

Assistant Herd Manager/ Trainee Assistant Herd Manager- job post

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Shrewsbury

£32,000 - £45,000 a year - Full-time

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Job details

Pay

- **£32,000 - £45,000 a year**

Job type

- **Full-time**

Shift and schedule

- **Weekend availability**
- **Night shift**
- **Day shift**
- **Monday to Friday**

Location

Shrewsbury

Benefits

Pulled from the full job description

- **Work from home**

Full job description

Assistant Herd Manager

570 Cows

Near Shrewsbury, Shropshire

Ref: BFLWIL

Introduction

Due to continued development of our client's superb dairy unit near Shrewsbury we require a full time assistant herd manager to not only consolidate but improve all aspects of dairy management. This really is one of the UKs finest dairy units, with fantastic results (please see a brief of the farm below).

The Farm

- Circa 570 cows achieving 13800 litres per cow (milk sold). Current milk solids of 1016kg Butterfat 3.98 Protein 3.26 Bactoscan 17 and SCC 97 with 4500 litres from forage.
- 250 head of youngstock, average age of calving 22 months.
- Preg rate, 28% cows, 36.8% maiden heifers, services per pregnancy, cows 2.48, heifers 1.94.
- Less than 6 cases of mastitis per 100 cows with no antibiotics at drying off
- 22:22 parlour with teat brush and ADF, milked x3 per day.
- Full TMR ration fed at the cubicle fence
- Indoor housed in excellent modern cubicles

The Role

This will be a concentrated role with focus on the milking herd and dry cows, working closely with the young herd manager and farmers.

- Milking as part of the team.
- Herd health, including vaccinations and immediate treatment of sick cows, cow monitoring and checks. Pre and Post calving checks.
- Assisting with record keeping and vet visits.
- Fertility including AI. Training can be provided.
- Working closely with the owners, vets, consultants and other farm staff on other aspects of the farm.

You must be enthusiastic, willing to work as part of a team and be extremely conscientious with excellent attention to detail.

The Package

- Competitive salary based on experience
- Accommodation 1 mile from the farm
- Excellent on farm and off farm training and support
- Regular time off

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Additional pay:

- Bonus scheme

Benefits:

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Flexible language requirement:

- English not required

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Work Location: In person