

# Shaping the future TOGETHER



**Dairy's Foundation®** is the only public-held national foundation supporting dairy initiatives and education across the dairy industry's entire food chain. We've supported dairy producers and invested in the future, one life at a time, for more than two decades.

Our mission is to share ideas, resources and experiences about important issues surrounding the dairy industry through educational opportunities for dairy producers AND the public. We believe we were chosen to shape the next generation — and we know that when partners like you work with us, we can steward tomorrow's resources right here and now.

**Thanks to your support, we impact the world in pursuit of three key objectives**

# 1

**Sharpen dairy professionals' skills**



# 2

**Empower the next generation**





# 3 Amplify public trust in our people and products



## THE IMPACT OF YOUR SUPPORT

What educational programs does **Dairy's Foundation** support? In addition to grants funded for dairy-centric initiatives across the country, your contributions help support projects such as leadership programs for dairy enthusiasts (from teens to those transitioning to retirement), on-farm mentoring programs, dairy-exclusive financial literacy workshops and more.

Your giving also helps support work facilitated by the Center for Dairy Excellence Foundation, Farmers for Sustainable Food, National 4-H, Professional Dairy Producers® and more.

Browse the news and read about the lives you're changing by searching for updates on Cornerstone Dairy Academy®, Dairy Managers Institute®, Financial Literacy for Dairy®, STRIDE™ Youth Leadership Conference and PDP Mentor Program.

Over the last two decades, your support has helped **Dairy's Foundation** enhance the dairy sector through education for producers and consumers to the tune of **more than \$2.4 million. Thank you!**

## SUCCESSES YOU'VE FOSTERED



"Programs like **STRIDE™ Youth Leadership Conference** open students' eyes to the wide range of potential career pathways within the dairy industry."

- Dr. Joe Sanford, assistant professor, UW-Platteville School of Agriculture and 2024 Stride hands-on lab facilitator



### PDP Mentor Program

"My experience with Soaring Eagle Dairy gave me an overview of the many aspects of dairy production; I look forward to continuing to grow and learn in this sector of agriculture."

- Elsie Brzezinski (l) Woodstock, Minnesota, with PDP Mentor Kelsey Luebke (r)

### OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

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