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**Wenger Feeds' Layer School graduates class**

Layer School, hosted by Wenger Feeds, recently graduated another class. Originating in the late 1990's, the current curriculum was designed by the company's egg production division in association with Dr. Gregory Martin of Penn State, Gene Petit of Hy-Line North America, and Ed Hoffman of Kreider Farms. The interactive program ran from March 15 through May 24 and included several guest speakers to give participants a well-rounded education.

Graduates of the 2011 class included individuals from Florin Farms, Hy-Line North America, Kreider Farms, R.W. Sauder, Shady Brae, Wenger Feeds, and Zeiset Equipment.

"We designed the class for employees and customers to learn more about all aspects of animal husbandry. Dr. Gregory Martin played a crucial role in designing and conducting the courses," noted Doug Stone, egg production manager. "Many of the students were involved in egg production, but since the courses were so in-depth, they were able to learn new aspects of their job."

The 11-session program included courses on all aspects of egg production including reproductive physiology, feed, water, and light management, diseases, vaccination programs and pullet growing, ventilation, pest management, egg quality, and animal welfare.

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