

CARIBBEAN POULTRY ASSOCIATION

LIVE PRODUCTION SCHOOL

24 – 27th March 2004, Belize City, Belize

Hosted by: BPA, BAHA, MAF, IICA & CPA

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AGENDA

===== Good Idea

===== Positive Feedback

===== Confirmation

===== Confirmation & Financing In Place

Working Group Meetings

24 March 2003: Working Group Meetings Session Chairperson – Robert Best, Director, CPA

- Food Safety Programs – Patrick de Groot, Guyana Poultry Producers Association, Guyana
 - a. Food Residue (Antibiotics, Agri Chemicals, Heavy Metals, Other) Surveillance For Poultry Meats & Eggs – Dr Stephen St. John, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, Barbados/ CPEC
 - b. On-Farm Food Safety Program for Broilers – Dr Gabriel Brown, UWI SVM & On Farm Food Safety Specialist, Chicken Farmers of Canada/ CPEC
- Avian Health Programs – Dr. Keith Amiel, Chairman
 - a. Disease Free Surveillance – Dr Victor Gongora, Ministry of Agriculture & Cooperatives, Belize
 - b. Emergency Disease Preparedness – Dr. Cedric Lazarus, Ministry of Agriculture, Jamaica/ CPEC
 - c. Antibiotic Elimination Programs in the US/EU or both- Speaker to be provide by Dr William Serna-Elanco Or Manuel Contreras, Merial, USA (45 min)
 - d. CPA Dead Bird Disposal Program – Dr. Martin Smeltzer, APHIS/USDA & IICA
- CPA Animal Welfare Program - James Paul, Chairman
 - a. Jake Waddilove, Welfare Specialist courtesy Centre for the Development of Enterprise, Brussels, Belgium
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25 March 2003 – Morning Session Chairperson – Karl Khan, Chairman, Livestock and Livestock Products Board, Trinidad and Tobago

- Maximizing Early Chick Performance - Patricio Liberona, HUBBARD (45 min)
- Management for Heat Stress - Dr Scott Gillingham, AVIAGEN (45 min)
- Global Trends in Poultry Industry Antibiotic Use:Lessons for Caribbean Poultry Industry and Regulators – Speaker to be provide by Dr William Serna-Elanco, USA (45 min)

25 March 2003 – Afternoon Session Chairperson – Donald Edwards, Chairman, Antigua and Barbuda Poultry Association, Antigua

- Experience in Management of Broiler Farms – Winfred Bakker, Cobb-Vantress Inc, USA, Or Amir Nilapour, Grupo Melo, Panama (45 min)
- Tunnel Ventilation – Vaughan Earle, Field Engineer, Best Dressed Chicken, Jamaica Broilers, Jamaica (45 min)
- Managing Modern Broiler Farm Equipment - Jim Robinson, INDIV, USA (45 min)
- CPA Animal Welfare Program - Jake Waddilove, Welfare Specialist courtesy Centre for the Development of Enterprise, Brussels, Belgium (45 min)
- Working Group Sessions

25 March 2003 – Evening Opening Ceremony - Master of Ceremonies – Orlando Habet

- Improving Competitiveness through Belize Disease Surveillance Programs – Nerie Sanz, Managing Director, Belize Agricultural Health Authority (5 min)
- CAFTA and the Challenges and Opportunities for Central American and Caribbean Poultry Producers – Jorge Bucaro, Manager, Federation of Central American and Caribbean Poultry Producers (FEDAVICAC) (10 min)

- Belize Poultry Industry Initiatives to Improve Competitiveness – Bernhard Bergen, Chairman, CPA (10 min)
- Opportunities and Challenges of FTAA for Caribbean Poultry Industry – Servulo Baeza, Minister of Agriculture, Belize (20 min)
- Vote of Thanks – Orlando Habet
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26 March 2003 - Morning Session Chairperson – Dr Ariston Lyte, Guyana Poultry Producers Association, Guyana

- Emerging Poultry Diseases of Trade & Economic Importance – Dr Richard Julian, Ontario Veterinary College Canada (45 min)
- Belize Poultry Disease Free Surveillance Programs: , Lessons for CARICOM Producers –Dr.Victor Gongora, BAHA (45 min)
- US Experience in Emergency Disease Management Programmes – Dr. Martin Smelter, APHIS, USDA, USA (45 min)
- Caricom Emergency Poultry Disease Management Program – Dr Cedric Lazarus, Ministry of Agriculture, Jamaica (45 min)

26 March 2003 - Afternoon Session Chairperson - Dr Subhas Ganpat, Manager, Suriname Poultry Association, Suriname

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- Traceability in Poultry – Nydia Garcia, FEDAVICAC (45 min)
- Food Borne Disease Surveillance and Management – Michael Deshield, BAHA (45 min)
- Caricom Food Borne Diseases and Residues Surveillance Program - Stephen St. John, MOA Barbados (45 min)
- Caricom On-Farm Food Safety Program For Broilers – Dr Gabriel Brown, UWI-SVM (45 min)
- Feed Formulation for Consumer Health (BSE, Dioxin, etc) Concerns - Dr Sergio Madrigal, DSM Nutritional Products
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- Discussion and Appraisal – Delegates (30 min)
- Conclusion – Robert Best

Optional Pre School Field Trip and Itinerary

March 22, 2003 – Ben Rempel, Blue Creek Community

- 7:00 Depart to Spanish Lookout Mennonite Community
- Mayan Breakfast on the bus – Can you arrange this?
- 08:45 Reimers Feed Mill & Corn Farm (Drive past a corn field and give them 2 – 3 pages of statistics on corn peroduction acres, farmers, MT, cost structure etc – Denver Plett?
- 10:05 Broiler Breeder - Abe Thiessen
- 11:15 Table Egg Farm - Menno Dyck
- 09:45 Country Foods - Egg Depot – Name of person leading tour

10:40 Broiler Farm - John Dueck
Farm Store 20 minutes
09:10 Quality Poultry Processing Plant – Name of person leading tour
11:45 Lunch: Spanish Lookout Menonite Community

March 23, 2003 – David Thiessen, Spanish Lookout Community

Depart for Orange Walk
15:00 Soyabean Processing Plant Project Site, Yo Creek – Name of person leading tour
16:40 Visit Broiler Farm
15:30 Name of Plant, Shipyard Mennonite Community – Name of person leading tour
17:15 Depart Shipyard for Belize City
19:00 Arrive at Hotel in Belize City at 8.00pm that's OK
Registration & Cocktails – CPA – Robert Best

Optional Tourist Visit & Delegates Departure

27 March 2003 – Belize Tour Operators
- 7.00 am Mayan Temple (00.00 USD)
- 1.00 pm Barrier Reef (00.00 USD)

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Funded by: Lets start keeping track of who is doing what

CPA Members (Participants)
Belize Poultry Association (Participants)
Belize Agricultural Health Authority (Dr Victor Gongora, Dr Michael De Shield)
CIDA/ CPEC /CPIIP (Dr Gabriel Brown, Suriname/ Guyana/ OECS Govt Vets)
Centre for Development of Enterprise (Richard Joseph -> Animal Welfare/ Jake Waddilove,
Antibiotics in EU)
Inter American Ins. for Cooperation in Agric.(Wayne De Chi ->Dr Martin Smetlzer/USDA)
American Soybean Association (Robert Thomas-> Dr Cedric Lazarus)
WINCORP (Syd Mogg ->Tunnel Speaker, speak to CB)
INDIV (Paul Lipscomb -> Jim Robinson)
Elanco (William Serna -> Antibiotics in US/Latin America)
DSM Nutrition Products (Sergio Madrigal -> Nutrition Speaker)
(IDEXX/ -> Dr Richard Julien/ Poultry Diseases)
Hubbard (Patricio Liberon a -> Chick Performance)
AVIAGEN (Paul Cohen -> Heat Stress Speaker)
Cobb Vantress (Winfred Bakker)
Yum (KFC) Restaurants Int (Avian Welfare Standards)