

Mitchell Veterinary Services Pauly Veterinary Clinic

243 Ontario Road P.O. Box 1224 Mitchell, Ontario NOK 1NO Phone (519) 348-9711 Fax (519) 348-4432

62 Main St. S. P.O. Box 359 Milverton, Ontario NOK 1M0 Phone (519) 595-8888 Fax (519) 595-8758

Dairy Newsletter June 1, 2016

Mitchell Veterinary Services would like to introduce Dr. Rachel Poppe as a Food Animal Veterinarian joining our practice. Rachel comes to our practice with a strong interest in cattle, horses and pigs. She

grew up on a Perth County pig farm and spent many years working on a dairy farm. She also has equine experience from working with her Quarter Horse, Kanga.

Rachel graduated with distinction from the Ontario Agriculture College in 2012 with a Bachelor of Science in agriculture and later with distinction from the Ontario Veterinary College in 2016 with her Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. She was the 2016 recipient of the Ontario Association of Bovine Practitioners' Herd Management award from OVC.



Rachel looks forward to bringing the most up to date knowledge in veterinary medicine to Mitchell Veterinary Services and working with you and your dairy herd.

IMRESTOR NOW AVAILABLE FOR BOOSTING FRESH COW HEALTH AND REDUCING MASTITIS

Imrestor is a newly released product that when given to cows at calving stimulates their neutrophils which are the white cells that fight disease. Around calving the cow is under

significant stress due to the hormonal and body changes associated with calving. These stresses weaken the cow's immune system which is her ability to fight infections and disease. The decrease in neutrophil function can range from 25% to 40%. Imrestor will increase the numbers of these white cells and also improve their ability to attack disease organisms. This injectable protein is given one week before calving and again one day after calving. In clinical trials a 31.9% drop in clinical mastitis during the first 30 days post calving was observed.



More information on Imrestor will be available soon. Ask us about using this innovative product in your dairy cows.