

Event programme

	Manxman room	Compton room
8.15 - 9.00	Trade area	
9.00	Welcome, introduction & actionable insights brief overview	
9.05	AHDB 2026 GB Calf Strategy. Smarter starts: making data-driven decisions about every calf	
9.30	One size doesn't fit all: choosing the right milk replacer to maximise long-term performance Sponsored by Feed For Growth	
10.00	Setting calves up for success: managing respiratory health in rearing units Sponsored by Boehringer Ingelheim	
10.30 - 11.00	BREAK Refreshments and trade area	
11.00	Holistic pneumonia control Sponsored by Zoetis	Correct nutrition to avoid weaning checks Sponsored by ForFarmers
11.30	Welfare, growth, and profit: the case for optimum calf housing Sponsored by Galebreaker	Common rumen development pitfalls: what's happening on the inside and how can a whole-farm approach drive better results Sponsored by ARN
12.00	The essential edge: a practical guide to using injectable trace minerals for resilient youngstock Sponsored by Virbac	The next generation: protecting and prioritising youngstock Sponsored by MSD
12.30 - 1.30	LUNCH Refreshments and trade area	
1.30	Feeding whole milk or CMR – what's the best option? Sponsored by Holm & Laue	
2.00	Nutrients for resilience: practical youngstock nutrition that drives lifetime performance Sponsored by Trouw Nutrition GB	
2.30	Calf Rearer of the Year Award Sponsored by Wynnstay	
2.40 - 3.10	BREAK Refreshments and trade area	
3.10	Untapped – The critical role of water in calf nutrition Sponsored by Cargill	Shaping the next generation of herds through genomics Sponsored by Neogen
3.40	Clean water: the key to unlocking peak herd performance Sponsored by Intemax	From DNA to dairy profit – building a system that works Sponsored by Cogent
4.10	Complementary feed and environmental biosecurity: a perfect start for the calf Sponsored by Kersia	The first 24 hours: optimising interventions for improved youngstock performance Sponsored by NoBACZ
4.40	END	

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