

Phila. Vegetable
 PHILADELPHIA Terminal
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VEGETABLES -ARTICHOKES:
 ctns CA Globe Thorned 30s 12.00 36s 12.00 sml lse 12.00 -**ASPARAGUS:**
 MARKET ABOUT STEADY 11 lb ctns/crts bchd PE Green jbo 17.00 few 18.00 exlge 15.00-17.00 few 18.00 poor cond 3.00 lge 15.00-16.00 poor cond 3.00 std 18.00 sml 18.00 -**BEANS:** OFFERINGS LIGHT bucrts/crts GA Round Green Type Machine Picked 25.00 NJ Round Green Type Machine Picked 20.00-23.00 VA Round Green Type Machine Picked 22.00-25.00 -**BEETS:** MARKET STEADY crts bchd NJ 12s 8.00 25 lb sks lse NJ med 4.50-5.00 -**BROCCOLI:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA bchd 14s 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.50-11.00 ME bchd 14s 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 few 10.00 few 7.00 20 lb ctns lse CA Crown Cut 12.00-14.00 -**BRUSSELS SPROUTS:** TOO FEW SALES TO QUOTE -**CABBAGE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 1/4 bucrts & 50 lb ctns CD Round Green Type med 6.00 Red Type med 7.00 NJ Round Green Type med few 5.50 NY Round Green Type med 5.50-6.00 PA Round Green Type med 4.00-5.00 mostly 5.00 lge 4.00-5.00 Red Type med 6.00-7.00 50 lb sks CD Round Green Type lge 3.50-4.50 1 1/4 bucrts & 40 lb ctns CD Savoy Type med 8.00 PA Savoy Type med 7.00 -**CARROTS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY sks 48 1-lb flmbgs CA Topped med-lge 12.00-13.00 mostly 12.00 few 14.00-14.50 sks 10 5-lb flmbgs CA Topped med-lge 12.00 50 lb sks lse CA

Topped jbo 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00 CD Topped jbo 5.50-6.00 ctns bchd CA Bunched 24s 11.00 ctns 24 1-lb flmbgs CA Baby Peeled 17.00 few 18.00 ctns 20 1-lb flmbgs CA Baby Peeled 13.00-14.00 ctns 12 2-lb flmbgs CA Baby Peeled 17.00 few 18.00 ctns 4 5-lb flmbgs CA Baby Peeled few 16.00 -**CAULIFLOWER:** MARKET STEADY ctns flmwrpd CA 12s 10.00 9s 9.00 -**CELERY:** MARKET HIGHER ctns CA 1 1/2 dz 12.00-13.00 2 dz 12.00-13.00 mostly 12.00 2 1/2 dz 11.00-13.00 mostly 12.00 few 10.50 fair appear 10.00 flmbgs 30s 14.00 CD 2 1/2 dz 8.50-9.00 -**CHINESE CABBAGE:** 30 lb ctns CA Nappa few 14.00 -**CORN-SWEET:** OFFERINGS LIGHT wbcrts GA White 4-4 1/2 dz 14.00 ctns CA Yellow 4 dz min 14.00 White 4 dz min 14.00 -**CUCUMBERS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY WAXED 1 1/4 bucrts/crts GA med 15.00-16.00 fair qual & fair appear 8.00 NC sml 10.00 NY med fr qual 10.00-11.00 SC med 18.00 VA med fair qual & fair appear 8.00-9.00 UNWAXED 1 1/9 bucrts/crts NJ sml fair appear 8.00 -**EGGPLANT:** OFFERINGS LIGHT 1 1/9 bucrts/crts GA med 14.00 fair appear 10.00 NC med fair cond 6.00-8.00 -**ENDIVE:** MARKET STEADY 1 1/4 bucrts OH 7.00 1.3 bucrts NJ 5.00 -**ESCAROLE:** MARKET STEADY 1 1/4 bucrts OH 7.00 1.3 bucrts NJ 6.00 -**GARLIC:** MARKET STEADY 30 lb ctns CA White super col 37.50 col 31.50 super jbo 28.50 exjbo 27.00 -**GREENS:** MARKET STEADY ctns bchd CA Swiss Chard 12s 13.00 Red 12s 13.00 ctns rts bchd MD Collard 5.50-6.00 Kale

5.50-6.00 NC Collard 6.00-6.50 Kale 6.00-6.50 Mustard 7.00 Turnip Tops 7.00 Rape 7.00 NJ Collard 6.00-6.50 Turnip Tops 6.00 PA Collard 5.50-6.00 Kale 5.50-6.00 ctns lse CA Kale Flowering 24s few 15.00 20 lb ctns CA Broccoli Rabe 24s 22.00 few 24.00 -**LETTUCE-ICEBERG:** MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER ctns CA 24s 11.00-13.00 mostly 12.00 few 13.50 Wrapped 24s 13.00-15.00 mostly 13.00-14.00 -**LETTUCE-OTHER:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA Green Leaf 24s 10.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 Red Leaf 24s 9.00-11.00 3 lb ctns CA Mesculin Mix 7.50 -**LETTUCE-ROMAINE:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 24s 11.00-12.50 mostly 12.00 few 10.50 1.3 bucrts CA 24s 16.00 -**MUSHROOMS:** MARKET STEADY 10 lb ctns PA lge 12.50 med 9.50 4 qt bkts PA med-lge 5.00 sml-med 4.50 5 lb ctns PA Oyster 15.00 Portobellas 7.00 sml 5.50 3 lb ctns PA Shiitake 12.00 fair qual 9.00 ctns 12 8-oz trays flmwrpd PA 8.50 ctns 10 12-oz trays flmwrpd PA 9.50 ctns 10 10-oz trays flmwrpd PA 8.50 -**OKRA:** 1/2 bucrts FL sml-med 15.00 few 16.00 -**ONIONS GREEN:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA 48s 10.00-12.00 occ lower few best 13.00-15.00 MX 48s 10.00-11.00 crts bchd NJ Leeks 12s 10.00 -**PARSLEY:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA Curly 60s 11.00 1 1/4 bucrts/crts bchd OH Curly 60s 10.00 Plain 60s 10.00 -**PARSNIPS:** 20 lb flmbgs lse CD 10.00 -**PEAS GREEN:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 10 lb ctns GU Snow Peas Decalaxed 11.00-12.00 PE Snow Peas Decalaxed 12.00 few higher GU Sugar Snap Peas Decalaxed

20.00 PE Sugar Snap Peas Decalaxed 22.00 -**PEAS OTHER:** OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE -**PEPPERS:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 1/4 bucrts/crts CA Bell Type Red exlge fair qual & cond 8.00-10.00 ord cond 5.00 GA Bell Type Green lge 15.00 MX Bell Type Red lge fair qual 12.00 NJ Bell Type Green med-lge 12.00-13.00 med 10.00-12.00 Mxd Red And Green lge 10.00 15 lb ctns CA Bell Type Red exlge 10.00 Yellow exlge 17.00 5 kg ctns NL Bell Type Orange 80-100mm few 16.00-17.00 Red 80-100mm few 15.00 Yellow 80-100mm few 17.00-18.00 -**PEPPERS OTHER:** 1/2 bucrts NJ Jalapeno 13.00 1 1/4 bucrts rts NJ Long Hot 12.00-13.00 -**PUMPKINS:** bins MD Howden med-lge 110.00 NY Howden lge 100.00 (40-50 count) med-lge 100.00 (60-65 count) PA Howden lge 100.00 (40-50 count) med-lge 100.00-110.00 (60-65 count) 30" bins MD & PA med-lge 100.00 -**RADISHES:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns tpd 30 6-oz flmbgs CD Red 7.00 MN Red 7.50 NY Red 7.00 OH Red 8.00 ctns tpd 14 1-lb flmbgs CD Red 7.00 MN Red 8.50 40 lb flmbgs tpd OH Red 15.00 ctns bchd OH Red 24s 10.00 -**RHUBARB:** OFFERINGS NONE -**RUTABAGAS:** 50 lb sks CD med 12.00 -**SPINACH:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 2 1/4 bucrts bchd CA Flat 24s few 16.00 ctns 4 2-1/2-lb flmbgs CA Flat 14.00 cel crt NJ Savoy 8.00-9.00 4 lb ctns CA Flat Baby Type 24s 11.00 -**SQUASH:** OFFERINGS YELLOW STRAIGHTNECK LIGHT MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1/2

bucrtns rts NJ Zucchini sml-med 8.00 few 7.00 7.00 few 6.00 Yellow Straightneck sml-med fair appear 11.00 fair cond 8.00 med fair appear 10.00 1 1/9 bucrts/crts NJ Butternut med 8.00 ctns/lugs MX Yellow Straightneck sml-med fair cond 11.00 med fair cond 10.00 -**SWEET POTATOES:** MARKET ABOUT STEADY 40 lb ctns LA U.S. One Beauregard med 14.00 NC U.S. One Beauregard med 12.00 fair appear 10.00 NJ Porto Rican Type med 10.00 fair qual 8.00-9.00 Yellow Jersey med fair qual 12.00 1/2 bucrtns NJ Yellow Jersey med 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00-11.00 ord cond 5.00-6.00 -**TOMATOES:** MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER 25 lb ctns NJ Vine Ripes light red lge 16.00-18.00 med 14.00 sml 10.00-11.00 TN 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red-red 5x6s 22.00 6x6s 22.00 VA 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red 5x6s 22.00 6x6s 22.00 Local Repack Mature Greens light red 5x6s 24.75 6x6s 23.75 6x7s 21.75 5 kg ctns NL Vine Ripes Greenhouse red med 16.00 -**TOMATOES, CHERRY:** MARKET GRAPE TYPE STEADY, OTHERS LOWER flts 12 1-pt bkts FL light red 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00 flts 12 1-pt cntrs with lids FL Grape Type light red-red 18.00 flts 12 1-pt bkts MX light red 12.00-13.00 VA light red 10.00-12.00 -**TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE:** OFFERINGS LIGHT 25 lb ctns CA light red 22.00 FL light red 20.00-22.00 MI light red 22.00 -**TURNIPS:** MARKET STEADY 25 lb sks NJ Purple Top med 6.00-7.00 -**VEGETABLES OTHER:** 8 lb ctns CA Radicchio 9s 8.00 MISC SEASONAL -ORNAMENTAL CORN: ctns rts PA Indian bchd 12-3s 17.00-18.00 -**ORNAMENTAL GOURDS:** OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE.

Milking Conference For Producers An NRAES Event

ITHACA, N.Y. — Quality milk, milk production per man-hour, and profitability can be optimized on dairy farms through careful management and capital investments.

New developments and research have occurred concerning milking parlors, milking systems, data collection and use, cow comfort, and cow handling to improve milk production. Producers considering expansion seek guidance on purchasing new milking systems and parlors as well as on effectively managing these systems.

On January 30 through February 1, at the Radisson Penn Harris Hotel in Camp Hill, Pennsylvania. More than 30 experts on milking systems and parlors will share their knowledge and answer your questions at a conference entitled "Milking Systems and Parlors: Planning and Managing for Quality Milk and Profitability." The conference is coordinated by NRAES, the Natural Resource, Agriculture, and Engineering Service.

The conference will provide guidance on planning milking parlors, parlor efficiency, testing and trouble-shooting milking systems, system cleaning, data collection and management, workforce management, cow behavior, ventilation, and milk cooling.

The target audience includes producers, their advisers, milking managers, extension educators, service and supply industry representatives, milk plant field staff, veterinarians, sanitarians, engineers, and dairy scientists. Producers with 200 or more milking cows and those considering expansion will find this program of interest.

For the evening of January 30, a tabletop exhibit session/reception is planned, with hors d'oeuvres provided by industry sponsors. For the evening of January 31, four concurrent discussion sessions are planned on the topics of robotics, data collection and management, workforce management, and remodeling parlors for 50-200-cow dairies.

The conference is designed to allow plenty of time for audience questions and informal discussion. A post conference workshop for milking system technicians with intermediate to advanced skills is also being planned.

Conference speakers will include: Don Rogers, First Pioneer Farm Credit; David Reid, Rocky Ridge Veterinary Service; Steve Spencer, Penn State University; Steve Eicker, Valley Ag Software; G.M. (Jerry) Jones, Virginia Tech; Doug Reinemann, University of Wisconsin; Jack Rodenburg, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and Rural Affairs; Andy Johnson, Total Herd Management Services; Steve Stewart and Paul Rapnicki, University of Minnesota; Curt Gooch, Cornell's PRO-DAIRY program; Richard Stup, Penn State's Dairy Alliance program; Edmond Pajor, Purdue University; speakers from leading manufacturers of milking equipment and parlors; and more.

The conference is being sponsored by various industry leaders and professional organizations.

The registration fee is \$250 if postmarked by January 8, 2001, and \$295 after January 8 or at the door. The fee includes one conference admission, the tabletop exhibit session/reception on January 30, one lunch, break refreshments, evening discussions, and a copy of the conference proceedings.

A conference brochure including the program, registration form, and other information is being prepared. Complete information can also be found on the NRAES web site www.nraes.org. For those registering with a credit card, registrations will be accepted by Internet, fax, phone, or mail.

To register or to receive free copies of the conference brochure, contact NRAES, 152 Riley-Robb Hall, Ithaca, NY 14853-5701; phone (607) 255-7654; fax (607) 254-8770; or E-mail nraes@cornell.edu.

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