



Attending the AI-course at West End Dairy in Mpumalanga are (from the left): Siphwe Nkosi, Ephraim Mabote, John Mnisi, Samuel Songame, Lovemore Zwane, Michael Mondisa and IDT trainer, Justice Mathebula

# AI-course for West End

**The Milk Producers' Organisation (MPO) is helping workers on dairy farms to improve their skills. One of the courses presented by the Intervet MPO Institute for Dairy Technology (IDT) is an artificial insemination (AI) course.**

Workers of the West End Dairy near Morgenzon in Mpumalanga, completed an AI-course late last year. The IDT team, led by Justice Mathebula, travelled to Morgenzon, a small town near Bethal, to train six of West End's employees.

Mathebula has many years of experience in the AI-business, as he previously worked for a company specialising in genetics. Practical training and lectures on the necessity of artificial insemination, were presented from 12-16 November. [UM](#)



- 1 Siphwe Nkosi gets a chance to practise the AI technique he has learnt. Helping him is Lovemore Zwane
- 2 IDT trainer, Justice Mathebula (right), stands by as Michael Mondisa completes AI on one of West End's cows