



Hamilton Branch Meeting

Wednesday, 19 January, 2011

Speaker: Heather Hargrave, Program Coordinator for the Ontario Farm Animal Council (OFAC) and AGCare

Topic: Overview of Animal Issues in Canada and the US and OFAC Update

Heather Hargrave is the Program Coordinator for the Ontario Farm Animal Council and AGCare. Heather will provide an update and overview of animal issues in Canada and the United States and how OFAC and AGCare are addressing these. She will provide an overview of the legislative initiatives going on in the US and implications for animal agriculture in Canada.

Heather is a graduate of the Ontario Agricultural College at the University of Guelph with a Bachelor of Commerce-Agricultural Business. Heather grew up on a purebred Black and Red Angus farm near Maxwell, ON. Currently Heather is a leader for the West Luther 4-H Beef Club.

Time: 6:15 pm gather 7:00 p.m. Dinner \$25 cash; cash bar.
8:00 pm speaker

Location: **King's Court Banquet Centre**
1159 King Rd., Burlington. Phone 905 632-0125

DIRECTIONS to King's Court:

From the West: On #403 going East down the long hill past the Hamilton exit, or down #6 and joining #403 toward Toronto, proceed to take exit 78 Waterdown Rd. Turn left toward Waterdown, and cross over #403 to the North Service Rd. Turn right and go to the next bridge over #403, King Road. Turn right (S) over #403, and drive .6 km to King's Court on your left (also Maitre d' Catering).

From Toronto: On QEW traveling toward Hamilton, pass Guelph line to exit 101, Brant St. Turn right on to Brant St. (N) then only 30 metres up the hill get into the left lane and turn left on to the North service Rd. Proceed beside 403 to the next bridge over 403, King Rd. At that light turn left (S) over 403 and proceed .6 km down the hill. King's Court is on your left (also Maitre d' Catering).

From Niagara: On QEW toward Toronto over the Skyway, take exit 99 on to Plains Rd. Turn left on to Plains Rd. E. and drive 1 km toward Hamilton and find King Rd. on your right. Turn right and drive about 2 blocks. King's Court is on your right (also Maitre d' Catering).

Spouses, guests, and friends are always welcome to accompany members to hear the address, and discuss it afterwards.

As always, Central, Niagara, and Guelph members are encouraged to join us. Please call Doug Walters P. Ag. at 905 637-8843 or email at dwalters@iprimus.ca to give us a head count for dinner.