

Hosted by the Midwest Forage Association, Wisconsin Custom Operators &  
Professional Nutrient Applicators Association of Wisconsin

# Symposium '17

January 23-25, 2017



Symposium  
organizers:



**Chula Vista Resort**  
2501 North River Road  
Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965

Online registration encouraged:  
[www.midwestforage.org/dellsmeeting.php](http://www.midwestforage.org/dellsmeeting.php)

# Agenda

- Subject to change -

**Monday, January 23**

**Note: Monday sessions are included with a Tues./Wed. registration only.**

- 1:00 PNAAW Level One Certification**  
Richard Halopka, George Koepp, Jerry Clark
- 3:30 Runoff Risk Advisory Tool\***  
Wisconsin Dept of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

**Tuesday, January 24**

- 8:00 CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST/EXHIBITS**
- 8:30 A Kwik Look at Kwik Trip's Culture\***  
Carl Rick, Kwik Trip - La Crosse, WI
- 9:30 Impacts of Harvest Equipment on Forage Quality & Shrink Loss**  
Dan Undersander, University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI  
Matt Jaynes, CLAAS - Omaha, NE  
Neil Barnett, MacDon - Madison, WI  
Mark Pavcik, John Deere - Olathe, KS  
Ryan Percy, Kuhn North America - Brodhead, WI
- Low Soil Disturbance Injection Systems\***  
Steve Pittman, Bazoooka Farmstar - Washington, IA
- 10:40 BREAK/EXHIBIT HALL**
- 11:00 Remote Sensing Tools for Forages**  
Reagan Noland, University of Minnesota - St. Paul, MN  
Matt Repinski, WinField Solutions - Amherst, WI
- Side-Dressing Manure on Corn\***  
Glen Arnold, The Ohio State University - Findlay, OH
- Policy Update: What You Need to Know in IoH/Fuel/Dairy/Manure Regulations\***  
John Holevoet, Wisconsin Dairy Business Assoc. - Green Bay, WI
- 12:00 LUNCH/EXHIBIT HALL**
- 1:30 •Manage Your Yield-vs-Quality Tradeoff with HarvXtra® Alfalfa**  
Phil Bollman, Forage Genetics International - St. Paul, MN
- Protecting Your Bottom Line – Risk Management Options for Forage Producers**  
Wayne Triplett, Crop Revenue Mgmt/Diversified Svcs - Buffalo, MN
- How to Get Paid When Commodity Prices are Low\***  
Troy Schneider, Twohig Rietbrock Schneider & Halbach - Chilton, WI
- Crisis Communications: Working with the Public in the Case of an Accident or Spill\***  
Jane Hillstrom, Hillstrom PR - Sturgeon Bay, WI
- 2:30 BREAK/EXHIBIT HALL**
- 3:00 MFRP Lightning Session**  
Marisol Berti, North Dakota State University - Fargo, ND  
Matt Akins, University of Wisconsin - Marshfield, WI  
Mike Bertram, University of Wisconsin - Arlington, WI  
Brian Luck, University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI  
Jason Cavadini, University of Wisconsin - Stratford, WI  
Hugh Chester-Jones, University of Minnesota - Waseca, MN  
Wayne Coblentz, U.S. Dairy Forage Research Center - Marshfield, WI  
William Osterholz, University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI  
Troy Salzer, University of Minnesota - Carlton, MN  
Reagan Noland, University of Minnesota - St. Paul, MN
- Hotwash of the 2016 Application Season\***  
Cheryl Skjolaas, University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI
- Telematics: Knowing Your Rights When it Comes to Ag Data\***  
Jeremy Wilson, Crop IMS/Agriculture Data Coalition - Effingham, IL
- 4:00 Hidden Danger: Staying Safe Around Silage Bunkers\***  
Larry Roth, Promote - Minneapolis, MN
- Irrigating Manure\***  
Becky Larson, University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI
- Workers' Compensation & Safety: Know Your Rights & Responsibilities\*\***  
David Leix, Department of Workforce Development - Madison, WI
- 5:00 EXHIBIT HALL**
- 6:00 "Lucky Doubles" Dinner, Live Auction & Funny Money Auction**

**Wednesday, January 25**

- 8:00 Midwest Forage Association Annual Meeting & Local Council Roundtable**  
*Complimentary breakfast for paid MFA members - ticket required*
- WCO Annual Meeting**  
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- Nutrient Management Regulation Update\***  
Joe Baeten, WI DNR - Green Bay, WI  
Judy Derricks, USDA-NRCS - Madison, WI  
Sue Porter, WI DATCP - Madison, WI
- 9:15 Cover Crops & Fall Manure Applications\***  
Matt Ruark, University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI
- 10:15 BREAK/EXHIBIT HALL**
- 10:45 Making the Most of Your Baleage**  
Wayne Coblentz, U.S. Dairy Forage Research Center - Marshfield, WI  
Steve Admond, RC Consulting - Grand Rapids, MI  
Dan Funke, Funke Farms - Larchwood, IA  
Brian Limberg, Limberg Nutrition - Plymouth, WI
- PNAAW Annual Meeting**
- HR Basics: Job Descriptions, Benefits & Background Checks Explained\***  
Valerie Leake, Badgerland Financial - Prairie du Sac, WI
- 12:00 LUNCH/EXHIBIT HALL**
- 1:30 Can Silage Yields Predict Grain Yields? The Value for Dairyman-Grower Silage Contracts**  
Joe Lauer, University of Wisconsin - Madison, WI
- True Cost of Dragline Hose Ownership\***  
Richie Magnuson, Nott Company - Kaukana, WI
- HR Basics: Job Descriptions, Benefits & Background Checks Explained (Repeat)\***  
Valerie Leake, Badgerland Financial - Prairie du Sac, WI
- 2:30 Composting Manure\***  
Jonathan Keller, Midwest Bio-Systems - Tampico, IL
- Telematics: Knowing Your Rights When it Comes to Ag Data (Repeat)\***  
Jeremy Wilson, Crop IMS/Agriculture Data Coalition - Effingham, IL
- 3:30 Adjourn**

**Session Key: Room E, Room I, Upper Dells Ballroom, Room G**  
**Certified Crop Advisors (CCA) Credit Sessions (TBD)**  
**\*PNAAW Level 2 Certification Sessions**  
**\*WCO Safety Certification Sessions**

**Live Auction & Silent Auction!**  
*Bring your \$\$ for great items including:*  
**\$1,000 CLAAS Parts Coupon**  
**CLAAS Toy**  
**2 Bags HybriForce-3400 Alfalfa Seed from Dairyland Seed Co.**  
**Toys & Tools from Eisentraut Ag Services**  
**GEA Clock**  
**Riding Tractor from New Holland Agriculture**  
**Tools from New Holland Agriculture**  
**iPad from NEXGROW**  
**Garden Hose & Reel from Nott Company**  
*... and more to come!*

**TO RESERVE A ROOM, CALL 855.839.7817**  
When making reservation, refer to booking ID: E90784  
Chula Vista Resort, 2501 N River Road, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965  
**Rates if booked by 1/6/17 (\$75 single; \$85 double)**

**Symposium Hosted By:**



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## 2017 Preregistration Form • January 23-25

Registration includes proceedings, programs, and meals.

**Online registration available: [www.midwestforage.org/dellsmeeting.php](http://www.midwestforage.org/dellsmeeting.php)**

Front of registration form for first registrant only, to register additional participants complete form on the **reverse side**.

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FARM/BUSINESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COUNTY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

### 2017 Association Memberships (for first registrant only)

<b>Midwest Forage Association 2017 Membership</b>	50.00	\$ <input type="text"/>
<b>Wisconsin Custom Operators 2017 Membership</b>	50.00	\$ <input type="text"/>
<b>Professional Nutrient Applicators Association of Wisconsin 2017 Membership</b>		
PNAAW Active Hauler Membership	100.00	\$ <input type="text"/>
PNAAW Industry or Non-Active Hauler Membership	50.00	\$ <input type="text"/>

**Association membership subtotal:** \$   
Carry association membership subtotal below

### Symposium Registration (for first registrant only; additional registrants on reverse side)

	'17 Member Preregistration	Non-Member Preregistration	
<b>Tues./Wed. Registration (Jan. 24-25)</b> <small>onsite: \$130 member; \$170 non-member</small>	\$115.00	\$155.00	\$ <input type="text"/>
<b>Tuesday Registration Only (Jan. 24)</b> <small>onsite: \$95 member; \$115 non-member</small>	85.00	105.00	\$ <input type="text"/>
<b>Wednesday Registration Only (Jan. 25)</b> <small>onsite: \$75 member; \$95 non-member</small>	65.00	85.00	\$ <input type="text"/>

**Symposium registration subtotal (for 1st registrant):** \$

**Association Membership subtotal (from 1st registrant above):** \$

**Subtotal from reverse (add'l participant membership/registration):** \$

**Total:** \$

**Monday Registration (FREE with Tues./Wed. registration; Monday only not available)**

Total attending Level 1 Certification

Registration Deadline - January 6, 2017

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Or mail completed form and check to: Midwest Forage Association • 4630 Churchill Street #1 • St. Paul, MN 55126 • 651.484.3888

Make room reservations directly with Chula Vista - 855.839.7817

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2017 Members save on preregistration fees. Join today!

# 2017 Symposium & Annual Meeting Additional Registrant Preregistration Form

Multiple registrants from the same farm/business can register below - copy this form for more than ten registrants.  
(If registering only one person, please do not complete this side of form.)

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**Key:** (MFA) Midwest Forage Association; (WCO) Wisconsin Custom Operators; (PNAAW) Professional Nutrient Applicators Association of Wisconsin

2017 Membership Fees (Circle fees for each of the associations you are joining)												2017 Symposium & Annual Meeting Registration (Circle the appropriate fees)						Total per Registrant
MFA			WCO			PNAAW			2017 Member Registration Fees			Non-Association Member Registration Fees			Total per Registrant			
Active Hauler	Industry or Non-Active Hauler					Tues./Wed.	Tues. Only	Wed. Only	2-day	Tues. Only	Wed. Only							
Example: \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75	\$250						
2nd Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
3rd Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
4th Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
5th Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
6th Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
7th Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
8th Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
9th Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							
10th Registrant \$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$100	\$75	\$55	\$140	\$95	\$75							

Subtotal for additional memberships/registrations: \$             
Carry add'l participant membership/registration subtotal to reverse side