

# Wisconsin Dairy and Beef Well-Being Conference March 3, 2017

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<http://fyi.uwex.edu/animalhusbandryconference/>

**Country Aire, F1312 Co Rd P, Stratford, WI, 54484**

## Agenda

### Adult Track

**\$45 before February 20; \$65 after February 20**

**Register below or using online form**

8:30 am Registration

9:00 am Greg Peterson, Peterson Farm Brothers

10:00 am Travel to Equity Livestock Cooperative

10:30 am Concurrent Sessions (*repeated*) —Equity Livestock

Ron Gill—Cattle Handling

Kory Stalsberg —Safe Transportation of Your Livestock

12:30 pm Lunch—Country Aire

1:30 pm Victor Cortese, Programming the Perinatal Immune System  
(*for both beef and dairy calves*)

2:30 pm Concurrent Sessions (*choose 1*)

- ◆ Victor Cortese, Beef Vaccination Protocols
- ◆ Emily Yeiser Stepp, How to Prepare to Meet the Expectations of FARM 3.0

### Youth Track

**\$20 before February 20, no late registrations taken, register online**

8:30 am Registration

9:00 am Greg Peterson, Peterson Farm Brothers

10:00 am Travel to Equity Livestock Cooperative

10:30 am Concurrent Sessions (*repeated*) —Equity Livestock

Ron Gill—Cattle Handling

Kory Stalsberg —Safe Transportation of Your  
Livestock

12:20 pm Return to Country Aire for lunch & evaluation; return to  
school

*\*\*Dress appropriately, Equity barns are not heated.*

**Veterinary/Veterinary Technician full & half day  
sessions available; see website for details**

Registration Form: Wisconsin Dairy and Beef Well-Being Conference  
(*Online registration available, see conference website on reverse side*)

Name (s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

# attending \_\_\_\_\_

### Continuing Education Units (CEU) Available!

**Vet/Vet Technician CE:** collect 1 CEU per session attended

**5 CEU** Humane Officers/American Registry for Professional Animal Scientists (ARPAS)

**2 CEU** for Beef Quality Assurance, Dairy Beef Quality Assurance

**Dairy employee certificates of attendance provided:** FARM Program requires dairy employees have documented training, especially in animal handling.

### Early Bird **Prior to February 20**

Adult/Humane Officer/ARPAS \$45

Full Day Vet/Vet Tech : \$75

Half Day Vet/Vet tech: \$45

### Late Registration **After February 20**

Adult/Humane Officer/ARPAS \$65

Full Day Vet/Vet Tech : \$95

Half Day Vet/Vet tech: \$65

Youth \$20, must be registered by **February 20**

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# Featured Speakers



Greg Peterson

**Greg Peterson** —Greg Peterson is a 2013 graduate of Kansas State University where he majored in Agricultural Communications and Journalism. He grew up and still works on a family farm near Assaria, KS with his parents, 2 brothers, and sister. He has always enjoyed working on the farm and being an advocate for agriculture. Greg and his brothers create YouTube videos about farming that together have received over 40 million views. The videos have given Greg and his brothers many opportunities around the country and the world to talk about agriculture and he is passionate about the future of the industry.

**Dr. Ron Gill**—Ron Gill is professor and Extension livestock specialist for Texas A&M AgriLife Extension and also currently serves as Associate Department Head and Program Leader for Extension within the Animal Science Department at Texas A&M University. Gill provides leadership in Extension programming related to animal well-being, stockmanship and low-stress livestock handling and helped develop the Stockmanship and Stewardship program he now delivers through collaboration with NCBA and the National BQA program. He also assists in providing leadership to statewide and national programming efforts for Beef Safety and Quality Assurance.



Victor Cortese

**Dr. Victor Cortese**— Vic Cortese graduated from Michigan State University with his bachelors and doctorate. He currently holds the title of Director Technical Services—Cattle Immunology at Pfizer Animal Health. His responsibility is 75% North American and 25% international. He has many publications on viral infections, immunology, neonatal immunology and young dairy calf management, several textbook chapters and guest lectures at many veterinary and university meetings including the American Association of Bovine Practitioners/World Buiatrics Congress and the AVMA. He received his diplomat status to American Board of Veterinary Practitioners (Dairy Practice Specialty) in 1995. In 1999, he successfully completed his Ph.D. in Microbiology from the Western College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Saskatchewan. In 2013, Bovine Veterinarian Magazine selected Dr. Cortese as one of the twenty most influential cattle veterinarians in the United States.



Emily Yeiser Stepp



Ron Gill

*For more information on the conference and to see complete biographies on all the speakers, please visit:*

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