

2025 MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL Fairs & Shows



Allegany County Ag Expo* | July 11-19, 2025

Allegany County Fairgrounds | 2
11490 Moss Avenue, Cumberland, MD 21502
President: William McKenzie:301-338-3393
wfmckenzie@frontier.com
www.alleganycofair.org

Anne Arundel County Fair* September 10-14, 2025

Anne Arundel County Fairgrounds | 14
1450 Generals Highway, Crownsville, MD 21032
President: John H Faber: 410-991-4434
jfaber4711@aol.com
www.aacountyfair.org

Atlantic National Angus Show | May 25-29, 2025

Maryland State Fairgrounds | 27
2200 York Road, Timonium, MD 21093
Chairman: Paul Hill: 717-867-1809
bachauct@lmf.net

Baltimore City 4-H Youth Expo | April 30, 2025

**Univeristy of Maryland Extension,
Baltimore City | 15**
6615 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore City, MD 21215
Chair: Albert Lewis: 301-226-7419
alewis17@umd.edu

**www.extension.umd.edu/locations/balti-
more-city/local-4-h-youth-education/agnr.umd.
edu/agnr.umd.edu/extension.umd.edu/loca-
tions/baltimore-city/local-4-h-youth-education**

Baltimore Co. 4-H Fair* | July 15-20, 2025

Maryland State Fairgrounds |27
2200 York Road, Lutherville-Timonium, MD 21093
President: Sean B Klein, 443-463-3800
sklein@hgklegal.com
www.baltimorecounty4hfair.com

Brunswick Community Show August 22-23, 2025

Burkittsville Ruritan Center | 36
500 E Main Street, Burkittsville, MD 21718
Chair: Sally Arnold: 240-772-6411
BrunswickCommunity123@gmail.com

Calvert County Fair* | September 24-28, 2025

Calvert County Fairgrounds | 22
140 Calvert Fair Drive, Prince Frederick, MD 20678
President: Larry Titus: 410-535-0026
calvertfair@comcast.net
www.calvertcountyfair.com

Caroline/Dorchester County Fair* August 6-9, 2025

Caroline County 4-H Park | 22
8230 Detour Road, Denton, MD 21629
President: John Conneely: 443-786-5484
jmconneely09@gmail.com
www.carolinedorchestercountyfair.com

Carroll County 4-H & FFA Fair* July 25-August 1, 2025

Carroll County Agriculture Center | 29
706 Agriculture Center Drive, Westminster, MD 21157
Chair: Crystal Dell: 443-277-3116
gcdell522@gmail.com
www.carrollcountyfair.com

Carroll County 4-H Livestock Field Days April 12 & June 22, 2025

Carroll County Agriculture Center | 29
706 Agriculture Center Drive, Westminster, MD 21157
Chair: Becky Ridgeway: 410-386-2760
bridgewa@umd.edu

Cecil County Breeders Fair Fair Hill June 7-8, 2025

NRMA-Cecil County Fairgrounds | 25
4640 Telegraph Road, Elkton, MD 21921
Show Chair: April Barczewski: 410-996-8134
adhall@umd.edu
**www.extension.umd.edu/locations/cecil-
county/local-4-h-youth-education/program-in-
formation-resources**

Cecil County Fair* | July 18-26, 2025

Fair Hill Fairgrounds | 25
4640 Telegraph Road, Elkton, MD 21921
President: Don Moore: 443-553-2442
don.aet@zoominternet.net
www.cecilcountyfair.org

Central Maryland 4-H/ FFA Spring Livestock Show | June 14-15, 2025

Montgomery County Fairgrounds | 7
16 Chestnut St, Gaithersburg, MD 20877
Chair: Santana Mays: 443-834-5824
smays1@umd.edu

Charles County Fair* | September 11-14, 2025

Charles County Fairgrounds | 10
8440 Fair Grounds Road, LaPlata, MD 20646
Treasurer: Samuel N. Graves Jr: 301-848-9525
saramy1@verizon.net
www.charlescountyfair.com

Damascus Community Fair* September 5-7, 2025

Damascus Volunteer Fire Department | 6
10211 Lewis Drive, Damascus, MD 20872
President: Steven Hagberg: 240-357-4236
steven.hagberg@gmail.com
www.damascusfair.org

Eastern Regional Shorthorn Show June 14, 2025

Howard County Fairgrounds | 8
2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794
Secretary: Heidi Bowman: 301-651-0852
bowmanfamilyshorthorns@verizon.net
www.marylandshorthorns.com

Eastern Shore 4-H/FFA Spring Show May 10, 2025

Queen Anne's County 4-H Park | 23
100 Dulin Clark Road, Centreville, MD 21617
Co-Chair: Navonne Owen: 410-479-4030
nowen@umd.edu

Garrett County Agriculture Fair* July 26-August 2, 2025

Garrett County Fairgrounds | 1
270 Mosser Road, McHenry, MD 21541
President: Jason Rush: 301-616-8523
jrush@mybank.com
www.garrettcountyfair.org

Glade Valley Community Show* September 23-25, 2025

Walkers Overlook | 30
8939 Woodsboro Pike, Walkersville, MD 21793
Chair: Brittany Sanders: 301-788-2102
gladevalleycommunityshow@gmail.com
www.gladevalleycommunityshow.com

Great Pocomoke Fair INC* | August 2-9, 2025

Great Pomocoke Fairgrounds | 18
2007 Broad Street, Pocomoke City, MD 21851
Fair Director: Sara Chapman: 410-419-4019
chapmans1720@gmail.com
www.thegreatpocomokefair.org

Harford County Farm Fair* | July 19-26, 2025

Harford County Equestrian Center | 26
608 N. Tollgate Road, Bel Air, MD 21014
Co-Chair: Aimee O'Neill: 410-459-7220
aimeesings828@gmail.com
www.farmfair.org

Hereford Jr. Farm Fair* | August 1-2, 2025

Baltimore County Ag Center | 27
1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville, MD 21030
President: Stacey Vansant: 410-967-6777
evnagardens@aol.com
www.herefordjrfarmfair.org

Howard County 4-H Field Days April 12 & June 28, 2025

Howard County Fairgrounds | 8
2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794
4-H Educator: Sheryl Bennett: 410-313-1912
sherylb@umd.edu
www.howard4-H.org

Howard County Fair* | August 2-9, 2025

Howard County Fairgrounds | 8
2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794
President: Timothy Feaga: 410-984-0408
president@howardcountyfairmd.com
www.howardcountyfairmd.com

Kent County Fair* | July 16-19, 2025

Kent County Fairgrounds | 24
21349 Tolchester Beach Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
President: Wesley "T" Troyer: 410-708-3348
kentagcenter@gmail.com
www.kentcountyfair.org

Linganore New Market Community Show September 28-30, 2025

Linganore High School | 31
12013 Old Annapolis Road, Frederick, MD 21701
Treasurer: Jessica Sichert, 240-674-7967
jsichert81@gmail.com
www.lnmcs.com

Maryland Angus Breeders Show August 24, 2025

Maryland State Fair | 27
2200 York Road, Lutherville-Timonium, MD 21093
Secretary: Kelsey Stabler: 301-606-8854
marylandangussecretary@gmail.com
www.marylandangus.org

Maryland Dairy Goat Association | June 29, 2025

Howard County Fairgrounds | 8
2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794
Treasurer: Laurel Gill: 301-938-9818
hhhghgoatfolks@gmail.com
www.marylanddairygoat.org

Maryland Hereford Association June 24 & September 20, 2025

Maryland State Fairgrounds | 27
2200 York Road, Timonium, MD 21093
Secretary & Director: Ashley Schaeffer, 301-514-7459
aschaeffer@taylorsvillevet.com
www.marylandhereford.com

Maryland Holstein Spring Show | April 19, 2025

Howard County Fairgrounds | 8
2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794
Secretary-Treasurer: Laurie Savage, 301-525-1902
marylandholstein@gmail.com
www.marylandholstein.com

Maryland Junior Hereford Association Preview Show | May 3-4, 2025

Montgomery County Fairgrounds | 7
16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD 20877
Advisor: Michelle Wolfrey: 410-808-9534
afmichelle@hotmail.com

www.marylandhereford.com/juniors

Maryland Make It with Wool | October 11, 2025

Wards Chapel United Methodist Church | 28
11023 Liberty Road, Randallstown, MD 21133
Director: Judith Williamson, PhD: 301-432-0281
mdmiww@aol.com

Maryland Sheep & Wool Festival* May 3-4, 2025

Howard County Fairgrounds | 8
2210 Fairgrounds Road, West Friendship, MD 21794
Festival Manager: Wistie Brown: 410-531-3647
festivalmanager@sheepandwool.org
www.sheepandwool.org

Maryland State Fair* August 21-September 7, 2025

Maryland State Fairground | 27
2200 York Road, Timonium, MD 21093
General Manager: Andy Cashman:
410-252-0200
acashman@marylandstatefair.com
www.marylandstatefair.com

Montgomery County Agricultural Fair* August 8-16, 2025

Montgomery County Fairgrounds | 7
16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD 20877
Executive Director: Marty Svrcek: 240-678-0451
msvrcek@mcagfair.com

www.mcagfair.com

Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) Field Days* | June 14, 2025

The Great Frederick Fairgrounds | 31
797 East Patrick Street, Frederick, MD 21701
Secretary/Treasurer: Gail Yeiser: 410-353-3069
gailpyeiser@gmail.com
www.facebook.com/mdpdca

Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) Field Days* | July 15, 2025

Washington County Ag Center | 4
7313 Sharpsburg Pike, Boonsboro, MD 21713
Secretary/Treasurer: Gail Yeiser: 410-353-3069
gailpyeiser@gmail.com
www.facebook.com/mdpdca

Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) Field Days* | October 17-25, 2025

Garrett County Fairgrounds | 1
270 Mosser Road, McHenry, MD 21541
Secretary/Treasurer: Gail Yeiser: 410-353-3069
gailpyeiser@gmail.com
www.facebook.com/mdpdca

Queen Anne's County Fair* August 11-16, 2025

Queen Anne's County 4-H Park | 23
100 Dulin Clark Road, Centreville, MD 21617
Chairman: Laura Leager: 410-708-1645
lauraleager@gmail.com
www.qacfair.com

Show Like A Pro Dairy Workshop (PDCA) June 7-8, 2025

Great Frederick Fairgrounds | 31
797 East Patrick Street, Frederick, MD 21701
Secretary/Treasurer: Gail Yeiser: 410-353-3069
gailpyeiser@gmail.com
www.showlikeapro.org

Somerset County Fair | July 25-27, 2025

Somerset County Fairgrounds | 17
11828 Crisfield Lane, Princess Anne, MD 21853
President: Ronnie Haymaker: 443-735-6606
rhaymaker68@hotmail.com
www.somersetcountyfairmd.org

Southern MD 4-H Spring Livestock Show June 6-8, 2025

Charles County Fairground | 10
8040 Fairgrounds Road, La Plata, MD 20646
Chair: Nick Giannini: 301-934-5404
bboyden@umd.edu

Spring in the Ring | July 11, 2025

Talbot County Fairgrounds | 16
10659 Hiners Lane, Easton, MD 21601
Chair: Trisha Boyce: 717-873-8408
tkrose10@gmail.com
www.talbotcountyfair.org/spring-in-the-ring

St. Mary's County Fair* | September 18-21, 2025

St. Mary's County Fairgrounds | 11
42455 Fairgrounds Road, Leonardtown, MD 20650
President: Jay Farrell: 301-475-2256
farrell3jk@verizon.net
www.smcfair.somd.com

Talbot County Fair* | July 9-12, 2025

Talbot County Fairgrounds | 16
10659 Hiners Lane, Easton, MD 21601
Committee Chair: Sean Clougherty: 302-382-2722
seanclou@gmail.com
www.talbotcountyfair.com

The Great Frederick Fair* September 12-20, 2025

The Great Frederick Fairgrounds | 31
797 East Patrick Street, Frederick, MD 21701
General Manager:
Karen Nicklas: 301-663-5895
knicklas@thegreatfrederickfair.com
www.thegreatfrederickfair.com

Thurmont & Emmitsburg Community Show* September 5-7, 2025

Catocin High School | 32
14745 Sabillasville Road, Thurmont, MD 21788
Vice President: Cheryl Lynn Lenhart
301-639-1150
cheryl1959lenhart@gmail.com
www.thurmontemmitsburgcommunityshow.com

WACOHU Grange | September 12-13, 2025

WACOHU Grange #415 | 3
16412 National Pike, Hagerstown, MD 21740
President: Ann Bowers: 301-739-9417
dunksann@aol.com

Washington County 4-H/ FFA Spring Swine Show* | February 8, 2025

Four States' Livestock Sales | 3
501 E. 1st Street, Hagerstown, MD 21740
Director: Ashley Travis: 301-791-1304
ashley90@umd.edu

Washington County Agricultural Expo and Fair* July 12-19, 2025

Washington County Ag Center | 4
7313 Sharpsburg Pike, Boonsboro, MD 21713
President: Joe Frey: 301-991-5826
freysheepfarm@aol.com
www.agexpoandfair.org

Western Maryland 4-H/FFA District Show May 10, 2025

Garrett County Fairgrounds | 1
270 Mosser Road, McHenry MD 21541
4-H Educator: Lacie Ashby:301-334-6960
lashby@umd.edu
**www.extension.umd.edu/locations/
garrett-county/4-h-youth-development/**

Wicomico County Fair* | August 14-17, 2025

WinterPlace Park | 20
6737 Blue Ribbon Road, Salisbury MD 21804
President: Tri Townsend: 410-603-9598
cgmobilecafe@comcast.net
www.wicomicofair.com

Worcester County Fair* | August 8-10, 2025

John Walter Smith Park | 19
6030 Public Landing Road, Snow Hill, MD 21863
Deputy Director: Jacob Stephens: 410-632-2144
jstephens@co.worcester.md.us
www.worcestercountyfair.org/

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www.maafs.com

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Maryland Farm Statistics

(2024 Census on Agriculture, May 23, 2024)

MARYLAND FARM PRODUCTS

\$2 BILLION Livestock
\$3.4 BILLION Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold
\$1.4 BILLION Crops

Top Commodities Include:

- BROILERS
- CORN
- SOYBEANS

Retail vs. Farmer Shares of Common Foods*

Product	Farmer	Retail
Bacon (1 lb.)	\$0.92	\$14.99
Steak (1 lb.)	\$3.99	\$14.99
Top Sirloin	\$0.92	\$4.99
Bread (Wheat Loaf)	\$0.12	\$4.99
Fresh Carrots (5 lbs.)	\$0.27	\$4.99
Beer (12 Pack)	\$0.06	\$14.99
Boneless Ham (1 lb.)	\$0.92	\$15.98
Soda (2 liters)	\$0.06	\$1.99
Fresh Potatoes (5 lbs.)	\$0.44	\$6.79
Flour (All Purpose 5 lbs.)	\$0.21	\$5.99
Eggs (1 dozen)	\$0.73	\$3.99
Fresh Apples (1 lb.)	\$0.92	\$2.03
Milk (1 gallon)	\$0.92	\$5.99
Lettuce (1 lb.)	\$0.92	\$3.99
Corn Cereal (18 oz. box)	\$0.05	\$3.21
Tomatoes (1 lb.)	\$0.92	\$3.99
Fresh Apples (1 lb.)	\$0.64	\$1.50
Fresh Potatoes (5 lbs.)	\$0.64	\$1.50
Soda (2 liters)	\$0.06	\$1.99
Boneless Ham (1 lb.)	\$0.92	\$15.98
Beer (12 Pack)	\$0.06	\$14.99
Bacon (1 lb.)	\$0.92	\$14.99

MARYLAND FARMERS

Who Operates Maryland Farms?

- 81% Families/Individuals
- 10% Corporations
- 8% Partnerships
- 2% Other

New or Beginning Farmers: 7,319

Maryland Farmers by Age

Age Group	Number of Farmers
< 25	~1
25-34	~2
35-44	~3
45-54	~4
55-64	~5
65-74	~6
75+	~7

Average Age: 57.8 (up from 57 years in 2017)

Number of Young Producers in 2022: 2,301 (34 years old or younger)

59% Farmers who Have a Primary Occupation Other Than Farming

8,860 Female Farmers (32%)
14,647 Male Farmers (68%)

269 Number of African American Maryland Farmers

2,106 Farmers with Military Service

Average Farm Size: 158 ACRES

Total Farms: 12,550

Acres of Farmland: 2 MILLION

Organic Farms: 106 (USDA Certified)

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