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Welcome to the Spring edition of the JACE SUPPLIES newsletter!

£60m farming productivity fund launched at Dairy-Tech

A new £60m grants scheme where farmers can bid for cash to buy new farm equipment has been announced by Farming Minister George Eustice.

Many of the items eligible for funding are highly relevant to the dairy sector, including specialist foot trimming crushes and calving detectors, but there is a range of innovative items from which the majority of farmers can find something they would want to apply for. Farmers can apply online to the **Countryside Productivity Small Grant Scheme**, requesting a grant for smaller projects of between £3,000 and £12,000 towards the costs

of farm equipment. **Search for 'LEADER funding' on GOV.UK.**

Rural Development Programme
for England (RDPE) Countryside
Productivity Scheme

Improving Farm Productivity
Handbook



Deadline for applications: 3 December 2018

Last year Defra also opened a series of offers for larger grants through the **Countryside Productivity scheme**. Farmers can apply for grants of over £35,000 for a range of different projects, including water resource management, adding value to Agri-food and improving farm productivity through innovative projects. An example of a dairy business improving productivity could be investing in 2 milking robots

and a robotic silage pusher. The milking robots include sensors to collect data on the health of each cow including milk composition. The new robots will improve monitoring of cow health, labour efficiency and yield which will improve overall farm efficiency and productivity. Full information can be found by downloading a copy of the handbook above.

This can be done by entering:

Improving Farm Productivity Handbook-Gov.UK

into any search engine on the web.

NEW ARRIVAL!

Congratulations to Steven and Rachel on the birth of their daughter 'Harriet Grace' 12th February!



Automated Feeding

Increase milk quality and raise productivity – GEA automatic feeding systems can help you to achieve this. As a Total Solutions provider to the agricultural industry GEA can provide you with a range of tried and tested systems for automatic feeding, which can be perfectly integrated into your farm and are compatible with one another.



Automated Feeding MixFeeder with WIC system

Increase the efficiency of the feeding process at your dairy farm and experience the benefits of precise group feeding and optimized feed management

GEA FRone - Automated feed pusher: Less work. Greater yields.

Intelligent technology is attractive, especially when it makes your work easier and saves valuable time.

The fully automated feed pusher, FRone, by GEA moves feed towards the feed fence at the times

you define and according to the routes you set. This ensures that your cows have access to fresh, high-quality feed around the clock – even lower-ranking animals in the second feeding group.



Targeted automated feeding with the DairyFeed C 8000 feed system

Automated feeding is becoming increasingly important in the agricultural industry. Thanks to GEA's expertise, you can feed each cow individually. Needs-based adjustments will

have a positive effect on your herd management and help you to develop an efficient working style.

Automated feeding is the key to the positive development of your herd.

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