

County Division Meetings

- 11:45 a.m. Registration Begins
 NOON (Sharp) Producer Appreciation Meal
- Cooperative Activities Update
 - Financial Report
 - Genomics 101
 - Delegate Election for Local Representation
 - Door Prizes
- 2:30 p.m. Meeting Adjourns

2008 County Division Meeting Schedule

DATE:	COUNTY GROUP:	LOCATION:
Dec. 1	Vernon/Crawford	Firehouse Restaurant - Viroqua, Wis.
Dec. 2	Burnett/Pierce/Polk/St. Croix Brown/Oconto/Outagamie/Shawano	The Coachman - Baldwin, Wis. The Gathering - Shawano, Wis.
Dec. 3	Chippewa/Eau Claire/Rusk Portage/Waupaca/Waushara/Winnebago	Holiday Inn Campus Area - Eau Claire, Wis. Hahn-a-lula Resort - Fremont, Wis.
Dec. 4	Barron/Dunn/Washburn Iowa/Lafayette	Old Town Conference Center - Menomonie, Wis. The Comfort Inn - Mineral Point, Wis.
Dec. 8	Houston Lincoln/Marathon/Wood	Good Times - Caledonia, Minn. Knights of Columbus Hall - Marshfield, Wis.
Dec. 9	Northeast Iowa Counties Clark/Taylor	Northeast Iowa Community College - Calmar, Iowa St. Mary's Hall - Greenwood, Wis.
Dec. 10	Buffalo/Pepin Green/JoDavies, III./McHenry, III./Stephenson, III.	Club 10 - Durand, Wis. Turner Hall - Monroe, Wis.
Dec. 11	Dane Ozaukee/Sheboygan/Washington	Fitzgerald's - Middleton, Wis. Chissy's - Waldo, Wis.
Dec. 15	Grant LaCrosse/Monroe	Eagle Creek Inn - Fennimore, Wis. Colonial Banquet Center - Sparta, Wis.
Dec. 16	Jackson/Trempealeau Adams/Columbia/Green Lake/Juneau/Marquette/Sauk	Club 95 - Hixton, Wis. The Farm Kitchen - Baraboo, Wis.
Dec. 17	Dodge/Fond du Lac Richland	Rock River Country Club - Waupun, Wis. Ramada Inn-Whitehouse - Richland Center, Wis.
Dec. 19	Fillmore/Winona Jefferson/Kenosha/Racine/Rock/Walworth/Waukesha	LA Lanes - Lewiston, Minn. Randy's - Whitewater, Wis.

To Register, Please Fill Out And Return The 2008 County Meeting RSVP Card Located On Pages 3-4.

*It's all about **YOU**...
Because **YOU** are important to
Accelerated Genetics.*

✓ **YOU** work hard to achieve the
highest standard of excellence
in your business.

✓ **YOU** rely on industry
professionals like the ones from
Accelerated Genetics.

✓ We feel **YOU** are very important
to our cooperative's strength and are
focused on your needs.

✓ We want to **THANK YOU** by
inviting **YOU** to attend your annual
County Division Meeting and
Producer Appreciation Meal.

ATTEND TO WIN!

When **YOU** attend your local
County Division Meeting
you will be eligible for
some exciting Door Prizes!

Plus, one person from each
meeting will be included in
the **Grand Prize Drawings:**

1ST Prize:

\$300 Scholarship to attend
the 2009 PDPW Business
Conference

2ND Prize:

GPS Navigation System



RSVP For Your 2008 COUNTY DIVISION MEETING

Please reserve _____ meals for:
(# of meals)

(Farm & Owner Names)

at the County Annual Meeting to be held at:

(Meal Date)

(Meal Location & City)

Please RSVP at least 5 Days prior to your meeting!

You Can Be Part Of The Elected Cooperative Structure

Who are Accelerated Genetics' Delegates?

Delegates are selected from each county unit. One delegate will represent 20 members. Delegates are nominated at the Fall Delegate Meetings. Elections are then held to elect the delegates at the County Division Meetings in December.

What do Delegates do for Accelerated Genetics?

Elected delegates are asked to attend three meetings throughout a year. These meetings are held so the delegates can provide input and feedback to the cooperative. The objective is provide customers with the best service and products...and what better way to get that information than to have our customers as Delegates.

Who are Accelerated Genetics' County Chairs?

County Chairs are the head of each county unit (some smaller counties join together to make a unit). There are 32 County Chairs in the membership area for Accelerated Genetics.

What do County Chairs do for Accelerated Genetics?

County Chairs are elected at the Spring Delegate Meetings. They are asked to attend the same three meetings as the Delegates, plus participate in one joint brainstorming session in March with the Board of Directors and Accelerated Genetics' management.

Who Elects the Board of Directors?

The Delegates elect a Director from each local District at the Fall Delegate Meetings. There are 10 Board of Directors. Each of the board members has an assigned district which combines county units based on membership and location. Each board member serves a three-year term. There is a maximum of a 12-year tenure.

What is a Board members' role?

The Board of Directors hire and supervise the President & CEO of Accelerated Genetics. The board also set a vision and future direction for the company as well as set policy for the cooperative.



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