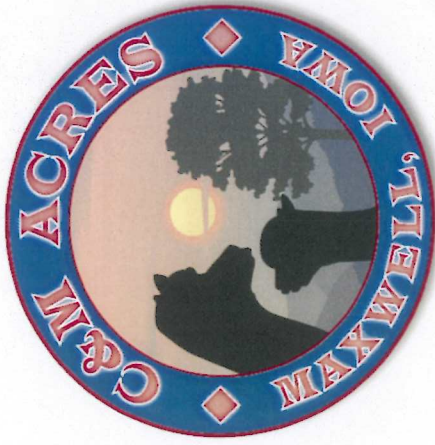
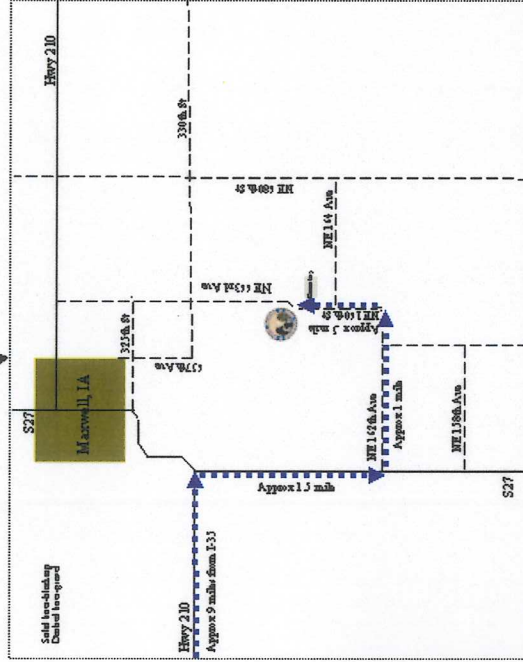
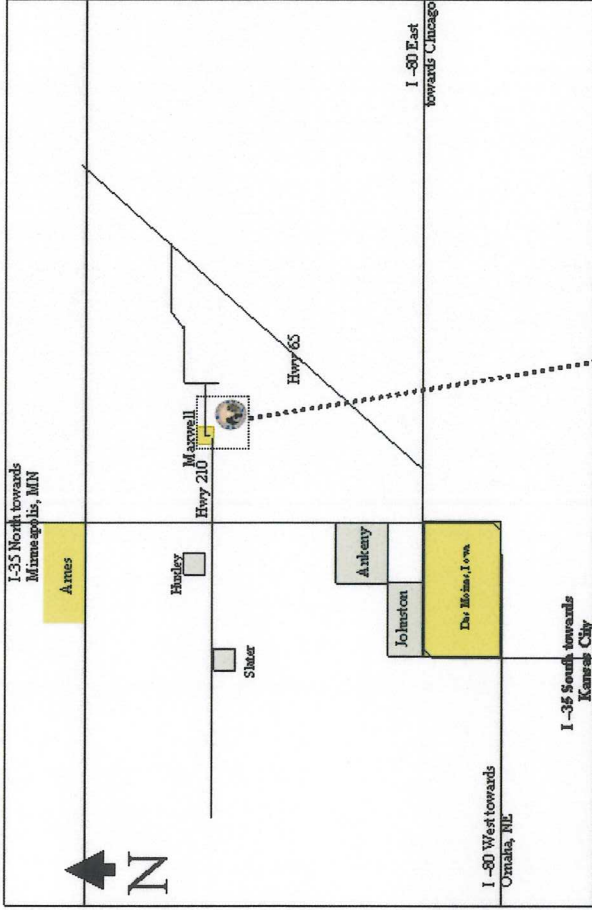


# Map to C&M Acres



## Alpacas, Alpaca Fiber, and Fiber Art in the Midwest



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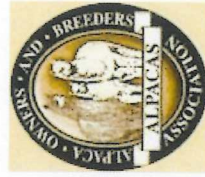




Welcome to C&M Acres. C & M Acres is a 20+ acre alpaca farm that is owned and operated by Christian and Michelle Davies. While our farm is located in central Iowa close to the main I-35 and I-80 interstate corridors crossing the state, we appreciate a very rural setting. We invite you to take a peek at the lifestyle that is working and living with alpacas.

Our intent is to raise quality, healthy, happy animals. We want to help educate people on what alpacas are, why raise them and how to take care of them. We work our own fiber so we can show people the complete cycle from animal to fiber products. We create alpaca garments and art from the fiber of our animals.

Come see us, our animals and our products. We welcome farm visits by everyone as well as offer classes.



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## What are Alpacas?

- First imported from the mountains of South America in 1984.
- Member of the camelid family. Close cousin to the llama.

Two types:

- Huacaya (teddy bear)
- Suri (dreadlocks)
- Sheared once a year for their fiber.
- 22 recognized colors
- A baby alpaca is a cria (cre a')
- An adult is approximately 36" tall and 170 lbs.
- They have two toenails on each foot.
- Gestation is 11 1/2 months.
- Like a camel, they have three stomachs.
- Natural Defenses are spitting, running and stomping.
- They like to run and prunk (hop).
- Eat hay and grain



- Breeding (mobile & farm)
- Agisting (boarding)
- Transportation
- Farm Set-up Assistance
- Classes –Raising Alpacas, Fiber Processing, Spinning and Weaving
- Business Planning
- Farm Tours
- -Individual and Group



- Animals for sale
- Bred and Open Females,
- Herd Sires, Yearlings, Weanlings,
- Pet Quality Animals
- Alpaca fiber for sale
- - Raw fiber and Rolags
- - Handspun and machine spun yarn
- - Handmade products made from our animals. Scarves, felting, wall hangings, etc



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