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## LaMaster Dairy Center

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## LaMaster Dairy Center:

*The mission of LaMaster Dairy Center is to provide quality animals for research, teaching, and extension projects, as well as quality genetics and dairy products for breeders and consumers worldwide. Our purpose is to protect the well being of animals, researchers, and staff and to allow the staff to enjoy and show pride in a job well done.*

### About:

The LaMaster Dairy is conveniently located within one mile of campus with a total of 677 acres. The main farm consists of a milking parlor, experimental barn, calf barn, free stalls, pastures, feed storage, classroom/teaching facility, and an office building. The dairy contains five different breeds of cows: Holstein, Jersey, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, and Aryshires. Approximately 150 cows are milked daily.

The dairy's teaching and research activities include nutrition, waste management, and dairy production.

## Teaching:

The Dairy Center teaches several classes, including Dairy Science Techniques, Dairy Cattle Selection, and Dairy Cattle Feeding and Management. Several students in the Animal Science Techniques course halter-break, fit, and show dairy cattle for the little North American as part of their curriculum. The farm crew assists many classes and individual student projects.



## Tours:

Tours are by appointment only. Please call to inquire about tours.

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## Research:

LaMaster Dairy Center provides animals and support for research, teaching, and extension activities. Dr. Steve Ellis is currently working on Ontogeny and Proliferate behavior of Bovine Mammary Stem Cells; while Dr. Tom Jenkins works on the Digestion and Metabolism of Fat Supplements in dairy cattle. Dr. John Gibbons is doing embryonic research. Other environmental studies are ongoing with Dr. Greene and Dr. Chastain researching lagoon cleaning. There is also research on Fire Ants.



## Location:

LaMaster Dairy Farm is located about 1 mile from campus.

### From Campus

From Perimeter Road (Pearman Blvd.) and Cherry Rd., take Cherry Rd. away from campus and approximately 1 mile go past 3-way stop and the farm will be about 1/4 mile on the right.

### From Off Campus

Take I-85 south to exit #19B (Hwy. 76/28 west). Exit toward Clemson University (tiger paws mark the way). Follow Hwy. 76/28 west for approximately 12 miles. At the first traffic light past Tri-County Tec, turn left on Old Stone Church Rd. Go 1/4 mile and the farm is located on the left.



## Research Farms Services

### Mission Statement

*"To support the agricultural research, teaching and public service activities of Clemson University in an efficient and effective manner, while maximizing available resources!"*

### RFS FACILITIES

#### Aquaculture Facility

Mgr: Scott Davis

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Calhoun Experimental Fields, Clemson, SC 29634

#### Charles Lee Morgan Poultry Center

Mgr: Carol Mosley

Phone: (864) 646-3064 Fax: (864) 646-7717  
Old Cherry Road Extension, Clemson, SC 29634

#### Crop & Equipment Services

Clemson Station - Cherry Farm

Mgr: Ray Hubbard

Phone: (864) 656-2530 Fax: (864) 656-0276  
Hopewell Rd., Clemson, SC 29634

Simpson Station - Douthit Headquarters

Mgr: Sam Shirley

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2103 Lebanon Rd., Pendleton, SC 29670

#### Equine Center

Mgr: Kari Tankersley

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#### Musser Fruit Research Center

Mgr: Billy Newall

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604 South Friendship Rd., Seneca, SC 29678

#### Simpson Beef Cattle Farm

Mgr: Gary Burns

Phone: (864) 646-3678 Fax: (864) 656-0276  
1648 Cherry Street, Pendleton, SC 29670

#### Starkey Swine Center

Mgr: Harold Abercrombie

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