein
McFarland Donnie & Wayne	148	75.1	Holstein
L J & W E Palmatary	185	75.0	Holstein
Harry L. Schrader & Sons	209	73.8	Holstein
Pintail Point Farm	63	70.3	Holstein
Wintacres	78	68.6	Holstein
Charles R. Patterson	109	67.6	Holstein
Wm Brinsfield	78	81.7	Holstein
Willis Snow & Henry	49	68.1	Holstein
Brad & Cathy Wiles	79	93.1	Holstein
Kevin & Marlin Martin	71	86.1	Holstein
Creek Bound Farm	91	81.4	Holstein
Curtis W. Ausherman	76	80.7	Holstein
Marsh-Haven Farm	76	79.2	Holstein
Michael Forsythe	24	78.8	Holstein
Pryor Brothers	95	77.9	Holstein
Arthur Rhoderick	251	75.8	Holstein
Cletus & Janice Frey	30	75.1	Holstein
Willow Springs Partners	32	74.1	Holstein
Debaugh Farms	97	73.7	Holstein
Cletus & Janice Frey	38	72.2	Br Swiss
Earl Grove Jr	122	72.0	Holstein
S J Winters & Family	107	70.9	Holstein
Magna-Vista Farm	88	70.9	Holstein
John & Cindy Burtner	29	68.1	Holstein
Woodley Hill Farm	59	67.7	Holstein
Wilmer Ocker	76	67.0	Holstein
Long Delite Farm	56	66.2	Holstein
Ralph W. Shank	35	65.9	Holstein

Land O'Lakes Members Elect Delegates, Receive Awards

CARLISLE (Cumberland Co.) — Land O' Lakes capped another successful year financially, dairy farmer members were told during the recent dairy foods unit meetings held throughout the Mid-Atlantic region, according to a cooperative news release.

The cooperative recorded sales of \$5.2 billion and net earnings of \$69 million. Sales were up 23 percent in 1998 mainly due to key acquisitions and mergers, including the merger with Dairyman's Cooperative Creamery Association of Tulare, Calif.

Land O' Lakes Dairy Foods achieved its fifth consecutive year of earnings improvement. The \$43 million in earnings, up 43 percent over 1997, represent a 30.3-cent per hundredweight allocation to members.

During the meetings, the membership elected unit delegates to represent each of the 23 dairy foods units. Unit delegates represent members at Land O' Lakes annual meeting and joint directors meeting, among others.

Those elected include Levi Ransom, Nicholson; Wendy Wehrmann, Gillett; Don Bergey, Millville; Larry Dotterer, Mill Hall; J. Loren Yoder, Belleville; Randall Huntsman, Martinsburg; Ernie Gelsinger, Robeson; David Bitler, Fleetwood; James Hallowell, Ottsville; Nelson Habecker, Lancaster; Dale Hershey, Manheim; Walter C. Martin, New Holland; and Donald Ranck, Paradise.

Also elected were Ralph McGregor, East Berlin; D. Ray Geissinger, Mifflintown; David Cadwallader, Salem, N.J.; Jeffrey Moore, Centerville, Md.; William Moore, Chatham; Scott Kreider, Quarryville; Thomas Wakefield, Bedford; David Roth, Williamsport, Md.; Stanley C. Myers, Greencastle; and James A. Stonesifer, Union Bridge, Md.

In other business, 153 producers were elected as area delegates. Area delegates represent Land O' Lakes members at the June leadership meeting and the fall regional meeting. Also, 302 Quality Premium awards were presented to members who qualified for the cooperative's quality milk bonus all 12 months of 1998.

In addition, a total of 52 membership awards were presented to those members with 25, 50 and 75 years of membership.

Receiving 75-year membership awards were Breezyvale Farms Inc., Yardley; Clovervale Dairy Farms Inc., Pilesgrove, N.J.; H.W. Cook & Sons, Newark, Del.; Donwaland Holsteins Inc., Church Hill, Md.; Donald C. Gable, Elverson; Charles E. Groff, Kinzers; James F. III and Lynda Hall, Church Hill, Md.; C. Barclay Hoopes Jr.; Landenberg; Kenneth V. and James C. Saylor, Williamsburg; Raymond B. Tussey, Huntingdon; Walamore Holsteins Inc., Chatham; and Harry T. Williams & Son, Worton, Md.