

**Whole Herd Total Performance Record (TPR™) reminder:**

The spring 2016 herd inventory discount deadline is Jan. 15. Turn your spring 2016 herd inventory in early to receive a \$.25 per head discount on every female maintained on the spring inventory. The final inventory deadline is March 1.

**Use MyHerd.org to turn in your spring 2016 herd inventory**

Attend the "How to update your Whole Herd TPR inventory on MyHerd" webinar session with School of MyHerd at 7:30 p.m. CST Thursday, Jan. 21, to learn how to report Whole Herd TPR in real-time.

Learn how to quickly update your herd inventory online, how to report calving information and how to submit performance weights. MyHerd allows members to get business done after

hours without additional processing. Calf crops can be analyzed for performance data and reports are available within minutes, not business days.

Register to attend the session at [Hereford.org/schoolofmyherd](http://Hereford.org/schoolofmyherd). After registration, you'll receive a confirmation e-mail with information on how to join the webinar session. When it's time for the session, login to your e-mail, open the webinar reminder message and click on "Join URL."

**FAQ**

**Q: I have received a yellow sheet for a calf I tried to register, and the sheet contained the following error message: "Mating clash with 43691403 born 12/28/15. Days between both animals = 0." Why am I receiving this error?**

**A:** The reason for the error message is that there is already a calf recorded out of the cow on the

same day. In order to correct the error, verify the registration information of the calf. Did you accidentally enter the wrong registration number for the dam? Or did you forget that you had already registered the calf? If the dam's information needs to be corrected, write down the correct registration number on the yellow sheet in the "Member's Reply" section or write down "duplicate," if the calf is already registered. Send the form back to the records department for correction.

**Q: I haven't received my spring 2016 herd inventory. How do I request an inventory to update?**

**A:** If you didn't receive an inventory update online or by mail, the reason is probably that you are

currently non-compliant in the Whole Herd TPR system. Please contact the American Hereford Association (AHA) customer service department. Staff will help you find what information is overdue, and then they will generate your spring 2016 herd inventory.

**Q: How do I request a DNA kit?**

**A:** Call AHA customer service at 816-842-3757 to request a DNA test kit, or e-mail requests to [records@hereford.org](mailto:records@hereford.org). Please note: When you e-mail a DNA request, please provide your member number, the animal's registration number and the reason for DNA testing (artificial insemination (AI) certification, walking herd sire, embryo transfer (ET) permit, etc.). **HW**