



# 2017 Cow College

## Tuesday, January 10, 2017 | 1:00-3:00 pm Economics of Dry Cow Therapy & Achieving High Pregnancy Rates in High Producing Cows

Fox Valley Technical College Regional Center, Clintonville

#### Dr. Pam Ruegg DVM

Extension Udder Health & Milk Quality Specialist, UW-Madison **Dr. Paul Fricke** 

Extension Dairy Reproduction Specialist, UW-Madison

Find out if your dry cow treatment program is saving or costing you money, then learn the latest ideas for increasing your dairy farm profitability by increasing pregnancy rates in high producing cows.

## Tuesday, January 17, 2017 | 1:00-3:00 pm Effectively Managing Digital Dermatitis & Other Hoof Health Issues in the Dairy Herd

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#### Dr. Dorte Dopfer DVM / PhD

**UW-Madison School of Veterinary Medicine** 

Dr. Dopfer is a leading authority on dairy cattle hoof health, especially the diagnosis and treatment of "hairy heel warts" (digital dermatitis). Learn how your herd can be more profitable through better hoof health. On-farm survey results from local farms will also be shared, as well as a new Extension fact sheets with footbath, housing design and management considerations.

## **Tuesday, January 24, 2017 Farm Tour Robotic Milking Systems**

10:00 am Wichman Farms LLC | N4735 Cty EE, Appleton (participants will meet at first farm)

4 Lely robots, 240 cow sand freestall

11:00 am Steffens Farm LLC | N5220 Mullen Rd, Seymour

2 Lely robots, 100 cow expandable sand freestall

12:15 pm Lunch at Center Town Hall | N3990 HWY 47, six miles north of Appleton

Larry Tranel, Iowa State Extension Dairy Specialist, will discuss use of robotic milking systems in northeast Iowa, including financial challenges and opportunities.

2:00 PM Stoney Springs Farm LLC | W5678 Cty JJ, Appleton

2 Boumatic double-arm robots, 220 cow mattress freestall



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