

## **NEWS & INFORMATION**

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## **Central Minnesota Dairy Field Day**

ST. CLOUD, Minn. (7/7/2022) — "Central Minnesota Dairy Field Day" will be held at Janski's Farm in St. Augusta, MN on August 16th with registration at 9:30 am, and the program beginning at 10 am. The field day will focus on dairy management and the production of forages for farming operations in Central Minnesota. This event will highlight the farm's utilization of robots, forage management, and the use of cover crops on the land and in the dairy cattle ration. Lunch will be provided at 1 pm by Compeer.

Janski Farms is located in Stearns County and utilizes a wide range of diversification as part of its operation. The milking dairy herd is managed in a four Lely robot barn, while beef and cowcalf pairs are raised on site. The Janski's use reduced tillage systems as well as cover crops in crop production. Their production model includes both cash and specialty crops for animal feed and income.

The program will be held at Janski's Farm, 3731 200th St, St. Augusta, MN 55382. This free event will start at 10 am with an introduction to the Janski family and operation, continue with discussions around livestock management and crops, and conclude with lunch at 1 pm. Registration for the meal is encouraged and can be done in just two minutes through <a href="https://z.umn.edu/DairyFDCentral22">https://z.umn.edu/DairyFDCentral22</a> or by phone (contact Dana Adams, contact listed below).

Questions, comments, or accommodations can be addressed by reaching out via phone or email to Dana Adams at <a href="mailto:adam1744@umn.edu">adam1744@umn.edu</a>, (320) 204-2968.



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