

Dec. 29-Jan. 4 **THIS WEEK WITH** **2004**

DECEMBER 30
First Quarter Moon

DECEMBER 30, 31
Best days to destroy pests and weeds

JANUARY 1, 2
Best day to cut hay to encourage growth

Happy New Year!

The Old Farmer's Almanac

Technology and globalization of Harambee says Let's all pull together In Scotland, the year starts with the ritual of first-footing in our New Year with a cross which the first person over the threshold brings a cultural nod to other traditions For example we could benefit from the Chinese household's good fortune Remember, what you do on January 1 you will do often

Spicy Chicken Tenders

Rinse tenders and pat dry with paper towels. In a large nonstick skillet, heat oil over medium-high heat Sear the tenders for about 2 to 3 minutes per side until cooked Remove skillet from heat and place tenders on paper towels to drain Add butter to the warm skillet and allow it to melt Add hot sauce and stir until blended Add chicken and stir-fry over medium-high heat until tenders are coated with sauce **MAKES 4 SERVINGS.**

WIT AND WISDOM FROM THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

- Never let the fire go out on New Year's Eve
- Save wrapping-paper tubes and wind strings of Christmas tree lights around them for storage
- He only truly lives who lives in peace

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Eighty-Four Livestock Auction

Eighty-Four, Pa.
Monday, December 22, 2003
Report Supplied By Auction

CATTLE 242 SUPPLIED BY THE AUCTION

COWS Breakers 75-80% lean 50.00-58.50, Boners 80-85% lean 44.00-49.50, Lean 85-90% lean 32.00-43.00 Shells 32.00 and down

BULLS Yield Grade 1 1550-2130 lbs 57.00-62.00, Yield Grade 2 1545-1700 lbs 50.00-52.00

FEEDER CATTLE HEIFERS Medium and Large 1 270-435 lbs 68.00-84.00 500-700 lbs 66.00-77.00 Medium and Large 2 300-450 lbs 59.00-72.00 BULLS Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 70.00-87.00, 525-700 lbs 75.00-85.00 Medium and Large 2 350-475 lbs 62.00-80.00 550-735 lbs 60.00-72.00

CAIVES 143 All calves sold per cwt

VEALERS Standard and Good 75-100 lbs 40.00-85.00 Utility 55-90 lbs 26.00-42.00 FARM CALVES No 1 Holstein bulls 90-115 lbs 125.00-150.00 No 2 85-125 lbs 80.00-115.00, No 1 Holstein heifers 85-120 lbs 385.00-400.00, No 2 85-95 lbs 100.00-150.00

Beef cross bulls and heifers 80-115 lbs 72.00-89.00

HOGS 6 BARROWS AND GILTS 40-45% lean 220-280 lbs 41.00-43.50

BOARS one 12.00

FEEDER PIGS 0 NO MARKET TEST

SHEEP 104 SLAUGHTER LAMBS High Choice and Prime 105-135 lbs 97.00-117.50 Choice 40-45 lbs 190.00, 55-75 lbs 105.00-140.00, 80-100 lbs 100.00-112.50, Good and Choice 65-95 lbs 95.00-110.00

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 45.00-70.00, Yearlings 75.00-95.00

GOATS 39 All goats sold by the head with weights estimated Kids Selection 1 20-40 lbs 30.00-50.00, 40-60 lbs 50.00-70.00, 60-80 lbs 68.00-80.00 Selection 2 20-40 lbs 15.00-25.00 Nannies 70-100 lbs 55.00-65.00, 100 lbs and over 65.00-75.00 Billies 70-100 lbs 70.00-80.00, 100 lbs and over 80.00-110.00

Morrison's Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa.
Report Supplied by Auction
December 22, 2003

CATTLE 93 HEAD

STEEERS CHOICE 87.00-91.00 GOOD 80.00-85.00

HEIFERS CHOICE 85.50-89.00, GOOD 75.00-82.00

COWS UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 45.00-55.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 20.00-45.00

BULLOCKS GOOD & CHOICE 55.00-60.00

BULLS YG+N1 47.00-57.00

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS 55.00-80.00 BULLS 50.00-70.00 HEIFERS 45.00-75.00

CAIVES 123 HEAD CHOICE 80.00-90.00 GOOD 65.00-75.00, STANDARD 20.00-45.00

HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS 90.00-140.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS 175.00-450.00

HOGS 115 US+N1-2 42.00-44.00, US +N1-3 38.00-40.00

SOWS US+N1-3 15.00-33.00

BOARS 8.00-27.00

FEEDER PIGS 136 HEAD US +N1-3 20-50 LBS 12.00-33.50

SHEEP 7 HEAD CHOICE LAMBS 100.00-120.00, GOOD LAMBS 90.00-100.00, STEWES 40.00-48.00

GOATS 74.00-120.00 EACH

New Holland Dairy Sale

New Holland Sales Stables
Report Supplied by Auction
Wednesday, December 24, 2003
No dairy sale this week Regular sale will take place as usual Wednesday, Dec 31

Greencastle Livestock

Greencastle, Pa.
Report Supplied By PDA
December 22, 2003
SALE NOT REPORTED DECEMBER 22

Jersey Shore Livestock Market, Inc.

Jersey Shore, Pa.
Report Supplied By Auction
Thursday, Dec. 18, 2003

RETURN TO FARM CALF 100-485

GOOD VEAL 70.00-99.00

COMMON VEAL 20.00-69.00

CHOICE STEERS 94.00-100.00

SELECT STEERS 75.00-93.00

COMMON STEERS 50.00-74.00

COMMERCIAL COWS 54.00-65.00

CANNERS/CUTTERS 39.00-54.00

SHELLS 25.00-38.00

CHOICE HEIFERS 92.00-97.00

SELECT HEIFERS 80.00-91.00

COMMON HEIFERS 50.00-79.00

GOOD FEEDERS 70.00-80.00

COMMON FEEDERS 40.00-69.00

BULLS 45.00-63.00

Dewart Livestock

Dewart, Pa.
Report Supplied By Auction
Monday, December 22, 2003

STEEERS 70.00-94.50

HEIFERS TOO FEW TO QUOTE

GOOD COWS 40.00-54.25

CANNERS AND CUTTERS 30.00-40.00

BULLS 50.00-61.25

VEAL 90-190 LBS 100.00-470.00 70-90 LBS 60.00-100.00

HOGS 30.00-35.00

SOWS 27.00

FEEDER PIGS 39.00-56.00



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FARM EQUIPMENT CONSIGNMENT AUCTION

1 p.m. Miscellaneous auction
4 p.m. Garden tractor auction
5 p.m. Firewood
6 p.m. Farm Machinery

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Every Tuesday

Livestock Auction - 1:00 P.M.
Hay Auction - 11:30 A.M.
Small Animals - Noon
Produce Auction - 11:45 A.M.
Farmers Market - 8 A.M.-2:00 P.M.

UPCOMING SALES

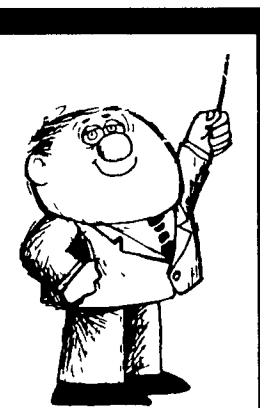
★Monthly Dairy Sale★
Friday, Jan. 9, 2004
Heifers 11:00 A.M. Cows 12:00 Noon
Expecting a good selection of fresh cows, dry cows, springers, open and bred heifers and dairy bulls

★Monthly Feeder Cattle Sale★
Tuesday, Jan 20, 2004 @ 2:00 P.M.

★Special Driving Horse & Draft Horse Sale★
Friday, Jan 23, 2004 @ 3:00 P.M.
Horses Hitched at 1:00 p.m.
Earl Martin, Agent, 570-966-6219

★Monthly Horse Sale★
Saturday, Jan. 31, 2004
Tack 8:30 A.M. Horses 11.00 A.M.
Expecting a good selection of work horses, driving horses, riding horses, ponies and mules
Plan to attend
Consignments welcome!

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