

MAILBAG

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Notes from Jim

Plan now for fall cropping!

- -Barley
- -Wheat
- -Triticale
- -Cover Crops and Mixtures
- -Oats
- -Tillage radishes

Due to the high demand of forages, seed availability becomes limited as fall approaches. Order now to guarantee supply. Trailer load quantities are available.

**New for 2012-Seed in Super Sacks!!

4H Endowment Benefit Event

Thank you to all who shopped at Mill Hill on June 22 during our Blair County 4H Endowment benefit event. You helped contribute over \$150 dollars!! Stay tuned for more ways to sustain the future of Blair County 4H.

Show Season is Here

Does your show box contain some items that need updated? Do you need a new show halter? Mill Hill can help you and your animals look your best. Stop by and check out our selection, or order from our catalog. Good luck to all the 4H and FFA members who are exhibiting this summer!

Pests, pests, and more pests!

Most people enjoyed the mild winter that we experienced. However, one of the unwanted consequences is that we are experiencing higher than normal insect pressure this summer. From armyworms to millipedes, pests are everywhere! Call or stop by and we will be happy to help you determine which product will best control your specific problem.

Free Bowl of Ice Cream!

Stop by the Clover Creek store on Monday, July 21 to celebrate Ice Cream Month!

Dairy Recipe

Hi, I am Tiffany Pheasant, the new Blair County Dairy Princess. I will be a senior at Central High School this year, where I am a member of the National Honor Society and the Central Cove FFA Chapter. I enjoy spending most of my time helping on my family's dairy farm where I assist in milking, feeding and all of the other chores that need done. This year I plan to educate our community about how much dairy farmers care, what they do to provide consumers with safe, high quality dairy products, and how nutritious dairy products are. This month I will be very busy preparing for Seminar, helping in the Dairy Promotion Trailer, and visiting groups of people around the community. When I am not promoting the dairy industry, I will be helping my dad with the work on our farm. My father is very busy mowing, raking, baling and chopping hay this month. Even if we work all day in the field, every farmer still takes the time to personally care for the dairy cows since they are the reason we harvest hay! Out of all of the dairy farms in America today, 98% of them are family owned and operated, with sons and daughters, just like me, working alongside their parents to provide you with top-notch dairy products, such as ice cream. One way to enjoy ice cream is by making Ice Cream Crunchy Squares.

Ice Cream Crunchy Squares

1 c. firmly packed brown sugar, ½ c. butter

½ c. Spanish peanuts, chopped ½ c. flaked coconut

2 ½ c. crushed corn flakes

1 gt. vanilla Ice Cream, softened

Directions: Combine brown sugar and butter in a saucepan; heat until butter melts and sugar dissolves. Then combine with peanuts, coconut and corn flakes. Divide mixture in half and press into greased 11" x 7" pan. Spread the ice cream and top with remaining crumbs. Freeze until firm. Double the recipe for a 13 x 9" pan. Yield 12 bars.

