Horse Hay Suppliers in Minnesota

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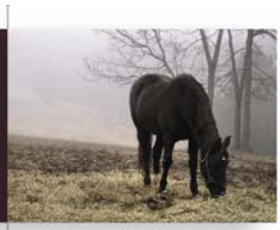

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The University of Minnesota has compiled a list of hay auctions in Minnesota. The below list is not an endorsement by the University, but is meant to provide a resource for horse owners looking for hay.

When buying hay (either from a private party or from a hay auction), consider the following:

1. Buy good quality hay. Inspect several bales and evaluate them for content (grass or alfalfa) maturity (presence or absence of seed heads or flowers), smell, color, and touch, and ensure bales are free of mold, dust, and weeds.

2. If possible, have the hay tested for quality before purchase. Three of the hay auctions are "quality tested" auctions.

3. Try to keep your hay type (grass and/or alfalfa) consistent. Constantly changing hay types can lead to horse health problems, especially colic.

Additional information can be found in the June 2008 newsletter, and on the horse team website (www.extension.umn.edu/horse).

Hay and Straw Auctions in Minnesota

Belle Plaine Commission Company Hay Sale
125 South Ash Street
Belle Plaine, MN 56011
Every Thursday (except Holidays)
Start Time: Noon
Phone: 952-873-2292

Bostrom's Hay Auction
26566 Polk Street NE
Isanti, MN 55040
2nd and 4th Saturday of each Month
(November through April)
Start Time: 10:00 am
Phone: 763-444-9256 or 763-286-6840
www.bostromsauctions.com/hay_sales.hth

Cannonball Hay Company Hay Sale
Simon's (TC Horse Sales) Arena
29100 Harry Avenue
Randolph, MN 55065
2nd and 4th Saturday of each Month
(October through April)
Start Time: 1:00 pm
Phone: 507-263-3396

East Central Livestock Hay Sale
2028 Mahogany Street
Mora, MN 55051
Every Wednesday
(throughout entire year)
Start Time: Noon
Phone: 320-679-4333
www.eastcentrallivestock.com

Farm Country Coop Hay Auction
417 North Main Street
Pine Island, MN 55963
2nd and 4th Saturday of each Month
(October through April)
Start Time: 10:00 am
Phone: 800-356-8313
www.farmcountycoop.com

Hotovec Auction Center Hay Sale
20404 N. State Highway 15
Hutchinson, MN
Every Wednesday
(throughout entire year)
Start Time: Noon
Phone: 320-587-3347
www.hotovecauctions.com

Lake Region Coop Hay Sale
4825 Highway 55 NW
Maple Lake, MN 55358
1st Saturday of each Month
(October through May)
Start Time: 11:00 am
Phone: 320-963-6804
www.autionzip.com (Auctioneer ID 1278)

Quality Tested Hay Auction
Each load analyzed by DHIA Labs
Mid-America n Auction and Office Site
On 408th Street
Sauk Center, MN 56378
1st and 3rd Thursday of each Month
(September through May)
Start Time: 12:30 pm
Phone: 320-760-2979
www.midamericanauctioninc.com and
www.extension.umn.edu/cropenews/hay/index.html

Quality Tested Hay Auction
Each load analyzed by Dairyland Labs
Steffes Auctioneers Facility
24400 MN Hwy 22 South
Litchfield, MN 55355
2nd and 4th Tuesday of each Month
(November through May)
Start Time: Noon
Phone: 320-693-9371
www.steffesauctioneers.com

Quality Tested Hay Sale
Sponsored by: Houston Co Forage & Grassland Council
Green Power Equipment
201 N. HWY 44
Caledonia, MN 55921
2nd Friday of each Month
(December through March)
Start Time: 1:00 pm
Phone: 507-725-5807 or on sale day call 507-725-7000
Loads must be registered and tested prior to sale day

PRIVATE HAY SUPPLIERS IN MINNESOTA

The University of Minnesota has also compiled a list of private hay suppliers. This list is a resource for horse owners seeking hay, and is not an endorsement from the University.

Darrell Amberson
952-888-8700 (home)
612-599-3448 (cell)
darrell.amberson@lehmansgarage.com

Harlan Anderson
Idle Acres
Cokato, MN
320-286-5682
idleacres@cmgate.com

CJ Aune
Cannon Falls, MN
507-263-3396

Myron Bole
Boll Hay Sales
Howard Lake, MN
320-543-3523 (home)
612-882-5332 (cell)

Butch and Andrew Cardinal
Cardinal Brothers Hay Sales
Hugo, MN
612-325-2748
612-325-2749

Ryan Carpenter
Isanti, MN
763-444-6142 (home)
612-581-9777 (cell)
ryan-carpenter@hotmail.com

Chad Converse
Motley, MN
218-352 -6987
cjconv@staples.net.com

Jeff Doken
Northfield, MN
507-339-9711

Kevin Faust
Long Prairie, MN
320-732-3361

Allison Goodman
Mora, MN
612-242-6270 (cell)
320-679-5027 (home)

Doug Haydt
Rochester, MN
507-254-4676

Gayland Jones
Grand Meadow, MN
507-582-1356 (home)
310-562-1662 (cell)
leejones@hmtel.com

Gary Koechler
Independence, MN
763-479-3460

Dick Le Cocq
Mora, MN
320-679-5755 (home)
612-930-8457 (cell)
lazyranch@ncis.com

E.R. "Bud" Luce
Wyndwood Farms
Mayer, MN
952-657-2478

Chad Martinson
Leaning Pine Farm
Otsego, MN
612-860-6409

Bill McNamara
McNamara Farm Services
Buffalo, MN
612-819-7025

Dan Miller
Valley Hay Farm
Spring Valley, MN
507-346-2261 (farm)
507-259-6270 (cell)
dan@danbmiller.com

Ralph Miller, Jr
Medina, MN 55340
763-473-7601

Kevin Nelson
Nelson Farms
Hadley, MN
507-836-6818 (home)
507-227-4932 (cell)

Scott Nelson
Orleans Hay and Grain
Lancaster, MN
888-884-7246 or 888-553-3508

Don Olesiak
Brookston, MN
218-390-3595 (cell)
218-453-5669 (home)

Steve Salentiny
Valley Hay
Dundee/Fulda, Minnesota
507-468-2215

Waldo Schlipp
Isanti, MN
763-689-2077

John C. Siebenahler
Luverne, MN
507-283-4915
prranch@americanprairiepartners.com

Tim and Brenda Szymanski
Goodridge, MN
218-378-4119
hayfarm@gvtel.com

Norm Torbeson
Farmington, MN
507-645-4314

Jeff Varney
Loretto, MN
612-202-4784

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