# **AgCountry Farm Credit Services, Frontier** Farm Credit, and Farm Credit Services of America announce collaboration

The Boards of Directors for three Farm Credit Associations serving farmers, ranchers, and agribusinesses across eight states approved a collaboration agreement last week aimed at better serving their respective customers. AgCountry Farm Credit Services (AgCountry), Frontier Farm Credit, and Farm Credit Services of America (FCSAmerica) signed a collaboration contract to become effective no earlier than April 1, 2024

The directors have agreed to share key functions, such as leadership, strategic planning, and technology, while retaining local, independent boards, offices, services, cash patronage programs, and more.

"Our three Boards are comprised mostly of farmers and ranchers. We were elected by our fellow member-owners to make decisions ensuring our Associations fulfill their mission to current and future producers," said Lynn Pietig, chair of AgCountry's Board of Directors. "Each Association enters this collaboration in a financially strong position. By working together, we can achieve benefits of scale that make us even stronger."

The collaboration is expected to facilitate cost efficiencies, new market opportunities, and the ability to provide additional resources for specialized programs, industry insights, and technology to meet the diverse needs of all segments of agriculture.

"Continual improvement is vital to the long-term success of any farm or ranch," said Shane Tiffany, chair of the Frontier Farm Credit Board. "Our financial cooperatives are no different. As agriculture gets more complicated and our risks and costs as producers increase, we need to know we can count on our lender. This collaboration better positions us for the future."

Together, these three Farm Credit Associations serve more than 85,000 producers across Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and Wyoming. At 2022 year-end, AgCountry reported loan volume of \$11.6 billion, Frontier Farm Credit, \$2.6 billion, and FCSAmerica, \$38.3 billion.

"There are many examples of successful collaborations in the Farm Credit System," said Nick Jorgensen, chair of the FCSAmerica Board. "This one is unique in allowing each Association to share functions where it makes sense, yet retain the local experience we all have come to value from our individual cooperatives and financial teams."

Shareholders of the three Associations will receive additional information regarding this collaboration.

## Page 13 **Prepare your herd for inclement weather**

By Sarah Harris-Christian for Angus Journal

While cattlemen and cattlewomen adorn heavier layers to face the chilling months, their strategies for integrated winter management become a focus of their intention.

"Cornstalk residue and dormant range grazing work really well without supplementation until it doesn't," says Karla Wilke, University of Nebraska cow-calf and stocker management specialist. "... When we get delays or hitches in our system, we need to be cognizant of what's really going on... we may have to make an adjustment."

While forage feeding protocol is often the basis of winter feeding plans, supplemental feed and vitamin and mineral blends can be used to satisfy the herd's nutritional needs.

"We have to recognize our needs are going to change for our animals." says Maggie Justice, University of Arkansas assistant professor and beef cattle Extension specialist. "We have to help them in those changes.'

Identifying herd body condition scores (BCS), nutritional needs, and forage quality and availability are the preliminary steps

to create the foundation of winter feeding protocols. Producers must take into consideration their herd's stages of production to further tailor toward their nutritional needs.

Lactation greatly contributes to a female's total digestible nutrient and crude protein requirements, Wilke says. Especially in early lactation, female nutritional needs drastically increase. Producers should think about their females' stages of production going into the winter months to prepare for appropriate feeding measures.

Although most producers acknowledge how lactation affects nutrition requirements, Wilke says, "Sometimes we don't realize the magnitude of that change, and that's what can get us in trouble."

Effective, economical winter feeding is often a balancing act. Energy is typically the most limiting factor with forages, so supplemental feeding can bridge the nutritional gap, Justice says. Feeding the herd can be the largest cost area for producers, so intentionally comparing price and value of supplemental feedstuffs is imperative, she adds.

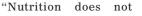
come in a bag," Justice says.

There are a variety of feed blends producers can purchase to nurture their cattle, and she says producers must design their feeding plans to meet the unique nutritional needs of their herd.

Producers should ensure the energy and crude protein requirements of their herd are met, Wilke says. She urges breeders and feeders to satisfy these needs first, and then determine appropriate vitamin and mineral provisions, especially for females prior to breeding and during colostrum development.

"It's not that they aren't important, but if vou are short on protein and energy, it doesn't matter how high quality a vitamin and mineral program you have," Wilke says.

Effective, balanced nutrition programs are of utmost importance, Justice and Wilke say. As winter feeding plans are instituted, producers set into motion the plan to sustain and maintain their animals through the cold season. Reflecting upon the herd's needs and available forage and feed supply, the merit of proactive planning is invaluable.





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## Grass & Grain, January 2, 2024 Kansas Hay Market Report

\*\*\*\*DUE TO THE HOLIDAY, THERE WILL BE NO REPORT NEXT WEEK. THE NEXT RE-PORT WILL BE PUB-LISHED JANUARY 16TH. \*\*\*\*

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Compared to the last report, demand remains low, and prices steady. Due to a couple of large purchases in the southwest region, total hay bought and sold was up overall, however, that is not indicative of the market, which remains slow for most regions. Most folks are still not trading much hay and only delivering on old contracts. Many producers report that it is pretty muddy out there and a dry-up would be nice. On the other hand,

a winter storm may get this sluggish hay market moving. Most folks continue to report that their hay is just not moving, and it doesn't matter what type of hay it is. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor for December 19th, moderate drought expanded a bit, in southeast Kansas, as streamflow and soil moisture dwindled, and short-term precipitation shortages grew. Moderate drought expanded a small amount in western Kansas, where short-term precipitation shortfalls grew amid higher-than-normal atmospheric thirst. The categorical percent area for abnormally dry conditions (D0) remained at 25%, moderate drought

(D1) increased to near 35.5%, severe drought (D2) remained at 23.5%, extreme drought (D3) remained at 7%, and no exceptional drought (D4) was recorded.

#### Southwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, ground and delivered steady, grinding alfalfa steady; movement slow. Alfalfa: Dairy,1.35-1.45/point RFV. Good, Stock or Dry 240.00-250.00. Fair/ Cow good grinding alfalfa, large rounds 180.00-190.00 delivered, large square 3x4's and 4x4's 180.00-190.00 delivered. Ground and delivered locally to feedlots and dairies, new crop 230.00-240.00. Alfalfa/ oat hay mixed ground and delivered 225.00-235.00. Grass Hay: Bluestem: CRP large rounds 75.00-100.00. Sudan, large rounds 70.00-90.00. Corn stalks: none reported. Teff: large rounds 220.00-230.00. The week

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Dairy alfalfa steady, grass hay mostly steady; movement slow. Alfalfa: horse or goat, none reported. Dairy 1.40-1.50/point RFV. Good, stock cow 260.00-270.00 delivered. Fair/good grinding alfalfa, large rounds190.00-200.00, large square 3x4's none reported. Grass hay: Bluestem, small squares, 200.00-205.00, mid square 3x3's 175.00-185.00, large square 3x4 170.00-185.00, large round 155.00-170.00. Brome, large round 160.00-170.00, large square 185.00-200.00. The week 12/17-12/23, 1,070T of grass hay was reported bought or sold.

#### Northwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: Horse or goat, small squares none reported, 3x3 squares, 300.00. Dairy, Premium/Supreme 1.40-1.50/point RFV. Stock cow, fair/good none reported. Fair/good grinding alfalfa, large rounds 190.00-200.00, large square 3x4's 200.00-215.00, small squares 12.00/bale. Alfalfa ground and delivered none reported. North Central-

## Northeast Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, ground and delivered and grass hay mostly steady; movement slow. Alfalfa: Dairy 1.40-1.50/ point RFV; Horse hay, premium small squares, 12.00-13.00/bale; Stock Cow 3x4's 230.00-240.00: Fair/good. grinding alfalfa, large rounds 210.00-220.00, large square 3x4's 210.00-220.00. Alfalfa ground and delivered 245.00-275.00. Alfalfa/ Sudan grass mix ground and delivered 200.00. Grass hav: Bluestem. small squares new crop 9.00-10.00/bale, large 3x4 squares 160.00-170.00, good large rounds 150.00-170.00. Brome: small squares 10.00-11.00/bale, large rounds 130.00-170.00. Oat hay, large rounds 160.00; Sudan: large round 130.00-160.00 delivered. Milo stalks: 70.00-90.00. Sovbeans: 70.00-90.00. Wheat straw: small squares 5.00-6.00 per bale. Corn stalks: large round 60.00-70.00. The week of 12/17-12/23, 384T of grinding alfalfa and 575T of dairy alfalfa was reported bought or sold.

\*\* Prices above reflect the average price. There could be prices higher and lower than those published. \*RFV calculated using

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\*\*TDN calculated using the Western formula. Quantitative factors are approximate, and many factors can affect feeding value. Values based on 100% dry matter (TDN showing both 100% & 90%). Guidelines are to be used with visual appearance and intent of sale (usage). Source: Kansas Department of Agriculture -Manhattan, Kansas Kim Nettleton, 785-564-6709.



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Auction Conducted by: SENECA REALTY <sup>Seller:</sup> Darlene Nolte **Roeder Trust**  Mike Kuckelman, Broker 785-294-1038

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Terms: 10% down auction day with balance due on or before February 13, 2024. Seller will be responsible for 2023 taxes. Buyer and seller will equally split closing costs of White Law Office and Title Abstract Company, 120 West 5th St., Holton, KS. Statements day of sale take precedence over printed material, Seneca Realty represents seller's interest.

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Other key findings in the report were:

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Many know the key to good health is eating a balanced diet, and in the case of cattle grazing

By Lisa Moser, K-State

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cornstalks, their diet may need to be adjusted as the quality of the forage deteriorates, according to the experts at the Kansas State University Beef Cattle Institute.

Speaking on a recent Cattle Chat podcast, K-State beef cattle nutritionist Phillip Lancaster encouraged producers to walk the fields periodically to assess the quality of the feed resource.

"When producers first turn out cattle on cornstalks, they should take note of the amount of leaves and husks available to the cattle to graze and then as the season goes on, they should continue to walk the fields to assess the quality of that feed resource and adjust accordingly," he said.

Lancaster said that if there is too much moisture in the field, the cornstalks will turn black on the ends and the cattle will appear more hungry.

"Cattle that are hungry will be reaching through the fence," Lancaster said.

Eventually, they will lose a body condition score, but Lancaster said that typically will take one to two months before it is noticeable to the producer.

To keep that from happening, Lancaster said the cattle need to be supplemented with protein when they are first turned out to graze the cornstalks. As the amount of corn residue declines, the herd may need additional supplementation.

"If the cornstalks are deteriorating, my next step is to start supplementing the cattle with hay," Lancaster said. "The key is to move the hay to different locations in the in the summer.

field by either rolling out the bales or moving where the bale is placed to keep the cattle from creating a spot that will have a lower yield because the ground is compacted."

He also urged producers to watch the amount of moisture the field is absorbing.

"If the cattle are sinking in two to four inches into the ground then producers should move the cattle to a dry lot," Lancaster said.

For those who are feeding supplemental hay, K-State veterinarian Bob Larson said it is important to know the quality of the hay they are offering the cattle.

"There is a lot of variation in hay quality so it is important to assess the quality of the hay as a feed resource," Larson said. "Hay that is harvested late in the season will not be as high in quality as hay that is cut earlier

He said if the hay fed to the herd was grown by the producer, they would likely have a good idea about the hay quality. But if the hay is purchased, it might be beneficial to conduct a forage test before feeding it to the herd.

Lancaster agreed with the forage test recommendation. He also said cattle will consume hay until they are full whether or not the hay is high quality, so it is important to take a look at the manure as well.

"If a producer notices manure piles that are dry and piled high, that is an indication that the cattle may not be getting enough nutrients from the hay and more protein should be added to the diet to help them better digest that hay," Lancaster said.

To hear the full discussion, listen to the Cattle Chat podcast online or through your preferred streaming platform.

# **USDA signs agreement with Agriculture** Future of America to prepare young people for careers in agriculture

U.S. Department of Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Agriculture Future of America (AFA), formalizing a partnership to promote the common goals of strengthening the future competitiveness and sustainability of the U.S. agriculture industry by preparing more young people for careers in agriculture.

"This partnership will enhance USDA's involvement with AFA and its leadership development and education mission," said Vilsack. "This agreement reinforces USDA's commitment to preparing students for future careers in agriculture with an emphasis on federal sector employment.'

USDA and AFA will continue to collaborate on leadership development efforts and link these young leaders with career opportunities in food, agricultural science, natural resources, and related fields. Under the MOU. USDA commits to advancing opportunities for AFA delegates to participate in USDA programs, including internships. AFA will provide occasions for USDA to meet with AFA delegates to share information about these opportunities. The MOU will be administered by USDA's Office of Partnerships and Public Engagement (OPPE), which develops and maintains partnerships focused on solutions to challenges facing rural and underserved communities and connects those communities to the education, tools, and resources available to them through USDA programs and ini-

tiatives.

"Our collaboration with USDA signifies a shared vision for the future of American agriculture," said Mark Stewart, president and CEO of AFA. "This MOU is not just a document; it's a commitment to bridging the gap between talent and opportunity. This agreement reinforces our belief that connecting young leaders

with USDA initiatives will enrich their careers and contribute to a more resilient and competitive agriculture industry."

AFA builds bridges for young leaders to foster engagement and innovation in food and agriculture through premier leader and career development experiences. With program participation increasing 28% in the last five years,

AFA has provided 26,000 leader development expe riences to college leaders and young professionals from more than 200 colleges and universities throughout 43 states since its inception in 1996. AFA has awarded more than \$11 million in academic and leader development scholarships. For more information about AFA, visit www.agfuture.org.

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million head. North Carolina was third with 7.80 million head.

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Minnesota had the second

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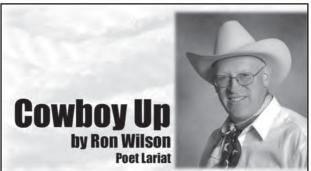
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# Weathering the Winter

Stories of early pioneer settlers tell of children who go barefoot all summer and wear shoes in the winter. It strikes me that my horses do the exact opposite!

When the horses are working in the summer and we are actively riding, they need horseshoes. But when winter comes and I'm not riding regularly, I think it's better to take the horseshoes off and let the horses go barefoot (barehoofed?).

The circumstances for each horse owner are dif-

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ferent. Obviously, competition horses need shoes year-round. Jumper and event horses and horses on hard, rocky terrain would benefit from shoes. But out here on the ranch, I think it's okay to let horses take a break from being shod during the winter (see following poem).

Winter does present extra challenges for our horses and cattle. The basics of shelter, feed, and water become especially important. Obviously, access to fresh water is essential at all times.

According to the Kansas State University Veterinary Health Center, respiratory disease is more common in horses during the winter. The vet center recommends that horses be vaccinated for Rhino and equine influenza.

Sometimes I marvel at how well cows can do in the course of a winter, except when conditions are extremely severe. Mother Nature has equipped cows and horses to grow a winter coat and deal with changing seasons. Even a newborn calf can do okay if it gets dried off, has access to shelter, and gets colostrum in its belly. Cows can do well within the normal range of winter temperatures.

But when extremely cold temperatures hit, including moisture and wind, nutritional needs of horses and cattle increase. When low temperatures are compounded by wind chills, some experts say that nutritional maintenance demands can double. This is at a time when forage quality may not be at its best also

Body condition scores can be important in the winter. Skinnier cows expend more energy and are more sensitive to the cold



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than fleshier cows. Sometimes the long hair coat can mask changes. During cold spells, cows in general will need more energy in the ration.

I think K-State's Beef Cattle Institute is a great resource for timely information about cattle management. For example, I understand that the BCI recommends that producers supplement with feeds such as distiller's grains, soybean hulls or wheat midds to provide energy and also a highly digestible fiber during extra-cold conditions.

As winter comes on, it seems to me that the best advice to producers is the Boy Scout motto: Be prepared. Make sure waterers and stock tank heaters are operable. Have calf birthing kits ready to go. Evaluate body condition scores and manage the herd appropriately. Take stock of forage supplies and quality.

When it gets to be late in the year, I contact our farrier and ask him to trim the horses one more time and pull off the horseshoes for the season. It's one part of adjusting to the conditions as we weather the winter.

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## Winterization

By Ron Wilson, Poet Lariat To winterize my lawn, I spread some winter fertilizer. To winterize the mower, I add fuel stabilizer. To winterize the pipes, I add more insulation, But what about my livestock which are in this situation? My experience through the years has given me a reason To prepare my cows and horses for the cold of winter season. One part of their response as a winter antidote, Is that they'll naturally grow a long-haired winter coat. For my part, I must make sure that they have access to water, Along with feed and shelter, till the temperatures get hotter. In summer, horses get hooves trimmed, every eight weeks or so, With a new set of horseshoes to protect them as they go. But when winter comes and horses are lazing at the trough. I think it's better if they have those horseshoes off. So we call up to the farrier, ask him to come out here, Pull off the shoes and do the final hoof trim of the year. The horses stand hipshot while he pulls off nails and shoes. And trims each horse hoof wall to prepare for winter ooze. I tell the farrier: "Take your time,

there's no need to be hasty." The ranch dog is excited. He thinks hoof trimmings are tasty. And when the farrier is done with the tasks as authorized, He'll come report to me: "Now they are all winterized." Happy Trails!

# Nonprofits still have time to apply for special big game permits

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profit organizations based or operating in Kansas that actively promote wildlife conservation and the hunting and fishing herineed not be present to win. tage - may still apply for Commission Big Game Permits by January 15, 2024. Kansas' Commission Big Game Permit program allows eligible organizations

Seven winners will be drawn at the Commission's January 25, 2024 public meeting; and applicants

One elk, one antelope or up to seven deer permits are issued each year, depending on applicant preference. Deer permits are either-species/either-sex and are valid statewide during any season with legal equipment for that season; and, they do not count against other big game permits the license holder is eligible for.

Once the permit is sold, the cost of the permit, plus

tion, while the remainder is remitted to KDWP with a proposal for a conservation project. When the project is approved, the money is returned to the organization to complete the project. An exception to this procedure would occur if Kansas Hunters Feeding the Hungry (KHFH) is drawn. In that case, KHFH keeps 85 percent of the funds to help pay for processing donated deer. Organizations are not eligible to receive a Commission Big Game Permit more than once in a threeyear period.

For more information. contact Sheila Kemmis at Sheila.kemmis@ks.gov or

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## February 6 K-State Swine Profitability Conference program announced Stout Center, 2200 Deni-

Kansas State Universitv's 2024 Swine Profitability Conference is planned for Tuesday, Feb. 6 in Manhattan.

The annual Swine Profitability Conference focuses on providing information to improve knowledge for pork producer business decisions. "We host two major swine events each year at K-State. At Swine Day, we share our latest research results. At Swine Profitability Conference, we focus on business decisions and industry-wide issues facing pork producers," says Mike Tokach, K-State Department of Animal Sciences and Industry distinguished professor and swine Extension specialist. "The lineup of speakers this year bring a wealth of knowledge and experience to help producers increase their competitiveness."

The conference will feature speakers from an array of swine-related businesses and organizations, including:

Dr. Steve Meyer, Partners in Production Agriculture senior economist, will discuss U.S. pork/meat outlook.

Dr. Chad Mire, National Bio and Agro-Defense Facility (NBAF) Foreign Arthropod-Borne Animal Disease Research Unit research leader, will discuss the NBAF capabilities.

Marcelo ٠ Dr. Almeida, Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine clinical assistant professor, will talk about recent trends in swine health diagnostic cases.

Brvan Humphreys, National Pork Producers Council CEO, will discuss the U.S. pork industry

Dan Gerety, J-Six Farms manager and CEO, will speak on building a generational legacy.

"The 33rd Annual Profitability Conference has a renowned group of speakers that will provide direct information on status of the U.S. pork industry, discuss U.S. swine disease patterns, detail world-renowned swine disease research capabilities to safe-guard the U.S. swine herd and provide direct experiences from a Kansas family swine operation," says Joel DeRouchey, K-State Extension swine specialist. "This conference has a strong reputation for sharing relevant information to improve production for Kansas swine producers." The conference will

son Avenue. The day begins with coffee and donuts at 9:15 a.m. and the program starting at 9:30 a.m. Lunch is included in the conference, which will end at 3 p.m.

Pre-registration is \$25 per participant and due by Jan. 26. Attendees can register at the door for \$50 per participant. More information, including online registration, is available at KSUSwine. org.

## take place at the Stanley NIAA adds new Animal Disease Issues and Emergency Management Council

The board of the National Institute of Animal Agriculture recently approved forming a new Council: the Animal Disease Issues and Emergency Management Council. The purpose is to provide a forum for animal agriculture, animal health industry, regulatory veterinarians, government agencies and academia to identify and seek solutions to issues involving emerging and emergency animal diseases of significant concern to animal agriculture or public health both domestically and globally.

Since NIAA's inception in 1916, their mission has been to convene leaders regarding important and developing topics. Councils were developed to collaborate,

#### learn, and discuss current and emerging topics to provide platforms to exchange scientific information, find common ground, and seek resolutions across species segments.

This council is a result of the combination of the Animal Health and Emergency Management Council and the Global Animal Health and Emerging Disease Council. Lucas Pantaleon, DVM, MS, DACVIM, MBA - DVM One Health, and Julie Smith, DVM, Ph.D. - University of Vermont, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, currently serve as co-chairs of the new council.

Councils within NIAA are regularly reviewed, re-affirmed, modified, or sunset to ensure relevance to cur-

# Preparation is key to a successful calving season

Kansas State University veterinarian Gregg Hanzlicek said being prepared ahead of calving season is the best way for producers to assure they will bring home the newborn calves successfully.

"We're approaching the end of the second trimester and moving into the third trimester, which means the metabolic demands of that cow or heifer are going to increase tremendously," Hanzlicek said

A key to having a successful calving and production season is for cows and heifers to be in the appropriate body condition, which according to Hanzlicek is a score of 5-7. He said he has seen many cattle in the 3-4 range in the past few months.

'We're far enough away from calving that we can add condition to these cows and heifers without (creating) an economic burden," he said. "It really comes down to having a formulated ration that is balanced for protein and energy."

For those wanting to add scour vaccines to their prevention program, "It's time to decide what vaccine they are going to use," Hanzlicek said. "Look at the label and schedule on the calendar when they need to start vaccinating the cows and

heifers."

cows need one. The timing of those vaccines is "very, very important," he said. Also, Hanzlicek rec-

ommends establishing a clean calving area to help reduce the risk of scours. "There's two major risk factors for scours," he said. "One is the lack of colostrum consumption. The other is a contaminated environment that the babies are born into.'

Hanzlicek recommends having a location to move the pairs off the calving area to keep the calving facility less contaminated with the scour organisms.

Getting the calf here safely is another factor to consider, "Most operations are going to have to help at least one animal during the calving season," Hanzlicek said. The last national survey indicated that one of every 100 heifers and two of every 100 adult cows will need assistance.

Being prepared to pull a calf is important. Hanzlicek said producers should have the following items on hand:

Clean straps or chains.

- OB sleeves. .
- . Lube. . Working calf pull-
- ers.

Veterinarian's phone number.

Intervening at an appropriate time is important. "If we intervene too early and the cow or heifthe calf," Hanzlicek said. "If we intervene too late, a lot of times that's when we end up with stillborn calves.'

According to Hanzlicek, once a cow has reached the second stage of labor, they should give birth within 30 minutes. A heifer should calve within an hour. Second stage labor is when the heifer or cow can be observed experiencing uterine contractions, or the water-bag or calf's feet are visible.

If assistance from the producer is needed, and they are unable to extract

#### the calf within 15 minutes, then help - either a veterinarian or someone with more experience - should be called

Following calving, the calf should be up and nursing within two hours, Hanzlicek said. If not, a colostrum replacer can be given to help get the calf started.

"Colostrum-based powders are the best way to go, and I would recommend that every producer have one or two bags of powder replacer on hand during the calving season," Hanzlicek said

# Paraguayan beef exports to U.S. begin

Raw, intact beef products from Paraguay can now be exported to the U.S., according to the U.S. Food Safety Inspection Service (FSIS). The initial announcement in November received resistance from the National Cattlemen's Beef Association and from members of both the House and Senate, which introduced legislation to suspend Paraguayan beef imports.

However, the FSIS statement makes clear that Paraguay is now allowed to export to the U.S. for the first time since 1997.



rent industry patterns and needs. In addition to standing councils, NIAA members form work groups to address specific issues. Last year, at NIAA's annual conference. the council members noted increasing discussion and scrutiny about the use of mRNA vaccine technologies in animal agriculture. This resulted in a working group of industry experts in veterinary medicine, epidemiology, virology, and communications to create scientifically factual resources for animal agriculture - and its role in today's food system. An infographic and an information brief may be found at www.AnimalAgriculture.org under the resources tab.

Participation in NIAA's councils is open to animal agriculture stakeholders. To receive information about council programming, please visit AnimalAgriculture. org and complete the checklist for ongoing council information.



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Grass & Grain Weather Report

12/24

12/25

12/26

12/28

Rainfall Normal rainfall

Departure

Departure

Average temp

The National Corn by the U.S. Environmen-

In-Depth Local Forecast

of 38°, humidity of 71%. North

Hi/Lo

54/34

59/30

58R/36

32/29 33/31

35/29

40/30

tonight could reach 15°

Today we will see partly cloudy skies, high

to 13 mph. The record high for today is 68

set in 1997. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight, overnight low of 19°. Northwest wind 7 to 11 mph. The wind chill for

Last Week's Almanac

Normals

40/18

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40/17

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Thursday

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Monday

Jan. 3, 1777 Washington and

Friday

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0.15

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+9.3

Sunrise 7:46 a.m

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cross their lines at Princeton and seek security in the hills of 12/23

1777 - An overnight freeze enabled George Date on and his troops to flank the British at Trenton. 12/22.

Weather History

several Midwestern gover-Association tal Protection Agency that nors to allow their states advances the request of to sell fuel with 15% eth-

**Today's Local Outlook** 

36/18

15

200

Ogden 38/19

Junction City 39/19

41/20

275

Moonrise

Prev Day

12:46 a.m.

1:47 a.m.

2:51 n.m. 3:59 n.m.

5:09 a.m

6:19 a.m

12/24

12/25

Manhattan

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12:00 p.m. 12:20 p.m.

12:43 p.m.

1:10 p.m.

1:42 p.m.

2:23 p.m. 3:16 p.m.

Degree Days

**Growing Degree Days** 

Date 12/26

12/27 12/28

6

**Clay Center** 

39/19

10.

Abilene 39/20

This Week's Sun & Moon Chart

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5:17 p.m.

5:17 p.m

5:18 p.m.

5:19 p.m.

5:20 p.m. 5:21 p.m.

5:16 p.

200

Washington

42/25

**Blue Rapids** 

Jan. 3, 2024

Seneca

36/18

200

Wamego

200

First

1/17

1/25

Degree Days

0

38/19

125

Council Grove 38/19

10 30

anol blends year-round. EPA's decision now puts eight Midwestern states on the road toward allowing for year-round access to E15.

"Allowing consumers to access higher blends of ethanol year-round will play a critical role in helping the country meet the Biden administration's ambitious climate goals," said Minnesota farmer and NCGA president Harold Wolle. "We are very appreciative of the EPA for making this science-based and forward-looking decision.'

Because of outdated federal regulations, consumers have historically lost access to higher blends of ethanol during the summer months. In April 2022, eight Midwestern governors sent a letter

to EPA administrator Michael Regan asking him to provide a permanent fix to this issue by allowing retailers to sell higher blends of ethanol yearround in their states.

The announcement by EPA, which was released as a proposed rule that will now advance to the Office of Management and Budget, has been eagerly awaited in the Corn Belt.

# Kansas hog inventory up 4%

Kansas inventory of all hogs and pigs on December 1, 2023 was 1.98 million head, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This was up 4% from December 1, 2022, but unchanged from September 1, 2023. Breeding hog inventory, at 170,000 head, was down 3% from December 1, 2022, and down 3% from last quarter. Market hog inventory, at 1.81 million head, was up 4% from last year, and up slightly from last quarter. The September-November 2023 Kansas pig crop, at 942,000 head, was up 7% from 2022. Sows farrowed during the period totaled 83,000 head, up 2% from last year. The average pigs saved per litter was 11.35 for the September-Novem-

ber period, compared to 10.90 last year. Kansas hog producers intend to farrow 77,000 sows during the December 2023-February 2024 quarter, down 4% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago. Intended farrowings for March-May 2024 are 76,000 sows, down 5% from the actual farrowings during the same period a year ago.

# ASA submits comments on pesticide crobial resistance framework

The White House, EPA, and several other agencies are examining whether the



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use of certain agricultural pesticides, namely fungicides and antibacterial products, pose a risk of increasing antimicrobial resistance risks to humans by reducing the effectiveness of biomedical products.

While the agencies are in the early stages of examining this issue, American Sovbean Association submitted comments assuring that soy growers have a shared interest in minimizing resistance pressures and maximizing efficacy — but caution against quick action without further dialogue and assessment of real-world conditions.

"Taking swift, imprudent actions to reduce grower access to these important tools, especially without fully understanding the scope, severity, and genuine risk of the problem, would impose great harm on our nation's food producers with potentially little gain for the biomedical community," ASA

states in the comments.

ASA encourages the agencies and administration to take a thoughtful approach to determining what the actual risk is, stating that "antimicrobial risks in agriculture do not necessarily equate to novel health risks to human populations" and pointing out that microbial pests rarely jump from plants to animals or humans.

Regarding fungicides in particular, ASA emphasized that soybean growers also have a vested interest in preventing fungus populations from becoming resistant to control tools, as failing to do so could result in economic harm to farmers.

ASA also outlines resistance management best practices that soy growers use to maintain the effectiveness of fungicides and invites additional dialogue with the agencies to further develop strategies to address the problem.

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