



B&D Rollers says, "We can take your existing rubber or steel rollers and recondition them to create rubber-coated, state-of-the-art rollers, called: THE CRUSHER®"

## Reconditioned Hay Rollers Boost Feed Quality, Cut Drying Time In Half

"Our rollers are 100 percent rubber contact rollers that go together like two rubber roller gears. They are balanced and trued to 1,000+ rpm's and they have no vibration, which saves on bearings and machine wear and tear.

"This saves farmers time and money! Using the machine's same tension system in the machine, the unique roller design can be used on any style machine," says Dan Ostrander, owner of B&D Rollers, Glenwood, Minnesota.

Hay producers are finding that THE CRUSHER® cuts drying time by 50 percent and have saved as much as \$15,000 or more in a season. How can this be?

"The unique roller design allows producers to cut and chop forage the same day, cut and bale the next, and in most cases, get the crop down to 18 percent moisture for next-day baling. The stem is completely compressed, leaving the leaves on for greater nutritional value as well as adding more tonnage per bale. All of this adds up to saving time and adding money to the bottom line," says Ostrander.

The quicker dry-down time has been proven in side-by-side comparison tests with CNH, New Holland, Kuhn, Hesston and Deere Hay Conditioners. "Our rollers won't plug, so you don't have to get off of the machine and waste time. The rollers are self-cleaning and gopher mounds do not pose a problem. The thick rubber design provides a cushion for rock and other debris to easily pass through without damage to the steel core. Further, the juices of the product are not permitted to seep into the



**The amount of moisture in the crop does not affect operation of the rubber-coated rollers, says the company.**

layer between the rubber and steel core, thus avoiding bond failure."

B&D Rollers has been in the business of coating industrial steel rollers with rubber and urethane products for more than 22 years. "With our knowledge and experience, it is our mission to provide the farming industry with the highest quality rubber conditioning roller and other products for the ag industry. Including Bale Rollers, Track Bogie Wheels and Stock Chopper balancing."

There are currently 200-plus machines throughout North America using THE CRUSHER®. Some of the rollers have already seen four seasons, and farmers have run thousands of acres through THE CRUSHER® with little to no wear. Rollers are fully guaranteed for 2 years. Dealers, Distributors, salesmen, and Mfg. Reps. inquiries welcome!

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## Handgun Shoots Shotgun Shells

"It's a hoot to shoot," says Gordon Bond, Bond Arms, about the company's premiere product, the Snake Slayer. With its 3 1/2-in. long barrel, the derringer type handgun shoots a .410 shotgun shell as well as an old-style, full size 45-caliber bullet. While many Bond Arms customers buy the small handgun for sport, others get it for serious business.

"Some of the people who carry it are out in the wilderness, working on pipelines or electric lines and use it for protection against snakes," says Bond. "They can't carry a shotgun and might miss with a rifle or handgun. One customer said he hit two Mojave rattlesnakes with one shot. They're a very aggressive snake, like the cottonmouth."

Others buy the Snake Slayer or one of five alternate models for a conceal-and-carry weapon where legal. With 14 twin chamber barrels with lengths of 3 1/2 or 4 1/4 in. to choose from as well as multiple grips, you can pretty much design your own. Barrels include the three most popular .45/.410, .357/.38 and the .22 long rifle, as well as a .357 Max, .45 ACP, .45 Colt, .45 Glock Auto, 44-40 Winchester, .40 S&W, 10 mm, 9 mm Lugar and the 32 H&R Mag.

Barrels can quickly be swapped with the aid of an L-wrench. The handguns feature an automatic extractor, a rebounding hammer on most barrels, retracting fire pins, crossbolt safety, spring loaded cammed locking lever, and stainless steel/satin poly finish.

Suggested retail prices for Bond derringers range from \$389 to \$599 for the top of the line Ranger model, complete with custom leather holster and black padded carry bag.

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