

2020

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MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL Fairs & Shows



3	Washington County Spring Swine Show Four States Livestock Sales 501 E 1st Street, Hagerstown, MD 21740 Ashley Travis, 301-791-1304, ashley90@umd.edu	Feb 12
8	Carroll/Howard Field Days Howard County Fairgrounds 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794 Becky Ridgeway, 410-386-2760, bridgewa@umd.edu	Apr 9-Jun 18
8	Maryland Junior Angus Association Howard County Fairgrounds 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794 www.marylandangus.org, Mike Dull, 410-984-2793, colverymeadow2@aol.com	Apr 10
8	Maryland Holstein Spring Show Howard County Fairgrounds 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794 www.marylandholstein.com, Laurie Savage, 301-525-1902, marylandholstein@gmail.com	Apr 16
7	Maryland Junior Herford Association Preview Show Montgomery County Fairgrounds 16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD 20877 www.marylandherford.com/mjha, Michelle Wolfrey, 410-808-9534, michelle@grimmelfarms.com	May 7-8
8	Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival * Howard County Fairgrounds 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794 www.sheepandwool.org, Kris Thorne, 410-531-3647, office@sheepandwool.org	May 7-8
24	Eastern Shore Spring Show Queen Anne's County 4-H Park 100 Dulin Clark Road, Centreville, MD 21617 extension.umd.edu/queen-annes-county, Sally Rosenberry, 410-758-0166, srosenbe@umd.edu	May 14
1	Western Maryland Spring Show Garrett County Fairgrounds 270 Mosser Road, McHenry MD 21541 extension.umd.edu/locations/allegany-county/4-h-youth-education Lacie Ashby, 301-724-3320, lashby@umd.edu	May 14
28	Atlantic National Angus Foundation Maryland State Fairgrounds 2200 York Road, Lutherville-Timonium, MD 21093 Harry Bachman, 717-867-1809, bachauct@lmf.net	May 29
32	Show Like a Pro Dairy Workshop Frederick Fairgrounds 797 East Patrick Street, Frederick, MD 21701 Gail Yeiser, 410-353-3069, gailpyeiser@gmail.com	Jun 3-5
11	Southern Maryland Spring 4-H Show Charles County Fairgrounds 8440 Fair Grounds Road, La Plata, MD 20646 extension.umd.edu/locations/charles-county, Bonnie Boyden, 301-934-5404, bboyden@umd.edu	Jun 3-5
26	Cecil County Breeders Fair Cecil County Fairgrounds 4640 Telegraph Road, Elkton, MD 21921 extension.umd.edu/locations/cecil-county/local-4-h-youth-education/program-information-resources, April Barczewski, 410-996-5280, adhall@umd.edu	Jun 4-5
7	Central MD Spring Show Montgomery County Fairgrounds 16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD 20877 go.umd.edu/4HFrederick, Donielle Axline, 301-600-1589, dinskeep@umd.edu	Jun 11-12
8	Eastern Regional Shorthorn Show Howard County Fairgrounds 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794 www.marylandshorthorns.com, Heidi Bowman, 301-651-0852, bowmanfamilyshorthorns@verizon.net	Jun 11
28	Baltimore County 4-H Fair * Maryland State Fairgrounds 2200 York Road, Lutherville-Timonium, MD 21093 www.baltimorecounty4hfair.com, Janice Coroneos, 410-215-4412, jcoroneos153@gmail.com	Jul 6-10
17	Talbot County Fair * Talbot County Fairgrounds 10659 Hiners Lane, Easton MD 21601 www.talbotcountyfair.org, Amanda Clougherty, 410-310-7699, info@talbotcountyfair.org	Jul 12-16
2	Allegany County Ag Expo * Allegany County Fairgrounds 11490 Moss Avenue, Cumberland, MD 21502 www.alleganycofair.org, Bill McKenzie, 301-338-3393, alleganycofair@allconet.org	Jul 15-23
17	Spring in the Ring Talbot County Fairgrounds 10659 Hiners Lane, Easton MD 21601 www.talbotcountyfair.org/SITR, Amanda Clougherty, 410-310-7966, abclougherty@gmail.com	Jul 15

4	Washington County Fair * Washington County Ag Education Center 7313 Sharpsburg Pike, Boonsboro, MD 21713 agexpoandfair.org, Nevalene Uzelac, 301-992-2034, wcaeadnf@gmail.com	Jul 15-23
27	Harford County Fair * Harford County Equestrian Center 608 N Tollgate Road, Bel Air, MD 21014 www.farmfair.org, Alice Archer, 443-417-3505, aaarcher@comcast.net	Jul 20-30
25	Kent County Fair Kent Ag Center 21349 Tolchester Beach Road, Chestertown, MD 21620 www.kentcountyfair.org, Elizabeth Hill, 410-778-1661, kentagcenter@gmail.com	Jul 21-23
26	Cecil County Fair * Fair Hill Fairgrounds 4640 Telegraph Road, Elkton, MD 21921 www.cecilcountyfair.org, Debbie Harris, 410-392-3440, generalinfo@cecilcountyfair.org	Jul 22-30
18	Somerset County Fair Somerset County Fairgrounds 30512 Prince William Street, Princess Anne, MD 21853 www.somersetcountyfairmd.org, Ronnie Haymaker, 443-735-6606, rhaymaker68@hotmail.com	Jul 25-31
30	Carroll County Fair * Carroll County Agriculture Center 700 Agriculture Center Drive, Westminster, MD 21157 carrollcountyfair.com, Raina Grover, 410-848-3247, cc4hffafairmanager@gmail.com	Jul 30-Aug 5
1	Garrett County Fair * Garrett County Fair Grounds 270 Mosser Road, McHenry MD 21541 www.garrettcountyfair.org, Jason Rush, 301-616-8523, jrush@mybank.com	Jul 30-Aug 6
23	Caroline- Dorchester County Fair 8230 Detour Road, Denton, MD 21629 www.carolinedorchester.wixsite.com, Charlotte Brown, 410-310-6558, 4h.fairboard@gmail.com	Aug 3-5
19	Great Pocomoke Fair * 2037 Broad Street Pocomoke City, MD 21851 www.thegreatpocomokefair.org, Alice Jean Ennis, 410-422-9195, info@thegreatpocomokefair.org	Aug 4-7
29	Hereford Junior Farm Fair * Baltimore County Farm Park and Agriculture Center 1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville, MD 21030 herefordjrfarmfair.org, Steve Wilson, 443-895-0899, windyfoot77@gmail.com	Aug 5-6
8	Howard County Fair * Howard County Fairgrounds 2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794 www.howardcountyfairmd.com, Leslie Bauer, 443-812-1662, labauer5@verizon.net	Aug 6-13
24	Queen Anne's County Fair Queen Anne's County 4-H Park 100 Dulin Clark Road qaqfair.com, Laura Leager, 410-708-1645, qaqfairpromotions@gmail.com	Aug 8-13
7	Montgomery County Fair * Montgomery County Fairgrounds 16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD 20877 www.mcagfair.com, Martin Svrcek, 301-926-3100, info@mcagfair.com	Aug 12-19
21	Wicomico County Fair Winterplace Park 6737 Blue Ribbon Road, Salisbury, MD 21804 www.wicomicofair.com, Zach Evans, 443-867-5185, zevans@mountaire.com	Aug 19-21
28	Maryland State Fair * Maryland State Fairgrounds 2200 York Road, Lutherville-Timonium, MD 21093 www.MarylandStateFair.com, Andrew Cashman, 410-252-0200, acashman@marylandstatefair.com	Aug 25-Sep 11
5	Brunswick Community Show Burkittsville Ruritan Center 500 E. Main Street, Burkittsville, MD 21718 Sally Arnold, 301-662-2246, SallyArnold@comcast.net	Aug 26-27
28	Maryland Angus Breeders Show Maryland State Fairgrounds 2200 York Road, Lutherville-Timonium, MD 21093 www.marylandangusassociation.org, Kelsey Thomas, 301-606-8854, marylandangussecretary@gmail.com	Aug 28
33	Thurmont and Emmitsburg Community Show * Catocctin High School 14745 Sabillasville Road, Thurmont, MD 21788 www.thurmontemmitsburgcommunityshow.webs.com Charles Rodman Myers, 301-271-2104, cheryl1959lenhart@gmail.com	Sep 8-11

6	Damascus Community Fair * Damascus Volunteer Fire Department Building 10211 Lewis Drive, Damascus, MD 20872 www.damascusfair.org, Steven Hagberg, 240-357-4236, info@damascusfair.org	Sep 9-11
3	WACHOHU Grange Community Show Wacohu Grange Hall 16412 National Pike, Hagerstown, MD 21740 Ann Bowers, 301-739-9417,	Sep 9-10
15	Anne Arundel County Fair * Anne Arundel County Fairgrounds 1450 Generals Highway, Crownsville, MD 21032 www.aacountyfair.org, Sharon Gertz, 410-923-3400, info@aacountyfair.org	Sep 14-18
11	Charles County Fair * Charles County Fairgrounds 8440 Fair Grounds Road, La Plata, MD 20646 www.charlescountyfair.com, Glenn Belmore, 301-932-1234, info@charlescountyfair.com	Sep 15-18
32	The Great Frederick Fair * Frederick Fairgrounds 797 East Patrick Street, Frederick, MD 21701 www.thegreatfrederickfair.com, Karen Nicklas, 301-663-5895, info@thegreatfrederickfair.com	Sep 16-24
20	Worcester County Fair * Byrd Park 303 Ball Park Road. Snow Hill, MD 21863 www.worcestercountyfair.com, Earl Ludy, 410-957-4078, worcesterfair.md@gmail.com	Sep 16-18
12	St. Mary's County Fair * St Mary's County Fairgrounds 42455 Fairgrounds Road, Leonardtown, MD 20650 smcfair.somd.com, John Richards, 240-258-2115, info@smcfair.somd.com	Sep 22-25
	Glade Valley Community Show * TBD Brittany Sanders, 301-788-2102, walkersvillefaalumni@yahoo.com	Sep 27-30
13	Calvert County Fair * Calvert County Fairgrounds 140 Calvert Fair Drive Prince Frederick MD 20678 calvertcountyfair.com, Carol Lee, 443-432-3599, calvertfair@comcast.net	Sep 29-Oct 3
32	New Market- Linganore Community Show Linganore High School 12013 Old Annapolis Road, Frederick, MD 21701 lnmcs.com, Shane Rossman, 240-446-7373, shanerossman@gmail.com	Oct 2-4
29	Maryland Make it with Wool Baltimore County Judith Williamson, 301-432-0281, mdmiww@aol.com	Oct 15
	Baltimore City 4-H Youth Expo UME Baltimore City Office 6615 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore, MD 21215 extension.umd.edu/locations/baltimore-city Albert Lewis, 410-856-1856 Ex 135, alewis17@umd.edu	Oct 22
14	Bee Keepers Honey Show Maryland Department of Agriculture 50 Harry S. Truman Parkway Annapolis MD www.mdbeekeepers.org, Stefanie Ottenstein, , MSBA@mdbeekeepers.org	Nov 12

*Denotes a member of the Maryland Association of Agricultural Fairs and Shows (MAAFS)

The purpose of the Maryland Association of Agricultural Fairs and Shows (MAAFS) is to provide a statewide mechanism for sharing information, ideas, methods, practices, regulations, that affect fair management operations and that contributes to the best interests of the fair going public. This is accomplished through an annual convention, newsletters, and correspondence.

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2022 ACTIVITIES		
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Kent County Fair	Jul 21-23	Chestertown
Cecil County Fair	Jul 22-30	Elkton
Somerset County Fair	Jul 25-31	Princess Anne
Carroll County Fair	Jul 30-Aug 5	Westminster
Garrett County Fair	Jul 30-Aug 6	Garrett
Caroline- Dorchester County Fair	Aug 3-5	Denton
Great Pocomoke Fair	Aug 4-7	Pocomoke City
Hereford Junior Farm Fair	Aug 5-6	Cockeysville
Howard County Fair	Aug 6-13	West Friendship
Queen Anne's County Fair	Aug 8-13	Centreville
Montgomery County Fair	Aug 12-19	Gaithersburg
Wicomico County Fair	Aug 19-21	Salisbury
Maryland State Fair	Aug 25-11	Timonium
Brunswick Community Show	Aug 26-27	Brunswick
Maryland Angus Breeders Show	Aug 28	Thurmont
Thurmont and Emmitsburg Community Show	Sep 8-11	Timonium
Damascus Community Fair	Sep 9-11	Damasus
WACHOHU Grange Community Show	Sep 9-10	Hagerstown
Anne Arundel County Fair	Sep 14-18	Crownsville
Charles County Fair	Sep 15-18	La Plata
The Great Frederick Fair	Sep 16-24	Frederick
Worcester County Fair	Sep 16-18	Snow Hill
St. Mary's County Fair	Sep 22-25	Leonardtown
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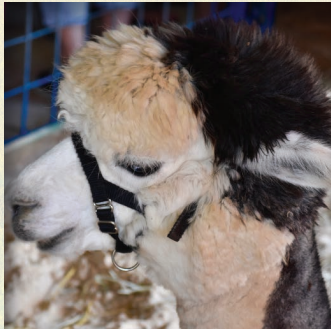
Something for Everyone

From pie eating contests to tractor pulls, from landscaping competitions to excellence in photography, from sheep herding to worm races, from tops in tomatoes to pretty animal contests, from cake auctions to Ferris Wheels, from a 4-H'ers first ribbon to this year's new Miss Maryland Agriculture... there is something for everyone at all the Maryland's agricultural fairs and shows.

Maryland's number one industry is agriculture and this summer you and your family are in for a treat! Agriculture's number one promotional tool is our fair and show season. Over 2 million people will enjoy more than 350,000 exhibits entered by more than 75,000 exhibitors. Our fairs are more than cos and canned goods- although we still have lots of those to be proud of- today's fairs offer the rural, urban, and city consumers a vivid look at the evolving world of agriculture. Food and fiber were never more entertaining. Bring your family and friends to a world of fun, education, and excitement!

The organizations listed in this schedule are all funded in part by the Maryland Agricultural Fair Board by special grant funds from the State of Maryland. These funds assist in the payment of ribbons, awards, and premium expenses for exhibitors, plus awards and trips for many of the state's 50,000 youth involved in 4-H and FFA programs. The Board's mission is to assist these activities in the promotion of Maryland agriculture.

So treat yourself, your family, and your friends to a great experience. There is something for everyone at Maryland's Agricultural fairs and show!



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Maryland Agricultural Fair Board



2022 MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL Fairs & Shows



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