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Notice: All JFM Mills will be closed Monday July 2/18 for Canada Day!

## John Penninga joins Black Creek Livestock

Black Creek Livestock, a division of Jones Feed Mills, is excited to announce that John Penninga has recently joined Black Creek in the role of Production Supervisor. John, who has lived and farmed his entire life in the Fergus area, started out with aspirations of being a dairy farmer. However, once John married his wife Fran, who is the daughter of a pig farmer, his life-choice of livestock changed. Over the

last 16 years he and Fran owned and managed a 750 SEW barn which was a nucleus herd for Hypor Genetics where they bred seven distinct genetic lines. This herd would eventually move to Saskatchewan where John and Fran then ran a multiplier herd for Hypor. Later they changed their focus to raising commercial pigs for Synergy. In his role with Black Creek, John is a member of the Production Supervisor Team and will focus on gilt and sow management. Paul Pletsch, Manager of Black Creek comments, "I am quite impressed with John's extensive knowledge and obvious passion for pig farming. John is eager to learn and will work well with the Black Creek team. The Black Creek program will certainly benefit from John's input." John and Fran have been married for almost 17 years and have four "wonderful" children. All of the staff at Black Creek Livestock and Jones Feed Mills welcome John to the team!

See You at the Pork Congress!

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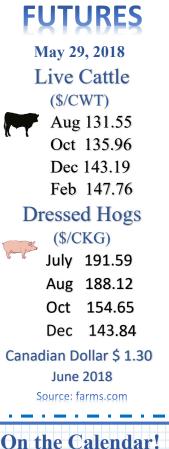
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JFM carries a wide selection of pest control products. Did you know you can have your fly and rodent control products added to

your feed order?

## **Please Remove the Wrap!**

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Remember with the heat of summer (and any other season actually), to remove the shrink wrap around your feed upon its receipt. This will reduce the risk of your feed sweating and maintain good feed quality.

June 7 – Walkerbrae Farms **Open House\*** - Guelph June 12- Waterloo-Wellington Annual Beef Tour\*- Heidelberg June 20-21- Ontario Pork Congress\*- Stratford Rotary Complex **June 20- Poultry Health Day** Arden Park Hotel - Stratford June 23 Edgar Feed & Seed **Open House\*** - Wingham \*JFM Sponsored or Exhibiting Event

**Spring 2018 JFM Photo Contest Deadline is June 25** Submit your entry to: mediateam@jfm.ca

<b>HEIDELBERG CHICK DAYS!</b>	
ORDER DATE	PICK-UP DATE
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!

The Calf Bawl

The June/July 2018 Calf BAWL by Lisa Zieleman is soon available. Ask your Dairy Rep for your copy.



Which one

of these cows

at 50%.

is heat stressed?

If you answered "both", you are correct. Heat stress begins to effect dairy cattle at a

THI (Temperature Humidity Index) of 68. A 68 THI is

created when the temperature is 22°C and humidity is

**Blue Line** is a unique product consisting of a combination of key ingredients that help keep your cows hydrated.

Consultant about Blue Line along with management aids

To beat the heat this summer, talk to a Jones Dairy Sales

and practices that will keep your cows in the cool!

CHAMP 16 CHAMP 16 is a new textured beef show ration from JFM. This winning formulation is made with micronized corn, whole oats and a mineral/protein pellet. Use CHAMP16 for: - Rumen health - Muscle growth - Immunity General health Control coccidiosis

## **A-Moozing Hints**

By Lisa Zieleman, JFM Calf Specialist Heat stress is not good for anyone or any animals. Keeping them cool when the sun is shining and the temperatures are high is a struggle! Here is a handy hint to help keep calves cooler when housed in hutches (both inside and outside).

Try elevating the hutches with either a large brick or large block (as shown in the photo) underneath the back of the hutch. This creates air flow and pushes the hot air up so cooler air can come in. This will help keep calves cool and reduce heat stress.



Nothing like a cold drink of water on a hot dav!



Did vou know that fresh water is one of the most important nutrients for all livestock?

**Green Egg Demo Day** June 15 10AM-2PM

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