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**Subject:** Corn Silage Pre-Harvest Meeting, Grants and more!

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08.31.2023 Updates from Cornell Cooperative Extension's SWNY Dairy,
Livestock, and Field Crops Program

A partnership between <u>Cornell University</u> and the Cornell Cooperative Extension Associations in these five counties: <u>Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie,</u> and <u>Steuben</u>.

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### **2023 Corn Silage Pre-Harvest Meeting**

Do you grow corn silage? Join us this Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup> for our Corn Silage Pre-Harvest Meeting in Caneadea, NY. Topics in this discussion-based meeting include particle size, packing density, inoculant use, agronomics, and much more. Contact Katelyn Miller at 716-640-2047 for more information. We hope to see you there!

### **NE SARE Announces Grant Opportunities for Farmers**

This program will pay up to \$30,000 for qualifying on-farm research projects that are used to further the sustainability of farms in the Northeast. If you have an idea and are interested in applying, <u>check out the call for proposals</u> or reach out to one of our team's specialists for more details!

#### Farm Credit East Releases Report on Grants and Incentives

Finding, applying for, and meeting the guidelines for grants can be overwhelming. Particularly when it comes to finding what's available! Check out this comprehensive guide from Farm Credit East and reach out to Katelyn Walley-Stoll with any questions or assistance.

### <u>Upcoming Farm-Focused Grants – Northeast Dairy Business Innovation Center</u>

NE-DBIC announced the upcoming slate of 2 fall farmer-focused grants. The Farm Improvement & Modernization and The Milk Storage & Handling Grant will be released in October and November of 2023, respectively, and awards will range from \$15,000 - \$100,000 with a 25% match commitment for different farm needs. Check it out

Upcoming Events  For more information and to register, click on the title hyperlinks.				
Title	Date(s)	Location	Time	
2023 Corn Silage Pre-Harvest Meeting	September 1	Caneadea	1pm-3pm	
Empire Livestock Plans				

for the Future, Presented by new owner Heidi Nicholas	September 13	Lakewood	6:30pm
Grazing Dairy Technology Farm Tour	September 14	Pavilion	1pm-3pm
Virtual Broiler Field Day*	September 20	Webinar	6:30pm-8:30pm
Technology for Grazing  Dairies Webinar*	September 27	Webinar	12pm-1pm
Protecting Against Murphy's Law* FREE Live Seminar for Veterans	October 4	Webinar	6pm
Research on Customer Spending at NY Farmers Markets: Early Results and Farmer Recruitment	October 5 & 12	Webinar	6:30pm
Artificial Insemination Training for Beef & Dairy	October 9-11	TBD	TBD
Make a Farm Business  Plan that Works for  You!*  FREE Live Seminar for Veterans	November 1	Webinar	6pm
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