Pennsylvania Association for Sustainable Agriculture presents



Comfortable Cows: Healthy Herd Management

Date: Monday, May 11

Time: 10:00am - 3:00pm (includes lunch)

Location: Wholesome Dairy Farms, Yellow House/Douglassville, BERKS Co.

Cost: \$15 PASA Members, \$25 all others

The focus is local

Mark Lopez, dairy production veterinarian turned dairy farmer, uses preventive measures to keep the herd well, and the benefits of this care are expressed in clean, delicious, raw milk. At the small on-farm store they sell raw milk and raw milk cheese, grass fed beef and milk-fed veal from grazing cows, as well as other local products. By farming naturally and engaging and reconnecting with their community, the Lopez family is encouraging sustainability for their customers, their employees, and most importantly the cows!

- Learn the finer points of Ayershires
- Find out how Mark is marketing his value added dairy products
- Discover dairying with reduced carbon emissions
- Join Mena Hautau (Berks Co. Extension) for a pasture walk and discussion of soil fertility as it relates to herd health and nutrition

For more information and to register for this event, visit <u>www.pasafarming.org</u>, or call Rachel at (814) 349-9856.

