

# SPOONER MILLS

Cadott • Gilman • Thorp

## News & Notes

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To:

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### Lic Tubs

Using Lic tubs for the summer is an easy way to supplement your cattle and other animals. We carry Form-A-Lic's All-Purpose tub and Dry Cow tub. Both are 250# – bigger than most. They also contain all natural proteins, have no urea, and contain fiber digesters. The All-Purpose tubs also contain diatomaceous earth for good digestive health. Both contain about 500 feedings. The Dry Cow tub contains more vitamins and trace minerals to prepare your cows for their next lactation. Both are very economical and easy to feed. Just feed with forages, salt, and water. Call and order today!



### Hydro-Lac and TMR Stabilizer

—Book by May 17th for \$1 off per bag—

#### -Hydro-Lac-

Hydro-Lac provides essential nutrients to rehydrate ruminates during periods of stress. This product provides electrolytes, energy, Vitamin C, betaine, thiamine, and Vitamins A, D, and E. This is the only patented feed product of its kind, research and field-proven. Hydro-Lac provides the nutrients to maintain intercellular fluid balance. It helps the animals handle stress, like heat stress. Feed ¼ to ½ pound per head per day depending on how hot and humid the conditions are.

#### -TMR Stabilizer-

TMR Stabilizer is a unique blend of four organic acids formulated to control fungal & secondary microbial growth and extend the bunk life of TMRs. TMR Stabilizer will reduce heating and nutrient degradation in TMRs by retarding mold and yeast growth. Use TMR Stabilizer to minimize reduced feed intake during summer weather by maintaining cooler, fresher feed. Mix in 2 to 6 pounds per ton of TMR Stabilizer depending on feedstuffs and severity of hot weather.

Along with warmer weather, we also get those annoying flies. Spooner Mills carry a complete line of products to make life easier for you and your cows such as:

**Fly Bombs, Mr. Sticky Fly tapes, Pour-ons, Sprays, and Clarify feed additive**



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#### Gilman Feed Co

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Gilman, WI 54433

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Feel free to email us concerning any information you see in News & Notes

## From the Agronomy Desk...

As we begin another planting season, let's make sure we work safely, and our equipment is working properly.

Most poor emergence and stand counts are due to planters being set incorrectly. Seeds placed under the right conditions and at proper depths get off to a faster start.

Just a quick update to the seeding rates per acre:

Corn grain: 28,000-34,000

Corn silage: 24,000-30,000

Soybeans: 130,000-180,000

Alfalfa: 12-20 pounds

Most grasses: 15-25 pounds

Seed treatments are also recommended to help keep those young plants healthy.

Seed delivery is in full swing. We have a good supply of early day corn seed supply, along with fertilizers and chemicals.

**If you need fertilizer spread or in a pull spreader, please give us at least 1 day notice.**

If you are planting and want a pre-emerge spray, call us at least a day before you are planting so that we can get it scheduled. Pre-emerge spraying usually works better than post-emerge for corn-on-corn and corn-on-beans and is a safe way to get better weed control.

Test plots will be planted around the area again this year and we will be hosting plot days in the fall.

The long work days are beginning and we look forward to working with you to get your crops off to a good start. Remember to work safely and enjoy the spring. Have patience as we rush to get the work done. There are only so many hours in the day and getting too tired can put everyone on edge.

Your Spooner Mills Agronomy Team,

Tom, Paul, Cory, and Terry

**Please trim back trees on field lanes to allow equipment to get through.**

**Thank you!**



**“With ClariFly Larvicide, the fly stops at the pupal stage. With a focus on making animals including cattle, swine, and equine more comfortable and more productive, ClariFly Larvicide works as a feed-through to help prevent the emergence of adult house, stable, face, and horn flies by stunting the growth of the fly. Using ClariFly Larvicide is an easy-to-use, cost-effective method of fly control that can help contribute to a boost in animal productivity that can result in a boost in profits.” (centralflycontrol.com)**

**ClariFly is available in our PrimeLife milk replacer, calf starter, and some calf growers. We can also mix it into your custom mixes. Ask us how to incorporate ClariFly into your feed.**

***Changing temperatures, environment, and feed sources affect animal health and productivity. Call and make an appointment with our nutritionists to balance your feed rations accordingly for these changes.***



**It's time to start thinking about parasite control!**

**We have several options that can help ease the worry of parasites including:**

**Eprinex-Pour On**

**Safe-Guard Dewormer**

**All of these products can ensure complete control of external parasites!**