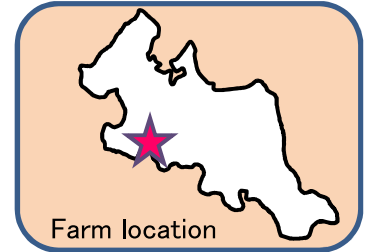




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# Izumi Ranch (Fukuchiyama City)

Using abandoned crop fields, we are planting rice straw, which then gets used for cattle feed or bedding



Farm location



We are working toward the beautification of the local environment in ways such as cleaning and weeding the area around our barn. We have installed electric fans in our barn to protect against the summer heat.

**Our calves are growing big and strong eating the hay and feed that we produce ourselves.**



We have been proactively taking on the management of locally abandoned fields, where food crops can no longer be grown, and planting rice, paddy rice, and feed rice for the purposes of getting rice straw for cattle bedding and feed.

On days when it's nice out, one of the things we do on the farm is we tie the cows to the paddock and give them a good brushing while they can soak up the sun. This helps maintain the cleanliness of the cows, as well as brings them closer to their caretakers through the human touch.

