

WAAE 2008 SUMMER CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee Name: Farm Business & Production Management

Committee Chairman: Kim Odden

Committee Vice Chair: Mike Sabel

Committee Members Present and School

Name	School	Level
Mike Sabel	Mid-State Technical College	P
Kim Odden	Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College	P
Greg Booher	Lakeshore Technical College	P
Doug Marshall	Madison Area Technical College	
Deb Ihm	Southwest Wisconsin Technical College	P
Melissa Klein	North Central Technical College	P
Mark Alden	Northeast Wisconsin Technical College	P
Peter Brandt	Western Technical College	P
Dustin Williams	Black Hawk Technical College	P
Nile Beck	Fox Valley Technical College	P
Mark Denk	Chippewa Valley Technical College	P

Any Others Attending

Name	School	Level
1. Jason Fisher	Lakeshore Technical College	P
2. Larry Dieck & Lynn Jerrett	Fox Valley Technical College	P
3. Jerry Ranallo	Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College	P

G – Guest/Visitor – Not on committee
L – College – 4 year and more
P – Post Secondary – Technical College

S – Secondary – 7-12
ST – Student Teacher or currently not employed

1. Major accomplishments for the year.

Sponsored Fall 2007 Instructor Inservice at Rice Lake, WI in October

On – Farm visits

On-farm milk bottling plant

Emerald Dairy-anaerobic digester

Indianhead Dairy-genetics and bio-diesel

Curriculum sharing

National Farm & Ranch Report

Elected Jason Fisher WAAE Alternate VP

Planned 2008 WAAE Professional Development Conference for Farm Business & Production Management (FBPM) Instructors

2. Goals for the coming year.

1. 2008 Fall In-service will be held at UW-Arlington Research Station in October
2. 2009 WAAE Professional Development Conference planning
3. Meet and orient new WTCS Agriculture Coordinator to Farm Business & Production Management Program
4. Will do an Agri-View column every other week on WTCS Farm Business & Production Management Program

3. Ways and means to meet goals for this coming year.

Hold teleconferences to plan and publicize fall in-service in October 2008 at UW-Arlington Ag Research Station

Hold teleconferences to plan and publicize the 2009 WAAE Professional Development Conference

Hold teleconferences to meet and orient new WTCS Agriculture Coordinator to Farm Business & Production Management Program

Each Technical College sign-up to write an article for Agri-View with Greg Booher as Coordinator

4. Number of meetings held (List times and places) 2 meetings

i. WAAE 2008 SUMMER PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE

ii. OCTOBER FALL IN-SERVICE AT RICE LAKE

Other Meetings

Periodic Teleconferences

1. Plan Professional development conference
2. Plan Fall Instructor In-service for October
3. Evaluate challenges to the current program
4. Plan future FBPM program

5. Any other business or suggestions to the Executive Board --

None