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Dairy farmer part of effort to reach Neb. consumers

Angela Bowman

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NMPF reorganizes to address 2013 industry priorities

With a new farm bill delayed at least until spring 2013 and other legislative priorities such as immigration reform coming soon to the attention of the new Congress, the National Milk Producers Federation (NMPF) announced that it has reorganized its staff to better meet the challenges that are sure to come in the year ahead and promoted several staff members who will facilitate these efforts. Read More





What will 2013 bring?

Tom Quaife

Rod Hissong tries to look at things with a positive attitude. And while it's tempting to be optimistic going into 2013, he has to admit there are a number of unknowns. Read More



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Is water quality impacting milk quality?

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Block cheese down 4 cents on CME

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Check stored grain for potential problems

A warm spell in January is a good time to check stored grain. The value of the grain stored in a 25,000-bushel bin is about \$175,000 at a corn market price of \$7 per bushel, \$350,000 for soybeans at \$14 per bushel and \$200,000 for wheat at \$8 per bushel. Read More

Cow of the Future: Breeding for reduced methane output possible

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Seminar to help producers sort out forage decisions

Selecting the right forage species to grow can be a daunting task with long-term consequences, but an upcoming Indiana Forage Council seminar will help producers narrow down the options. Read More

Move your business into the next generation

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