

From the editor

We have just completed a very successful fourth democratic election and things are looking up. But on our farms this is not always the case and the economy often makes it very difficult, especially for milk producers, to continue farming.

One of the golden rules among successful milk producers, is to do things right, from the start. Use the right equipment, treat your cows right, and market your product.

In this edition we give tips on how to prepare your cow for a show and we point out seven important rules for milking success. We also show you how easy it is to make a milk bucket for your calves.

Our technology section is packed with valuable information ranging from condition scoring of cows, to milk processing and the first in a new series on milking procedure.

In this edition we include a short questionnaire which each reader should complete and send to us, so that we can have a better understanding of who you are and what information you would like to see in *Ubisi Mail*.

Keep warm, keep milking and keep reading.

Lynette Louw
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