



January 2, 2025

Dear 4th Grade Teacher,

The Jefferson County Agri-Business Club would like to invite you and your school's fourth grade classes to the **30th Annual Farm Tour**. We're excited to announce that this year's tour will again be held at Kutz Family Dairy Farm owned and operated by Ron, Pam, Allan and Aaron Kutz. The dairy is located at N3612 Will Road, Jefferson.

Ron and Pam started Kutz Dairy in 1973 with 10 Holstein cows. Over the years they have gradually increased their milking herd and by 1994 they were milking 250 Holstein cows. Today Kutz Dairy LLC milks approximately 2,000 Jersey cows and raises 1,700 replacement heifers. They have a stunning progressive dairy that we are pleased to showcase.

The farm tour will be held on **Wednesday, May 7, 2025** and will be structured similarly to past events. The approximately 2-hour tour will have around 11 stations set-up throughout the dairy farm. These stations include dairy and crop production, raising calves, milk house, beef/swine, sheep/goats, land preservation, and agriculture careers. A free brown bag lunch prepared by the Jefferson County Farm Bureau and Agri-Business Club will be provided.

Please complete the attached Farm Tour scheduling sheet and **return it by February 15, 2025**. We will try to accommodate each school's request as it is returned. By mid-March, you will receive your farm tour arrival and departure times via email. Please feel free to contact me with any questions. The Jefferson County Agri-Business Club and the Kutz family look forward to seeing you and your class on Wednesday, May 7th.

Sincerely,

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Tour Guides & Educators: FFA Students



Calf Barn



Vet Science Station



Tour Hosts: The Kutz Family