

KINIKIN CORNER DAIRY

HERD HEALTH PLAN

Nutrition:

The idea of 'grass-fed is best' will be a major guide to animal nutrition. All farm ground will be managed organically using sustainable methods to ensure the highest possible soil quality in order to produce the best quality forage for the farm animals. Grass pasture (when available) and hay will be the only feed for ruminant animals. Mineral supplements will be used as necessary. Whenever feed is purchased, all efforts will be made to procure organic or natural feed.

Calves will receive an appropriate amount of their mother's colostrum. Milk, fresh or fermented will be fed to young stock until they are at least three month old.

Vaccinations:

We are not vaccinating any of our livestock.

Testing:

All milking cows will be tested every three years for tuberculosis and brucellosis.