

WHAT IDP CAN DO FOR YOU:

- ✓ Provide opportunities to network with other dairy producers and dairy professionals from around the state and region.
- ✓ Encourage open exchange of ideas and learn new approaches to the most challenging dairy farm management decisions.
- ✓ Allow you to get in at the "ground floor" in determining relevant topics facing dairy managers, and accessing appropriate speakers to tackle those topics at educational meetings.
- ✓ Notify you through IDP updates of upcoming meetings, events and educational opportunities that will help you be a better dairy producer.
- ✓ Provide a liaison with other organizations that represent your interests.
- ✓ Be a sounding board to solving key problems that face Indiana dairy producers, including regulatory issues and working with agencies including IDEM, BOAH, ISDA, Milk Promotion Services of Indiana, etc.

Serving the Dairy Producers of Indiana

**The VOICE,
The ADVOCATE,
The PARTNER**
of Hoosier Dairy Farmers

Membership Application

*"Your Organized Voice for
Hoosier Dairy Farmers"*

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WHO WE ARE

Welcome! We are the Indiana Dairy Producers (IDP), an organization committed to serving and supporting our members.

Since 1999, The Indiana Dairy Producers organization has promoted a profitable, positive, professional image of the state's dairy producers. IDP provides members with many educational opportunities, facilitating vital idea interchange and valuable resources. It serves as a proactive voice, a partner of and an advocate for Indiana dairy producers.

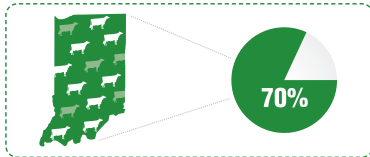
OUR PURPOSE

IDP members receive many benefits from membership.

- To help Indiana dairy producers maximize profitability
- To coordinate educational programs and provide forums for idea exchange among IDP members
- To provide a positive and professional image for the dairy industry and dairy products
- To provide a proactive, unified voice for the dairy industry to legislators

OUR MEMBERS

We are as strong as the dairy farmers we represent. Almost 70% of the dairy cows in the state of Indiana are represented by our members. Our members include producers from across the state, large and small operations alike, individuals and families, and a variety of professionals who support our industry and our operations.



OUR ACTIVITIES

Hundreds of people are involved in our many events held at multiple locations across the state and around the region. We bring meetings to your area to allow everyone a chance to participate. In addition, members benefit from tours, trips and meetings to a variety of venues to enhance educational experiences. Our organization is strong because our members actively participate in activities including:

- Active Updates via www.IndianaDairy.org
- Indiana Livestock, Forage and Grain Forum, Held in Conjunction with the IDP Annual Meeting
- Summer Tours of Farms and Industry
- Winter Regional Dairy Meetings
- Input on Dairy Policy Issues
- Input on Regulatory Issues
- Important Connections with Dairy Industry Suppliers and Supporters
- Bi-monthly E-updates
- Quarterly Newsletters
- Early Career Dairy Producers Discussion Groups and Tours

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Farm Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

County: _____

Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Number of Dairy Cows (milking and dry): _____

Number of Heifers: _____

(Numbers are used for IDP internal use only)

IDP Membership \$50/year

Most memberships are tax deductible business expenses. Check with your tax professional.

Please indicate which category:

_____ **Producer Member:** Anyone actively engaged in dairy farming (owners, operators, employees)

_____ **Allied Industry Member:** Anyone interested in Indiana's dairy industry
Your business or interest: _____



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