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10.16.2025 Updates from Cornell Cooperative Extension's SWNY Dairy, Livestock, and Field Crops Program

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Herbicide Resistance Screening

We are screening weed species for herbicide resistance. Species we are looking for include, but aren't limited to: Tall Waterhemp, Palmer Amaranth, Marehail, Redroot Pigweed, Foxtails, Common Lambsquarters, and Common Ragweed. Reach out to Katelyn Miller at 716-640-2047 or km753@cornell.edu for more information.

Determining Forage Inventories with Pen and Paper

Before winter sets in, it's a good idea to ensure that the forage that you have in stock will be enough to feed your animals until pastures are available again. This article walks you through calculating a forage inventory step-by-step, while also providing an example to follow along with.

Registration Still Open for Fecal Egg Count Mobile Workshop in East Aurora – October 21, 6pm – 8pm

This workshop will explain why regularly testing fecal egg counts can help you with understanding your animals' parasite loads and dewormer resistance. Attendees have the opportunity to prepare and evaluate fresh fecal samples under the microscope and practice interpretations.

Applications Open for Grants from Dairy's Foundation

Dairy associations, nonprofits, and educational organizations are invited to apply for grants of up to \$10,000. Dairy's Foundation is accepting applications through Dec. 1, 2025, to support new programs in the dairy industry that raise the next generation of professionals, grow public support for the industry, and build skills of dairy producers.

Northeast Dairy Business Innovation Center (NEDBIC) is providing eligible dairy producers \$100 scholarships to help cover registration fees for Ag Supervisory Leadership courses

Cornell Agricultural Workforce Development is offering two Ag Supervisory Leadership courses starting in November, "ASL105: Employee Development and Training", and "ASL104-SP: Selección y organización del personal (Staffing and Organizing Your Team-taught in Spanish)". Thanks to funding from NEDBIC, dairy producers can now receive \$100 off registration.



Upcoming Events

For more information and to register, click on the title hyperlinks.

Title	Date(s)	Location	Time
<u>Fecal Egg Count Mobile Workshop*</u>	October 21	East Aurora (Erie County)	6pm-8pm
<u>Fecal Egg Count Mobile Workshop*</u>	October 30	Jamestown (Chautauqua County)	6pm-8pm
<u>2025 Annual Cornell Sheep & Goat Symposium Day 1</u>	October 31	Ithaca	3pm-7pm
<u>2025 Annual Cornell Sheep & Goat Symposium Day 2</u>	November 1	Ithaca	8am-5pm
<u>2025 Annual Cornell Sheep & Goat Symposium Day 3</u>	November 2	Ithaca	8:30am-1pm
<u>Dairy Systems & Technology Showcase*</u>	November 4	South Dayton (Cattaraugus County)	10am
<u>Fecal Egg Count Mobile Workshop*</u>	November 4	Bath (Steuben County)	6pm-8pm
<u>Fecal Egg Count Mobile Workshop*</u>	November 5	Ellicottville (Cattaraugus County)	6pm-8pm
<u>Animal Mortality Composting Demo*</u>	November 6	Brant (Erie County)	10am-12pm

<i>*Denotes that the event is hosted by, or includes speakers from, SWNYDLFC.</i>			

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