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Wishing all our Customers a Happy Easter!

Zieleman Joins JFM as new Calf Specialist

Jones Feed Mills is excited to announce that Lisa Zieleman of the Listowel area has recently joined JFM in the role of Market Support Specialist, focusing her efforts as Tom Mosterd's successor as the JFM Dairy Calf Specialist. Originally from The Netherlands, Lisa immigrated with her family to Canada to farm. The Zieleman family



immigrated with her family to Canada to farm. The Zieleman family began their new life in the Fergus area, later moving to Listowel where their family milks approximately 200 cows. Lisa is a graduate of Ridgetown College where she focused her studies on dairy herd management. Lisa has a lot of experience working with calves as seen by her work both at home and on some of the area's larger dairy farms. Further, last year, Lisa worked on a large commercial dairy in New Zealand where her team was responsible for calving out 2,500 cows over a 2-month period. Lisa's role on this farm was to care for and raise the calves from birth to weaning. When asked about her new role with Jones, Lisa comments "I look forward to be able to share my passion for calves and being able to learn; so that I can assist farmers to better the health and growth of their calves." Lisa is currently spending time on the road with the Jones Dairy Team, as well as with Tom Mosterd, who has made himself available to help train Lisa. Lisa will soon be receiving training at the Akey/Provimi Calf Research Farm in Ohio. When asked to comment about Lisa, Tom Mosterd says, "I'm very excited to see that Jones has hired someone who is so committed to calves and calf research to continue this role." In her spare time Lisa enjoys going to Crossfit, spending time with my family and friends, reading and quilting. Lisa also volunteers as a Gems counsellor at their church. Welcome Lisa!

HEIDELBERG CHICK DAYS!

ORDER DATE	PICK-UP DATE
April 12/18	May 18/18
May 17/18	June 22/18
June 4/18	July 10/18
July 9/18	Aug 14/18

Available for Chick Days:
Chicks, Turkeys, Ducks
Call 519-699-5200 to order or drop into
Miller's Stone Store at the Heidelberg Mill







Miller's Stone is also your source for feeders, waters and of course, sound advice!

Dairy Producers Why a ROFC?

- ✓ How can we make things better?
- ✓ How do you compare?
- ✓ Can you increase DMI?
- ✓ Can we increase milk production?
- ✓ Can we make more revenue?
- ✓ What is the effect of purchased feed? Home grown feed?

To learn more or to have a confidential Return Over Feed Cost report prepared for your farm, talk to a JFM Dairy Sales Consultant or call the JFM office. 1-800-265-8735

FUTURES

March 28, 2018 Live Cattle (\$/CWT)



Jun 135.44

Aug 133.48

Oct 138.40

Dec 143.64

Dressed Hogs (\$/CKG)



May 158.78

June 180.18

July 182.54

Aug 182.96

Canadian Dollar \$ 1.29 April 2018

Source: farms.com

On the Calendar!

April 4-5 Can Dairy XPO*
Stratford Rotary Complex

April 4-5 National Poultry Show- Western Fair District

April 11 Jones Beef Producer Tour* – Norpac Packing Plant

April 10-11 Western Agrifair*
Chesley Community Centre

June 20-21 Ontario Pork
Congress*- Stratford Rotary
Complex

*JFM Sponsored or Exhibiting Event



Jones Feed Mills & Metzger Vet Services **Beef Producer Bus Tour and Information Day** Wednesday April 11, 2018

Bus Departs @ 8:00 AM from Linwood Community Centre Please arrive by 7:50 AM, Bus returns approximately 4:30 PM

Featuring Tours of Norpac Beef Packing Plant and the Van Kerrebroek Assembly Yard

Hot Lunch at Mount Elgin and District Community Centre **Afternoon Beef Industry Updates:**

Matthew Heleniak - Manager for Norpac Beef The Norpac Processing Process and Product Branding Adam Hill - Ontario Corn Fed Beef Quality Assurance Manager, Ontario Corn Fed Program Update

Metzger & Chesley Vet - Update on Lameness Study, Worming Options and Medication Updates

** Coveralls (supplied) must be worn inside the packing plant** **Please wear clean footwear day of tour **

Space is Limited! Register by calling JFM 1-800-265-8735







Back Forty Wood Pellet Bedding

JFM's Back Forty Bedding is proving to be an excellent bedding alternative. It also makes a great kitty litter too. Try a bag in April/May at 25% off!



Call 519-699-5200 or stop by the Heidelberg Mill.

Don't Lose Profits to Spring Dysentery!

As the seasons change, don't let spring dysentery rob you of any profits. In the event of dysentery, Jones Feed Mills has various product options and ration suggestions that can help. Talk to your Jones Feed Mills Sales Consultant to learn more about the various dysentery management options available to you.



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