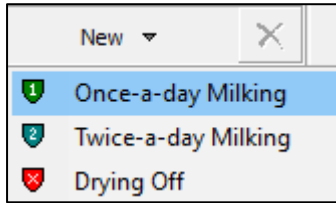
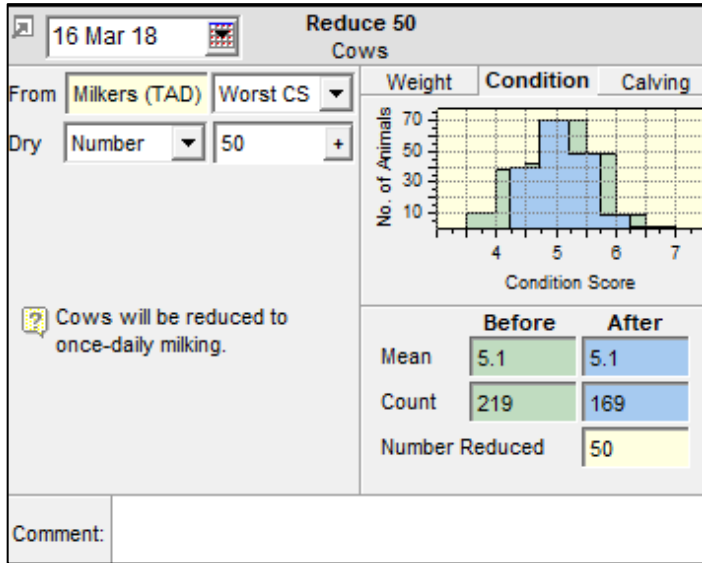


Once a Day Milking & Dry-offs



There are a few different ways to add OAD milking events in FARMAX. The simplest is to navigate to the **Numbers** screen for the milking mob you wish to add an event for. OAD events can be added in the **Dry Off** column by clicking into the month you wish to add the event for, and selecting **Once-a-day Milking** from the **New** drop-down menu.

Figure 1: Numbers screen, new event menu in the Dry off column.



Selecting this option will populate an event, within which you can add more specific information around the reduction to OAD.

Multiple OAD events can be added throughout the season to accurately represent changes in milking frequency, and cows can even be shifted back onto Twice-a-day milking (TAD) using a restore event (Figure 1).

A situation where restore events may be useful in practice is temporarily milking poorer condition cows OAD through mating to improve in-calf rate.

Figure 2: Example OAD Reduction of 50 lowest body condition score cows on the 16th March 2018