POSITION: Dairy Herdsman/Milking Parlor Manager

DESCRIPTION: Dairy Herdsperson available on a modern 1,000 head plus cow farm in Berks County Pennsylvania. Responsibilities include observing heats and overall health of heifers, observation of health of all animals from birth to calving, feeding and milking of special needs cows, overseeing the washing of the milking system and making sure milking parlor kept clean, management of milking technicians. Be able to assist with pregnancy checks or other veterinary visits.

Goals include maintaining and improving growth rates in heifers and maintaining low death rates for calves and heifers. Must pay close attention to details and health issues. Looking for a dependable, motivated, reliable team player, with good time management and communication skills. Being able to understanding and speak Spanish a PLUS, also important to have a positive attitude and work ethic.

SKILLS: Will need to understand the general operation of the entire dairy, should have knowledge of standard milking procedures, knowledge of and use for Dairy Herd Improvement record, knowledgeable of disease and injury treatment, calf pulling and hoof trimming, able to IV cows, give injections, trained in artificial insemination, and knowledgeable in dairy nutrition. We are willing to work with the right candidate to further their skills.

LOCATION: 69 Hetrick Rd, Bernville, PA 19506 (Berks County)

SALARY/BENEFITS: Salary paid weekly, this includes your housing/utilities, salary is negotiable!

HOUSING: Housing will be provided; this includes utilities (fuel/electric – $100.00 month cap for each utility)

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