

Polaris Introduces Two New Utility Vehicles For 2001

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — Whether your goal is to fish for aquatic life, hunt for wildlife or just get away from everyday life, the Polaris Ranger is the best vehicle to get outdoor enthusiasts to where they want to be.

This year, Polaris is adding two new models to its popular

6x6 recreational and utility vehicle, the Polaris Ranger 2x4 and Polaris Ranger 4x4. Ideal for trekking through thick mud, maneuvering through a dense forest or crossing an unexpected stream, the entire Polaris Ranger line of all-terrain vehicles are every outdoor enthusi-

ast's dream machine.

All three Polaris Ranger's feature powerful engines with world-famous Polaris Variable Transmission (PVT), long travel suspension, high ground clearance and heavy-duty, all-terrain tires to get up any hilly, rocky or other rough terrain with ease. With true four- and six-wheel-

drive, Polaris Rangers are as ideal in mud as they are in sand, and can carry out difficult tasks, no matter the conditions.

For hunters, the Polaris Ranger's large dump box and up to 1,500 pounds of towing capacity can make a successful outing much easier and more

enjoyable. Decking a Polaris Ranger out with a line of hunting accessories make it even better for long days in the woods and in the fields.

A dual gun scabbard mount designed specially for the Polaris Ranger offers quick and safe access to firearms from either side of the cab. With water- and dust-proof cargo boxes, any gear, from tents to firewood, can be carried without worry. And with the full camouflage cover, hunters are sure to see their target before their target sees them.

"All three vehicles in the Polaris Ranger family are perfect for dozens of outdoor activities," said Mitchell Johnson, ATV general manager. "It's an obvious fit for all kinds of hunters, but it's also great for dragging an ice fishing house across a lake or just trail riding with the family on a weekend afternoon. And when leisure time is over, Polaris Ranger is always ready to help out with the chores at home."

Information about the complete line of Polaris products is available from authorized Polaris dealers or from the Polaris Industries Inc. home page on the Internet at: www.polarisindustries.com.

Farmers Union Joins Call To Dispel Estate Tax Myth

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Farmers Union officials recently joined Sens. Kent Conrad, D-N.D., and Byron Dorgan, D-N.D., to dispel the myth that repeal of the estate tax will help preserve family farms. While the call to preserve family farms has been the driving force behind the repeal attempt, the estate tax rarely applies to family farmers

and ranchers and is not the cause of the liquidation of farm and ranch operations.

"It is simply not true that family farms are being lost because of estate tax obligations," said Leland Swenson, president of the National Farmers Union. "This is a tax break for the extremely wealthy. If we spend this time providing tax breaks

for the ultra-wealthy in America, there will be nothing left to provide for good schools, hospitals and economic development in rural America and nothing with which to write a decent farm bill."

Proponents of estate tax repeal recently said that elimination of the tax is important because the tax prevents farmers

from passing along their operations to the heirs. In reality, the estate tax applies to very few farms and ranches and has not caused the liquidation of farms as proponents suggest. Additionally, the estate tax repeal plan passed by the house, H.R. 8, would not eliminate the tax for another 10 years.

National Farmers Union supports immediately increasing the estate tax exemption to cover estates valued at \$4 million per person, which results in an exemption of \$8 million per couple. That level would protect the estates of virtually every family farm from any estate tax hardship faced by the farmers and small businesses.

7 Case IH Products Named For 'Outstanding Innovation'

CHAMBERSBURG (Franklin Co.) — Seven Case IH products recently were awarded Resource magazine's AE50 honors for outstanding innovation in agricultural, food and biological product and systems technology.

"Case IH products were recognized more than any other ag equipment manufacturer," said Marlin Maclay, general manager of Chambersburg Farm Service. Chambersburg Farm Service has been a Case IH dealer for 31 years. The Carlisle location has been in business for over 15 years.

Innovations making the elite list were:

- MX Series Magnum™ tractors, which combine high performance features with operator comfort.
- Cyclo Air® meter attachment, a highly economical all-crop seeding system.
- SDX30 single disk no-till air drill, a low disturbance, single-disk planting tool that can penetrate high-residue conditions.
- 8880 self-propelled (SP) windrower with 725 rotary disc hay header, an efficient and high-productivity system for hay cutting and conditioning.
- RS "One" Series variable chamber round balers, which use a wide pickup for better packing on the bale sides and cleaner capture of the windrow.
- 2000 Advanced Farming Systems (AFS) yield monitor system, which helps farmers keep close tabs on harvest operations for improved management.
- AFS Instant Application Map™ 2000 Software, which allows farmers to create customized input rate prescriptions for variable-rate seed and fertilizer placement.

The prestigious AE50 awards go to the 50 best products for agricultural, food, biological and related systems available on the market for the first time in 1999. Companies from around the world submit entries to the annual competition, and a panel of international engineering experts chooses the best products. Recipients were featured in the summer issue of Resource, the publication of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers (ASAE).

"All Case IH products begin with customer input to find what is really needed out in the field," said Marlin Maclay. "The engineers build tractors, implements and software that help farmers increase their productivity and success."

"At CFS, we, too, are committed to helping our customers reach the maximum level of productivity possible through high-quality products and services."

Resource magazine sponsors the AE50 award program to emphasize the crucial role of new products and systems in bringing advanced technology to the marketplace. All entries must exhibit a new technology or advancement of a previous technology, and have a broad impact on the industry.

The judging panel of ASAE experts come from a broad range of fields and rank entries based on the criteria of commercial impact, contribution to the agricultural and engineering industries, advancements in engineering, and technological significance.



BOBCAT PROUDLY INTRODUCES THE T-190 TRACK LOADER

The dedicated rubber track system of the all-new T-190 keeps you working in soft, muddy ground conditions when wheel loaders might bog down. **Only 66 inches wide**, the T-190 is equipped with a hefty **56hp Kubota diesel engine**. The result: impressive power, hydraulic breakout force and superior tractive effort.

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