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DHIA Scholarship Application Now Available

Applications are due by November 30th 2020

The application and guidelines are available by visiting mndhia.org

September Somatic Cell Counts averaged 233,327, down 7% from last September, and the lowest September ever.

Wonderful article on page 534 of the Sept 10 issue of Hoard's Dairyman talks about the importance of having DHIA SCC data.

Iowa State University and Danish researchers agree that you improve your chances of identifying cows with **Johne's Disease** by testing them early in lactation. The DHIA Johne's Milk testing program allows you to select those cows automatically on each sample day. Catch them before you breed them! Milk ELISA from Minnesota DHIA – 234,000 cows tested and counting.

VAS has notified Minnesota DHIA that beginning in 2021 they will directly bill and provide software support for the **Dairy Comp family of software**. The company has come under Dutch ownership. Dairy Comp is good software and we wish VAS and URUS continued success. We will continue to bring our Ftech version of Dairy Comp to the farm on each sample day. Data flow will be unchanged, including importing eartag numbers and milk Preg results. Consultants will continue to get their DNL updates for your herd from Minnesota DHIA. We will continue to sell and support PC Dart and Pocket Dairy. We currently have 40 users of this on-farm software which is owned and developed by DHIA, and which has been working well for a long time. *There are 3,150 U.S. dairies currently using on-farm PC Dart.*

Forage testing in Minnesota DHIA's Centre Labs in Sauk Centre has been growing since our affiliation with Cumberland Valley Labs. August and September totals are 157% of last August and September and are at a 5 year high. Thank you for your trust and patronage. For more information or sample kits please call the lab at 763.231.6768.

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1. Logon to mndhia.org
2. Select Web reports
3. Your Username is your Herdcode
4. Password is your release code

If you don't have a release code, please call 763.682.1091. We only provide release codes to the member.

Happy Milestone Anniversary and a big **Thank You** goes out this month to Rosalie Egge of Cannon Falls for her 35 years of service, and to Pat Maciej of Holdingford for his 30 years of service.

September Milk Quality Leaders, ranked by SCC, then Log SCC

Producer Name	SCC	COWS	Producer Name	SCC	COWS
STARLIGHT ACRES	17	6	GEHL ACRES FARM	89	139
*DENNIS AND WAYNE WOLTERS	38	148	*TIM&SARAH AHO	90	190
*DARRICK HEITMAN	43	4	GOODVUE AYR FARMS II	90	170
RYBERG REG HOLSTEIN	44	37	*BRUCE & JODI HEIM	91	390
*MATT BERKTOLD	45	192	*MARK BROSIG	91	251
HARMONY HILLS DAIRY	46	60	CANC	92	61
CRONK DAIRY	47	35	TRINITY DAIRY	93	36
*JERRY & BEV POHLMANN	48	66	*JEFF PETERMEIER	95	53
BOETTCHER DAIRY	49	149	VIRCHOW DAIRY	95	38
*STEVE MARTIN	51	47	RON HENGEMUHLE	96	212
WHITE-AKER PASTURES	51	8	SONDAG DAIRY	96	39
DAN KREKELBERG	52	61	*VERN WICK	97	50
DOUG & SANDRA DEROUSSEAU	52	76	RUSSELL J WIRT + FAMILY	97	544
SCHEFERS BROTHERS	53	76	*KEN & JOHN SCHMIT	100	351
JOHNSON DAIRY	54	96	JOHNSON DARREN+LYNN	100	225
HOEFS' DAIRY	55	292	*GREG AND KRISTIN MAHONEY	100	13
TWIN SPRUCE	56	85	*JEREMY AND EMILY SMITH	100	35
RKB DAIRY	57	131	LINDAHL FARMS	101	126
SELKE FARMS	58	242	HIDDEN HILL DAIRY LLC	101	359
MARSHALL KORN	58	60	SASS FARMS	103	260
HIGH POINT DAIRY	59	133	KRAIG&RACHELLE KRIENKE	104	566
*ROBERT AND JEANNETTE SHEEHAN	64	69	*W DALE MILL	104	160
WOLF CREEK DAIRY	65	453	KUECHLE DAIRY	105	242
HOUDEK DAIRY LLC	66	431	*RANDY AND LUANN WAGNER	105	346
BIRCH POINT FARMS PESHON	68	316	*JOHN SAUBER	106	55
*SCOTT&MICHELLE HERBER	69	714	*GARY SCHLAUDERAFF	106	641
*DUANE&KAREN TIMM	69	103	VALLEY ACRES DAIRY	107	877
RIVER VALLEY DAIRY LLC	71	97	*DARRELL LUHMANN	107	149
GLEN & BECKY CHRISTEN	74	39	PRIGGE FAMILY FARM	108	286
*TOM AND SUE HOLST	75	182	CLARK FARMS,LLC	108	581
THOMPSON FAMILY DAIRY	76	291	*JAMES C PFEIFER	108	51
*RICHARD LAMBRECHT	76	92	DANINGER INC	108	79
RICK & SHARI WEIR	77	69	FUNKS MIDWAY DAIRY	109	762
*STACY & JULIE MILLER	79	94	*CHARLES FRIEDGES	109	43
*JOHN LARSEN	79	35	GRAZIN ACRES	109	82
BREEZY WILLOWS FARM	80	37	JOHNSONS ROLLING ACRES	110	1359
SCHEFFLER DAIRY	82	140	THISTLE DEW DAIRY	111	132
*RODNEY RAY	83	56	DAIRYRIDGE	112	1397
*PETER+DAVID BURFEIND	83	340	*DAVID & DONNA ANDERSON	112	51
*KEVIN HANSON	83	94	*MIKE AND DONNA TELLERS	112	54
RADERMACHER DAIRY LLC	84	232	*ANDREW INGVALSON	113	187
TA LEONARD REG HOLSTEINS	84	51	ACKERMAN FARMS	113	113
*MAYNARD & JEREMY SCHUMACHER	85	128	RIVER CITY DAIRY	113	400
*AARON & TIFFANY RUTHER	85	171	*RON & PATTY STROBEL	113	43
*MITCH MEHRWERTH	85	62	BEAVER OAK DAIRY	114	142
FLYINGCOW DAIRY	86	176	DNA FARMS INC	114	94
*RYAN KNISLEY	86	59	BROOKSIDE DAIRY	114	496
HERITAGE HILLS DAIRY LLC	88	649	ROHE DAIRY LLC.	114	267
DELBERT BECHTOLD	88	51	WRIGHT WAY DAIRY FARM	114	36
WALTER BROS FARM	88	416	WOLD DAIRY	114	50
CHUCK & CATHY SOLUM	88	74			