

EXTENSION

WORKSHOP



Bedded Pack Workshops with Dr. Marcia Endres

These workshops are for dairy and livestock producers interested in learning more about using bedded pack barns on their farms. The workshops will be led by Dr. Marcia Endres, professor of Animal Sciences at the University of Minnesota. Dr. Endres is an expert in dairy cattle production and well-being, and will discuss the benefits, challenges and management best-practices to consider when planning a bedded pack barn for milkers, dry cows and heifers.

Bob Thompson of NRCS will share information about bedded pack management in Vermont, as well as financial support programs available. Attendance at either workshop fulfills NRCS's bedded pack training requirement to apply for funding for bedded pack barns.

Wednesday, October 25 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Stony Pond Farm 336 Emch Road, Fairfield, VT 05450

Thursday, October 26 12 p.m. – 2 p.m. Deer Flats Farm 1290 VT-30, Pawlet, VT 05775

These workshops are free and registration is requested.

To request a disability-related accommodation to participate in this program, contact Kelsie Meehan at 802-656-4829 / kelsie.meehan@uvm.edu or Whitney Hull at 802-656-7563 / whitney.hull@uvm.edu at least three weeks before the event you wish to attend, so we may assist you. Contact Kelsie or Whitney with program questions or for additional information.

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