

The Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Foundation, Inc. is pleased to share information and updates with friends, sponsors and anyone interested in the enhancement of one of our state's greatest treasures, the Pennsylvania Farm Show.

Fall 2020



2021 VIRTUAL PENNSYLVANIA FARM SHOW SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Although the annual Pennsylvania Farm Show will be conducted differently for 2021, the opportunities for exhibitors, the public, and sponsors are still available. The Virtual PA Farm Show aims to educate visitors about our Commonwealth's Agriculture Industry. As a sponsor of this event, organizations have the opportunity to bring favorites of the PA Farm Show alive virtually while also showcasing their business. Listed below are all the sponsorship opportunities available through the Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show, Inc.

- Morning Message - \$500 Per Day
- Educational Resource Library - \$15,000 For the Week
- Career Fair & Awareness Program - \$5000 For the Week
- Evening Arena Events - \$2000 Each Event
- Stem - \$1000 Per Day - Event to Take Place Each Day at 11:00 AM.
- Panel Discussions - \$2000 Each
- Story Time - \$250 Per Evening - Evening Story Read to Youth Each Day
- Duck Pond or Live-Hive Sponsors - \$2000 For the Week
- Pennsylvania Pairing - \$8000 For the Week or \$500 Per Day
- Create Your Own Farm Show Map - \$15,000 - High Traffic Area

For more information about each sponsorship, please visit our website, www.friendsoffarmshow.com. You may also contact Gerry Reichard, Special Advisor.

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Pennsylvania Farm Show Favorites Return for 2021

Two PA Farm Show favorites are making their return for the 2021 Virtual Show. The adorable ducklings and beehive will be featured and observed throughout the week. Each will have a live webcam and be shared on the official website and Facebook of the Farm Show. Live cams will run during the day.



The popular ducklings will have their own live cam throughout Virtual Farm Show week

There will also be opportunities to learn about the ducks and bees. At various times throughout the week, industry experts will tune in and be featured. They will provide the public on important knowledge about the ducks and beehive.

You can sit back and relax watching the ducks waddle and the bees buzz!

Oh Say, Can You Sing?

There is still time to warm your singing voice up and enter to sing the National Anthem for the 105th Pennsylvania Farm Show! Get creative and submit your video to be chosen for broadcast at the open of each day. Videos can be of individuals or groups (members of the same household, please!) performing the National Anthem.

For complete rules and entry information, visit the official PA Farm Show website.

Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show, Inc. Commemorative Pins

The long-standing tradition of Pennsylvania Farm Show pins is back! With two pins to choose from for 2021, you'll be sure to take home a great souvenir of this historic show. The traditional pin features the Keystone State logo and the 2021 PA Farm Show theme, "Cultivating Tomorrow." The special edition 2021 pin features a cow logging in to enjoy the 105th Pennsylvania Farm Show virtually. Get them before they are gone! Orders can be made using the form provided below or [online](#).

2021 Virtual Farm Show Lapel Pins Order Form



\$5.00 – 105th Farm Show Pin



\$6.00 – Farm Show Cow Pin

\$10.00 - Combination Order

(Pennsylvania Sales Tax is included with the Purchase Price)

Please send Check or Money Order to the following:

Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Foundation, Inc.

C/O: Debby Griffith

2300 North Cameron Street

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17110

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Quantity: 105th Farm Show Pin: _____ **Farm Show Cow Pin:** _____

Combination Order: _____ **Total Enclosed: \$** _____

Questions: Gerry Reichard, Special Advisor

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FRIENDS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA FARM SHOW, INC. HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC

The annual picnic recognizing and celebrating the Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show, Inc. was held this earlier this summer. Members of the Foundation, sponsors, Legislator Friends, and PA Farm Show Representatives were in attendance. It was an afternoon of delicious food, Foundation news, and mingling.

Lunch was provided by a pot luck selection and Michael Firestine, vice-chariman, grilled steaks. After lunch, there was a brief recap of the Foundation's successes and contributions to the PA Farm Show given by Bill Piper, Chairman, and Gerald Reichard, Special Advisor.

Special guests were introduced and included:

- Greg Hostetter, Deputy Secretary
- Sharon Myers, PA Farm Show Exective Director
- Harrison Frantz, PA Farm Show Livestock Show Manager
- Congressman G.T. Thompson
- Harry Bachman, President of Lebanon Valley Expo Center & Fairgrounds
- Sue Bowman, Lancaster Farming
- Marvin Beshore, Esquire
- Dave Williams, PA Farm County Radio Owner
- Barbara & Glenn Gross, Pennsylvania State Grange

Thank you to everyone who attended! Special thank you to Michael Firestine and Beverly Gruber, Secretary/Treasurer, for all the hard work you gave to organize and plan the 2020 Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show, Inc. Annual Picnic.



Above: Michael Firestine prepares the steaks for a delicious meal

Below: Part of the Quilt Trail brought by the PA State Grange



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The Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Foundation, Inc. appreciate the extensive list of sponsors for their understanding of the importance of the PA Farm Show and agricultural education. The Foundation has contributed over \$1,300,000 to the Farm Show to support our Mission Statement! This wouldn't be possible without the generosity of many. The FOFS look forward to another successful year with all those involved.

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Interested in becoming a sponsor with the Friends of the Pennsylvania Farm Show Foundation, Inc.? We offer various levels and ways to help support our mission of educating and facilitating educational events! If you are interested, visit our website to gather more information: www.friendsoffarmshow.com

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We encourage you to become a friend! Contributions are \$50.00 annually or \$500.00 to become a lifetime friend. An association contribution is \$500.00 annually. For a membership application, [visit our website](http://www.friendsoffarmshow.com) or contact Gerald Reichard (717) 729 - 7158.

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