Ag Innovation Day Schedule and Locations

**Locations & Demonstrations**

**Site 1:** Al Kalsheur (North Madison St. South of Cuba Valley Rd, Waunakee)
Low Disturbance Manure Injection – VTI & Dietrich with tankers

**Site 2:** Blue Star Dairy (Patton Rd. Between Hwy V and Hahn Rd, Waunakee)
Low Disturbance Manure Injection – Dragline (Bazooka)

**Site 3:** Endres Berryridge Farms (6955 Hyer Rd., Waunakee)
Compost facility tour

**Site 4:** Endres Berryridge Farms/Darin Ripp (Hyslop Rd. After Kopp Rd. left side, Waunakee)
No-till seeding of Barley and Pea mixture (broadcast & drill with vertical tillage)
Compost spreading. Low Disturbance Manure Injection - Dragline Airway. Soil Scan 360 by Insight FS. Falcon Soil Sampler by Kalcheur (~1.5 hour stop)

**Schedule:**
11:30 p.m. | Parking, registration, buffet lunch at Rex's Innkeeper
12:30 p.m. | Farmers board buses
2:00 p.m. | Public/media arrival, board bus

**Bus 1&2 (Farmers)**
12:45 p.m. - Farm 1
2:00 p.m. - Farm 2
3:00 p.m. - Farm 3
3:50 p.m. - Farm 4
5:15 p.m. – Conclude and return to registration location

**Bus 3 (Public & Media Tour)**
2:20 p.m. - Farm 2
3:00 p.m. - Farm 3
3:50 p.m. - Farm 4
4:30 p.m. – Conclude and return to registration location

Please register online at yaharapridefarms.org
Social, dinner, & program
Rex's Innkeeper, 301 N. Century Ave, Waunakee, WI
5:00 p.m. | **Social Hour**
6:00 p.m. | **Dinner**
6:45 p.m. | **Program begins** ...

*Bob Uphoff, emcee*

**YPF Board Introductions**

**DATCP Farmer-led watershed grant program** Secretary Ben Brancel, DATCP

**YPF 2015 outcomes** Pat Murphy, YPF resource manager

**Yahara WINs** Dave Taylor, MMSD

**UW Discovery Farms** Amber Radatz, UW Discovery Farms

**YPF & state farmer-led groups, open discussion** Jeff Endres, chair YPF

8:00 p.m. | Program concludes

**Overview of the Program**
The purpose of Yahara Pride Farm’s Ag Innovation field day program is to showcase innovations in sustainable agriculture in the Yahara Watershed. Featured techniques are applicable to farms across the state with similar conservation goals. Yahara Pride Farms has engaged the community, public utilities, environmental groups and agribusiness through a holistic approach to conservation where everyone shares in the successes and areas for learning. Yahara Pride Farms is a proud partner in the Yahara WINs program that brings together all sources of phosphorus in the watershed (agriculture, sewerage and industry) using Watershed Adaptive Management. In 2015, farmers in the program reduced phosphorus delivery to Madison lakes by 8,642 lbs!

Farmers from across the state are encouraged to attend this event. There will also be a specific track for members of the community and media who wish to learn more about sustainable agriculture in Dane County and the Yahara Watershed. The event is free and all are welcome to attend the lunch, tours and dinner and program. Check the schedule for full options. RSVP required for meals.