

# BC BROILER HATCHING EGG COMMISSION

# JULY 2017 NEWSLETTER

## INDUSTRY STATISTICS

**YTD Hatchability**  
83.2%

**Average Lay Cycle End**  
58 weeks

**Average Breeder Price**  
Female: \$9.30  
Male: \$11.43

**2017 Audit Stats**  
Premises to Audit: 72  
Premises Completed: 30  
Corrective Actions: 6  
2016 Corrective Actions: 5



### STAFF ANNOUNCEMENT

Effective July 21, 2017, Sarah Loehndorf has resigned her position here at the BCBHEC. Sarah has worked for the Commission as On-Farm Program Coordinator for 5-plus years. She will be missed but we wish her well as she moves onto her next opportunity.

### NEW POULTRY FIELD TECHNICIAN

The BCBHEC would like to welcome Stephanie Laframboise as our new Poultry Field Technician. Stephanie will be taking over the *Salmonella Enteritidis* (SE) testing as well as pullet placements and barn specifications. You will see her on-farm in the coming weeks.

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*The BCBHEC would like to wish all Producers and their families a happy summer!*

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### EUTHANASIA TRAINING

Hands-on euthanasia training for Producers is available from Canadian Poultry Consultants and Dr. Neil Ambrose. Both veterinarians will conduct on-farm training specific to your operation and discuss humane handling procedures as well as euthanasia options. To contact Canadian Poultry Consultants please email [admin@canadianpoultry.ca](mailto:admin@canadianpoultry.ca) and to contact Dr. Ambrose please email [dr.ambrose@sunrisefarms.ca](mailto:dr.ambrose@sunrisefarms.ca)

Pricing Orders

Period	Live Chicken	Hatching Eggs	Saleable Chicks	Day-Old Broiler Chicks
A-140	159.17¢/kg	518.25¢/doz	53.98¢/chick	72.91¢/chick
A-141	158.02¢/kg	518.58¢/doz	54.02¢/chick	72.95¢/chick
A-142	158.51¢/kg	528.73¢/doz	55.08¢/chick	72.01¢/chick
A-143	160.11¢/kg	535.71¢/doz	55.80¢/chick	74.74¢/chick
A-144	160.41¢/kg	532.11¢/doz	55.43¢/chick	74.36¢/chick

Production Cycles

Period	Start Date	End Date
A-138	July 10, 2016	Sept. 3, 2016
A-139	Sept. 4, 2016	Oct. 29, 2016
A-140	Oct. 30, 2016	Dec. 24, 2016
A-141	Dec. 25, 2016	Feb. 18, 2017
A-142	Feb. 19, 2017	April 15, 2017
A-143	April 16, 2017	June 10, 2017
A-144	June 11, 2017	Aug. 5, 2017