



Fertrell Winter 2017 Dairy Meeting Agenda:

8:30 am – 2:30 pm

Organic Valley – Annual update (9:00-10:00 am)

Casey Trinkaus – Animal health products (10:15 – 11:15 am)

Treating common ailments and preparing the herd for winter rations

Lunch 11:30-12:30 pm

Jeff Mattocks – Our mineral blends (12:30-1:30 pm)

An in-depth look at our products; what's in them, why, and how it benefits your herd

Dean Painter – Micronutrients in Pasture & Forages (1:30-2:30 pm)

How sulfur and other micronutrients affect your herd's performance and production

Where: Mo's Pub and Grille

3357 State Route 11

Malone, NY

When: Tuesday February 28th

No cost to attend –Lunch Included

RSVP to Fertrell by calling 800-347-1566

Or email: info@fertrell.com

Or RSVP to:

Martin's Farm Supply

860 CR 47

Potsdam, NY 13676

Phone: 315-265-4180,

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Vermont Compost Organic Potting Soil

Last fall I bought a full tractor trailer load in sling bags the same as I did the year before. We have much better shipping rates, **better discounts, and there isn't the contamination risk with new slings as there is with used feed bags.** Therefore, this year you are best buying a full 2 yd sling bag to get the best price.

Fort V – All Purpose Compost Based Potting Mix: Fort V is what I sell most of. My customers have excellent results with this potting soil. Excellent for trays, pots, and containers. Usually no additional fertility required until the roots fill the soil mix. Blended from: manure compost; sphagnum peat moss; crushed washed screened granite/basalt blend; coconut coir; vermiculite; mined gypsum; blood meal; kelp; bone char.

Screened Composted Manure: The basis for all Vermont Compost's mixes. Professionally composted. Free of live weed seed. Never any sewer sludge. Blended from: bovine, equine, and

Fort V:

(1-15) 5 gal pails (packed and level) = \$11.50/pail

(16+) 5 gal pails (packed and level), (32 pails = approx 1 yd) = \$9.50/pail

2 yd sling bag = \$520 (\$520 divided by 64 = \$8.13 per pail equivalent)

4 or more 2 yd sling bags = \$501 (\$501 divided by 64 = \$7.83 per pail equivalent)

A 5 gal pail packed and level = 25 Qt standard potting soil measure.

Compost Plus: 5 gal pails (packed and level) = \$13/pail

Screened Composted Manure: 2 yd sling bag = \$315, 3+ = \$300.

5 gal pails (packed and level) = \$7.50/pail, (37 pails = approx 1 yd)

avian manures, food residuals, spoiled silage, bark, late cut hay, mature compost, sphagnum peat moss.

Compost Plus (Container and Transplant Booster mix): This organic supplement can be added to rejuvenate tired soil mix in containers or garden beds. Works wonders on last year's soil in your plant containers. Add 4-8 tablespoons of "Booster" per quart of planting medium or 1-2 cups per 4 quarts of planting medium. Also excellent for top dress or side dress. **Ideal for "topping up" house plants. Blended from:** manure compost; blonde horticulture grade sphagnum peat moss; crushed washed screened granite/basalt blend; coconut coir; blood meal; kelp; mined gypsum; bone char; Vermiculite.

Screened Composted Manure, Perennial Blend, Compost Plus, and Fort Light also available in the same ways as Fort V. Call if interested.

Vermont Compost – The Best Potting Soil!

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A New Baby!

We are expecting a baby sometime this summer. There may be times that I am unavailable. My employees will be happy to assist you when I am away.
Melvin ♥ Clarissa

The Christian Life isn't for Everyone.

What is a Christian? A Christian is someone who follows Jesus. Simple. A little child can do it. But there's more. Jesus is our example. He leads us through the valley of suffering and death sometimes. Jesus died, we will too. That hurts. If you aren't willing to suffer for Jesus' sake, then the Christian life isn't for you. Don't try it. But there's more. Jesus lives in victory and vibrant life even today. If you follow him, you can live a good life both now and forever. Following Jesus is worth it. It's the way I intend to go. Will you come too?

Friendly Blends of Organic Fertilizer

\$40/ton off until Friday, April 7, 2017

Order and pay by 4-7-17,
take delivery when it comes in.

Take an **Additional \$25/ton off** if picked up at Martin's Farm Supply within a week of MFS receiving. Tote pickups must be scheduled with Melvin.

Deluxe Blend +4, \$655 / 2,000# tote Sale Price, with trace minerals for the average farmer or gardener.

Deluxe Blend +0, \$615 / 2,000# tote Sale Price, without trace minerals for certified organic farmers without a soil test.

The Deluxe Blends are excellent as a **Corn Starter** at 300-400#/acre in the row at planting.

Also available: Pelleted Chicken Compost, Chilean Nitrate, Gypsum, Rock Phosphate, custom mixed fertilizer blends, and more.

Bulk, totes, or 50# bags.

Ask for prices.

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Free Delivery Schedule Chart

Month	Homestead Order 3rd Monday of the month	Malone Wednesday after Homestead	Canton Wednesday after Malone
February 2017	20	22	March 1st
March 2017	20	22	29
April 2017	17	19	26
May 2017	15	17	24
June 2017	19	21	28
July 2017	17	19	26
August 2017	21	23	30
September 2017	18	20	27
October 2017	16	18	25
November 2017	20	22	29
December 2017	18	20	27
January 2018	15	17	24

Free Delivery Schedule

The Homestead Organic Feed order comes in on the third Monday of the month.

My free delivery schedule **between my place and Malone**, including Bombay, Westville, Bangor, and Dickinson is **the Wednesday after the third Monday**.

My free delivery schedule **between my place and Canton**; including Rensselaer Falls, Heuvelton and Gouverneur, if there is enough sales to justify going that far is **the Wednesday after the Malone delivery**.

Being this is confusing, I made a chart with my delivery dates.

If you want to take advantage of the Free Delivery, let me know your name and what you want, and we'll see what we can do. If applicable, give me your phone #, address, and directions to your place. The longer ahead of time you can place your order, the better. If you want the same thing every month, let me know and I'll bring it unless you make changes.

Hours at Martin's Farm Supply
Monday—Friday 9-5
Saturday 9-12

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Spring 2017 Fertrell Truckload Sale



8% off all products shipped from Fertrell,
1 ton totes and full pallets of fertilizer are **\$60 per ton off.**

Order and pay by **Friday, April 21 2017**
take delivery when it comes in.

Take an **Additional \$25/ton off** if picked up at Martin's Farm Supply within a week of MFS receiving. Tote pickups must be scheduled with Melvin.

Super N 2,000# tote \$875 Sale Price,
Super N /Z&B 2,000# tote \$925 Sale Price

Fertilizer: All Purpose 5-5-3, Berry Mix 4-2-4, Blue N 5-1-1, Gold SS (Special Starter) 2-4-2, Holly Care 4-6-4, Super K 3-4-7, Super N 4-2-4, Aragonite RAW, Green Potash 0-0-15, Liquid fish fertilizer blends.

Blue River Organic Seeds: Corn, Soybeans, Alfalfa, and more.

Animal Minerals, Feed Supplements, and Health Aids: Cattle Choice 12-12, Fertrell Fishmeal, E-Selenium, Graziers Choice, Heifer Choice 2-1, Horse Power, NY Organic Base Mix, Poultry Nutri Bal, RC Gold 4X, Invigorate.

Misc: Nutrisil forage inoculant dry or water soluble, Mineral Feeder (Pride Tuff).

Plus more... Ask for a catalogue or go to www.fertrell.com or contact me for more info.

Orders placed after 4-21-17 risk missing the truck, but if they make it on the truck the special pricing will still apply. Expect truck to get here the first or second week of May. Your order may get here sooner depending on how many orders come in, especially if you need it sooner.

Price changes are out of my control. Therefore please ask me for an updated price list or confirm the price when you are placing an order.

Contact us for pricing or more info:

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To take advantage of our lower prices, please place your order by **March 8th!**

Orders placed by 5:00pm Wednesday arrive the following Tuesday



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- 7' 10" Total Width
- 7-10" Clearance Underneath

\$3.00 / Ton

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\$5.25/lb. — Whole Chicken

\$5.50/lb. — ½ Chicken

\$5.75/lb. — ¼ Chicken

\$6/lb. — 2 Pack of Legs

\$6/lb. — 6 pack of wings

\$9/lb. — 2 Pack of Boneless Breasts

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- 5% - 10% less feed consumption
- Better overall flock health along with lower mortality rates
- LESS WASTE!



All these benefits far outweigh the additional costs for our feed. We will have more numbers in the future for other types of livestock as the results unfold. Just having the satisfaction of knowing your family's and customers' health come first should be enough to make your decision.

This info is sourced from:

Pine Creek Farm & Feed, Lyons NY 14489, 315-946-6061

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