

Joe Lindecamp Retires After 50 Years



Joe Lindecamp, his wife Judy and their children Mary, David and Jane.

LANCASTER (Lancaster Co.) — What can one say to a faithful employee after 50 continuous years of excellent service to dairymen? In an effort to show their appreciation to Joe Lindecamp, Lancaster DHIA hosted a dinner party at the Fulton Grange in Nottingham.

A roast beef dinner was served by members of the Grange, followed by a short program and time of entertainment. Jay Mylin, manager of Lancaster DHIA, served as moderator. He recalled some of his own personal experiences with Lindecamp and then reviewed the past 50

years by asking Lindecamp questions regarding his years in the dairy industry and ways in which it has changed. A display table filled with items used to test milk in the days before laboratory equipment proved to be of great interest to all.

There was also sharing of memories by several generations of people at whose farms Lindecamp tested for many years. His wife Judy was included in some of those memories, as she helped him for the majority of those years.

Lindecamp's willingness to go beyond the call of duty and his attention to detail were repeated throughout the day. His meticulous record keeping practice was also mentioned numerous times, with the calf books on display for proof.

Lindecamp was presented with a plaque, scrapbook, and a monetary gift of \$500. His wife Judy was given a framed picture of cows out to pasture and an arrangement of roses.

Both farmers and Lancaster DHIA employees will miss Lindecamp, who retired at the end of June.

Land O'Lakes Hosts Open House

CARLISLE (Cumberland Co.) — As part of the 250th Anniversary Celebration of Cumberland County, Land O'Lakes, Inc., will host an open house at the Carlisle plant in Mt. Holly Springs on August 25 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

At 10 a.m., local dignitaries will dedicate the newly-expanded evaporating and drying facilities at the plant. The multi-million dollar expansion has generated more than 15 new jobs in the Carlisle area. The new facilities will move an additional 25,000 pounds of butter through the plant per hour, doubling the plant's capacity.

During the open house, governmental officials, community

members, business leaders, and dairy farmers will be invited to tour the butter plant, which produces 25 percent of Land O'Lakes national butter supply.

Both local and national celebrities have been invited to appear at the event. Free product samples will be available for everyone who attends. Informational exhibits about Land O'Lakes, its programs, and community involvement will also be on display. Look for a schedule of activities in August.

For more information about Land O'Lakes, the Carlisle plant, or the Open House, contact Land O'Lakes Eastern Division at 717-486-7000.

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Joint Venture

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Value-Added Group. "In addition, the proceeds from the sale of our regional fluid dairy business will enable us to further invest in and strengthen our core businesses on behalf of our members."

The asset purchase encompasses all the operating assets of Land O'Lakes Fluid Dairy Division, including four fluid dairy plants located in Woodbury (Twin Cities area) and Thief River Falls, Minn., Bismarck, N.D. and Sioux Falls, S.D., as well as a new extended-shelf-life (ESL) dairy and cultured plant located in Richland Center, Wis.

The acquired dairy division generates annual sales of approximately \$310 million and markets a full line of fluid milk, yogurt, creams, sour cream and cottage cheese, 85 percent of which is sold under the Land O'Lakes brand name. Land O'Lakes will be the long-term agent for supplying the raw milk requirements of the plants acquired by Dean Foods.

Under the separate joint venture agreement, Land O'Lakes and Dean Foods each hold a 50 percent interest in an independent entity having the U.S. rights to market and license Land O'Lakes brand cream, half and half, sour cream and extended-shelf-life products, including the successful Grip'n Go™ single-serve milk and to develop new consumer-friendly, value-added dairy products.

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