



Jones
FEED MILLS LTD.

December 2019

Linwood | Heidelberg | Wroxeter | Mitchell

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Christmas Holiday Hours

December 24 Closed 3:00 PM/Closed December 25th, 26th Jan 1



As the end of a busy year approaches, we hope that each of you can pause and reflect on the many blessings we all have in our lives. Also at this time, *all of us* at Jones Feed Mills wish to **thank you for your business** and wish you and your family a safe and **Merry Christmas!**

Winter Yard and Laneway Maintenance

Jones Feed Mills reminds all customers to please have your laneways and yards free of snow before the feed truck arrives. Please remove snow and ice from all bin areas so our drivers can work safely and unload your feed without restriction or danger. Let's work together to stay safe!



Please have laneway clear prior to your feed delivery



Please remove snow and ice from around bin areas

2020 is Here!

With the arrival of 2020 comes the new Jones calendar. This year JFM produced its own calendar featuring photos from customers and staff. Ask your rep or stop by the office to get yours!



FUTURES

Nov 27, 2019

Live Cattle

(\$/CWT)

Feb	\$167.08
Apr	\$167.84
Jun	\$155.76
Aug	\$152.51

Dressed Hogs

(\$/CKG)



Feb	\$167.82
Apr	\$184.55
May	\$200.15
Jun	\$214.14

Canadian Dollar Nov 27: \$1.33

Source: farms.com

On the Calendar!

Dec 4 Huron Perth Dairy Seminar*- Mitchell Community Centre

Dec 5 Forage Focus – Stratford Rotary Complex

Dec 7 JFM Miller's Stone Open House* – Heidelberg

Dec 25-26- All JFM Locations CLOSED

Jan 1- All JFM Locations CLOSED

Jan 3-9 Grey Bruce Farmers Week*- Elmwood Community Centre

Jan 9-11 22nd Annual Beef Industry Convention*- London

*JFM Sponsored or Exhibiting Event

Just about There!



The new George Robert Jones Bulk Production Plant is nearing completion. In mid-November the boilers were fired up and tested. Currently the technology components of the mill are being installed; while wiring and other utilities are nearing completion. This month we will see some of the first tests of the mill itself. At this point we are on schedule and feel the first feed will be shipped sometime in January. Stay tuned for more updates!

Christmas Basket Gift Ideas



Need a great Christmas gift idea? Stop by the Miller's Stone Store in Heidelberg and choose from the many baskets available from Dec 1st -21st. Basket themes are Pet, Bird and Horse. 2755 Lobsinger Line 519-699-5200

Calf Coat Special!

December 1/19 – January 31/20



Buy 5 Calf Coats and receive 1 box of Perfect Udder Colostrum Bags!

Talk to your Rep or call the office to order.

Weighing in on Weighing Feed

Now that forages are in from the fields and rations have been updated, the JFM Nutrition Team would like to remind all producers of the importance of weighing their feeds. Weighing feeds is important as it ensures that the correct amount of feed is being put into a mix and being offered to livestock.

Putting in a 'pail full' of feed, supplement or premix can cause the ration to become unbalanced if that 'pail full' is not the correct amount of feed. Additionally, your scoop of feed may be larger than your children's scoop of feed. This can result in you over or under feeding your animals. Taking the time to weigh out your supplement, grain and premix can ensure you are feeding the ration that was designed for livestock and possibly save you money.

To weigh out hand-add items, use a hanging scale and the pail you use to feed and weigh out the required feed. Make a mark on the inside of the pail to indicate how much feed needs to be in the pail to meet ration requirements. Alternatively, if using a scoop, use a digital kitchen scale to confirm how much feed is in a scoop. Once feeds are weighed it is important to make sure everyone that is feeding knows how full to fill a pail, and how many scoops to use.

Your JFM Sales Consultant is happy to help you weigh out and measure your feeds to make sure your ration requirements are met! Talk to your Rep to learn more.



Weighing feeds ensures you are maximizing the opportunity of the ration and can save money by feeding the correct amount of feed.



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