

the Outhouse News



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Barstow's Longview Farm and Barstow's Dairy Store and Bakery are owned and operated by sixth and seventh generation Barstows. We make a terrific lunch, love to bake, farm 450 acres, raise 600 head, annually produce 7,000 MWh of renewable energy, lead 200+ farm tours to our community each year, and provide Cabot Cooperative with wholesome nutritious milk. We are open year round and hope you enjoy your visit!

COVID-19 Message

In response to COVID-19, Barstow's Dairy Store and Bakery remains open with Drive Thru service ONLY daily until 4pm.

Please feel welcome to call in lunch, breakfast, and grocery orders and for grocery, bakery, and prepared food availability. Our team is taking extra precautions to make Barstow's a safe and clean place to visit. We are sanitizing handles, surfaces, and screens every 30 minutes. As always, staff are washing their hands, using gloves, and practicing safe food handling. We are grateful for your ongoing support in this difficult time!

Every Day is Earth Day

At Barstow's Longview Farm, every day is Earth Day! When it comes to farming, we use practices that enhance soil health, sequesters carbon, and reduces erosion:

- No-till planting
- Cover cropping
- Rotational cropping
- Nutrient management
- Soil testing

Barstow's is also home to an anaerobic digester. This system reduces our carbon footprint by 85%, turning the methane in cow manure and food waste into fertilizer, free heat, and electricity for 1,600 homes.

Easter Orders

Life is not normal right now. But special occasions are still happening! Pre-order Easter goodies, birthday cakes, and prepared foods to cut through the mundane and celebrate the little things. We would be happy to take your order at the drive thru window, over the phone 413-586-2142, or at info@barstowslongviewfarm.com

Name our Calves

With the transition to drive thru only, our Name the Calf Contest was collecting cobwebs. But our little ladies need names! The Contest has MOOved online. You can find it at barstowslongviewfarm.com/name-the-calf/

Planting a Victory Garden?

Practice good social distancing in your own garden! Pick up farm fresh compost from Barstow's in bulk (\$30/yard) or at the fill-your-own station (\$1/5gallon pail). Bulk delivery is also available.

Barstow's Prepared Foods

Tired of cooking? Pick up frozen prepared foods at the drive thru or pre-order a hot meal to take home. Spring means it's time to bring out the grill. Barstow's is stocked with farm raised steaks and burgers!

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