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Midwest Forage Association
4630 Churchill St., #1
St. Paul, MN 55126

Southeast MN Forage Council and Midwest Forage Association Summer Field Day

Thursday, August 2

Host Farm
Heusinkveld Farms
Nate & Misty Heusinkveld
Spring Valley, MN

- Reduced Lignin Forages in Dairy Diets •
- Tour New Heifer Barn •
- Alfalfa Field Tour •
- Feeding BMR Corn Silage •
- Equipment Display •
- Free Lunch •

The event is free and open to all
RSVP requested via phone or email to
Midwest Forage Association
mfa@midwestforage.org • 651.484.3888

Thanks to Our Sponsors for Making
This a **FREE** Event!

FIELD DAY LOCATION:

Heusinkveld Farms
17526 County Hwy 5
Spring Valley, MN 55975



*The farm is just north of County Rd 14
on County Rd 5, directly north of
Cherry Grove.*




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Event Administration: Chelsea Russell, MFA

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Thursday, August 2 • 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

SUMMER FIELD DAY AGENDA

- 10:00 Welcome, Material Pick-up**
- 10:10 Feeding Small Grain Cover Crops**
Feeding BMR Corn Silage with Reduced Lignin Alfalfa - Good or Bad?
Jim Paulson, Fieldstone Consulting
- 10:40 Using Reduced Lignin Forages in Dairy Diets**
Jim Salfer, University of Minnesota
- 11:25 Forage & Livestock Management on the Heusinkveld Farm**
Nate Heusinkveld, Heusinkveld Farms
- 11:45 Lunch**
- 12:45 How MDI Dairy Teams Help Farmers**
Abby Thesing, Minnesota Dairy Initiative
- 1:00 Heifer Barn Tour**
• Ruminant & Activity Collars
Nate Heusinkveld, Heusinkveld Farms
- 1:30 Field Tour**
Nate Heusinkveld, Heusinkveld Farms



EVENT COORDINATED BY:

Southeast Minnesota Forage Council • Midwest Forage Association
University of Minnesota Extension

Participants are Encouraged to RSVP

While the event is free, you are encouraged to RSVP by July 30 for meal planning purposes.

Please RSVP by emailing mfa@midwestforage.org or calling 651.484.3888.