



2019 Corn Silage Pre-Harvest Meetings



With continued low milk prices, getting the biggest bang for your buck out of your home-grown corn silage can help you get improved performance from your herd while also lowering dependence on purchased feed. Plan to attend one of the following on-farm Corn Silage Pre-Harvest meetings to get up to speed on the latest research-backed strategies you can put to work on your dairy.

We will cover optimum harvest timing, kernel processing scoring, particle size, and recent research on fiber digestibility. In particular we will look at silage quality and yield, harvest and silo management of corn that is late planted and will be frosted before harvest. We'll also discuss late season leaf diseases that always crop up at the end of the season, weed control, and nitrogen management.

While there is no charge for attending, we ask that you pre-register so we can be ready at each location and can contact you in the unlikely event of cancellation or rescheduling. Deadline to register is the day before each event.

Register by calling CCE Herkimer at (315) 866-7920 or emailing herkimer@cornell.edu or online at <http://cnydfc.cce.cornell.edu/events.php> or fill out the form below and mail to CCE Herkimer.

Each meeting will be from 1:00 - 3:00 PM		
Date	Location	Address
Wednesday, August 21	Osborne Family Farm	7937 US Highway 20, Sharon Springs, NY 13459
Thursday, August 22	Tiger Lily Holsteins	3633 County Road 32, Oxford, NY 13830
Monday, August 26	Monanfran Farms	2806 Seneca Turnpike (Route 5), Canastota, NY 13032 (farm is on corner of Route 5 & Jennings Road)
Wednesday, August 28	Clear Echo Farm	800 Route 32, Schuylerville, NY 12871

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Registration is FREE: Pre-registration is required!

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Choose Location (Circle One): **Sharon Springs 8/21** **Oxford 8/22** **Canastota 8/26** **Schuylerville 8/28**

Farm Name _____

Name _____ Number attending: _____

Address _____ City _____ NY Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

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