

Average Farm Feed Costs For Handy Reference

To help farmers across the state to have handy reference of commodity input costs in their feeding operations for DHIA record sheets

or to develop livestock feed cost data, here's last week's average costs of various ingredients as compiled from regional reports across the state of Pennsylvania.

Remember, these are averages, so you will need to adjust your figures up or down according to your

Pennsylvania Winner of National Award

location and the quality of your

Corn, No.2y — 2.30 bu., 4.11

Wheat, No. 2 — 2.29 bu., 3.82

Barley, No. 3 — 1.34 bu., 2.87 Oats, No. 2 — 1.40 bu., 4.38

Soybeans, No. 1 - 3.86 bu.,

Ear Corn — 71.92 ton, 3.60 cwt.

Alfalfa Hay — 106.25 ton, 5.31 Mixed Hay -110.00 ton, 5.5

Timothy Hay — 108.75 ton,

Scott Williams **Training Coordinator**

STATE COLLEGE (Centre Co.) — Recently Jim Dickrell contacted PA DHIA and informed us that Joseph and Annette Snyder of Union County were selected the winners of the 1999 National Dairy Quality Award. Joseph and Annette own a farm in Union County and had the lowest SCC average in the state of Pennsylvania this past year. Anne Brooks

the PA DHIA technician who services this herd throught it would be a good idea and entered the Snyders into the competition. The Snyders will receive a all-expense-paid trip to the World Dairy Expo in October. They will also receive a plaque and be featured in the October issue of Dairy Today. Pennsylvania DHIA would like to congratulate Joseph and Annette on winning this award.

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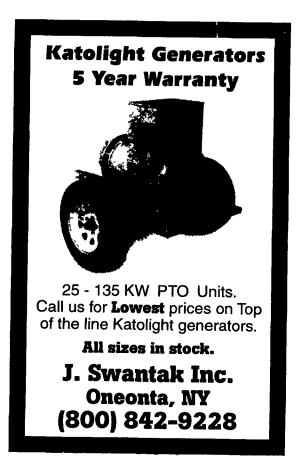
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