

4-State Dairy Nutrition and Management Conference · June 15 - 16, 2016

The 4-State Dairy Nutrition and Management Conference will be held at the Grand River Center in Dubuque, Iowa, on June 15 - 16, 2016. This year's program will include:

Wednesday, June 15, 2016

Pre-Conference Symposium *Sponsored by Diamond V*

New Perspectives on the Control and Management of Salmonella and Related Enteric Pathogens.....	Steve Carlson - ISU
Topic of Choice	Bill Sanchez - Diamond V
Immunology and the Diamond V Experience	Stuart Reeves - Diamond V
Dairy Producer Panel	

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General Session

Nutrition to Improve Performance and Cow Health

Using uNDF to Predict Dairy Cow Performance and Design Rations	Dave Mertens - Mertens Inovations
Leaky Gut's Contribution to Inefficient Nutrient Utilization.....	Lance Baumgard - ISU
Revisiting Starch for Lactating Dairy Cows	Randy Shaver - UW

Breakout Sessions

What are the Advantages of Using aNDFOM?.....	Dave Mertens - Mertens Inovations
A Review of Post-Absorptive Nutrient Partitioning.....	Lance Baumgard - ISU
Forage Value of Cover Crops	Jim Paulson - UMN
Stocking Density & Heifer Performance	Wayne Coblenz - USDA Forage Research Center
Automated Calf Feeders: What Makes Them Work?	Marcia Endres - UMN
Forage Quality of Two Different Pasture Systems Incorporating Warm and Cool Season Forages for Grazing Organic Dairy Cattle	Brad Heins - UMN

Thursday, June 16, 2016

Breakfast Session *Sponsored by DuPont Pioneer*

General Session

Nutrition to Improve Reproductive Performance

Impact of Feeding Amino Acids on Reproduction.....	Phil Cardoso - UIL
Fertility Programs to Achieve High 21-d Pregnancy Rates in High-Producing Dairy Herds	Paul Fricke - UW
Reproduction, How to Turn the Research Into a Breeding Program	Don Niles, DVM - Partner Dairy Dreams

Breakout Sessions

Milk Urea Nitrogen (MUN) as a Nutritional and Environmental Management Tool.....	Michel Wattiaux - UW
Including Ethanol Co-Products in Dairy Rations: A Moving Target.....	Hugo Ramirez - ISU
Finding Feeding Bottlenecks on the Farm.....	Mike Hutjens - UIL
Cow Side Technology Utilization	Leo Timms/Ryan Breuer - ISU
Keeping Post-Weaned Heifers Growing Great.....	Tamilee Nennich - Famo Feeds

Post-Conference *Sponsored by Balchem*

Breeding for Milk Protein	Keith Gibson - Select Sires
Feeding for Milk Protein.....	TBD
The Future of Milk Protein as a Functional Food.....	Dr. John Lucey - UW
The Economics of Milk Protein	Dr. Greg Bethard - Pagel's Ponderosa & Dairy Dreams



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