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FEED MILLS LTD.

Linwood - Heidelberg - Wroxeter - Mitchell

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JFM Christmas Season Hours

Thursday December 25 - Closed

Friday December 26 - Closed

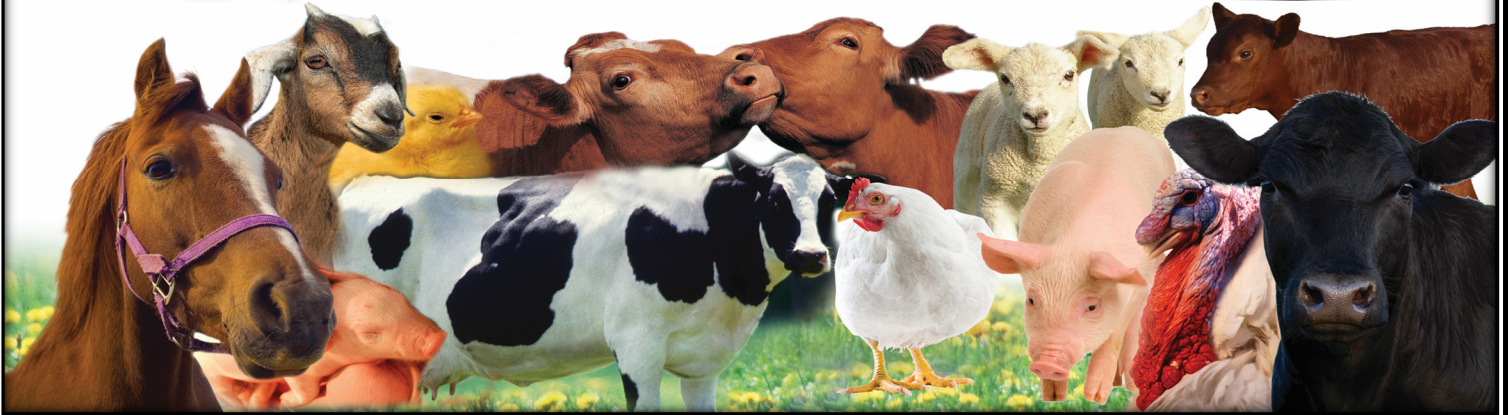
Thursday January 1, 2015 - Closed

Please plan your orders accordingly!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

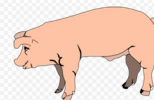
December 2014

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
from all of us at
Jones Feed Mills!



Livestock Futures

November 28, 2014



Live Cattle - \$/cwt Dressed Hogs - \$/ckg

Feb	192.92	188.42
Apr	192.66	195.63
Jun	183.88	207.27
Aug	180.75	199.90
Oct	181.83	172.90

Canadian \$ December 2014: \$ 1.14



On the Calendar...

Jan 7-13 Grey-Bruce Farmers
Week – Elmwood Comm Centre

Jan 8-10 – Beef Industry
Convention* – London, ON

Jan 13 – Waterloo County
Cattlemen's AGM (see next page)

Jan 15 - DFO AGM - Toronto

Jan 27-29 Int'l Poultry/Feed Expo
Atlanta, Georgia

Feb 4-5 Canada Dairy Expo*
Stratford Rotary Complex

Feb 17-19 Beef Farmers Ontario
AGM* Doubletree Plaza – Toronto

**Jones Feed Mills Exhibiting/Sponsoring*

Request from the JFM Dispatch Team:



As we approach winter, the JFM Dispatch Team wishes to remind everyone to keep your lane, yard and walkways clear of snow and ice on feed delivery days. Please also ensure the access to your bins and doorways are free and clear of obstruction and snow.

Thank-you from the JFM Driver Team!



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Dedication and Sincerity - A compliment to the JFM Team!

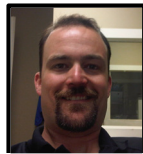
When looking to add to the face of a Customer Service Team, a company must seek out the qualities that meet both the needs of the customer and the team around them. Lindsay Graul's sincerity and dedication make her the perfect fit for the team on the front line at JFM. Lindsay, now with Jones just over 7 months, works out of the Millers Stone store at the JFM Heidelberg Mill. When asked what she likes about her new role at Jones, Lindsay comments, "I enjoy the opportunity to talk with and meet the different people whether they are walk-in customers or are over the phone." Lindsay lives on her family's commercial Angus and Simmental influenced beef cow/calf farm near Rostock, ON. Lindsay is a graduate of University of Guelph with a degree in Animal Science where she focussed her energy on beef and dairy nutrition as well as animal health. In her spare time Lindsay likes to show cattle, including at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair and also lends a helping hand leading the Milverton 4H Beef Club.



Lindsay Graul
Reserve Champion
Showman RAWF 2014

After the Harvest...Early Reflections on Forages and Grains

From the desk of Mike Edwards:



After looking at the last few weeks of incoming corn, the following has been noted:

- Less than 20% of the loads contained detectable levels of DON, of that none tested over 3 ppm
- Bushel weight is variable, the average would fall in Grade 2 corn, but over 30% is coming in as Grade 3, and less than 10% would be Grade 1.

To date, overall, quality is better than expected. Toxin risks could be low, however much more "at risk" crop is to be harvested. As always, it is recommended that corn be monitored and tested for toxins and mould. Despite slightly lower bushel weights than desired, we would not predict any difference in animal performance due to quality at this time.

And From the desk of Chris Meadows:



In general haylages are pretty good with better than normal fibre digestibilities. Corn silage on the other hand is variable in quality, with most being low to average for their energy and starch levels. There are a lot of dry corn silages out there too. It is important for both beef and dairy farmers to have their corn silage sampled and analyzed to be sure rations are balanced with adequate energy and starch levels to meet growth and production needs. Grain corn is being harvested in the 30% moisture range and will mean that the starch from corn will be more available and digestible. The cool, damp summer and fall means that moulds may have been more prevalent this year with mycotoxin levels uncertain at this time. As with any year, mycotoxin levels will vary by area so be sure to have your TMR or feeds tested for mycotoxin levels so we can be proactive and prevent problems before they occur. Delays in corn grain harvest may increase the risk of mycotoxin contamination.

Thank-You for your business. All of us at Jones Feed Mills wish you a Safe and Happy Holiday Season!

Waterloo County Cattlemen's Annual Meeting



Tuesday January 13, 2015
Linwood Community Centre
10:00AM - 2:00PM – Hot Lunch
\$10.00 (in advance)

Call Jones Feed Mills @ 519-698-2082 to register
Please register before January 8th.

JFM Customer Service Desk wishes you a safe and happy holiday and asks you to plan your Christmas season order needs accordingly to the JFM holiday schedule.

