

# Lebanon Area Fair Schedule Of Events

## SATURDAY, JULY 30

- 9:00 AM Fifth Annual Fun Run
- 9:00 AM 4-H Horse Show
- 10:00 AM Rabbit Show
- 12:00 Noon Antique/Classic Tractor Parade & Competitions
- 1 PM-10 PM Craft Show
- 1:00 PM Poultry Show
- 2:30 PM Kiddie Pedal Tractor Pull
- 3:00 PM Main Exhibition Hall Opens
- 5:30 PM Lebanon Area Fair Queen Contest
- 6 & 8 PM PAT GARRETT
- 6:30 PM Big Wheel Race
- 7:30 PM Antique/Classic Tractor Pull

## SUNDAY, JULY 31

- 10 AM-4 PM Craft Show
- 11 AM-2 PM Ham Barbecue Dinner
- 12:30-1:30 PM MARK RISSINGER
- 1:00 PM Volleyball Tournament
- 1:30 PM Antique/Classic Tractor Parade & Contests
- 2:00 PM Extra Special Seeing Eye Puppy Dog Demonstration
- 2:00 PM Tug-Of-War Competition
- 4:00 PM 4-H Dog and Pet Show
- 7:00 PM Vesper Service — The KINDLERS  
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## MONDAY, AUGUST 1

- 8:30 AM Swine Show
- 6:00 PM Breeding Sheep Show
- 6:30 PM Beef Blocking Competition
- 7:30 PM Truck Pull - 6000 Lb. Street Stock 4x4  
(Big Block and Small Block) - Monster Trucks

## TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

- Senior Citizen Day
- SENIORS ADMITTED FREE
- 9:00 AM Dairy Showmanship & Fitting Show
- 2:30 PM Beef Show
- 6:30 PM Sheep to Shawl Demonstration
- 7 & 8:30 PM SWINGSTERS OVER 50 - Anthony Gerace and Company
- 7:00 PM Sheep Lead Line

## FARMERS' NIGHT ACTIVITIES

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

- 9:00 AM Youth Tractor Driving Contest
- 6:00 PM Sheep Blocking Contest
- 6 & 8 PM THE DUTTON FAMILY

# Efforts Under Way

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ducers' management skills and profitability. The subject was one of the areas of need expressed in preliminary hearings from the industry in preparation for the earlier forum.

The vehicle to accomplish this educational process has been the Dairy-MAP pilot program developed by Penn State and run for several years on a limited basis to match the workshop method of

instruction to the needs of the dairy farmers who have attended. To date, 400 dairy farmers have taken the course, and from their experience, the course material has been revised and expanded to fill the needs of almost any dairy farmer in the state.

Rather than lecture, the presenters or facilitators of Dairy MAP courses use examples of dairy farm operations for the attendees to match with their own operations.

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

- 9:00 AM 4-H Presentation Contest
- 9:30 AM Livestock Judging Contest
- 10:00 AM Dairy Judging Contest
- 2-8 PM Chicken Barbecue Dinner
- 5:00 PM Farmers Tailgate Market (Anyone with produce welcome — \$5.00/Space)
- 6:00 PM Market Lamb Show
- 6:30 PM 4-H Auction of Donated Goods
- 6:30 & 9 PM ALLISON WONDERBAND
- 6:30 PM Farm Animal Petting Zoo (Kelly Helper's 4-H Club)
- 6:30 PM Lawn & Garden Tractor Pull

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

- 9:00 AM Colored Breed Dairy Show
- Open Holstein Show
- Youth Holstein Dairy Show
- Selection of 4-H Best Bred and Owned Dairy Animal and Youth Supreme Champion
- 6:00 PM Sausage Pattie Sale by Hatfield
- 6:00 PM Livestock Sale
- 7:00 PM Live Dancing by Bob & Peggy Confair
- 7:30 PM Tractor and Truck Pull - SS Modified Tractors and True Street Stock 4x4 Trucks
- 9:00 PM All Exhibits Released

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

- No Exhibits Remain On Grounds —
- Rides And Food Will Open In Evening
- 9:30 AM Fairground Clean-Up — All Help Welcomed!!!
- 7:30 PM Demolition Derby Followed By Fireworks - \$8.00

The farmers write their business and personal objectives and formulate goals that are specific, measurable, attainable, relevant and timely. Topics cover planning, controls, staffing, directing, and organizing. A lot of the educational process comes from the interchange among the dairy farmers in the workshop.

Many farmers going into the classes thought they were good managers but found that there were many things they could do better after they became aware of different possibilities. Decision-making, based on objective rather than subjective assumptions, was one of the great benefits cited by farmers who had taken the course.

The ad hoc committee decided to support the Dairy-MAP program as the method to help dairy farmers with management skills. An advisory committee of half-industry people and half-producers was formed to work with Penn State personnel to further adapt the course to farmer's needs, hire persons to run the program, and promote the program to farmers with the support of the dairy industry stakeholders. A finance committee was also formed to raise funds to run the program.

All this effort comes from a real concern that the business climate for dairy farming in Pennsylvania has become and may continue to be of such a nature that the industry might not survive the economic pressures. If dairy farmers can't make a living, Pennsylvania's total agriculture industry is in trouble. And the supporting jobs that make up 20 percent of Pennsylvania's economy are also in jeopardy.

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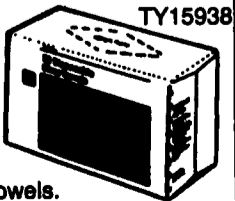
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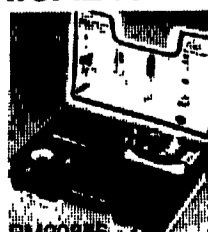
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