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September 2016

# Section Meeting

WEDNESDAY October 5<sup>th</sup>

McFarland, WISCONSIN

## Schedule of Events

**World Dairy Expo** – Alliant Energy Center

Explore on your own.

Commercial exhibits open 9am-5pm

**Meeting** – Maple Tree Supper Club (McFarland)

4:45pm – Social “Hour”

5:30pm – Business Meeting

6pm – Dinner

7pm – Speaker:

**Doug Reinemann**

**UW-Madison Biological Systems Engineering Dept.**

**Chair and Professor**

“Blowing in the Wind: Status of wind and solar energy  
development in the upper Midwest”

**Registration Closes Thursday, Sept. 29th**

Click here to [REGISTER NOW](#)

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## October 5<sup>th</sup> Meeting Details

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### 50<sup>th</sup> World Dairy Expo at the Alliant Energy Center

“2016 marks the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of World Dairy Expo – a celebration of the journey from a small World Food Expo in 1967, to the internationally renowned show of today. This year’s Expo will take a look back at 50 years of history and the people whose passion and dedication helped build the show from the ground up.” -WDE Press Release

Open Daily from 9am – 5 pm

Admission: \$10/day or \$30/season

More information and complete schedule of events at <http://worlddairyexpo.com/>

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### Dinner and Meeting: Maple Tree Supper Club (McFarland, WI)

After you visit the World Dairy Expo, join the WI ASABE Chapter on Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup> for the fall meeting. The Maple Tree Supper Club is located a short drive from the Expo grounds, just off Hwy 51 in McFarland.

**4:45pm** – Social “Hour”

**5:30pm** – Business Meeting

**6:00pm** – Dinner

**7:00pm** – Speaker:

**Doug Reinemann**

**UW-Madison Biological Systems Engineering Dept. Chair and Professor**

**“Blowing in the Wind: Status of wind and solar energy development in the upper Midwest”**

Dinner is \$20 per person.

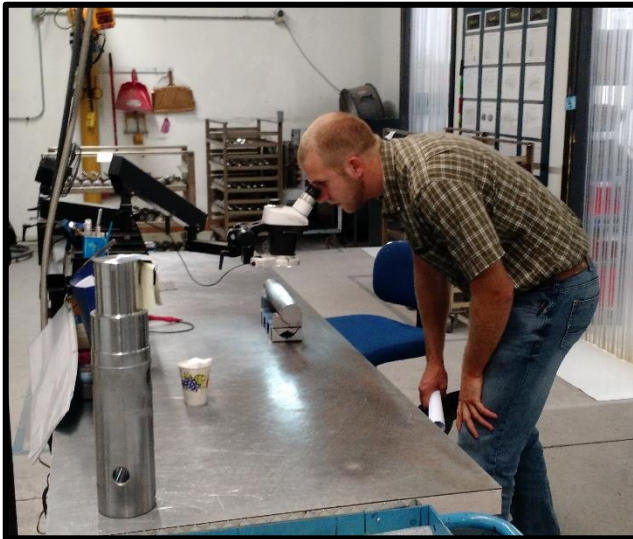
Students are encouraged to attend at no cost.

**Registration closes Thursday, September 29<sup>th</sup>.**

## Secretary's Report

01Sept2016

The July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2016 ASABE Wisconsin Section Meeting was held at Digi-Star in Fort Atkinson. Digi-Star employees and section members Todd England and Chris Horton provided tours of the facility and detailed review of the manufacturing process and history of the company. Prior to meeting at Digi-Star a portion of the group started the day off with a visit to the Hoards National Dairy Shrine and Museum, also located in Fort Atkinson.



(Left) Bryan Rowntree inspects load cell strain gauge placement with a microscope.  
(Right) Todd England explains the load cell calibration process.

Following a buffet style dinner a short business meeting was held. Treasurer and secretary reports were reviewed. No old business required attention. In new business Doug Reinemann noted that he has been asked to help determine an appropriate location for an ASABE Historic Landmark for the milking machine. If anyone has suggestions or input on the topic please contact Doug.

The next meeting will again be held in conjunction with World Dairy Expo. Look for details in the next newsletter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Garritt Boettcher  
ASABE Wisconsin Section Secretary 2016-2017

**Treasurer's Report****01Sept2016****Opening Balance****\$5878.76****Revenue:**

<b>Date</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>Memo</b>	<b>Amount</b>
07/14/2016	Meeting Revenue	Pay at Door (13July2016)	\$325.00
09/06/2016	Meeting Revenue	Pre-Pay (13July2016)	\$175.00

**Total: \$500.00****Expenses:**

<b>Date</b>	<b>To</b>	<b>Memo</b>	<b>Check #</b>	<b>Amount</b>
07/13/2016	Chris Horton	May Meeting Catering	617	\$223.16

**Total: \$223.16****Closing Balance****\$6155.60**

Respectfully Submitted,

Garritt Boettcher  
ASABE Wisconsin Section Treasurer 2016-2017

## New Member Welcome

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Welcome new members of the WI ASABE Section. We hope to see you at our upcoming meeting!

<u>Name</u>	<u>City</u>
Jason Bell	Wonewoc
Mark A. Benishek	Milwaukee
Reid Christ	Independence
Isaac J. Jansen	Oshkosh
Russ N. Kolstad	Waunakee
Tristan McNamara	North Prairie
Bernie Michaud	Madison
Lauren Saleh	Strum
Ryan Schmitt	Juda
Chad A. Zuege	Menomonee Falls

## FREE CUSTARD!!!

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Now that we have your attention...with the hope of better serving the Wisconsin chapter, the Career Development Committee is looking for your help. Please fill out this short survey and let them know what kind of events you would like to see in the future. Everyone who responds will be entered for a chance to win a \$10 Culver's gift card.

Sound too good to be true?! It's not. Answer 5 easy questions and that custard could be yours!

[Click here to take the survey.](#)

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