

AS I SEE IT — JOE MERNKA, GENERAL MANAGER

Thank you for your business W&H Coop Patrons!

Market Update:

Tariffs, tariffs, tariffs continues to be the hot topic which is really impacting both propane and fuel markets.

Propane is starting to see some builds of inventory on the national level, although we are still below the 5 year average. With the continued exporting volume, it could mean that propane struggles to see much lower volumes. If you were to pin me down and ask my opinion, I would be 60% that we will see a pull off of propane values. Having said that, I am not too optimistic that we will see a drastic reduction in the propane value with the national inventory being so low. If the inventory levels remain low throughout the summer, that could mean with any kind of normal winter higher pricing. This appears to be a year where you will want to have a propane contract in place.

For diesel fuel, as I am writing this on Thursday May 29th crude is hovering around the 60 point mark. The first week in June, we will be sending out contracts to those that contract fuel for last fall. I do believe that there is a good value here to take advantage of the lower priced crude.

As always, these are my opinions and are not always correct.

C-STORE AWARD



Please join us in congratulating the Fort Dodge and Humboldt Ampride stores on winning the 2025 Q1 Compliance Gold Score award with Chester's Chicken! Great job team!

Stop in and try some of our award winning chicken! You will be glad that you did!

PROPANE

If you watch your own propane levels, please give us a call so we can come out and summer fill your tank. If you are a routed customer, we will be out to fill your propane tank sometime before the end



Historically, the best time to contract propane is mid-May till mid-June. We offer prepaid, 10 cent down, and Budget contracts here at W & H Coop. Keep your eye out for these in the mail. We will be sending out the contracts for this coming winter the first week of June. If you are a larger consumer of propane, one of our

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sales people will be contacting you to set up an appointment to discuss your contracting needs.



Come on down to Fort Dodge Ampride, Humboldt Ampride, Eagle Grove, or Renwick and get something the kids will love! 4pc chicken bites and a mac and cheese for only \$5.99, and they can wash it down with an ice-cold frazil available in many flavors. We also have a new malt beverage available made by Carbliss in three delicious flavors for only \$3.99!