Spring 2020

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Local & Statewide Calendar of Events

March 2020

- 3-4 Eau Claire Farm Show
- 12 Red Cedar Watershed Conference, UW-Stout, Menomonie
- 14 Pesticide Applicator Training, Extension Eau Claire County, Altoona
- 16 Strategize Your Grain Marketing Workshop, Security Financial Bank, Bloomer
- 17 Regional Waterhemp Workshop, Eagles Club Banquet Hall, Chippewa Falls
- Cultivating Your Farm's Future Workshop, Extension Dunn County,
 Menomonie
- Farmer's Night Out, Stout Ale House/Off Broadway Banquet Center,
 Menomonie
- 21-22 Farm Couples Weekend Workshop, Lismore Hotel, Eau Claire

April 2020

Dairy Reproductive Strategies, CVTC Energy Education Center, Eau Claire

Dairy Reproductive Strategies

Optimizing fertility on dairy farms is necessary and challenging on today's dairy farms. UW-Madison Division of Extension invites area dairy farmers and their veterinarians to learn about fertility improvement opportunities. **Dairy Reproduction Strategies** workshops will be held at three locations; contact the county Extension office for specific details including registration fees:

- March 31 at the Abbotsford City Hall, Abbotsford contact Extension Marathon County at 715-261-1230
- April I at the Chippewa Valley Technical College Energy Education Center, contact Extension Eau Claire County at 715-839-4712
- April 2 at the Westby VFW, Westby, contact Extension Vernon County at 608-637-5276

Dr. Paul Fricke, UW-Madison Professor of Dairy Science will discuss The High Fertility Cycle of today's dairy cows. County Extension educators will discuss body condition of dairy cows and heifers and how it contributes to fertility, and breeding dairy to beef to enhance the dairy's income from calves. Continuing education credits are available for veterinarians attending this workshop.

Extension Dunn County has a new address! The Extension office is still located in the Community Services Building (formerly the Health Care Building) but is now located on the second floor in room 216. The mailing address is now 3001 US Hwy 12 E, Suite 216, Menomonie, WI 54751

