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**September 6 & 7, 2019 – Denmark Dairy, LLC, Colfax**

Owned by Dennis & Mary and Karl & Mandy Kragness

Dear Chippewa Valley Area Business:

We have started planning for the 12<sup>th</sup> annual Chippewa Valley Farm-City Day, to be held on **Friday and Saturday, September 6 & 7, 2019 at Denmark Dairy, LLC**, E7455 County Road B, Colfax, WI 54730.

Farm-City Day is an educational, interactive event on a working farm. This event is aimed to educate our community on where and how our food is produced, showing how agriculture has evolved and progressed over the last 50 years. On Friday, September 6th, over 500 students from local elementary schools will participate in a full day of activities at the farm, including learning about milking cows, growing crops, livestock nutrition, conservation practices and other agricultural topics. This experience is geared towards third and fourth graders since they study Wisconsin agriculture in the classroom. By visiting a real farm, we hope the children will get a better idea of what farm life is really like and learn to appreciate the many facets of Wisconsin agriculture.

On Saturday, September 7th, the event is open to the general public and will feature guided wagon tours by Chippewa Valley Technical College Agri-Science students, commercial and agricultural educational displays, children's activities and many other special attractions on the farm.

Each year the all-volunteer planning committee continues to rotate the event between Eau Claire, Chippewa and Dunn County in order to represent a variety of local farming operations. Our previous events have been held on:

- Cash grain farm (Schafferland Farms);
- Creamery plant and organic dairy farm (Castle Rock Organic Farms); Organic dairy farm and meat sales (Seibel's Organic Dairy)
- Diversified farm (Govin's Meats and Berries); and
- Dairy farm (D&D Hawkins, Sandy Acres Dairy, Five Star Dairy, GJ Jerseys, Arrowhead Farms, Alfalawn Farm, Bears Grass Dairy).

Feel free to visit our website ([www.farm-cityday.com](http://www.farm-cityday.com)) or Facebook page (Chippewa Valley Farm-City Day) to review previous events and learn more about Farm-City Day.

To help support this two-day event, we are asking for your assistance. If you are interested in making a contribution, **please complete and return the attached sheet**. If you have any questions, feel free to contact FCD Treasurer Kailey El Meddah via email [kailey.elmeddah@wipfli.com](mailto:kailey.elmeddah@wipfli.com) or phone office 715-858-6634. Also feel free to contact FCD Chair Katie Wantoch via email [katie.wantoch@wisc.edu](mailto:katie.wantoch@wisc.edu) or phone 715-232-1636.

If you or others in your company would be interested in volunteering at this year's two-day event, please contact Jerry Clark, [jerome.clark@wisc.edu](mailto:jerome.clark@wisc.edu). Volunteers are asked to fill a two-hour shift, if possible, with shifts scheduled from 7am – 9am, 9am – 11am, 11am – 1pm, and 1pm – 3p. All the appropriate materials and equipment will be provided by event staff, so bring your smile and eagerness to help and we will do the rest!

Sincerely,

Kailey El Meddah, Katie Wantoch and Karl Kragness  
Chippewa Valley Farm-City Day Committee Treasurer, Chair and 2019 host farm



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If you are interested in supporting our annual event, please refer to the sponsorship levels below. Monetary donations will be used for promotion and event expenses. In-kind donations will be utilized during the two-day event. A committee member will contact you regarding booth setup if your business is interested in being involved during our Saturday event. Our final deadline to reserve your name company name or logo on the display signs and event fliers is **Friday, August 9, 2019.**

- Platinum: \$500+ donation – logo/name on FCD website and link to company website, choice of booth location at Saturday event, hang company banner during event (location TBD)
- Gold: \$499-250 donation – logo/name on FCD website and link to company website, booth at Saturday event (location TBD)
- Silver: \$249-100 donation – logo/name on FCD website, booth at Saturday event (location TBD)
- Bronze: \$99-0 donation – name on FCD website

**CONTRIBUTION:**

CONTACT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL AND WEBSITE: \_\_\_\_\_

MONETARY DONATION - AMOUNT \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please make check payable to **Chippewa Valley Farm-City Day**)

IN-KIND DONATION – PLEASE LIST: \_\_\_\_\_  
(FCD committee member will contact you regarding delivery or pick-up of donation)

Would you like to reserve booth space during our Saturday event? \_\_\_\_\_  
(FCD committee member will contact you regarding booth location)

Please return this form to: Kailey El Meddah, Wipfli LLP  
Chippewa Valley Farm-City Day  
4890 Own Ayres Court  
Eau Claire, WI 54701

**THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION AND FOR YOUR  
CONTINUED SUPPORT OF AGRICULTURE IN THE CHIPPEWA VALLEY!**