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BOADWINE DAIRY OPEN HOUSE DISPLAYS EVOLUTION OF HOMESTEADED FARM

Boadwine Farms invites public to visit modern 2,100 cow dairy

BALTIC, SD –Boadwine Farms invites the public to their dairy near Baltic, on Saturday, July 9 from 10:00 am-2:00 pm. This free event South Dakota Farm Families is hosting the event along with Boadwine Farms.

Guests will have the opportunity to take a trolley tour of the facility to see how technology has played a role in the expansion of Boadwine Farms over the years. Visitors will also be able to meet the three generations of Boadwine family members currently involved in the farm. Free cheeseburgers, brats, and ice cream will be served.

Cows have been milked on the Boadwine Farm since it was homesteaded by family members in 1874. Today, the farm is owned by William and Ester Boadwine, their son Lynn and his wife Trish, along with their two sons Riley and Patrick. Currently the farm has 2,100 milking cows up from the mid 1990's when it was a 42-cow dairy. Boadwine Farms is continuing to use technology to reduce their impact on the environment, and they are excited to share the advancements they have made on their farm.

Boadwine Dairy is located at 46945 251st Street, Baltic. Located three miles west of Interstate 29 at the Baltic exit 94, one mile south on Minnehaha County Highway 137 and ½ mile west on 251st Street. Signs will be posted directing traffic to parking areas. There will be on-site parking for the event.

The event is sponsored in part by South Dakota Farm Families and Ag United, Midwest Dairy Association and the South Dakota Soybean Promotion Research Council and the United Soybean Board.

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Lynn Boadwine shares information about the farm with a tour group.

Ag United was developed through a collaboration of farm organizations that support livestock production and development and includes the South Dakota Cattlemen's Association, the South Dakota Corn Growers Association, South Dakota Dairy Producers, South Dakota Farm Bureau, South Dakota Pork Producers Council, South Dakota Poultry Industries Association and the South Dakota Soybean Association.

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