

September 2014

Dear Dairy Producers, Dairy Women and Industry Supporters:

We cordially invite you to our upcoming **Washington State Dairy Industry Annual Meeting, "Celebrating Milk for Life" on November 10 & 11** at the Heathman Lodge, Vancouver, Washington.

Once again, we're happy to announce that two complimentary registrations, including meals, are available to all Washington dairy producers if registration is **received by October 30**. This year's annual meeting will provide practical information relating to the dairy industry. Featured speakers and programs include but are not limited to:

- Inspirational: Farm Safety
- Honoring our Military
- Featured speakers from Les Schwab
- Featured speakers from Dominos
- Climate Change in Washington State
- 2014 Elections & 2015 Legislative Issues
- Ag Economics & Taxation Report
- Farm Bill: Changes & Opportunities
- Electronic Reporting of Sales of Dairy Animals

The annual meeting will officially begin at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, November 10th and ends late in the evening on Tuesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>. Please note, the Dairy Federation Membership meeting and the Dairy Women's meeting are planned from 10:00 a.m. to noon on Tuesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>.

Other planned features will include the Dairy Women's Scholarship Auction to fall on the evening of November 10<sup>th</sup> and the Seahawks themed Tailgate Party on November 11<sup>th</sup>. Plan to visit the exhibitors for a chance to win Seahawks prize "*baskets*" which will be awarded the evening of the 10<sup>th</sup>, and the afternoon of the 11<sup>th</sup>.

Enclosed you will find meal registration and hotel information. We encourage you to make your hotel reservations early as the deadline for the special convention room-rate is **October 20th**. The deadline for early meeting registration is **October 30**, **2014**.

We look forward to seeing you in November!

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### **Attendee Registration/Meals**

Registration **DUE** by \*October 30th, 2014

2014 Washington State Dairy Industry Annual Meeting
November 10 –11, 2014 - Heathman Lodge, Vancouver, WA

www.heathmanlodge.com 1-888-475-3100 (Hotel Reservations)





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(Grade "A" Permit Holders Registered by Oct. 30: See note below on complimentary meals for up to 2 attendees per Grade "A" Permit)  Meals purchased on-site will be at an increased cost. On-site meals are LIMITED, so please purchase early.  We are recognizing Veterans at this annual meeting, please mark the box below if you are a Veteran						
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*\$35 registration fee, per attendee, if received AFTER October 30					\$	
OPTIONAL: donation in any amount, to help send a WSU student to the WA Dairy Industry Annual Meeting					\$	
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Phone: 425.672.0687						
Fax to: 425.672.0674 Email: Doreen@havemilk.com						
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## **Heathman Lodge**

**7801 NE Greenwood Drive** Vancouver, WA, 98662

www.heathmanlodge.com 360-254-3100



Built from woods of the Northwest forests and basalt from the ancient volcanic flows of the Columbia River Gorge, the Lodge delivers a bucolic energy that rejuvenates the soul. Embrace the unique paintings, carvings, textiles, and sculptures inspired from the Northwest's native culture that make the Heathman Lodge a destination of natural beauty, art and hospitality.

### **Deluxe Guest Room**

\$ 99

# **Business Level Guestrooms:**

\$109

- King Bed or two Queen Beds
- Two-Line Phones with Data Ports & Voicemail
- Mini-Refrigerator
- Microwave
- Coffee Maker
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Hairdryer
- Television

This upgrade additionally includes:

- 1. Complimentary High Speed Internet Access
- 2. Complimentary USA Delivered Door Side
- 3. Work Desk & Chair
- 4. Leather Sofa
- 5. Exclusive Breakfast/Reception Room
- 6. Hosted weeknight reception
- 7. In Room Terry Cloth Robes
- 8. Expanded Cable & HBO
- 9. \*Exercise Equipment Room Service

Reservations must be made by October 20th, 2014, for the conference rate just mention the Dairy Industry meeting when registering & ask for conference rate.

Conference Room rates will be available starting September 30, 2014.

Heathman Lodge Early Departure Fee: An early departure fee of \$50 applies to guests checking out prior to their departure date. Guests will be asked to confirm their departure date upon check-in.

Guests may be able to change their departure date without a penalty at the time of check-in or within 24 hours of actual departure but need to confirm this with the lodge. This fee is paid to the hotel.

#### Directions to Heathman Lodge from Seattle area:

Take I-5 Southbound towards Portland — Keep right to continue on I-205 S, follow signs for Salem/Northeast 134th Street

Take exit 30 toward WA-500 W — Keep right at the fork, follow signs for WA-500 W

Merge onto WA-500 W — Take the Northeast Thurston Way exit — Take NE Parkway Dr to NE Greenwood Dr Turn right onto NE Thurston Way —- Take the 1st left onto NE Parkway Dr — Turn left onto NE Greenwood Dr Destination will be on the left — 7801 NE Greenwood Dr



# Support WSU Dairy Club Eat Cougar Gold® Cheese

You asked for it – we delivered. WSU Dairy Club will now be pre-selling cans of Cougar Gold® Cheese, as well as having some available for sale at the Washington State Dairy Industry Annual Meeting. To pre-order, you have two options. You can send in this form with a check and we will hand-deliver it to you at the Washington State Dairy Industry Annual Meeting OR you can send in this form with a check and we will ship the cheese to you (for \$8 extra to cover shipping charges). Orders are **due** to us by **October 15**. Please include your email address so that we can send you a confirmation e-mail by the end of October. Direct any questions to jennifer.callanan@email.wsu.edu.

Please make checks out to WSU Dairy Club.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone number (optional): \_\_\_\_\_\_

[] Yes, I would like my cheese to be available for me at the Washington State Dairy Industry Annual Meeting.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ cans @ \$27/can Total: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Mail check & order form to:

WSU Dairy Club Department of Animal Sciences 116 Clark Hall Washington State University Pullman, WA 99164-6310