

What does Expo have in store for you?

September 28 to October 3

Commercial exhibits
open daily
Tuesday through Saturday
9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Monday, September 28

Main Events

8 a.m. National 4-H Dairy Cattle Judging Contest, National Intercollegiate Dairy Cattle Judging Contest and International Post-Secondary Dairy Cattle Judging Contest, Coliseum

7 p.m. International Post-Secondary Judging Contest Results and Awards Banquet, Exhibition Hall

7:30 p.m. National 4-H Judging Contest Results and Awards Banquet, Exhibition Hall

8 p.m. National Intercollegiate Judging Contest Awards Ceremony, Exhibition Hall

Tuesday, September 29

Main Events

7:30 a.m. International Junior Holstein Show, Coliseum

7:30 a.m. International Ayrshire Show, Coliseum

8 a.m. FFA Judging Events, Sale Pavilion and Sheraton

3 p.m. International Jersey Show: heifers, Coliseum

3 p.m. International Milking Shorthorn Show: heifers, Coliseum

5 p.m. World Dairy Expo Championship Dairy Product Auction, Monona/Wingra Rooms, Exhibition Hall

7 p.m. Top of the World Jersey Sale, Sale Pavilion

Educational Forums

1 p.m. "The time is right for a succession plan," sponsored by Badgerland Financial

Speaker: Dan Rugar, Attorney, Ruder/Ware, Exhibition Hall

Virtual Farm Tours

2 p.m. Penterman Farm and Holland's Family Cheese LLC, Thorp, Wis., sponsored by AgSource Cooperative Services, Exhibition Hall

Wednesday, September 30

Main Events

7:30 a.m. International Jersey Show: cows and groups, Coliseum

11 a.m. World Forage Analysis Superbowl Awards Luncheon, Exhibition Hall

12:30 p.m. International Milking Shorthorn Show: cows, Coliseum

2 p.m. International Brown Swiss Show: heifers, Coliseum

5 p.m. World Dairy Expo Dinner

with the Stars Reception, Exhibition Hall

6:30 p.m. Dinner with the Stars Banquet, Exhibition Hall

7 p.m. Ayrshire World Event Sale, Sale Pavilion

Educational Forums

11 a.m. "Feed refusals: Waste or cost of doing business?," sponsored by DeKalb

Speaker: J. W. Schroeder, North Dakota State University, Exhibition Hall

1 p.m. "Adding value to calves by breeding to beef," sponsored by Hubbard Feeds Inc.

Speaker: Jerry Wulf, Wulf Cattle, Exhibition Hall

Forage Seminars

10 a.m. How much forage can we feed to dairy cows?

Speaker: Kenneth Kalscheur, U.S. Dairy Forage Research Center, Madison, Wis., Arena Building

1:30 p.m. Managing fermentation with baled silage

Speaker: Wayne Coblenz, U.S. Dairy Forage Research Center, Marshfield, Wis., Arena Building

Virtual Farm Tours

12 noon Prairieland Dairy, Firth, Neb., sponsored by DuPont Pioneer, Exhibition Hall

2 p.m. Meadow Brook Dairy Farms LLC, Manitowoc, Wis., sponsored by Purina Animal Nutrition LLC, Exhibition Hall

Thursday, October 1

Main Events

7:30 a.m. International Brown Swiss Show: cows and groups, Coliseum

1:30 p.m. International Guernsey Show: heifers, Coliseum

1:30 p.m. International Red and White Show: heifers, Coliseum

2 p.m. World Premier Brown Swiss Sale, Sale Pavilion; World Premier Milking Shorthorn Sale will follow immediately after

5:30 p.m. National Dairy Shrine Reception, Exhibition Hall

6 p.m. World Dairy Expo Youth Showmanship Competition, Coliseum

6:30 p.m. National Dairy Shrine Banquet, Exhibition Hall

Educational Forums

11 a.m. "Defining factors that create a quality heifer," sponsored by Land O'Lakes Animal Milk Products Co.

Speaker: Michael Van Amburgh, Cornell University, Exhibition Hall

1 p.m. "Design criteria for robotic milking barns," sponsored by Bayland Buildings Inc.

Speaker: Jack Rodenburg, Dairy-Logix, Exhibition Hall



Forage Seminars

10 a.m. Cows agree with total tract NDFD

Speaker: David Combs, UW-Madison, Arena Building

1:30 p.m. Forage systems for warm season dairying

Speaker: Dennis Hancock, University of Georgia, Arena Building

Virtual Farm Tours

12 noon Sunset Canyon Jerseys, Beaver, Ore., sponsored by American Jersey Cattle Association, Exhibition Hall

2 p.m. Sunny Glade Farms, Blumenort, Manitoba, Canada, sponsored by Lely, Exhibition Hall

Friday, October 2

Main Events

7:30 a.m. International Red and White Show: cows and groups, Coliseum

7:30 a.m. International Guernsey Show: cows and groups, Coliseum

12 noon International Holstein Show: heifers, Coliseum

2 p.m. International Guernsey Classic Sale, Sale Pavilion

5 p.m. International Reception, Exhibition Hall

7 p.m. World Classic 2015 Holstein Sale, Coliseum

Educational Forums

11 a.m. "Apps for dairying: An application for calving management," sponsored by Calf-Star

Speaker: Gustavo Schuenemann, The Ohio State University, Exhibition Hall

1 p.m. "Agroterrorism threat briefing and roles of law enforcement," sponsored by Quality Liquid Feeds Inc.

Speaker: Stephen Goldsmith, D.V.M., FBI, Exhibition Hall

Forage Seminars

10 a.m. Making or breaking rations with forage digestibility and quality

Speaker: Mary Beth Hall, U.S. Dairy Forage Research Center, Madison, Wis., Arena Building

1:30 p.m. The secret life of rumen microbes

Speaker: Paul Weimer, U.S. Dairy Forage Research Center, Madison, Wis., Arena Building

Virtual Farm Tours

12 noon SwissLane Dairy Farms, Alto, Mich., sponsored by Quality Liquid Feeds Inc., Exhibition Hall

2 p.m. R&G Miller & Sons, Columbus, Wis., sponsored by Organic Valley, Exhibition Hall

Saturday, October 3

Main Events

8 a.m. International Holstein Show: cows and groups, Coliseum

5 p.m. Parade of Champions and Selection of 2015 Supreme Champion, Coliseum

6 p.m. World Dairy Expo closes

Educational Forum

11 a.m. "Lameness in dairy cattle: Causes and consequences," sponsored by Hoof Supervisor

Speaker: J. K. Shearer, Iowa State University, Exhibition Hall

Forage Seminar

10 a.m. Managing reduced-lignin alfalfa

Speaker: Dan Undersander, UW-Madison, Arena Building

Virtual Farm Tour

12 noon Trailside Holsteins, Fountain, Minn., sponsored by Select Sires Inc., Exhibition Hall