

NEW HAMPSHIRE DAIRY MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2010

Registration for the conference is \$20 in advance or \$25 at the door, which includes refreshments and lunch. Student rate is \$10 each. NH FFA students are free.

Name(s) _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Attending: ___ at \$20 each # Student(s) ___ at \$10 each # FFA ___ **TOTAL ENCLOSED = \$ _____**

Make checks payable to **NH Dairy Practices Committee**. To guarantee meals; send your reservation by **March 12, 2010** to Michal Lunak, 3855 Dartmouth College Highway, Box 5, No. Haverhill, NH 03774. Make overnight accommodations directly with Fireside Inn & Suites Conference Office (603)298-5906, Ext. 270. To check conference details or to request accommodations to participate, including dietary, physical access, or other accommodation requests, including the ability to pay, please contact Michal Lunak (603) 787-6944. Ten working days are needed to facilitate special needs requests.



UNIVERSITY of NEW HAMPSHIRE
COOPERATIVE EXTENSION

*34th Annual
New Hampshire*



*Dairy Management
Conference*

Thursday, March 18, 2010

Fireside Inn & Suites
West Lebanon, New Hampshire
I-89, Exit 20 at Airport Road



*Part of a 4-Location
New England
Dairy Conference Series*

FEATURED SPEAKER

CARLOS A. RISCO, DVM, DACT



Dr. Carlos Risco graduated from the University of Florida with his Bachelor of Science in Dairy Science in 1976 and with his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine in 1980.

He became board-certified in Theriogenology (a branch of veterinary medicine concerned with veterinary obstetrics and with the diseases and physiology of animal reproductive systems) in 1990.

From 1980-90, he was a partner in a nine-veterinarian private practice in Chino Valley, California, where he specialized in dairy practices. In 1990 he joined the University of Florida's College of Veterinary Medicine as an assistant professor in the Rural Animal Medicine Section, Large Animal Clinical Sciences Department.

Currently he is a Professor with the Food Animal Reproduction and Medicine (FARM) Service. FARM Service is devoted to the science of food animal health maintenance and improved quality and production of beef and dairy products. His academic appointment includes 70% teaching, 25% research, and 5% service.

Dr. Carlos Risco has been active researching the effect of calving related disorders on postpartum health. He has also collaborated with Dr. Bill Thatcher on the development and application of timed artificial insemination technologies in heifers and lactating cows.



Michal Lunak,
UNH Cooperative Extension, Dairy Specialist

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CONFERENCE AGENDA

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2010

- 9:00** Registration and Trade Show Opens
- 9:50** Welcome - Michal Lunak, University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension Dairy Specialist
- 10:00** Dr. Carlos Risco, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
“Management of Calving Related Problems”
Designing a herd health protocol that emphasizes first-aid calving assistance and eliminates improper calf delivering techniques
- 11:30** NH Green Pastures Awards - Lorraine Merrill, NH Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food
- 12:00** Introduction of Trade Show Participants
- 12:15** Lunch and View Trade Show
- 1:45** Dr. Carlos Risco, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
“Postpartum Health Monitoring Strategies”
Strategies that producers can implement to monitor postpartum health for early diagnosis and treatment of common fresh cow problems (retained placenta, uterine infections, ketosis, mastitis, and displaced abomasum)
- 3:00** Questions and Answers
- 3:15** Adjourn

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