

# Keystone Kafe Brings Good Food To Farm Show Complex All Year

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**HARRISBURG** (Dauphin Co.)— Officials of eight Pennsylvania commodity groups met at the Farm Show Complex Thursday morning to witness the grand opening of a new year-round food-serving area just inside the main exhibition hall at the front door. Named the "Keystone Kafe," the new food area is designed to serve Pennsylvania food products to the thousands of people who visit the complex to attend exhibitions that are held throughout the year.

Pennsylvania's agriculture secretary Samuel Hayes Jr., conducted the event saying people traditionally expect good food at the farm show. Now it will be possible for good food to be offered at all exhibitions throughout the year.

"I am very pleased the Farm Show staff worked with the Pennsylvania commodity groups to make it possible to give sharper focus to the foods that are produced here," Hayes said. "Our new state theme "Agriculture Products for the Planet" causes us to think globally, which we must. But we must also play good at home. When you have strong commodity groups as we have in Pennsylvania you can't help but play good at home."

The new food vending area is managed by a newly formed company called the Pennsylvania Agriculture Company.

This company is comprised of the Pennsylvania Dairymen's Association; Pennsylvania Livestock Association; Pennsylvania Bakers Association; Pennsylvania Potato Growers; Pennsylvania State Beekeepers Association; Pennsylvania Mushroom Growers Association; and the State Horticulture Association of Pennsylvania. The commodity groups that participate in the food court at the Pennsylvania Farm Show will continue as in the past.

Dave Smith, who represents the Dairymen's Association is the president of the new company. He said the goal of the new Keystone Kafe is to facilitate the commodity organizations' food service to the large number of visitors to the Farm Show Complex each year. In addition, these commodity groups fund research, product development, educational programs and youth programs that will be supported by the profits from this venture.

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At the opening of the new "Keystone Kafe," a permanent concession booth at the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex are from left, Dennis Grumbine, Farm Show Commissioner; Joe Strite, representing Horticulture; Tom Lyon, representing potato growers; Bob Ferranto, representing the Mushroom growers; Dave Smith, representing Dairymen';

Merle Fisher, representing Bee Keepers; Samuel Hayes, Jr., Pennsylvania agriculture secretary; Jennifer Dotterer, State dairy princess; Bill Allison, representing the Bakers; Tony Debrosky, representing livestock producers; and Bill Troxell, representing vegetable growers.

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