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Dear Friend of Pennsylvania Agriculture:

Welcome to the 106th Pennsylvania Farm Show! We are honored to host the nation's largest indoor agricultural expo and Pennsylvania's State Fair. Every January, Harrisburg opens its arms to throngs eager to see and taste the best of Pennsylvania's agriculture and food industry. This year's theme, **Harvesting More**, celebrates a long-awaited reunion after a virtual 2021 show. We'll showcase a harvested bounty of innovative projects, sustainable practices, empowered agriculturalists, engaged youth, and inspiring stories of our powerful agriculture industry.

The Farm Show is an annual stage where the bounty and quality of Pennsylvania agriculture shine. Whether you're a seasoned veteran, a first-timer vying for a blue ribbon, a long-time fan, or a brandnew visitor, we're glad you've joined us to celebrate the rivalry and revelry of our \$132.5 billion dollar agriculture and food industry.

Pennsylvania agriculture is a field rich with personally rewarding, diverse career options. Young people dreaming of the future can harvest a bounty of career inspiration, whether it's caring for animals, cultivating crops, enriching soil to produce life and beauty, navigating high-tech precision equipment to improve crop yield and reduce costs, protecting our precious land and water resources, or raising safer food to feed a hungry world. There is no better place than the Farm Show to meet people in those careers and see them skillfully demonstrate what they do and how they do it.

Food lovers will find ample opportunities to meet and support the neighbors who produce your food, to buy local goods, and to sample delicious food and beverages crafted by skilled culinary wizards and harvested from PA farms. And anyone can find hand-crafted creations to purchase or watch them being created by the skilled artisans who grace our great state.

In the span of eight exciting days and throughout our million-square-foot complex, the Farm Show brings together top youth and adult competitors from Pennsylvania's 108 county and community fairs to proudly display what they have planted, nurtured, cultivated, created, and harvested.

We hope you'll join us in **Harvesting More** as we celebrate our rich, agricultural past, present and future together at the 2022 Pennsylvania Farm Show.

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TOM WOLF Governor

Russell C. Redding Secretary of Agriculture

### Welcome to the 2022 Pennsylvania Farm Show!

#### Dear Friends:

On behalf of our Annual Friends, our Lifetime Friends, and the Board of Directors of the Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Foundation, Inc., it is again my wholehearted honor and privilege to provide words of **Welcome** to our tens and even hundreds of thousands of visitors to this year's 106th Farm Show. The past eighteen plus months have presented quite a challenge with the impact of the worldwide pandemic. Many, Many, Leaders of Pennsylvania's agricultural industry were able to pull together with the leadership of both the Farm Show and the Department of Agriculture to create a virtual Farm Show with the theme "Cultivating Tomorrow" for 2021. Although not in-person, Facebook, Instagram, and other forms of technology enabled thousands of individuals to interact and gain knowledge of some vital parts of Pennsylvania's #1 Industry – Agriculture. It is difficult to contain the enthusiasm that exists as we look forward to the 2022 Farm Show and to the in-person event that has excited visitors for over 100 years.

It is fitting that this year's theme would be *Harvesting More* after last year's theme of "Cultivating Tomorrow." Investing in tomorrow, whether it is equipment technology, livestock science, plant science, soil science, poultry science, IT technology or human educational development, will permit agriculturalists to **Harvest More** from all knowledge gained. Pennsylvania's farmers have been able to protect, in perpetuity, through Pennsylvania's Land Preservation Program, over 600,000 acres of prime agricultural land for all types of future agriculture production. The guarantee of this acreage will provide an opportunity for the hundreds of 4-H and FFA Students form across our great Common-wealth to one day put to use skills that they learned while being involved in competitions at the Farm Show. Another example of **Harvesting More** from knowledge gained by our younger generation of agriculturalists.

The Board of Directors of the Foundation is very proud to report, that since our financial support of the first Farm Show in 2011, the Board, as of the end of the 2021 Farm Show, has contributed over **\$1.3 Million Dollars** in support of our Mission Statement.

We are hopeful that this Visitor's Guide provides you with valuable information that enhances your educational experience at the 2022 Farm Show. The Foundation sincerely thanks the Visitor's Guide advertisers for their involvement and participation since, without their help, this publication would not be possible.

#### Thank you for being a friend of the Pennsylvania Farm Show. Enjoy the show!



William K. Riper

William L. Piper Chairman Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Foundation, Inc.

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The Foundation exists in order to stimulate, facilitate and support educational programs, incentives and events relating to the annual Pennsylvania Farm Show.

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### **Become a Farm Show AgExplorer!**

Have you ever wondered where milk comes from? Or how important bees are in the production of the foods we eat everyday? What about how Pennsylvania produces wood that is naturally renewable and sustainable? Discover all this and more when you become a Farm Show AgExplorer.

Stations are designed with the entire family in mind. Sponsored by DFA, Friends of the Farm Show Foundation, Inc. and Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, this unique program teaches visitors of all ages about Pennsylvania agriculture

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through fun, interactive and hands-on learning.

Back this year from the virtual Farm Show will be the online stations. If you are unable to join us in person, students will still be able to learn online at www.farmshow.pa.gov. To participate onsite, maps will help guide our explorers throughout the complex to interactive stations. Pick up your maps when you arrive at the show! All stations will be identified by the AgExplorer logo. Students will learn about a variety of agriculture commodities at more than 23 stations including:





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What's New at 2022 PA Farm Show?

### Food, Glorious Food – What would Farm Show be without it?!

New in the Food Court, PA Cooperative Potato Growers tempt you stop by for a pierogi. You're in for a treat if you haven't tried this PA favorite by way of our Polish and Russian roots.

Mushroom Farmers of Pennsylvania will offer melt-in-your-mouth shredded portabella nachos, savory wild portabella mushroom jerky, and fresh packaged mushrooms for you to take home and whip up mushroom culinary magic of your own.

**PA Vegetable Growers Association** has added **veggie burgers** and **veggie corn dogs** to its menu of tasty, wholesome PA-grown treats. Smacking your lips to whet your whistle with a tasty **PA craft brew**? For the first time, you can buy your favorite brew to take home and let the taste of Farm Show linger. New in 2019, and now eligible to sell products during the show, 121 artisan-crafted brews from 24 breweries were part of the **2022 Farm Show Beer Competition**. Now you can swig a sample and maybe even take home a Best in Class, Best of Show or a PA Preferred® Legacy Award winner.

Back by popular demand for a third PA Farm Show, but still new to Farm Show old-timers, the **Farmers Market** will be your Main Hall stop for take-home tastes of Pennsylvania. Find cheese, honey, maple products, potatoes, veggies, apples and more treats to grace your home table and keep Farm Show memories alive.

The State Horticultural Association of PA is getting in the culinary act with apple salsa, and apple sauce pouches. Q. What happens when your kids try apple cotton candy and Food Court-fave PA Maple Growers maple cotton candy? A. They'll be awake until Farm Show 2023!

Never fear, carnivores, **PA Livestock Association** has added **beef jerky snack sticks** to its meaty line-up of favorites. And **C&J Catering** will have **Momma D's pork & kraut bowls** and **shepherd's pie bowls** to feed your meat cravings. And for something new every day, and almost every hour, the **PA Preferred® Culinary Connection** stage in Main Hall is the place to see Pennsylvania's most talented chefs prepare their masterpieces. Sample everything from **Sweet Potato Donuts with Browned Butter Custard and Buttered Pecan English Toffee to Spicy Chicken Tangine** and **Chargrilled Broccolini**. Or have fun saying, "**Pork Schnitzel with Parsley Spaetzle**" three times fast. Be sure to grab a recipe book and some inspiration for your own culinary adventures.

### What's New at 2022 PA Farm Show? New Things to Do, See and Learn

Here's a sampling of what's new to do in our million square feet of fun, excitement and education.

**Canine Spectacular** – our furry best friends are also working wonders on the farm. Come be wowed by canine smarts, speed and agility in the Equine Arena on Thursday.

Webbed Wonders – Our fan favorite fluffy ducklings in the Water Fowl Habitat in the poultry hall will be both online live-cam and live after wild success during the 2021 Virtual Farm Show. From the comfort of your couch or up close in person, see how these webbed wonders work with an underwater view.

Bethlehem's **National Museum of Industrial History** is among new stops for kids in the Ag Explorer educational scavenger hunt. Kids can stamp their passport and about Pennsylvania's beginnings as we grew into the national and world agricultural leader we are today!

Virtual educational adventures will surround the New Holland Arena 2nd level concourse in **Nuts for You**, interactive learning experiences brought to you by PA State Police, PA Farm Bureau Friends of Agriculture Foundation and more.

Check out **Cowboy Church** in the New Holland Arena Sunday morning the 9th for a nondenominational down-on-the-ranch-style service. Bring your singin' voice and spurs if you got 'em. In the Main Hall's **So You Wanna' Be a Farmer** section, where you can learn all you need to grow your groceries or your hobby or earn a living, whatever size plot of land you have, find a new Urban Gardening feature – **Reinventing the Corner Store** with Philly's FarmerJawn CSA. Be wowed by wonders in small spaces, reclaiming and regreening city spaces to feed and unite neighborhoods.

Multiplying true to bunny form, two new breeds of rabbits are hangin' in our hutch. Find out what **Dwarf Papillon and Polish Lilac** have in common with tiny butterflies and purple posies.

Learn what it takes to be a **rodeo clown**, **barrel racer** or **rodeo queen** during the Frontier Finals Rodeo. Meet star competitors and rodeo luminary Anthony Lucia of Live with Lucia. Thrills and new features are jam-packed into three days of rowdy, raucous rodeo Jan. 13-15!

If noisy engines and raw power are your thing, the **Truck & Tractor Pull Demonstration** in the Equine Arena on Saturday the 8th is the place to be.

And finally, to work off some of that food-fueled steam, join the Farm Show Junior Committee for an all-comers **Cornhole Tournament** Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. and **Country Line Dance-off** Wednesday 5:30-7:30 p.m., both in the New Holland Arena.

Protect yourself while you protect our farms and our farmers. Don't forget to wash your hands after you pet the animals. Wear a mask and social distance when possible. If you're experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, please stay home and join the action online. The only kind of viral you wanna' be is a social media star! Follow us, and tag us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. @PAFarmShow #PAFS22

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ADMISSION IS FREE

Best time to arrive: between 9 a.m. and noon
Busiest time: weekends and weekdays 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

•Parking is \$15 at all Farm Show Complex-operated lots.

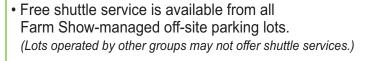
• Write down or photograph the parking lot name and location of your vehicle. Be prepared for heavy traffic and pedestrian congestion.

• Two offsite Farm Show lots offer free shuttle service for the entire show: East of the complex, at Elmerton Ave. and Sycamore Dr.; and directly North at Harrisburg Area Community College (HACC) on Wildwood Dr.

- Follow PennDot traffic signs to open parking lots. Signs on all major roads leading to the complex are updated throughout the day.
- Visit 511PA.com/farm\_show for travel times and route options, or download the app on your smartphone.







- There is a free, round-trip shuttle service between the complex and downtown Harrisburg on weekdays between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.
- Handicapped parking is available at all parking lots operated by the Farm Show Complex.

• Be careful around the animals. Farm animals can kick and bite, or move quickly, particularly if frightened or startled.

> If you have allergies to animals, hay or straw, plan accordingly.

• Wash your hands before eating or touching food. Remind children not to place their hands in their mouths without washing them first. Hand sanitizers are available throughout the complex.



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- Traffic leaving the HACC parking lot and the Elmerton Ave. parking lot will be directed away from Cameron Street.
- Directional signs will guide traffic to all major connecting roads, including Routes 81, 83, 322, 22, 39 and Front and Second Streets.

• The Farm Show Food Court opens Friday, Jan. 7 at noon and is open daily from 8 a.m. until show closing. (Only the Food Court will be open on Friday, Jan. 7. All other exhibits open Saturday, Jan. 8 at 8 a.m.)

 Most events and activities are free. There are admission charges for the PRCA rodeos on Jan. 13, 14 and 15 in the New Holland<sup>®</sup> Arena, Merry-Go-Round in the Main Hall, and the Butterfly House and kids' tractor ride in the Giant<sup>®</sup> Expo Hall.

• Among the most popular events, activities and displays are: the High School Rodeo, Rabbit Hop, Horse-Pulling competitions, the Culinary Connection, the Butter Sculpture, So You Wanna Be A Farmer, and the Sheep-to-Shawl competition.





- Cameron Street Lobby
- Maclay Street Lobby
- Northwest Corner Giant® Expo Hall
- New Holland<sup>®</sup> Arena

 The Pennsylvania State Police provide security and traffic management. State Troopers are continually touring the show. They may be reached on-site by calling 717-787-4171.

 A medical doctor and Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) are on-site during show hours. Find them in the Giant<sup>®</sup> Expo Hall, Crossroads connector link, and at the Cameron St. Lobby desk.

• Free manual wheelchairs are available at the security desk on a first come-first served basis.



We want you to enjoy your time at the Pennsylvania Farm Show. Dress appropriately. January can be very cold, and shuttle buses can be delayed due to heavy traffic. For more information visit **farmshow.pa.gov.** 

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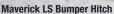


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Schedule of Events

### Thank you to these important sponsors!

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#### **Emergency Services Locations:**

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Locat	ion Key	LFS	Lancaster Farming Stage
BH	PA Preferred ® Banquet Hall	EL	East Maclay Street Lobby
ссс	Crossroads Conference Center	MHS	Main Hall Stage
E	East Hall	SA	Small/Sale Arena
-		GEX	GIANT Exposition Hall
KCC	Keystone Conference Center	EA	Equine Arena
NHA	Green malante Arena	EB	Equine Barn
CCS	Culinary Connection Stage	М	Main Hall

#### **Competitive Events**

 January 7
 closed to the public

 January 8
 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.

 January 9
 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.

 January 10 - 14
 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.

 January 15
 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.



#### CHECK OUT THE MOST UP TO DATE SCHEDULE HERE.

**Commercial Events** 

closed to the public

8 a.m. – 9 p.m.

8 a.m. – 8 p.m.

8 a.m. – 9 p.m.

8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Food Court

Noon – 9 p.m.

8 a.m. – 9 p.m.

8 a.m. – 8 p.m.

8 a.m. – 9 p.m.

8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Schedule of Events

#### TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (ALL TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 2022

10:00 a.m Swine JudgingSA
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#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 7, 2022

8:00 a.m	RING 1: Open Beef – Simmental, Sim/Angus/SimSolution	EA
	RING 2: Open Beef – Maine-Anjou, Mainetainer, AOB	EA
8:15 a.m	Supreme Champion Bred Gilt	SA
9:00 a.m	Rabbit Show Judging	NHA
	Bred Gilt Sale	SA
12:00 p.m	Food Court Opens	GEX
	Draft Horse Halter Class followed by Supreme Champion, Decorating Classes, & Riding Classes	EA
5:00 p.m	Sheep and Goat Clinic	SA
7:00 p.m	PA High School Rodeo Slack	NHA

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 2022

8:00 a.m	PA High School Rodeo Warm-Up	NHA
	Draft Horse Youth Showmanship and Decorating, followed by Cart Classes	EA
9:00 a.m	Pennsylvania High School Rodeo Association Championship	NHA
	Poultry Judging	.E
	PSU Extension Water Team - Stormwater Around Your Home	LFS
9:30 a.m	Blue Ribbon Apple Pie Contest	MHS
10:00 a.m	Opening Ceremonies	SA
	Rabbit/Cavy Youth Showmanship Contest, followed by Rabbit Youth Poster Contest	E
	Poultry Youth Showmanship Contest	.000
	Honey Extraction Demonstration – PA State Beekeepers Association	CCS
	Bailey LIttle Supporting Local PA Dairy Farming Presentation	LFS
	Chef Instructor Mike Ditchfield & Students from Pennsylvania College of Technology	CCS

11:30 a.m Junior Market Lamb Competition	SA
12:00 p.m Jessica DeLuise, The Wellness Kitchenista, host of Amazon Prime's "Eat Your Way to Wellness"	CCS
1:00 p.m Pennsylvania State Police Drill Team Demonstration	NHA
Thermador Chefs Challenge – "Iron Chef" Style Cook-Off with local Chefs & Media Personalities	CCS
2:00 p.m PA Preferred ™ Junior Baking Cookies, Brownies, & Bars Contest	MHS
Barry Crumlich, Exec. Chef, PA Governor's Residence, & Gale Ferranto, Pres. Buona Foods, Landenberg	CCS
PSU Extension Farm Stress Team - How to Cultivate a Productive Mindset	LFS
3:00 p.m High School Rodeo Meet and Greet	NHA
Equine Barn Open to the Public (until 8 p.m.)	EB
Anthony Bianco, Exec. Chef, Hilton Harrisburg	CCS
4:00 p.m Homemade Chocolate Cake Contest	MHS
Wes Trout, Sales Manager/Culinary Trainer for BOSCH & Thermador Appliances	CCS
5:00 p.m Pennsylvania High School Rodeo Association Championship	NHA
Farm Show Fashions with a Flair	BH
Grand Champion Jr. Market Lamb, Followed by Showmanship	SA
Jason Clark, Exec. Chef of Messiah Lifeways, Mechanicsburg, PA	CCS
6:00 p.m Wine Competition Awards Ceremony	MHS
Truck and Tractor Pull Demonstration	EA
Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers	CCS
Autumn and Canyon, Buffalo Mountain Bluegrass	LFS
6:30 p.m Beer Competition Awards Ceremony	MHS
7:00 p.m Cheese Competition Awards Ceremony	MHS
7:30 p.m Cider Competition Awards Ceremony	MHS

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 9, 2022

8:00 a.m RING 1: Junior Beef Breeding - Hereford, Simmental, Maine Anjou, Maine Tainer	EA
RING 2: Junior Beef Breeding – Angus, Shorthorn, Limousin, AOB	EA
Junior Market Swine Competition	SA
Phoenix Global LLC Presentation	LFS
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9:00 a.m PSU Extension - F.I.S.H (Stream Health)	LFS
9:30 a.m Cowboy Church Service	NHA
10:00 a.m Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers	CCS
10:30 a.m Pennsylvania State Police Drill Team Demonstration	NHA
4-H Demonstration - Franny McCloskey, General Cavy Care (Rabbits)	LFS
11:00 a.m Kristina Wisneski, Exec. Chef, Ripplewood Whiskey and Craft, Ardmore, PA	CCS
11:30 a.m 4-H Demonstration - Sarah Bupp, Rabbits	LFS
12:00 p.m Incredible Angel Food Cake Contest	MHS
David Santucci, Regional Sales Manager, Country Fresh Mushrooms, Avondale, PA	CCS
12:30 p.m Draft Horse Hitch Competition – 6 Horse Hitch and other Team Classes	NHA
PSU Extension - Mandel Smith, Dining with Diabetes Presentation	LFS
1:00 p.m Mandisa Horn, Owner/Exec. Chef, Horn 'O Plenty w/Gisele Barreto Fetterman, Second Lady of PA	CCS
2:00 p.m Junior Market Steer Show	EA
Rafael "RJ" Chef & Operator, KANTO Kitchen, Pittsburgh, & Joy Stanilka; Hilltop Urban Fa	rmCCS
3:00 p.m Kurt Wewer, Exec. Chef, Central PA Chef Consultants & Students from LEAF Project, Harrisburg	CCS
4:00 p.m Grand Champion Junior Market Swine, Followed by Showmanship	SA
Jelly/Jam Bar Contest: Christina Maser	MHS
Chef Instructor Chris Grove & Students from Pennsylvania College of Technology, Williamsport	CCS
5:00 p.m School Cooking Challenge with Students from Pennsylvania College of Technology, Williamsport	CCS
6:00 p.m Showmanship Clinic & Junior Exhibitor Party	SA
Honey Extraction Demonstration: PA State Beekeepers Association	CCS
7:00 p.m Goodnight Farm Show – Storytime	MHS

### MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 2022

8:00 a.m RING 1: Open Beef – Angus, Limousin	EA
RING 2: Open Beef – Hereford, Simmental	EA
Junior Market Goat Competition	SA
PA State FFA Assn. Convention set-up	NHA
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9:00 a.m FFA Demonstration – Disc bine Hub Maintenance	LFS
9:30 a.m FFA Demonstration – Identifying PA Fish	LFS
10:00 a.m FFA Demonstration – Equestrian Vaulting	LFS
PA/NJ Chapter of the American Chestnut Foundation	MHS
Honey Extraction Demonstration: PA State Beekeepers Association	CCS
11:00 a.m Agri-Magic Show	MHS
Autumn Patti, Chef Instructor & Students from HACC, Harrisburg, PA	CCS
12:00 p.m Aspects of Pottery – Samantha Benham	MHS
Jennifer Schmiel, RDN, LDN, & Shanna Shultz, RD, LDN, Nutritionists, The GIANT Company	CCS
12:30 a.m FFA Demonstration – The Trap to Change the Future	LFS
1:00 p.m Grand Champion Junior Market Goat Followed by Showmanship	SA
Honey Extraction Event – Celebrity Event	MHS
Joni Rampolla, RDN, LDN, & Holly Doan, RD, LDN, Nutritionists, the GIANT Company	CCS
FFA Demonstration – Rope Making	LFS
Barn Talk with Draft Horses and Their Owners	EB
1:30 p.m FFA Demonstration – Let It Flow & Let It Grow	LFS
2:00 p.m Pennsylvania State FFA Association Mid-Winter Convention	NHA
Keith Rudolf, Team Chef, The Philadelphia Phillies, Philadelphia, PA	CCS
3:00 p.m Beef Cattle Supreme Champion	EA
4H Engineering Design Challenge — Rube Goldberg	LFS
Shanna Shultz, RD, LDN, and Holly Doan, RD, LDN, Nutritionists, The GIANT Company	CCS
3:30 p.m Agri-Magic Show	MHS
4:00 p.m Buffalo Mountain Bluegrass Band	MHS
Kilene Knitter, MS, RD, LDN, & Charlotte Scheid, MEd, RDN, LDN, Nutritionists,	
The GIANT Company	CCS
5:00 p.m Supreme Champion Market Showmanship Contest	SA
Liam's Luck – Making Spurtles	
Shanna Shultz, RD, LDN, & Taylor Guskind, RD, LDN, Nutritionists, The GIANT Company	CCS
6:00 p.m Horse Shoeing and Sheep Shearing Demo	EA
Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers	

6:45 p.m Square Dance Parade	NHA
7:00 p.m Square Dance Competition	NHA
Sheep Herding Demonstration	EA
8:00 p.m Goodnight Farm Show – Storytime	MHS

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2022

7:00 a.m	. Scholarship Foundation Breakfast	BH
8:00 a.m	. Alpaca Show	EA
8:30 a.m	. FFA Demonstration – Repairing the Sheet Metal on a John Deere Corn Picker	LFS
9:00 a.m	. Mini-Horse and Mini-Mule Pulling Contest	.NHA
	Pennsylvania Farm Show Scholarship Foundation Awards	.SA
	4-H Potato Grading and Identification	KCC
	FFA Demonstration – Tree Stand Safety	.LFS
9:30 a.m	. Sale of Champions – Junior Market	SA
	FFA Demonstration – If the Horse Shoe Fits	LFS
10:00 a.m	. Fiber Arts & Sheep to Shawl – Addison Neff	MHS
	FFA Demonstration – Duck Duck Goose	.LFS
10:30 a.m	. Junior Market Animal Sale (Lambs, Rabbits, Goats, Swine, Cattle)	.SA
	FFA Demonstration – Hydroponics	LFS
11:00 a.m	. Agri-Magic Show	.MHS
	FFA Demonstration – We Hope This Isn't Tearable	.LFS
	Maple Production Demonstration – PA Maple Syrup Producers	.CCS
11:30 a.m	. Pony Pulling Contest	.NHA
	FFA Demonstration – Creative Centerpieces For Your Next Gathering	LFS
12:00 p.m	. Make It and Take It	.MHS
	4-H & Youth in Agriculture — Ryleigh Bell	.MHS
	FFA Demonstration – Buzzing Bees	.LFS
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1:00 p.m	. Agri-Magic Show	MHS
	Nicholas Arnold, Exec. Chef, and Alex Robertson, Garde Manager Chef; The Hotel Hershey	CCS
	FFA Demonstration – Setting Up Your Aquarium	LFS
1:30 p.m	. Horse Pulling Contest	NHA
	FFA Demonstration - Fishing Safety	LFS
2:00 p.m	. Duke Gastiger, Exec. Chef, Refarm, State College, PA	CCS
	Pennsylvania Gourds; PA Gourd Society	MHS
	Barn Talk with Draft Horses and Their Owners	EB
	FFA Demonstration - Care of Horse Tack and Equipment	LFS
2:30 p.m.	FFA Demonstration - Piglet Care and Management	LFS
3:00 p.m.	Thomas Long, Exec. Chef, HACC Chef's Apprentice; Steven Gump, Asst. Dining Supervisor, Harrisburg	CCS
	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
	FFA Demonstration	LFS
4:00 p.m	. Nicholas Webb, Chef Instructor, and Students from HACC	CCS
	Pennsylvania's Greatest Whoopie Pie Contest, Sponsored by Good Food	MHS
5:00 p.m	. School Cooking Challenge w/ Students from HACC, Harrisburg PA	CCS
5:30 p.m	. Cornhole Competition	NHA
	Draft Horse Hitch and Drive Demonstration	EA
6:00 p.m	. Honey Extraction Demonstration: PA State Beekeepers Association	CCS
	Mrs. Wages Pickle Contest	MHS
	Celebrity Rabbit Hop	SA
	Celebrity Feed Scurry, Youth Stick Horse Race and Salute to Veterans	EA
8:00 p.m	. Goodnight Farm Show – Storytime	MHS

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2022

8:00 a.m Speed Horse Demonstration	.NHA
Antique Tractor Display and Farm Activity Area	.EA
9:00 a.m FFA Demonstration – Healthy Soil Makes Healthy Plants	.LFS
9:30 a.m FFA Demonstration – Making Christmas Beautiful	.LFS
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10:00 a.m	. Honey Extraction Demonstration: PA State Beekeepers Association	CCS
	Youth Fleece to Shawl Contest	SA
	FFA Demonstration – Soil Testing for Nutrients	LFS
	Plant Propagation Demonstration	MHS
10:30 a.m	. FFA Demonstration – How to Safely Catch Wild Animals	LFS
11:00 a.m	. Doug Krick, Exec. Chef, Dodge City Steakhouse, Harrisburg, PA	CCS
	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
	FFA Demonstration – Creating Fall Centerpieces	LFS
	Barn Talk with Draft Horses and Their Owners	EB
11:30 a.m	. Youth Pedal Tractor Pull Registration	EA
	FFA Demonstration – Reading the Label (Pesticides)	LFS
12:00 p.m	Draft Horse Hitch and Drive Demonstration	NHA
	Keith Taylor, Pres. & CEO, Chefsoul Culinary Enterprises,	
	Exec. Chef, Zachary's BBQ & Soul, Harrisburg	CCS
	Make It and Take It	MHS
12:30 p.m	. Youth Pedal Tractor Pull	EA
1:00 p.m	. The Beef Slider Showdown: Kids Edition; presented by the PA Beef Council	CCS
	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
2:00 p.m	Speed Horse Demonstration	NHA
	Rick Larsen, Exec. Chef, Chocolatier, Hershey, PA	CCS
	Plant Propagation Demonstration	MHS
3:00 p.m	. Sheep to Shawl Contest	SA
	Ben Beaver, Exec. Chef; Ever Grain Brewing Company, Camp Hill, PA	CCS
	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
4:00 p.m	Antique Tractor Pull	EA
	Claire Dacko, Chef Instructor, and Students from	000
	Dauphin County Technical School, Harrisburg	
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·	School Cooking Challenge with Students from Dauphin County Technical School, Harrisburg	
5:30 p.m	Bid Calling Contest	
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6:00 p.m Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers	CCS
Make Mine Country	LFS
6:30 p.m Sheep to Shawl Auction	SA
7:00 p.m Fleece Auction	SA
Goodnight Farm Show – Storytime	MHS

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 2022

8:00 a.m	Horse Shoe Pitching Demo and Contest	EA
	Junior Dairy Goat Show	NW
	Angorapalooza	SA
8:30 a.m	WITF Smart Talk	LFS
9:00 am	Rodeo Queen Contest	NHA
10:00 a.m	Youth Ag Organizations – Hannah Hoover & Jessica Herr	MHS
11:00 a.m	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
	Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers	CCS
	Draft Horse Hitch and Drive Demonstration	NHA
12:00 p.m	Bluebird Society of PA: Building Bluebird Houses	MHS
	Cher Harris, Corporate Exec. Pastry Chef, Hershey Entertainment and Resorts	CCS
1:00 p.m	Exceptional Rodeo	NHA
	Lancaster Farming Newspaper Panel Discussion. POC Phil Gruber	LFS
	Army vs. Navy Cook-Off	CCS
2:00 p.m	CSC Jason Rohrs, Commandant's Flag Mess Manager, U.S. Coast Guard	CCS
	Barn Talk with Draft Horses and Their Owners	EB
2:30 p.m	Open Meat Breeding Sheep Show	
	(Shropshire, Southdown, AOB Wool, Merino, Natural Colored, Corriedale)	SA
3:00 p.m	Rodeo Warm-Up	NHA
	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
	SSgt Marilyn Hall, U.S. Air Force	

3:30 p.m	. Junior Dairy Cattle Showmanship	EA
	Junior Meat Goat Showmanship	NW
	PSU Extension - Master Watershed Steward, Get your Property Certified as Watershed Friendly	LFS
4:00 p.m.	Liam's Luck: Making Spurtles	MHS
	Michael Harants, Professional Chef Consultant, the U.S. Navy Deputy Program	CCS
4:30 p.m	. PSU Extension - Getting to Know Your Pond	LFS
5:00 p.m	. Junior Meat Breeding Goat Show – Hampshire, Tunis, Suffolk, Montadale, AOB Meat, Dorset	NW
	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
	Chad Brumbaugh, Chef Instructor, & Students from HACC, Harrisburg	CCS
6:00 p.m	. Junior Meat Breeding Goat Supreme Champion	NW
	Canine Spectacular (meet the breeds, basic obedience, agility demo)	EA
	Honey Extraction Demonstration: PA State Beekeepers Association	CCS
7:00 p.m	. First Frontier PRCA Circuit Finals Rodeo	NHA
	Goodnight Farm Show – Storytime	MHS

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 2022

6:00 a.m RODEO Warm-UpNI	HA
8:00 a.m Open Sheep Show (Dorset, Hampshire, AOB Meat,	
Montadale, Cheviot, Tunis, Suffolk) / Supreme Champion Wool	Ą
Dairy Cattle ShowEA	Ą
Open Dairy Goat ShowN	W
9:30 am First Frontier PRCA Rodeo Meet and Greet (hands on activities)	HA
10:00 a.m Century Farm AwardsLF	₹S
Plant Propagation DemonstrationM	HS
11:00 a.m Class Time with a Rodeo Clown (what it takes to be a rodeo clown, bull fighter, barrel man)NI	HA
Agri-Magic ShowM	HS
Honey Extraction Demonstration: PA Beekeepers Association	CS
Barn Talk with Draft Horses and Their OwnersE	3
11:30 a.m Live with Lucia (rodeo games and live interviews)NI 22 • 106 <sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Farm Show	HA

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12:00 p.m	Make It and Take It	MHS
	Leopold Awards – PA Department of Agriculture Executive Office	LFS
	John Moeller, Greenfield Rest.& Bar;	
	"Dining at the White House-From the President's Table to Yours"	CCS
1:00 p.m	Class Time with a Rodeo Clown (what it takes to be a rodeo clown, bull fighter, barrel man)	NHA
	Agri-Magic Show	MHS
	The Best Pork Belly Competition: Presented by the PA Pork Producers Council	CCS
1:30 p.m	PRCA Rodeo Queen Meet and Greet	NHA
2:00 p.m	Supreme Champion of Dairy Breeds	EA
	Jesse Burnham, Exec. Chef, C&J Catering at the Farm Show Complex, Harrisburg	CCS
	Plant Propagation Demonstration	MHS
	Draft Horse Hitch and Drive Demonstration	NHA
2:30 p.m	Celebrity Cow Milking Contest	EA
	Rodale Institute - The Future of PA is Organic	LFS
3:00 p.m	Rodeo Warm-Up	NHA
	Showmanship Clinic & Junior Exhibitor Party	SA
	David Mills, Exec. Chef, Butcher, Owner, Smoke and Pickles Artisan Butcher Shop, Mechanicsburg	CCS
	Hives for Heroes	MHS
3:30 p.m	Cumberland County Drill Team	EA
4:00 p.m	Bobbie, Miller, Chef Instr. & Students from Cumberland Perry Area Vocational School, Mechanicsburg	CCS
	Presentation by Cold Creek Farms	
5:00 p.m	. Sticky Bun Contest	
F	School Cooking Challenge with Students from Cumberland Perry Area Vocational School	
5:30 p.m	Jr. Breeding Sheep Showmanship	SA
·	Dairy Goat Best Doe in Show	
6:00 p.m	PA Equine Showcase	
,	Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers	
	Devon Beck, Singer/Songwriter	
7:00 p.m	First Frontier PRCA Circuit Finals Rodeo	
	Goodnight Farm Show: Storytime	
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8:00 p.m Best Doe in Show	NW
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### SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 2022

4:30 a.m	Rodeo Warm-Up	NHA
6:00 a.m	Equine Showcase Warm-Up	EA
8:00 a.m	Boer Goat Show	NW
	Junior Breeding Sheep Show	SA
9:00 a.m	PA Equine Showcase	EA
	FFA Demonstrations – Tractor Restoration	LFS
9:30 a.m	FFA Demonstrations – Tractor Restoration	LFS
10:00 a.m	Junior Committee Auction Preview	MHS
	FFA Demonstrations – Tractor Restoration	LFS
	Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers	CCS
11:00 a.m	Junior Committee Auction	MHS
	FFA Demonstrations – Tractor Restoration	LFS
	Will Shaw, Sous Chef, Bear's Den at the Hershey Lodge & Convention Center	CCS
12:00 p.m	Rodeo Warm-Up	NHA
	FFA Demonstrations – Tractor Restoration	FS
	Kimberly Brock Brown, American Culinary Federation	
	National Pres., Author, Celebrity Chef, Speaker	CCS
12:30 p.m	FFA Demonstrations – Tractor Restoration	LFS
1:00 p.m	Master Showmanship Competition	NW
	Tractor Restoration Awards Ceremony	LFS
	Undeniably Dairy Milkshake Contest presented by the American Dairy Association North East	CCS
	Apple Sale	MH
2:00 p.m	Van French, Pastry Chef, The Hotel Hershey	CCS
2:30 p.m	Lumberjack Demonstration and Competition	EA
3:00 p.m	Amanda Allen, Exec. Chef, Falafel Shack, Chambersburg, PA	CCS
4:00 p.m	First Frontier PRCA Circuit Finals Rodeo	NHA
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The FFA State Officer team is elected each year at their annual convention in June. A committee of their peers interview and select seven individuals to serve a one-year term. Each officer spends a gap year traveling the state as agriculture ambassadors, promoting agriculture, agriculture education and the FFA.

The FFA promotes premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agriculture education. FFA doesn't exist without the agriculture education classroom across the United States. Located in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the Vir-

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This talented group of young people represent a slice of the diversity and breadth of Pennsylvania's agriculture industry. We are Pennsylvania proud of the team and all FFA members across the common-wealth

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Their outreach provided young artist interested in working on various Farm Show projects.

There were three artist selected for three projects.

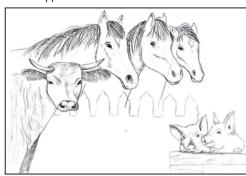


Elise Beishline, 10th grade art student from Montoursville Area HS was selected to Illustrate Good Night Farm Show, a book written by Mary Klaus.



Addison Delany, 11th Grade art student at Montoursville Area High School was selected to Illustrate the new "Nut's for Education" display located in the New Holland Arena Upper concourse.

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Sarah Stout, 11th grade art student from North Pocono High School was selected to illustrate the coloring contest pages.



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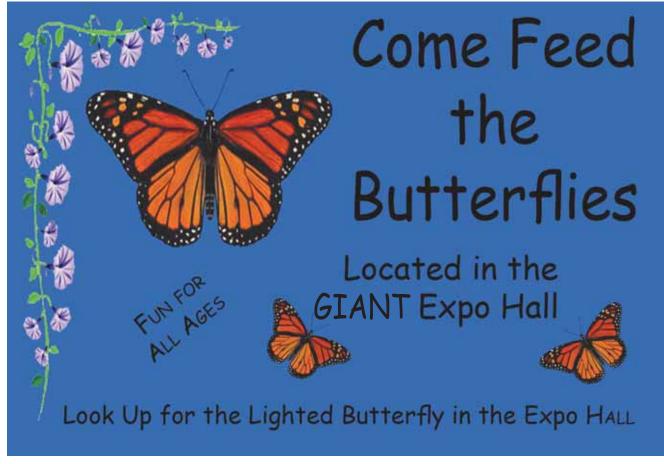
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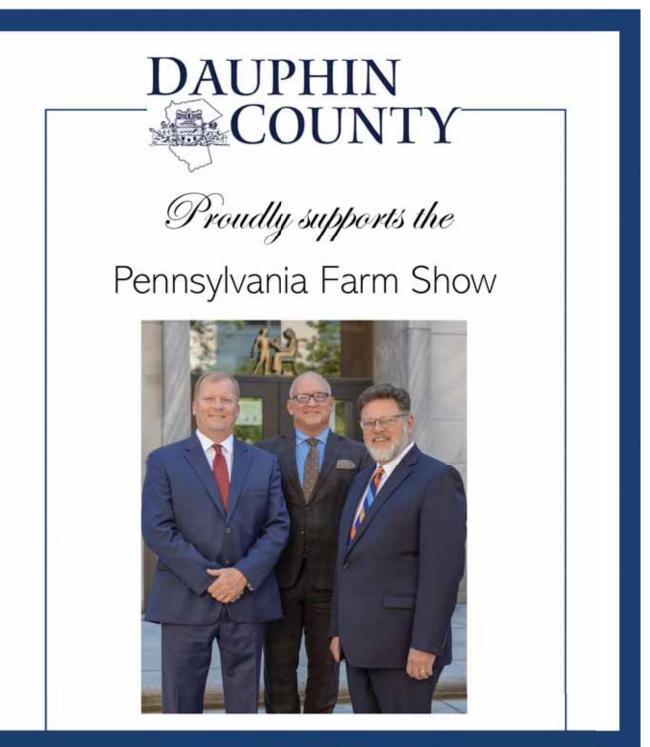
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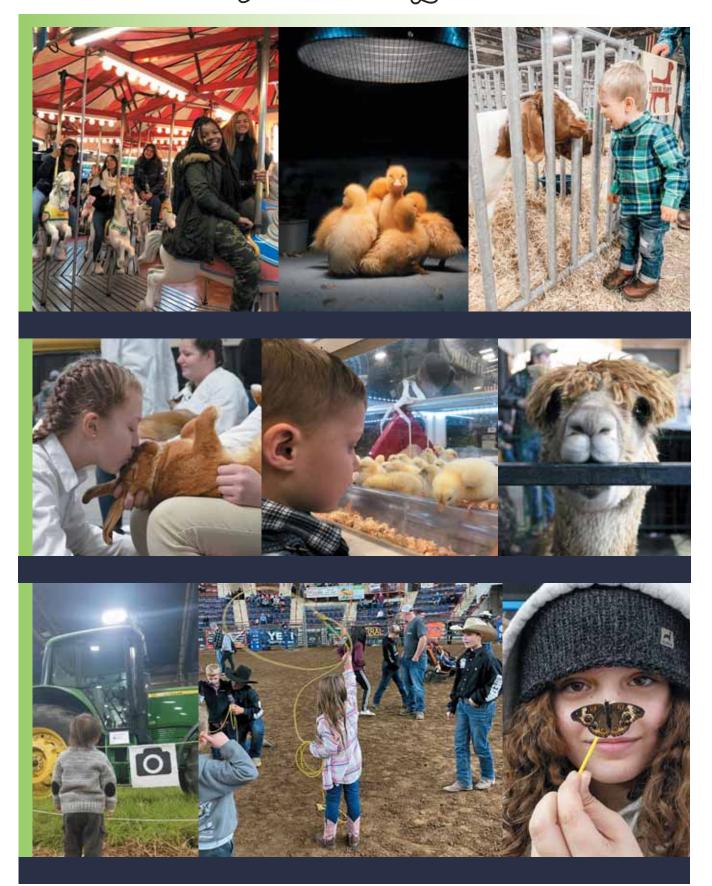
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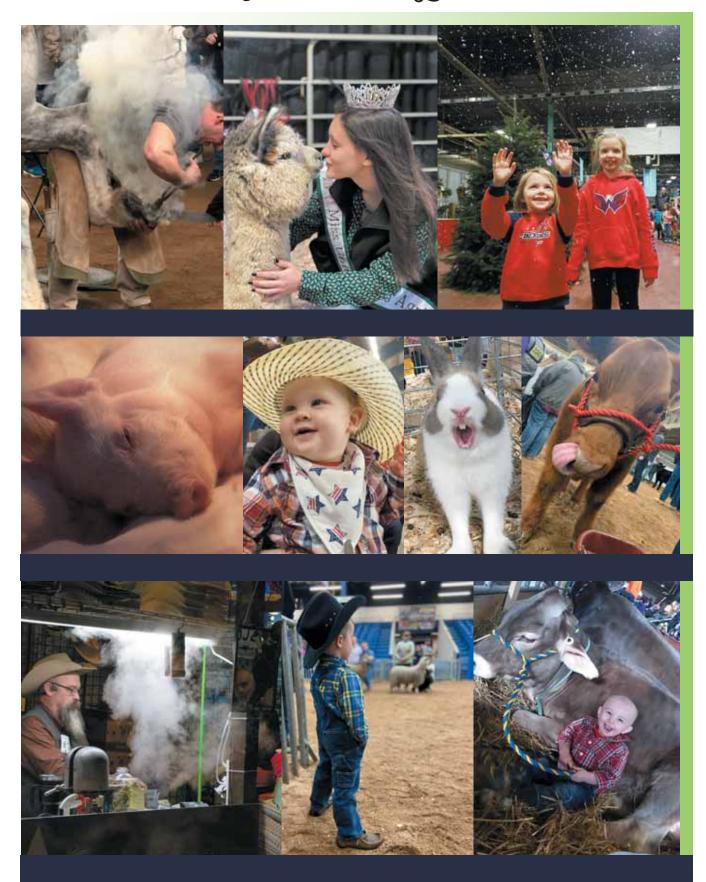
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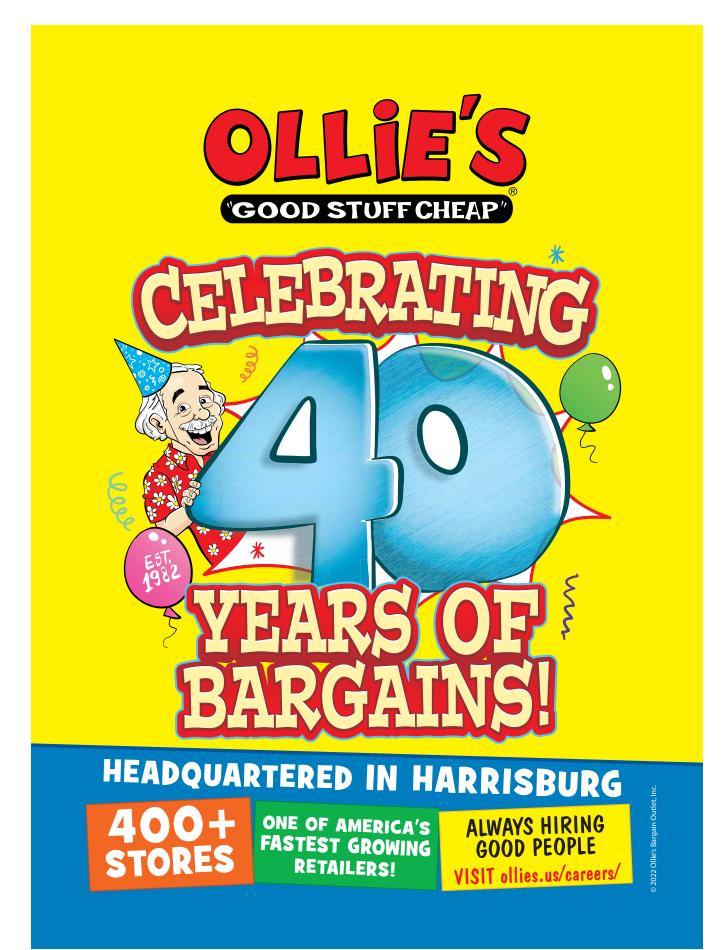
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Touring the Food Court

## Farm Show Food Court Serves Up Rich History, Delicious Eats

#### **By Mary Klaus**

There's something about the Pennsylvania Farm Show that makes people hungry. Always has been, always will be.

No food was available for purchase on Jan. 23, 1917 when the first Farm Show opened. Yet visitors to the first show, held in a farm implement building at 10th and Market streets in Harrisburg, got hungry just looking at exhibits of apples, celery, carrots, corn, turnips, potatoes, milk and butter.

Over the next few years, the Farm Show outgrew its original home and spread to about a dozen locations. By the 1923 Farm Show, a hungry visitor could buy a baked potato for a nickel. The tradition of eating at the Farm Show was born.

Farm Show food for decades consisted of baked potatoes, milkshakes, apple, honey, chicken and various



honey products, all sold at the end of the Main Exhibition Hall. Religious and civic groups also sold everything from subs to hot dogs. The Farm Show Complex lunch bars and cafeteria also sold food.

In 1991, the various agricultural commodity food booth were moved into a section of the East Hall dubbed the Farm Show Food Court. The name has stuck. Years later, the Food Court moved into what is now called the Giant Exposition Hall.

Now, the Food Court consumes about 40% of the 172,000 square foot hall with various commod-

ity booths and has a smaller presence in the Main Exposition Hall.

After walking around the 24acre Farm Show Complex, few visitors can resist the thick chocolate milkshakes, deep fried vegetables, fluffy maple cotton candy and rich sticky buns available in the Food Court. If they look behind the food, they'll also find a rich history.



**Pennsylvania State Beekeepers Association** sells honey, honey ice cream, honey waffles and beehive products. It also features the Fisher family.

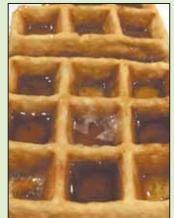
The late Merle P. Fisher, a Mifflin County beekeeper, participated in the Farm Show since 1932 and managed the honey booth there for decades. These days, J. Aaron Fisher – Merle's grandson, a third-generation beekeeper and a sixth-generation farmer – runs the stand.

Wearing a dressy shirt, a bow tie and a big smile, Merle Fisher brought a friendly feel to the honey booth. He also started the Pennsylvania honey queen program in the 1950s, financing it with profits from the sale of honey ice cream at the Farm Show.

Fisher loved and lived for the Farm Show. Fellow beekeeper Stewart Mathias of Hummelstown, another longtime worker at the State Beekeepers' Association Farm Show booth, recalled how he and Fisher slept overnight at the Farm Show dur-

ing a big snowstorm in 1960.

The next morning, he said, "We made waffles and fed everyone." Fisher did same thing after a blizzard dumped 22.2 inches of snow on Harrisburg during the 1996 Farm Show. He served waffles, honey ice cream and coffee to hungry visitors.



Touring the Jood Court

Pennsylvania Cooperative Potato Grow-

ers Inc., which sells baked potatoes, baked sweet potatoes, fresh cut French fries and potato doughnuts, has the longest food presence at the Farm Show. The cooperative turns 100 in 2022.

The group's baked potatoes debuted in 1923 for a nickel each. Rahn Troutman of Dornsife, potato booth manager for decades, said that "a potato farmer baked some potatoes, put them in a cooler to keep them hot, set up across the street one of the buildings where the Farm Show was being held and sold them. They were popular."

Nathan Tallman, cooperative CEO, said that Mrs. Frank Diehl of Hegins bought the 1 millionth Farm Show baked potato in 1952.

"That year then Sen. Richard Nixon of California spoke to more than 700 people at the cooperative's banquet at the Farm Show," Tallman said. "His nephew, Dr. Ernest Nixon, worked for the cooperative developing varieties of potatoes and making fertilizer recommendations."

President Richard Nixon spoke about the world Communist conspiracy, calling Communists "our major potential enemy." Ernest Nixon talked about potatoes, noting that the one million potatoes required seven tons of butter and a million dashes of salt.

Troutman, whose parents met on a high school trip to the Farm Show, started working at the potato stand with them when he was 10. Back then, baked potatoes sold for 60 cents. The

booth also sold potato doughnuts and French fries.

"When we were in the main hall, we were near milkshakes and apples," he said. "We stored our potatoes in a storeroom 50 or 75 feet away and carried each bag of potatoes in. It was really crowded."

"Baked potatoes used to be our most popular item because people like potatoes with their meals," Troutman said. "Now, it's between French fries and potato doughnut. Years ago, we sold 12 to 15 tons of baked potatoes at the Farm Show. Now, we sell eight tons of baked potatoes and 12 tons of French fries. The cooperative uses the money for potato research at Penn State, for scholarships and to promote potato consumption."

The potato booth has seen changes over the years. The cooperative bought bigger, faster

doughnut making equipment to increase production. These days, workers use three doughnut machines and gas convection ovens.

The cooperative staffing increased from 35 to 40 workers years ago to 65 to 70 workers now who staff the potato booths in the Exposition Hall and Main Hall.



"It's like one big family," Troutman said. "We've had up to four generations of one family working at one time. We also get college students on winter break, friends, etc.

He recalled the Blizzard of 1996, saying he left the Farm Show Complex amid the snow the night before.

"The potatoes weighed my van down," he said. "When I got to Millersburg, my van was able to push snow. We got a phone call that the governor declared a state of emergency and that roads would be closed."

> Although Troutman didn't get to the Farm Show the next day, the booth had lots of doughnuts left. "We called security and told them to set the doughnuts out so people could help themselves," he said.



## Touring the Food Court



**Pennsylvania Dairymen's Association** has been selling milkshakes at the Farm Show since 1955. It also sells deep fried mozzarella cubes with marinara sauce, toasted cheese sandwiches, white and chocolate milk, ice cream sundaes and ice cream cones.

The association provides the ingredients while Valley Grange 1360 of Lewisberry provides the volunteers to staff the booth. The public drinks more than 100,000 milkshakes each Farm Show.

Over the years, the association has featured three women it calls "the Golden Girls of Farm Show

Milkshakes" – Janet Eppley, Fae Snyder and Betty Yinger, who made milkshakes for six decades.

"When I started selling milkshakes in 1955, they cost 25 cents," Snyder said during an interview at the 2020 Farm Show. "We would put bricks of vanilla ice cream in a cup, add vanilla or chocolate syrup, add milk, put the stainless steel sleeve

on the milkshake machine and turn it on. Each milkshake was made separately. We made about half vanilla and half chocolate." Years later, the workers began using a liquid mix for the milkshakes.

Snyder said she loves working at the stand and seeing the same customers each year. She said sales



usually are brisk, although "once it starts snowing, people leave. Otherwise, they buy a lot of milk-shakes. It's a long day here but I just love it."

Pennsylvania Maple Syrup Producers Council has one of the sweetest stands in the Food Court, where it sells maple syrup, maple sugar, maple candy, maple sundaes, maple yogurt, maple cotton candy, maplecoated nuts, maple cream sugar and cookbooks.

Jim and Dora Tice of Mainsburg in Tioga County have worked in the stand since 1993. They tell people that maple is not just for breakfast.

"I especially remember working here during the Blizzard of 1996," Jim Tice said. "When we left, I bought a snow shovel from another vender. I drove my Dodge Caravan to a hotel in Harrisburg and we stayed till the next day. I helped people dig their vehicles out from that snow. I still use that same snow shovel!"



He said the maple stand rotates 20 to 25 volunteers a day through the booth, which does a steady business.

## Touring the Food Court

#### Pennsylvania Livestock Asso-

ciation sells roast beef sandwiches, ham and cheese sandwiches, beef meatball sandwiches, pork barbecue sandwiches, lamb stew, hot dogs, beef sausage, Italian sausage, steak salad, ham salad, gluten-free meatballs, horseradish and pink lemonade, walking goat tacos.

Mike Firestine has worked in the Livestock Association booth for about 45 years. He remembers when the booth was in the Main Hall.

"When I first started, we sold roast beef sandwiches, ham sandwiches, barbecue and shepherds stew with roast beef as our best seller," he said. "We later added to our menu. Now we even offer goat meet along with lamb, pork and beef."

Firestine recalled various governors enjoying the association's food and especially remembers a "young lady who said she was a vegetarian, tasted her husband's pork barbecue and wanted to buy half a pork barbecue because she liked it so much!"

Like other booth workers, Firestine said that the Blizzard of 1996 stands out in his mind.

#### Pennsylvania Mushroom Growers Coop-

**erative** sells fried mushrooms, fresh mushrooms, cream of mushroom soup, mushroom salad, blended mushroom burger and Philly Port sandwiches.

Gale Ferranto, president of Buano Foods of Landenberg and Food Court mushroom booth manager, started working at the booth when she was 7.

"We were in the East Hall and shared a space with the vegetable growers," she said. "The poultry was in the same area. Mushrooms were new at the Farm Show then, so people were curious. We



"We had eight people in our Jeep and made it back to our hotel," he said. "Some of the judges were stuck in the Farm Show Complex. We did what we could to offer them food. We had a limited menu."

Firestine praised the camaraderie among the various Food Court commodity stand workers, calling them "one big happy family. We work nonstop to serve the public. We help each other out. I've served honey ice cream and helped serve milkshakes when those booths were short of help. We all serve simple, wholesome food that people like to eat."

Sue Sansom and her husband worked at the livestock booth for many years.

"Working at the Farm Show was such a joy but such hard work," she recalled. "We had many volunteer groups that helped us with the food prep such as United Church of God, Boiling Springs Band Boosters, First Church of God Youth Group, Lebanon County Farm Women, and Mechanicsburg Sertoma. It also was great to employ energetic college students each year."

had mushrooms lovers and mushroom haters. I wore a cowboy hat and handed out a lot of samples. We sold one product then, breaded white mushrooms."



Bob Ferranto, her dad, started growing mush-

rooms in the early 1960s. His wife, Rosemarie, came up with the marinated mushroom salad that the booth sells. Their daughter, who grew up in the business, took over running the booth in 2007.

She said that mushrooms became mainstream over the years, with breaded mushrooms remaining the top seller.

"Now, we have mushroom mania," she said. "We show the versatility of mushrooms. We started with mushroom soup in the mid-1980s and added a lot of other choices. We give out recipes too. People are more interested in plant-based food. "

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Pennsylvania Vegetable Growers Asso-

ciation sells vegetable soup, chicken corn soup,

broccoli soup, vegetable wraps, blooming onions, bean salad, chili, broccoli-cauliflower salad, fried vegetables, dill pickles, carrots and celery, tomato juice, chili breakfast sandwich, strawberry slush drink, berry pie, pumpkin pie and chocolatedipped strawberries.

"We've been selling at the Farm Show since the late 1970s," said Bill

Troxell, association executive director. "We started with vegetable soup, then added broccoli cauliflower salad and dill pickles. At first, we shared space with mushrooms in the Main Hall. Then we moved to the East Hall, then later the Expo Hall where we have a lot more room." Troxell, who has run the booth since 1984, said that profits fund vegetable and berry research projects.

"Vegetable soup is not as popular as it once was," he said. "Batter dipped vegetables and blooming onions are our best sellers. We've recently added water infused with flavors like blueberry, raspberry, strawberry, cucumber and melons."

Troxell said that during the 1996 blizzard, he walked to the Farm Show from his motel and served vegetable soup to people stranded in the complex. "We did some business, but things were pretty slow," he said.

A few years later, the FFA also sold deep-fried cheese made by the Pennsylvania Dairymen's Association, then apple dumplings alamode from the State Horticulture Association and maple ice cream provided by Pennsylvania Maple Council.

By the time the FFA was invited to participate in the larger Farm Show Food Court, it already had been operating the food stand in the Main Hall. The FFA ran food booths in both places for a few years. Its first food item in the main Food Court was its Orchard Freeze, a fruit slushie which it sold for two years before moving into the current business. Now, the FFA sells fresh apple pie pizza, chicken buffalo pizza, cheese pizza and pepperoni pizza along with freshly squeezed lemonade and orangeade.

#### The Pennsylvania FFA in

the early 1990s sold Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture Tshirts, FFA baseball jerseys, two editions of their Winross trucks and 12 editions of their PA FFA collector tractors. The group then got into the food business at the annual Farm Show. Originally, the FFA food stand shared space with the state beef producers in the Main Exhibition Hall Food Court Annex which later included milkshakes and baked potatoes. The FFA first sold Hatfield pork products including hotdogs, rib sandwiches, and pulled pork sandwiches.



Couring the Food Court

**Penn Ag Industries Association** has a larger than life presence at the Food Court.

Most years, it sells chicken nuggets, chicken breast sandwiches, hot dogs, turkey barbecue, wings, bucket

of chicken, chicken cheese steak, seasoned slow-roasted rotisserie sliced chicken, chicken soup, deviled eggs, red beet eggs, mustard eggs, chicken parmesan sandwich, turkey meatball sandwiches, pork nachos, chicken nachos, chicken chili, fish sandwich, trout chowder, tortilla-crusted tilapia, bagels, cinnamon sticky buns, shoofly pie, whoopie pies, cookies, cinnamon buns, breakfast

sandwiches and slow-roasted pulled pork. Yet Penn Ag didn't always have such a big menu.

Chris Herr, Penn Ag executive vice president, began selling Farm Show food in the 1970s when he worked with his mother at the then Pennsylvania Poultry Federation.

"When I came to Penn Ag in 2002, our equipment at the Food Court was in bad shape," Herr said. "We

**State Horticultural Association** has been a steady Food Court presence, where it sells apples, apple dumplings with ice cream, apple cider, apple butter, cider floats, dried apples, caramel apples, cider slushies, dried apple snacks and apple or peach sundaes. The apples come from various association member farms.

The Strite family, which has been farming in the Harrisburg area since 1843, has worked at the Farm Show for generations.

"I remember my Dad, Earl, running the apple booth in the Main Exhibition Hall for years," said Joe Strite. "I helped him carry his apples into the Farm Show. Back then, we sold cider for \$1 a quart and apples for a quarter. I took over our Farm Show stand after I graduated from Penn State in 1976. I remember how popular the apple dumplings were when we added them. They still are."

Later, Strite said, the Food Court expanded into the East Hall. Strite said it usually took the association workers a day to set up the stand, although tearwere doing chicken nuggets, chicken sandwiches, chicken in a bucket, mustard and hardboiled eggs and chicken corn soup." Penn Ag eventually got more and better equipment.



Over the years, various groups joined Penn Ag as "councils." Penn Ag now has a Feed and Grain Council, Poultry Council, Aquaculture Council and Swine Council. Each contributes to Penn Ag's Food Court menu.

"We added pulled pork, trout sandwiches, trout chowder, tilapia, sticky buns, whoopie pies, cookies, breakfast sandwiches and

much more," Herr said. He called Penn Ag's week at the Food Court "long and exhausting. It's a great fundraiser." Money raised goes to scholarships and promoting agriculture.

"It takes a big team to staff the Food Court," he said. "We use about 300 volunteers who work the counter and 30 others who prepare the food, with a captain in each area. It's a monumental task."

down was faster.

"On opening day, the governor would tour the Food Court," Strite said. "We usually gave him an apple or maybe a quart of cider."

Strite said that over the years, the Farm Show lengthened to eight days, the Food Court moved to what's now the Giant Expo Hall, the crowds increased,



and the State Horticultural Association made more money at its booth.

Weather always has impacted the success of Food Court stands, Strite said, noting that, "Snowstorms are never good for us."

Strite said that the stand usually is open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., with volunteers committing to days and times to work. Now, he said, his nephew, Matt Strite works at the association Farm Show booth.

Mary Klaus, Pennsylvania Farm Show historian, is the author of "Hold Your Horses! The Pennsylvania Farm Show at 100." She's a Westmoreland County 4-H kid, grew up to be a journalist and has covered the Farm Show since the late 1970s. She also works as a nurse for Hospice of Central Pennsylvania.







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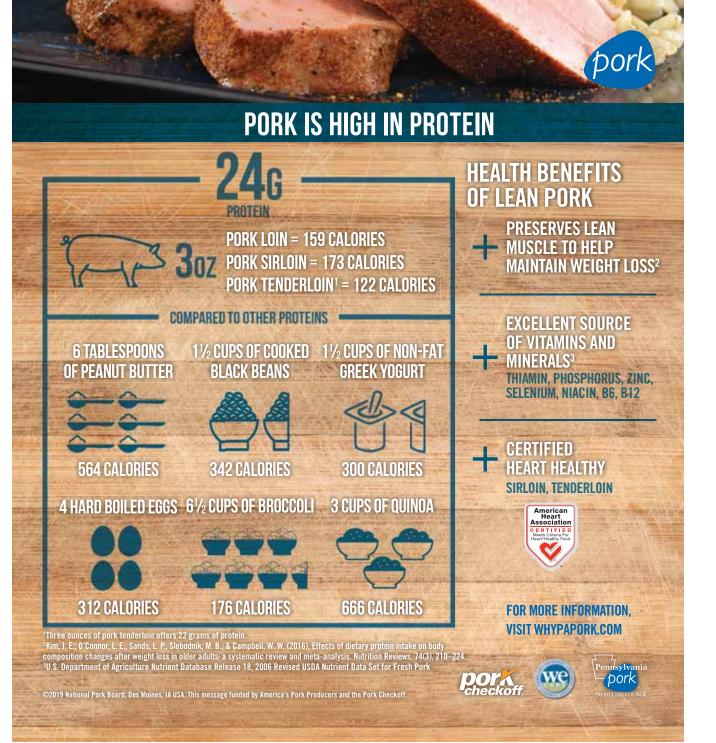


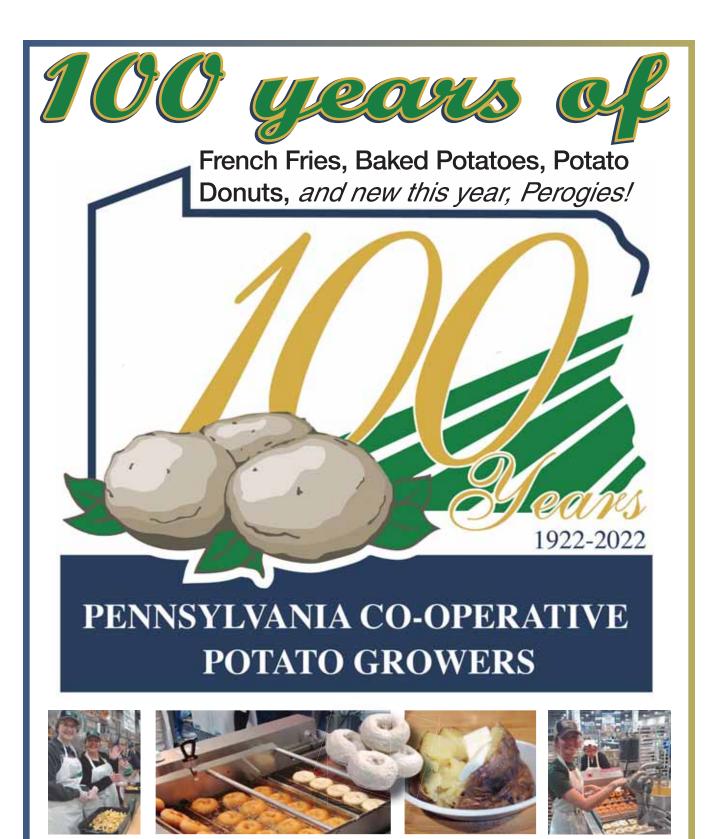
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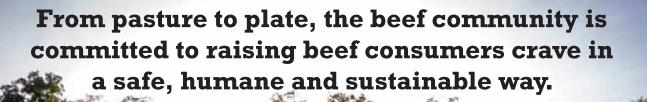
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- Ryleigh Libell of Lancaster County
- Amanda Hollabaugh of Adams County
- Jessica Herr of Lancaster County
- Laurel Fogleman of Centre County
- Samantha Benham of Chester County
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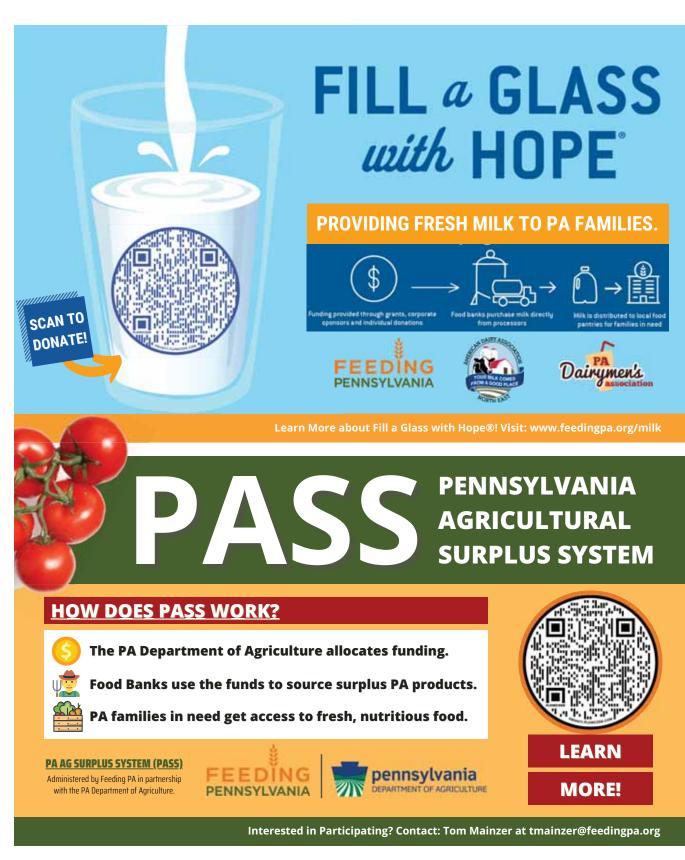
 Addison Neff, 2021 Pennsylvania Fair Queen, of Dauphin County

These youth have an exciting opportunity to be involved in a large role at the Farm Show. These youth and the committee's advisors would like to thank the Friends of Farm Show and Mid-Atlantic Farm Credit for their sponsorship!

The 2022 Pennsylvania Farm Show Junior Committee is looking forward to the many opportunities they will receive and provide for other youth at the Farm Show. This dynamic group is hosting and facilitating a number of events at the Farm Show. These events include hosting two Showmanship Clinics/ Exhibitor Parties, hosting Cornhole Tournament, AG Jeopardy, a Line Dance, an auction, a daily meet-up between youth in agriculture and leaders in the industry, and more. Additionally, the committee members are excited to voice their passions as they will present a speech or demonstration on a topic of their choice!



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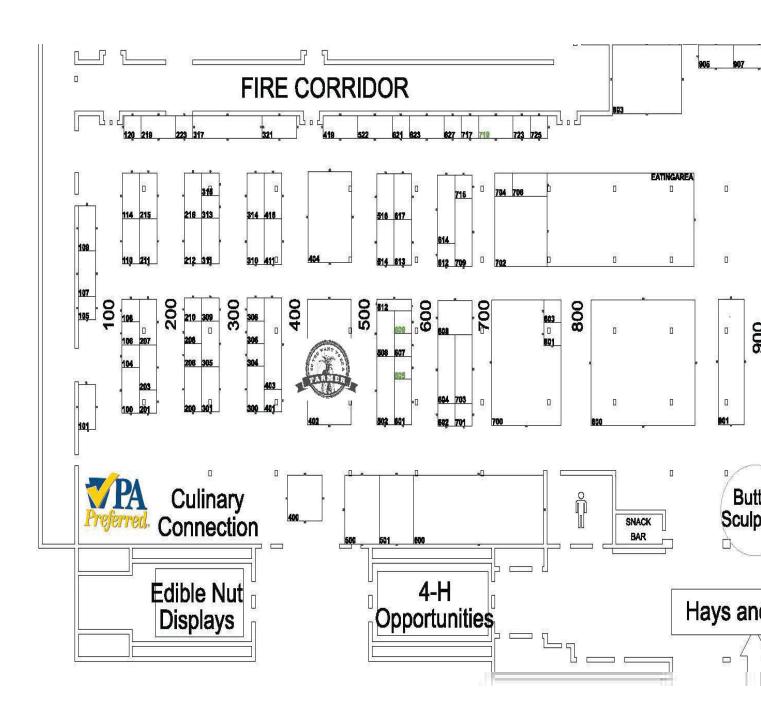
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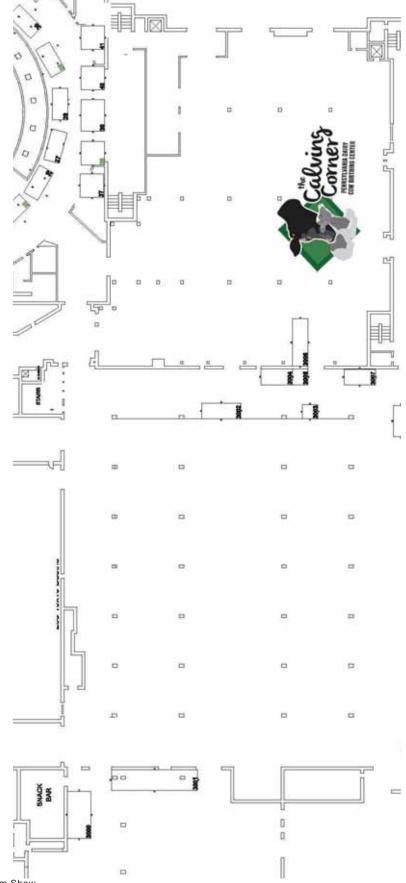
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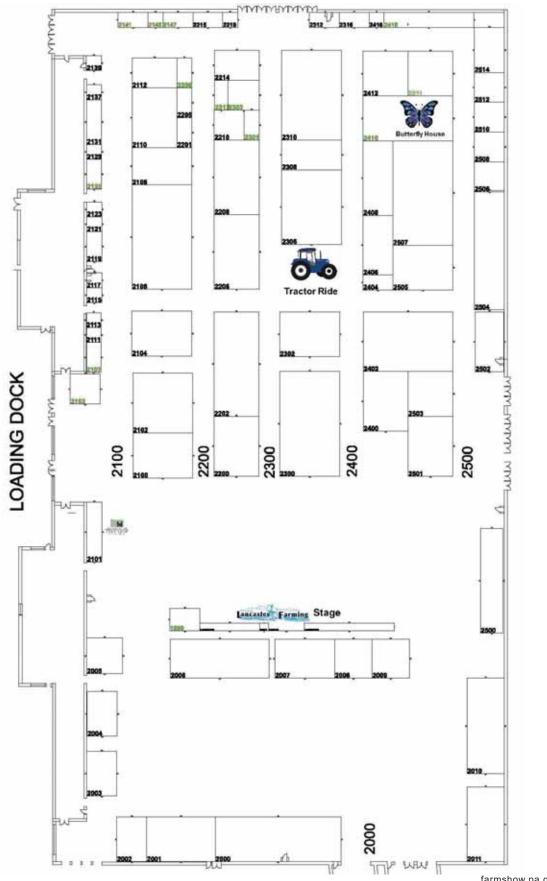
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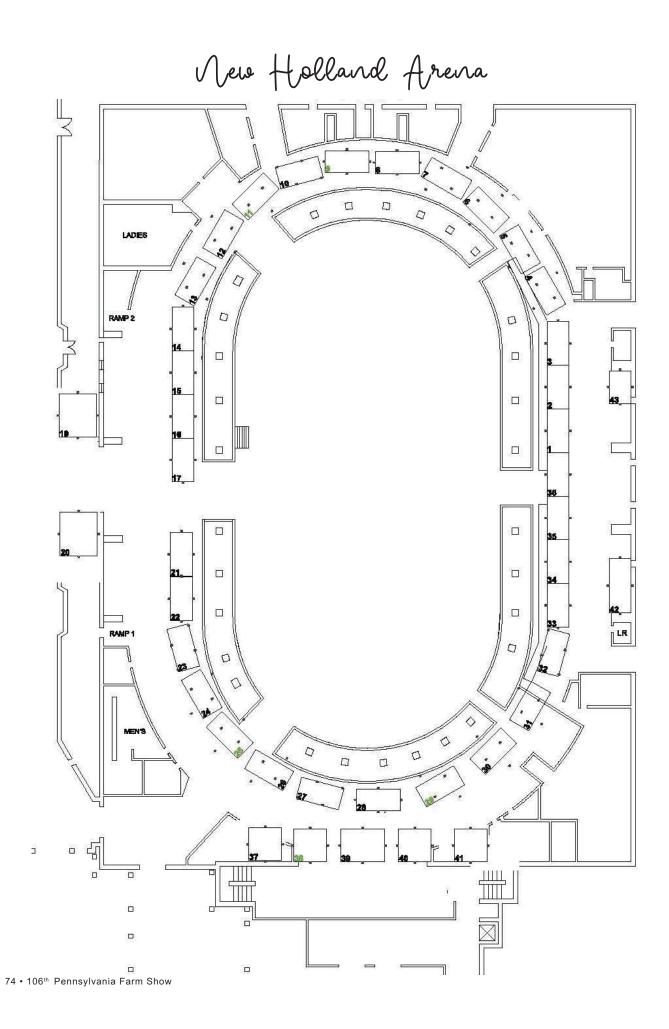
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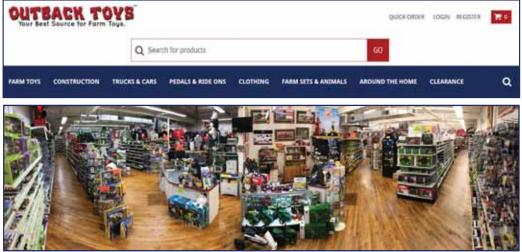
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## 2021 Virtual Farm Show – Cultivating Tomorrow

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The 2021 Pennsylvania Farm Show — a virtual and visual bounty of the people, places and issues shaping the industry's future, creating jobs, building a stronger food system and feeding our nation and our world. Virtual events reached more than 800.000 individuals via Farm Show's Facebook page, and more than 300,000 individuals who

visited the Farm Show website, from all 50 United States and Washington, D.C., the U.K. and Canada, with repeat visits near 2 million.

Viewers **toured PA farms**, met some the youth, women, and diverse new faces shaping Pennsylvania agriculture, took a deepdive into **PA Farm Bill** investments attracting new people and jobs to grow the industry, and explored some of the most pressing challenges facing PA Ag in a **Cultivating**  Tomorrow discussion series. Cooking demos featured PA chefs of all ages crafting PA-grown magic. STEM demos, how-to videos by Pennsylvanians of all ages, and 728 competitive entries, with top youth finishers qualifying for the National FFA Agriscience Fair and breweries and vineyards whose award-winning products you can enjoy year-round. Youth scholarships of \$52,500, awarded by the **Pennsylvania** Farm Show Foundation during

the show, will cultivate tomorrow by funding career education for PA youth.

More than 130 do-it-yourselfers got into the act entering our **Butter Up! Contest**. The **PA Farm Show Trail map** featured more than 250 buy-local destinations and viewers flocked to the **Live Duckling and Beehive Cams** – all making repeat appearances in 2022. Find it all at **farmshow.pa.gov** and follow **PA Farm Show** on **Facebook** and **Instagram**.

Cultivating Tomorrow means continuing to share the stories of tenacious, innovative people who are tackling with grace and courage whatever nature, the marketplace, technology or the pandemic throws their way. We'll continue to share those stories, online and in-person, as we celebrate Harvesting More in 2022!

- Agriculture Secretary Russell Redding



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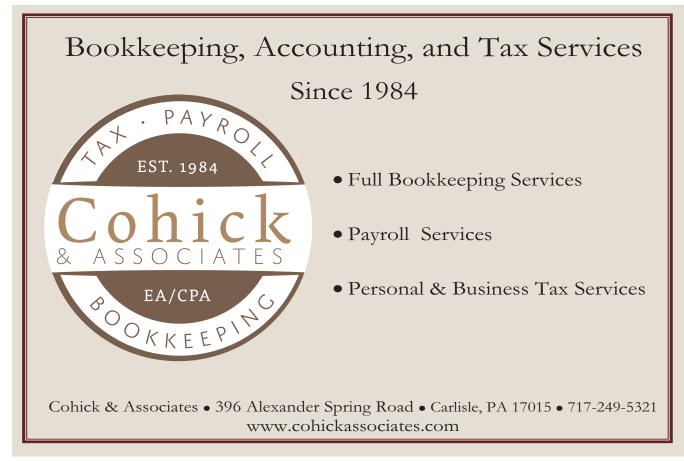
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PA Commodity Representatives educate fair and festival-goers year-round about the animals, products, and organizations they are chosen to represent. They are passionate about Pennsylvania agriculture and we asked them what inspires them most.

## **ABIGAIL O'NEILL** 2021 PA FFA State President

Hometown: East Earl

Parents: Thomas and Carla O'Neill

**Sponsor:** Pennsylvania FFA

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and passion for the world's largest growing industry. I am forever inspired by the way FFA members embrace adversity, never back down from a challenge, seek the opportunity to grow, and lead with the intentions to serve those around them."

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## **ISAAC BELL** 2021 PA Rabbit King

Hometown: Hummelstown

Parents: Brian and Ruth Ann Bell

**Sponsor:** PA State Rabbit Breeders Association

"What inspires me the most about the rabbit hobby is how we prepare our youth for their future. Just a few ways that we do this is giving them experience in skills



such as testing, interviewing and public speaking as well as giving them the opportunity to meet people in important government positions that can help them achieve their goals later in life."

#### SARAH BRANDON 2021 PA Rabbit Queen

#### Hometown: Butler

**Parents:** Mike Best and Shannon Brandon; Charlie and Bobbi Brandon

**Sponsor:** PA State Rabbit Breeders Association

"What inspires me the most about rabbits is the many uses of rabbits and their byproducts as well as how rabbits bring people



together. Rabbits are shown, hopped and eaten (perhaps not in that order) worldwide."

### **OLIVIA JUMPER** 2021 4-H State Council President

Hometown: Butler

Parents: James and Jacqui Ranko

Sponsor: Pennsylvania 4-H

"4-H inspires me every day because I can tell absolutely anyone and everyone how to get involved with it. This organization is never limited to a certain gender, class, race, age or even interest.

There is a way for every single person to become a part of 4-H, and it is always heartwarming to represent such inclusivity."



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RHEINA ADRIANTO 2021 PA Apple Queen

Hometown: Fairfax, VA

**Parents:** Budi Adrianto and Carmellia Vollianty

**Sponsor:** Adams County Fruit Growers Association

"The thing that inspires me the most about the commodity I represent, apples, are the local apple growers in Pennsylvania. Seeing how hard the apple



growers work to provide fresh, high quality apples inspires me to work harder to educate the community about apples. The reason I wanted to become Apple Queen was that I wanted to educate and become a larger part of this community."

#### MIKAYLA DAVIS 2021 PA State Dairy Princess

Hometown: Leesport

Parents: Mike and Angie Davis

**Sponsor:** PA Dairy Princess and Promotion Services, Inc.

"I am extremely honored to represent our hard-working dairy farmers across Pennsylvania. Farmers work each day taking great care of their land and animals to

provide us with wholesome, nutritious milk. This year I hope to bridge the gap between farmers and consumers while also inspiring young girls in agriculture to follow their passion and chase their dreams."

#### MIKARA ANDERSON 2021 PSU Agriculture Advocate Senior majoring in Landscape Contracting

Hometown: Three Springs

**Sponsor:** Penn State College of Agricultural Sciences

"I chose Penn State and the College of Agriculture Sciences because I knew Penn State was a highly recognized university with one of the most prestigious animal science programs in the country."



**DAVID BUCKWALTER** 2021 PSU Agriculture Advocate Junior majoring in Animal Science

Hometown: Elizabethtown

**Sponsor:** Penn State College of Agricultural Sciences

"I chose Penn State and the College of Agricultural Sciences because of the amazing faculty and staff that were willing to help me achieve my personal and career goals."



#### **REBECCA KUGLER** 2021 PA Sheep & Wool Queen

Hometown: Oley

Parents: Mark and Julie Kugler

Sponsor: PA Sheep and Wool Growers Association

"It inspires me how diverse the sheep and wool industry is. Sheep provide both meat and fiber for a growing population, which allows for so much innovation and improvement!"

#### CASSANDRA LANZA 2021 PA Alpaca Princess

Hometown: Shermans Dale

Parents: David and Sally Lanza

**Sponsor:** PA Alpaca Owners and Breeders Association

What inspires you the most about the commodity you represent?

"Despite their relatively recent debut in the United

States, alpacas and their products have quickly become an established part of the Pennsylvania agriculture industry. The versatility of their fiber coupled with their overall uniqueness have interested and impressed me, as well as many others."

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#### **GAIL SWITZER** 2021 PA State Grange Outstanding Young Patron

Hometown: West Chester

**Parents:** Marie and the late Leonard Switzer

**Sponsor:** PA State Grange

"For almost 20 years I have had the pleasure of being a part of this organization that continues to give so much back to the members and the community. The Grange continues to serve the ag



communities today and since its beginning in 1867 and provides a multitude of opportunities for all members, young and old. While the opportunities are great, the one thing that will always resonate with me most about Grange is that many of my Grange friends are now considered my family."



### HARVEY REYBURN 2021 PA Junior Grange Ambassador

Hometown: Russelville

Parents: Stanley and Jessica Reyburn

Sponsor: PA State Grange

"The Grange is a supporter of agriculture, which I am very interested in. Another thing that inspires me is all of the friends and opportunities that Grange has opened up for me such as going and helping at the farm show."

### **SADIE JOHNSON** 2021 PA Junior Grange Ambassador

Hometown: Hookstown

Parents: Mike Rounds and Suann Johnson

Sponsor: PA State Grange

"The Grange inspires me on how dedicated they are to agriculture and community service."



**AUTUMN TWORKOSKI** 2021 PA State Grange Youth Ambassador

Hometown: Hamburg

Parents: Eric and Connie Tworkoski

Sponsor: PA State Grange

"What inspires me the most about the Grange is the seeing the compassion that everyone has for each other in and out of the organization. Everyone in the Grange is focused on making their community a better place for everyone in it. It's wonderful seeing everyone work together toward a common goal. As one of the Youth Ambassadors, I can't wait to share my Grange experience and watch the Grange grow so that more people can experience the same things that I have."

## **ASHLAN SMITH** 2021 PA State Grange Youth Ambassador

Hometown: Elizabethtown

Parents: James and Becky Smith

Sponsor: PA State Grange

"What inspires me the most about representing the Grange is how closely knit every member is with each other and how we are like one big family. I am proud to be a part of an organization that is filled with people who strive to be good and do good and how we also help the community outside of Grange. We all continue to love each other and look forward to seeing our Grange friends and family at every event we attend. As PA Grange Youth Ambassador, I am happy to represent an organization that drives themselves to be better for the organization and for those around them."



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ADDISON NEFF 2021 PA Fair Queen

Hometown: Harrisburg

Parents: Dale and Janell Neff

**Sponsor:** Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs (PSACF)

"I am inspired by the dedication of the fair board members, volunteers and exhibitors who come together to make each fair

possible. I am inspired by the love and passion for the agriculture industry and the pride of one's community displayed at each fair across Pennsylvania. I am inspired by the power of fairs to bring families, friends, businesses and communities together to celebrate agriculture and support each other."







## 2020 Sale of Champions Supporting Agriculture's Future

At 2020 Farm Show's annual Junior Market Livestock Sale, more than 400 market animals — hogs, steers, lambs, rabbits, lambs and goats — raised and shown by youth, were auctioned off. A percentage of auction earnings goes to the Pennsylvania Farm Show Scholarship Foundation, which uses the money, along with donations, to provide scholarships for agriculture students. In total, 24 college students received \$84,000 in scholarships through the foundation. Penn State's College of Agricultural Sciences and Delaware Valley University awarded an additional \$2,000 to their students for receiving the award.

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The Grand Champion Market Steer, exhibited by Karli Berkheimer of Dillsburg, York Co., was purchased by Giant Foods and Bell & Evans for \$20,000.

## **Grand Champion Jr. Market Lamb**



The Grand Champion Market Lamb, exhibited by Hunter McMillen of New Florence, Indiana Co., was purchased by Hoss's Steak and Sea House for \$6,000.

2020 Sale of Champions

**Grand Champion Youth Rabbit Meat Pen** 



John Rock, Inc. purchased Chloe Plesic's Grand Champion Rabbit Meat Pen for \$900. Plesic is from York Springs, York Co.

## **Grand Champion Jr. Market Goat**



New Holland Sales Stables purchased Olivia Arnold's Grand Champion Market Goat for \$3,900. Arnold is from Milton, Northumberland Co.

2020 Sale of Champions

**Grand Champion Jr. Market Swine** 



Alaina Webster's Grand Champion Market Hog sold to Hatfield Quality Meats for \$6,000. Webster is from Venago, Crawford Co.



The second annual supreme champion showman, Bailey Kasbee of Stoneboro, Mercer Co., sold her market swine to Saubel's Market for \$3,000.

2020 Sale of Champions



Pennsylvania State Fair Queen Mikara Anderson, received an Outstanding Stockman's Award at the Livestock Sale. Anderson hails from Huntingdon County.

## **Outstanding Stockman's Awards**



The Reserve Champion Midweight Beef was exhibited by Elizabeth Dice. Dice, of Fayette County, received an Outstanding Stockman's Award.

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2020 Scholarships

## **2020 Farm Show Scholarship Foundation Recipients**



(L-R) BACK ROW Aiden Bomgardner of Union County, Tyler Peterson of Wyoming County, Daniel Rohrbaugh of York County, Addison Neff of Dauphin County, Madison Shaw of Dauphin County, Emily Supancik of Susquehanna County, Macy Walason of Bedford County, Cailey Dahlquist of Washington County, Lae'la Kirk of Philadelphia County, Caitlyn McConn of Washington County, Sophia Bertovik of Dauphin County, Grant Cash of York County, Wyatt Kosa of Potter County, Secretary of Agriculture Russel Redding. FRONT ROW Austin Kreiser of Lancaster County, Kayla Kimble of Centre County, Erin Comp of Perry County, Grace Romesberg of Somerset County, Morgan Bear of Cumberland County, Kimberlee Shoemaker of Indiana County, Katie Shultz of Huntingdon County, Hailey Siba of Fayette County, Haley Sweitzer of York County, Leah Welk of Lancaster County, and Hayden Demniak of Greene County.

2020 Scholarships

## Penn State College of Agriculture Sciences Award Recipients



Pictured (L-R) FRONT ROW Secretary of Agriculture Russel Redding, Dr. Tracy Hoover, Tyler Peterson, of Wyoming County, Madison Shaw of Dauphin County, Emily Supancik of Susquehanna County, Macy Walason of Bedford County, Austin Kreiser of Lancaster County, Steve Loerch. BACK ROW Kayla Kimble of Centre County, Erin Comp of Perry County, Morgan Bear of Cumberland County, Haley Sweitzer of York County, and Leah Welk of Lancaster County.

\* These students received an additional \$2000 from the Pennsylvania State University College of Agricultural Sciences for being enrolled in their undergraduate program.

2021 Sale of Champions

In 2021, the Jr. Market Livestock Sale was held at New Holland Sales Stables, without the youth on halter and without the usual crowd that packs the sale arena at the Farm Show Complex. The pandemic scaled back the

noise and excitement, but generous buyers enthusiastically supported youth scholarships. The total raised for scholarships from the sale of cattle and additional donations was \$56,450.

## **2021 Champions**

Grand Champion Jr Beef Steer, Champion Crossbred Steer – Hayden Weaver, Ephrata \$8,500 Saubels Market

Reserve Grand Champion Jr., Reserve Champion Crossbred – Bayleigh Miller, Volant – \$3,600 New Holland Sales Stables

## Additional donors:

#### \$50

Patty Anderson, Emlenton PA

Fulton Bank, Mike Firestine, Lebanon PA

Growmark, LLC, Kevin Fuls, Myerstown PA

Charles Gerow, Mechanicsburg PA

Jana's Place, Clem & Jana Malot, Harrisonville PA

2021 Sale of Champions

Bell & Evans Poultry Scott Sechler, Fredericksburg PA U.S. Representative Glenn "GT" Thompson, Pleasant Gap PA Tammy Weaver, Ephrata PA

## \$500

Saubels Market Greg & Betti Saubel, Stewartstown PA Cargill Taylor Beef, Drew Wilkins, Wyalusing PA

## **2021 Top Buyers**

- Saubels Market
- Cargill Taylor Beef
- Bell & Evans Poultry
- New Holland Sales Stables

• Fulton Bank

- Ladies of Ag Today
  - Jana's Place
  - U.S. Rep. Glenn
  - "GT" Thompson
  - Charles Gerow

## **Reserve Grand Champion Jr., Reserve Champion Crossbred**



Bayleigh Miller, Volant – \$3,600 New Holland Sales Stables. Pictured Noah Manbeck, Lexine Kulb, Alan & Carol Dieffenbach

2021 Sale of Champions

## Grand Champion Jr Beef Steer, Champion Crossbred Steer



Hayden Weaver, Ephrata \$8,500 Saubels Market. Pictured Hayden Weaver with Saubels Market.

2021 Scholarships

## **2021 Farm Show Foundation Scholarship Foundation Recipients**

During the virtual 2021 Farm Show, scholarships were awarded to 15 recipients via a virtual ceremony. An online conference style photo was taken to commemorate the historic virutal year.



Mikara Anderson, Kaitlin Bell, Jaren Bomgardner, Ethan Brummer, David Buckwalter, Ashley Dobbin, Killiann George, Haley Jo Hess, Brooke Kline, Roarke Miller, Madison McGinnis, Marley Stonesifer, Geovanni Swartley, Rene Svonavec, Madison Weaver

Dennsylvania Farm Show Scholarship Foundation

In the Farm Show tradition of providing educational activities and support, the Farm Show Scholarship Foundation was established to assist Pennsylvania youth with financial support in their goal to pursue continued education. Recognizing the value of agriculture to the state's economy, this program is designed to help students reach their goals and hopefully keep them our agriculture industry. The Farm Show Scholarship Foundation was established in 1993 through the vision and generous support of several key leaders in agriculture and three companies that contributed more than \$11,000 toward scholarships. Since then, the Foundation has awarded nearly \$1.7 million in scholarships to nearly 600 worthy 4-H and FFA youth.

## WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP?

Eligible applicants must be enrolled in a post- secondary educational institution and have been a PA Farm Show exhibitor of junior market livestock including sheep, steers, swine, rabbits or goats. Junior breeding project exhibitors, Farm Products, and Family Living youth exhibitors are also eligible to apply.

## HOW DO I BECOME A FOUNDATION MEMBER?

There are three types of memberships: Ambassador Club, Regular and Past Scholarship Recipient.

The Ambassador Club is available for those individuals and corporations who wish to visibly demonstrate their support of agriculture and the Foundation. Annual membership dues start at \$300/ individual and \$500/ corporations/ businesses. Of course, you're encouraged to contribute much more than those minimum levels! As an Ambassador Club member you receive tickets to the breakfast and access to the lounge with food and refreshments both during the PA Farm Show event in January.

Regular Membership is open to any person interested in supporting the mission of the Foundation. Annual membership dues are \$50.

The past scholarship recipient membership fee of \$40 for those who have received the scholarship in the past 10 years.

To become a Foundation member, complete the form and send it along with a check made payable to the PA Farm Show Scholarship Foundation.

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Buy Back

## Purchasing Livestock shown at the Pa Farm Show

'Ever thought about bringing home the bacon? The Farm Show Junior Livestock Sale provides the opportunity to take home meat raised right here in the Keystone State.

4-H and FFA members work hard for a year or more, to prepare to show their market livestock over the three days at the beginning of the PA Farm Show. Their work purchasing, raising, training, clipping, and showing their market animals has all led to the minute they bring their animal to the auction block at Tuesday's sale. Bidders support these youth, who then invest the money in their education or their herds and flocks.

## Why buy an animal at the Junior Livestock Sale?

- Cheaper than purchasing meat at the store.
- Knowing where your food comes from and who raised it.
- Supporting the next generation of agriculturalists and agriculture promoters.

## But before you seek the winning bid:

## Do you have enough freezer space?

(Here's how much meat to expect!)

- •Steer: 450-500 pounds of beef
- •Hog: 120-150 pounds of pork (bacon, sausage, ham)
- •Sheep: 40-55 pounds of lamb
- •Goat: 35 pounds of meat
- •Rabbit (sold by pen): 3-4 pounds each

## Do you have a preferred butcher shop?

• If so, let them know you'd like them to handle harvesting and fabrication of an animal you hope to purchase at the Farm Show. If not, contact your county Penn State Extension office for help locating a shop. If you are purchasing a hog: all hogs must go directly to harvest with pre-approval of trucking and harvest facilities.

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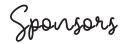












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## Don't Miss Out!



#### Secretary of Agriculture Confirms Return of In-Person PA Farm Show, Reveals 2022 Theme: Harvesting More

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Farm Show News

Harrisburg, PA – Agriculture Secretary Russell Redding confirmed today that the toda Hennsylvania Farm Show will return to a traditional, in-person event in January aoaz. The event will run from Saturday, January 8 through Saturday, January 19 will be hotted at the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex in Henrichten Harrisburg

Throughout the COVID-ty pandemic, we all experienced less – less gatherings with family and friends. As agricultural fixes and livesco spither and network, and less of share we call normal? "sidd Redding. "Nose, is rime for more. Nor only more of share we went without last were, hor more of all that we need for a successful agriculture industry and ford-secure, sustainable work! And, of coarset, more milkhables, butter scalputtre, cultury impirations and Farm Show memories."

snow memories." Following the 2021 virtual Farm Show and its cheme of Calicariang Tomorrow, the 2022 PA Farm Show theme will be Harvesting Move. With the Department of Agriculture currently in the process of programs and families of the produces of investments in the industry made by Goerenov Tom Wolf: Pennsylvania has harvested increased engagement in Farm to School programming, increased urban agriculture infrastructure for improved acoust acress of farmhall preserved for agriculture production forces, and a record number

Each year, the Pennsylvania Farm Show chooses a theme to convey our vision for the future of Pennsylvania agriculture. 2011 FARM SHOW MORE

After cultivating virtually in 2021, it's only natural that we Harvest More in 2023 as we join orgebrie. In Harrisburg cone again," and Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex Executive Director Sharon Myers, "We'll showcase a harvested bourny of innovative pojects sustianable practices, empowered agriculturalists, engaged youth and Impuring storoise your powerful agricultural in the program of the proversion agricultural theory of the proversion agricultural theory. They are a powerful agriculturative More agricultural theory of heavishneys in human?. join us as we Harvest # Harrisburg in January.

Partrouge in jame 7: Redding unveiled the Harvesting More theme at Vale Wood Farms in Cambris County, with help from Garret McCall, winner of the asso Butter Up competition held during the virtual aon PA Farm Show McCalls entry in the frist-ever PA Farm Show huter's scalpare context, The Cood Shepherd, gamered th most engagement in the social media context

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Inhonor of the 2023 show, McCall scalpeted a 20-pound mini butter scalpeter of the 2023 Harvesting More logo which was unveiled at Vale Wood Farms today. The 2023 Pennsylvania Farm Show will feature a return of fan-favorites like the 1,000 pound butter scalparate, famous Farm Show Food Corempetition famough hundreds of other competitive arricultural genetics, cooking

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and streep summing (among hundress) of other competitive agricultural events), cooking demonstrations at the PA Preferred® Culturary Connection, and more than non million square feet of hands-on agriculture education opportunities ar chances to engage with the poople wh power Pennsylvania's sty25 billion agriculture industry.



"While the show will return to an in-person format, the department will offer a variety of virtual opportunitie to experience the show and celebrate other a variety of virtual ophortiumics to experience the show and celebrate agriculture. Saccessful virtual events from the axis show that will retain include the Batter (base) of the same show a show or arisons, but here carns, Ag-colours erations, and the PA Farm Ghow Trial. Pennylytania carn show Facebook and Instagram accounts for a sampling of virtual farm tours, STEM demos for kids, Farm Show trivia and stories of agriculture.

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## Friends of the Farm Show News



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#### Linda Wilhide honored by Friends of the Farm Show

The Friends of Farm Show Foundation honored Linda Wilhide for her service to the organization at the July Board meeting held at the Farm Show Complex in Harrisburg.

Wilhed has been with the Friends of Farm Show for 7 years serving as the Administrative Assistant. Chairman William Piper described has as dedicated, and the hulo of the whele that key tu all moving Piper wents on to daloante, "Indu was there to assist in whatever our operational needs were Her expertise was invaluable as the Friends of the Farm Show grew and evolved into the very successful organization that it is today.

Gerald Reichard, Special Advisor to the Friends of the Farm Show Foundation probe of Wilhidé's knowledge and kindness. Reichard had recently stepped into the position of Special Advisor and albared, "Lindu was a delight to work with and she made my transition into the Liason position easier with her helpfulness, knowledge, and resources.

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#### PA Dairy Princesses Share Program Information and a Refreshing Recipe!

Our county dairy princesses join together with their alternates, junior promoters, and county committees to promote across the state on local, regional, and state evels to deliver the dairy message to the public: Pennsylvania's official beverage, MILK – contains 13 essential nutrients to help keep the body healthy! They communicate the importance of the dairy industry and its products to the economic well-being of our state's economy and remind consumers to Choose Pennsylvania Dairy -Goodness that matters! The mission of Pennsylvania Dairy Princess & Promotion Services, Inc.

To work with local county committees in their promotional efforts and their dairy princess



2020-2021 Pennsylvania State Dairy Royalty: PA State Alternate: Katerina Coffman - Huntingdon, PA, PA State Princess: Gabrielle Swavely - Centre, State Alternate: Kristin Johns - Berks

programs to promote the sale and consumption of milk and dairy products at the grassroots level throughout the state of Pennsylvania.

· To plan and conduct the training of young people to serve as dairy industry promoters now and the agricultural leaders of the future.

· To coordinate the selection and activities of the State Dairy Royalty Team. We believe that by communicating and working with grassroots promotion efforts and regional dairy promotion programs that we can combat the health crisis that many of Pennsylvania's consumers are suffering; have a healthier, happier public; and create a stronger, more productive dairy industry.

#### Milk Punch Recipe

11/2 quarts of soften vanilla ice cream 3 cans (46 fl. oz.) of pineapple juice 1/2 cup orange juice

1 tbs lemon juice 1 quart of cold milk

In a punch bowl combine all ingredients and stir until blended.



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The Foundation exists in order to stimulate, facilitate and support educational programs, incentives and events relating to the annual Pennsylvania Farm Show.

The Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Foundation, Inc., that was incorporated in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in 2010 as a non-profit corporation, is recognized as a tax-exempt, charitable organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to the Foundation are tax deductible.

We invite you to partner with us to produce this truly stellar event. Participation at all levels is welcome. Becoming a Farm Show Friend is open to any person or family. Organizations, businesses and individuals are welcome to explore varied sponsorship levels.

> Your contributions support educational activities throughout the week of Farm Show.

## **Sponsorship Opportunities**

The Foundation's Board of Directors is always looking for new sponsorship opportunities to further its mission of supporting educational programs during the annual Farm Show.

The Board is receptive and eager to review new ideas and proposals from individuals and organizations, both agricultural and others, who wish to sponsor an educational activity relating to their interests. The Farm Show Foundation's Board of Directors believes the possibilities for spreading its mission are endless.

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## EVENT SCHEDULE

#### SATURDAY, JAN. 8: MUSHROOM DAY 10 AM Honey Extraction Demonstration:

- PA State Beekeepers Association
- **11 AM** Chef Instructor Mike Ditchfield & Students, PA College of Technology, Williamsport, PA
- 12 PM Jessica DeLuise, The Wellness Kitchenista and the Host of Amazon Prime's "Eat Your Way to Wellness," Certified Culinary Medicine Specialist and On Air Expert with frequent TV appearances, including the Dr. Oz Show, Insider, and Fox 29
- **1 PM** Thermador Chefs Challenge "Iron Chef" Style Cook-Off with local Chefs and Media Personalities
- 2 PM Barry Crumlich, Executive Chef, the Pennsylvania Governor's Residence, Harrisburg, PA & Gale Ferranto, President of Buona Foods, Landenberg, PA
- **3 PM** Anthony Bianco, Executive Chef, Hilton Harrisburg, Harrisburg, PA
- **4 PM** Wes Trout, Sales Manager and Culinary Trainer for BOSCH and Thermador Appliances
- **5 PM** Jason Clark, Executive Chef, Messiah Lifeways, Mechanicsburg, PA
- 6 PM Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers

#### SUNDAY, JAN. 9: VEGETABLE DAY 10 AM Maple Production Demonstration:

- 10 AM
   Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers

   11 AM
   Kristina Wisneski, Executive Chef, Ripplewood Whiskey
- and Craft, Ardmore, PA 12 PM David Santucci, Regional Sales Manager, Country Fresh Mushrooms, Avondale, PA
- 1 PM Mandisa Horn, Owner and Executive Chef, Horn O' Plenty, Bedford, PA with Gisele Barreto Fetterman, Second Lady of Pennsylvania
- 2 PM Rafael, "RJ," Chef and Operator, KANTO Kitchen, Pittsburgh, PA and Joy Stanilka from Hilltop Urban Farm
   3 PM Kurt Wewer, Executive Chef, Central PA Chef Consultants, and the Students from LEAP Project, Harrisburg, PA
- **4 PM** Chef Instructor Chris Grove and Students from the Pennsylvania College of Technology, Williamsport, PA
- 5 PM School Cooking Challenge: PA College of Technology Students, Williamsport, PA Honey Extraction Demonstration:
- PA State Beekeepers Association

#### MONDAY, JAN. 10: The GIANT Company DAY 10 AM Honey Extraction Demonstration:

- PA State Beekeepers Association TIAM Chef Instructor Autumn Patti and Students from HACC,
- Central Pennsylvania's Community College, Harrisburg, PA **12 PM** Jennifer Schmiel, RDN, LDN and Shanna Shultz, RD, LDN, Nutritionists, The GIANT Company







- PM Joni Rampolla, RDN, LDN and Holly Doan, RD, LDN, Nutritionists, The GIANT Company
   PM Keith Rudolf, Team Chef, The Philadelphia Phillies,
- Philadelphia, PA **3 PM** Shanna Shultz, RD, LDN and Holly Doan, RD, LDN,
- 4 PM Kilene Knitter, MS, RD, LDN and Charlotte Scheid, MEd,
- RDN, LDN, Nutritionists, The GIANT Company

   5 PM
   Shanna Shultz, RD, LDN and Taylor Guskind, RD, LDN,
- **6 PM** Nutritionists, The GIANT Company Maple Production Demonstration:
- PA Maple Syrup Producers

#### TUESDAY, JAN. 11: POTATO DAY

- **11 AM** Maple Production Demonstration:
- PA Maple Syrup Producers **12 PM** Wesley Hellberg, Executive Chef, West Shore Country Club.
- Camp Hill, PA
- **1 PM** Nicholas Arnold, Executive Chef, The Hotel Hershey and Alex Robertson, Garde Manger Chef, The Hotel Hershey, Hershey, PA
- 2 PM Duke Gastiger, Executive Chef, Refarm, State College, PA
   3 PM Thomas Long, Executive Chef, HACC's Chef's Apprentice and Steven Gump, Assistant Dining Supervisor, Harrisburg, PA
- 4 PM Chef Instructor Nicholas Webb and Students from HACC, Central Pennsylvania's Community College, Harrisburg, PA
- 5 PM School Cooking Challenge with Students from HACC, Central Pennsylvania's Community College, Harrisburg, PA
- 6 PM Honey Extraction Demonstration: PA State Beekeepers Association

#### WEDNESDAY, JAN. 12: BEEF & VEAL DAY 10 AM Honey Extraction Demonstration:

- PA State Beekeepers Association Doug Krick, Executive Chef, Dodge City Steakhouse,
- Harrisburg, PA **12 PM** Keith Taylor, President & CEO, Chefsoul Culinary Enterprises, Executive Chef, Zachary's BBQ & Soul,
- Harrisburg, PA The Beef Slider Showdown: Kids Edition presented by the
- PA Beef Council 2 PM Rick Larsen, Executive Chef, Chocolatier, Hershey, PA
- 3 PM Ben Beaver, Executive Chef, Ever Grain Brewing Company, Camp Hill, PA
- 4 PM Chef Instructor Claire Dacko and Students from Dauphin County Technical School. Harrisburg. PA
- 5 PM School Cooking Challenge with Students from the Dauphin County Technical School, Harrisburg, PA
- 6 PM Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers





#### THURSDAY, JAN. 13: MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY presented by Comcast NBCUniversal

- 11 AM Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers Cher Harris, Corporate Executive Pastry Chef, Hershey 12 PM Entertainment and Resorts **1 PM** Army vs. Navy Cook-Off 2 PM CSC Jason Rohrs, Commandant's Flag Mess Manager, United States Coast Guard SSgt Marilyn Hall, The United States Air Force 3 PM Michael Harants, Professional Chef Consultant, the **4 PM** United States Navy Deputy Program 5 PM Chef Instructor Chad Brumbaugh and Students from HACC, Central Pennsylvania's Community College, Harrisburg, PA Honey Extraction Demonstration: 6 PM PA State Beekeepers Association FRIDAY, JAN. 14: PORK DAY Honey Extraction Demonstration: 11 AM PA State Beekeepers Association 12 PM John Moeller, Owner, Greenfield Restaurant & Bar and Author of "Dining at the White House-From the President's Table to Yours' The Best Pork Belly Competition presented by the PA Pork 1 PM
- Producers Council 2 PM Jesse Burnham, Executive Chef, C&J Catering at the Farm
- Show Complex, Harrisburg, PA **3 PM** David Mills, Executive Chef, Butcher, Owner, Smoke and
- Pickles Artisan Butcher Shop, Mechanicsburg, PA **4 PM** Chef Instructor Bobbie Miller and Students from Cumberland Perry Area Vocational School, Mechanicsburg, PA
- 5 PM School Cooking Challenge with Students from Cumberland Perry Area Vocational School, Mechanicsburg, PA
- 6 PM Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers

#### SATURDAY, JAN. 15: DAIRY DAY

- 10 AM Maple Production Demonstration: PA Maple Syrup Producers Will Shaw, Sous Chef, Bear's Den at the Hershey Lodge & 11 AM Convention Center, Hershey, PA 12 PM Kimberly Brock Brown, American Culinary Federation National President, Author, Celebrity Chef, Speaker 1 PM Undeniably Dairy Milkshake Contest presented by the American Dairy Association North East 2 PM Van French, Pastry Chef, The Hotel Hershey, Hershey, PA Amanda Allen, Executive Chef, Falafel Shack, 3 PM Chambersburg, PA
- 4 PM John Hobbs, Executive Chef, Gear House Brewing Co., Chambersburg, PA



