

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## Plan to Attend Farrow to Wean Seminar November 18th

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LANCASTER, WI – Wisconsin Pork Association (WPA) and UW-Extension will be hosting a swine Farrow to Wean Seminar on Tuesday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025, at the West Madison Ag Research Station located at 8502 Mineral Point Rd. Verona, WI 53593. Pork producers and allied industry members are invited to attend this valuable, educational event.

The evening will commence with dinner beginning at 5:30 p.m. followed by the program from 6:00 -8:00 p.m. This seminar will assist pork producers with learning strategies to increase farrowing rates, and maximize sow productivity, enhance piglet livability, and understand common obstacles that arise during farrowing through the weaning period. Attendees will get practical, real-life insight from some of the industry's most skilled professionals and have open dialogue with other producers and industry professionals.

## Agenda:

5:30 p.m. Dinner (Provided)

6:00 p.m. Program

- Sow mortality
- Optimum temperature for farrowing house & nursery
- Day 1 piglet care
- Nursery pig management & feeding practices
- Pre-wean gastroenteritis and impact on downstream livability

8:00 p.m. Conclude

This seminar is a collaborative effort between UW-Extension and the Wisconsin Pork Association and the last seminar of the 2025 swine production educational series. WPA and UW-Extension are committed to providing education and resources for producers to help them achieve success and thrive in today's ever-changing global landscape.

For more information or to register for this event, please email <a href="mailto:jeff.morris@wisc.edu">jeff.morris@wisc.edu</a> or call/ text Jeff Morris at 608-346-9561. To stay up to date on all WPA events and information, visit <a href="www.wppa.org">www.wppa.org</a>.

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The mission of the Wisconsin Pork Association is to promote and protect the state's pork industry in order to ensure its success now and in the future.

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