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11.13.2025 Updates from Cornell Cooperative Extension's SWNY Dairy, Livestock, and Field Crops Program

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Thank you **Amelia Parseghian from [NY FarmNet](#)** and **Darleen Krisher-Meehan from [Country Crossroads Feed and Seed](#)** for sponsoring this Weekly Update.

Registration closes November 17 for two Ag Supervisory Leadership Courses

Two dynamic courses from Cornell Agricultural Workforce Development are now open for registration and close November 17th.

Selecting Replacement Heifers: Building a Productive Cowherd for the Future

Now, more than ever, selecting the most productive and advanced heifer calves for replacements can result in higher profitability, lower inputs, and better longevity in your brood cows. Continuously selecting for the best heifers each cycle will lead to genetic advancement of your herd, even without known EBVs.

Looking Past the Bin Door

As grain enters the bins, I've been having more frequent conversations about commodity marketing. There is no one size fits all approach, but one thing remains the same: understanding your cost of production is the foundation of every sound management decision. Check out this article for more information on the ins-and-outs of marketing.

Stream Cornell Cow Convos E29 New York Dairy Industry Progress by CCE Dairy Educators

Join Allison Wilton, a Market Analyst from the National Milk Producers Federation, as she discusses the current landscape of the NY dairy industry and strategies dairy farmers can use to take advantage of the current market situation.

Upcoming Events			
For more information and to register, click on the title hyperlinks.			
Title	Date(s)	Location	Time
<u>NY Small Farms Summit 2025: Stronger Together</u>	December 5	Alfred (Allegany County)	9am-3:30pm

**Denotes that the event is hosted by, or includes speakers from, SWNYDLFC.*

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