

GEA - DEALER MEETING

500 People, including approximately 100 GEA dealers from North America have just finished up GEA Product meetings in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. The speakers were great and the atmosphere was positive for the future! Pacific Dairy received a "Spirit of GEA" award for installing North America's first robotic parlours (ProQ). The following is a list of some of the new offerings by GEA for 2017:

- New Monobox Single Robots
- New Somatic Cell Count Reader per quarter
- New Feed Pusher
- Official ProQ Launch for North America
- New Milk Tank Control
- Rumination in Cow Scout Tags
- New Houle Slider Pump
- 20" PTO 10,000 gpm Super Pump
- Centerfuge for Manure Separation
- New Houle Manure Truck Tankers
- New FIT300 Scraper Drives
- New Hydraulic Drive for Tankers
- New Apollo Teat Dip System for Parlours
- New Scraper Rollers for Sand Blades
- New Future Cow Prep Brush
- New Cow Brushes

SOPHISTICATED BC MILK

BC dairies have a new line up of great beverages to coincide with its wines.

- Riesling - Cowsling
- Gewurztraminer - Cowtzmilktimer
- Chardonnay - Yogurdonnay
- Sauvignon Blanc-Creamignon White
- Syrah - Dairyah
- Merlot - Milkalot & Moolow
- Zinfandel - Cowfadel
- Pinot Gris - Pincow Cheese
- Rosé - Cowsé
- Champagne - Cow Pain
- Mead - Mealk
- Sherry - Creamery

PDC STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS

We would like to keep you up to date on some of the additional staff that have joined our team lately.

Devin Osborne, a licensed journeyman electrician, works in the manure processing automation service department along with Herb.

Tonisha Van Vliet is training as our overall service department administrator.

Mark Odegard has joined the conventional milking equipment installation team.

We are continuing to interview for service and installation technicians.

DAIRY RANDOM INFO

- ♦ McDonalds Shakes are thick to make customers linger, to buy more.
- ♦ Best Butters for baking have extra butter fat in its ingredients (84% vs 80%)
- ♦ Basque steaks are from Beef & Dairy Cows 8 - 18 years old.
- ♦ With Ceta - Europe doubles amounts of cheese allowable into Canada.
- ♦ U.S. McDonalds have switched recently to butter.
- ♦ The Bullet Proof Dieters and Marathoners put only butter in black coffee.
- ♦ An early Arctic Expedition used butter only as their survival food.
- ♦ Movie Popcorn Butter is not butter. It is only a butter flavor in a hydrogenated product.
- ♦ Real Feta Cheese is made from sheep and goats milk from Greece.
- ♦ Big Bertha (a cow) (1945 - 1993) was a cow who held 2 Guinness World Records. She was the oldest cow recorded at 48 years old. She also held the record for lifetime breeding, producing 39 calves.

CADMAN SCHOOL

SAVE THE DATE!

April 4, 2017 from 9 am - 4 pm at the Quality Inn at Whatcom Road is reserved for a great event! Cadman and Pacific Dairy are offering an Irrigation and Manure Application Open House. There will be product presentations, Irrigation info and manure application techniques. We will have various key speakers in regards to:

- 1) Cadman Product Information
- 2) Travelers and Water Appl.
- 3) Cadman Booms
- 4) Cornell Pumps
- 5) Komet Guns
- 6) Manure Application
- 7) New CMA Applicator
- 8) Grass and Dirt Applicators
- 9) Vogelsang Back Pack Dribble Applicator
- 10) Sunova Worx Controllers

All this info is becoming more and more important.

Info is free as well as lunch and socializing.

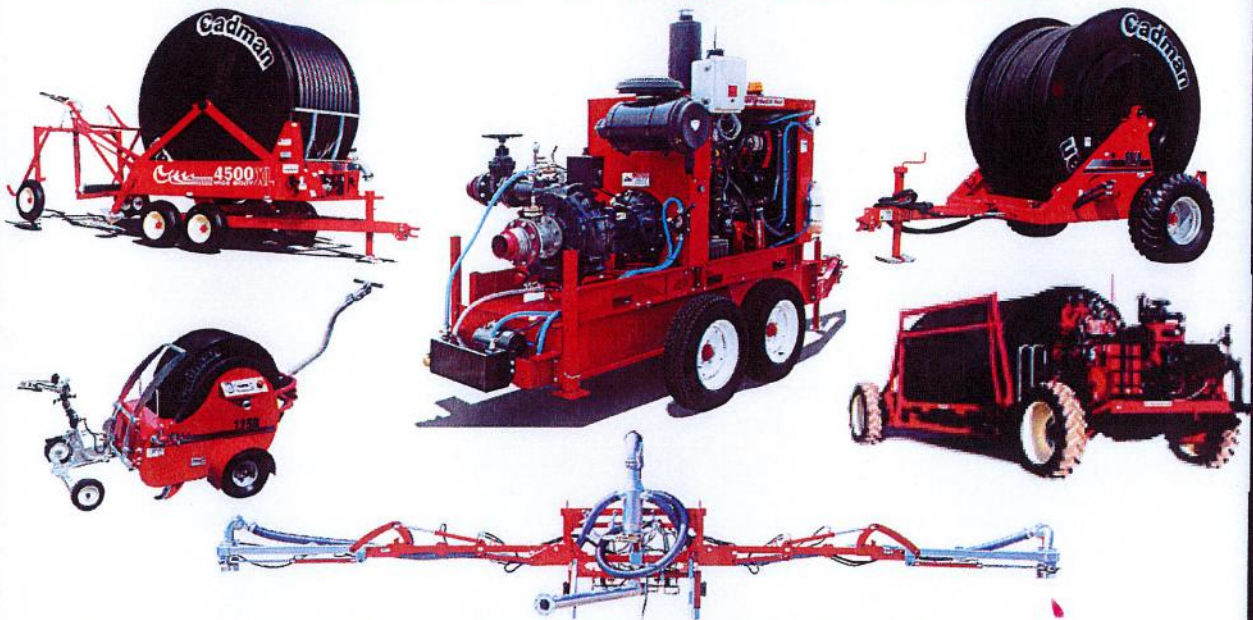
CONGRATS

Pacific Dairy would like to congratulate Jim and Karen VanGarderen on the start up of their beautiful new barn for all their cows and young stock. We especially thank them for choosing the newest robot in the "Dairy World", called the GEA Monobox. We wish them all the best and support them for a good future!

We would also like to congratulate Marlena Farms for the start up of their GEA X-Press separator to aid in providing green bedding and separating manure.



Irrigation & Manure Application **OPEN HOUSE!**



Come see what Cadman Power Equipment & Pacific Dairy Centre have to offer at our Irrigation and Manure Application Open House - New product presentations, irrigation and manure techniques and more!

APRIL 4. 2017 9 AM - 4 PM

Location: The Quality Hotel & Conference Centre

Coffee and lunch provided

Please RSVP to Jim Peters at jimp@pacificdairy.net
or call Pacific Dairy Center at (604) 852-9020

