

Professional Dairy Producers of Wisconsin

ENHANCED INTERNSHIP HOST FARM APPLICATION

Name: Brad Kaver

Farm Name: Merry- Water Farms

Farm Address: N1240 Hillside Rd

Phone Number: Farm: _____ Cell: 262-745-3037

Email: brad+kaver@gmail.com Website: _____

Number of Cattle: 1750 Acres: 600 Parlor: ☒ Yes ☐ No

List three specific goals for your intern to receive during this internship. (What do you want the student to learn?)

- 1) Herd Health- Identify and treat sick cows
- 2) Assist with calvings in maternity barn
- 3) Assist with administration of repro protocols

Applicants are asked to assess their current skill level. What is an acceptable starting level for your student intern? Please indicate in each of the categories below.

Technical Skills	EXCELLENT	GOOD	FAIR	NO EXPERIENCE
AI				X
Business management skills				X
Calving assistance		X		
Computer skills		X		
Cropping skills				X
Feeding-nutrition				X
Herd health issues		X		
Machinery operation			X	
Milking processes			X	

Write a brief bio to depict your farm. This will be used as a brief bio on the posted farm listings for potential intern applicants to view (www.pdpw.org). Be sure to include: farm name, contact name, location, herd size and any specialties regarding your farm.

Merry Water is a 1750 cow dairy located near Lake Geneva, WI. We are a production dairy focused on healthy cows. We would like to provide interns with a practical education of the daily operation of a ~~commercial~~ commercial dairy.

Contact Brad Kaver @ 262-745-3037

Provide any other detail regarding you or your farm operation that may be of value to the applicants when selecting your farm.

Please list any additional questions or concerns.

Signature Paul Ku Date: 5/20/18

*Please attach a recent flyer regarding your farm to this application, if you have one.