

Massachusetts Agriculture Day at the State House THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 2011



From the Berkshires to the Cape, to the farmers' markets in Boston, each year this exciting event draws hundreds of farmers, agriculture officials, legislators, and industry leaders from across the Commonwealth. For one full day, participants gather at the State House to celebrate Massachusetts agriculture and discuss issues and legislation affecting their farms and communities.

The event includes a speaking program, 'Agriculture Day' awards, informational exhibits and a reception featuring Massachusetts' farm and specialty food products. Please join us in recognizing Massachusetts' farmers; learn more about efforts to maintain the long-term viability of Massachusetts' agriculture; and celebrate Massachusetts agricultural products!

PROGRAM

9:00 am – 11:30 am	Registration, 2 nd floor, <i>Grand Staircase Area</i>
10:00 am	Farmer Orientation on Agricultural Issues <i>Nurses Hall</i>
10:00 am – 11:15 am	Farmer – Legislator visits
11:30 am	Speaking Program <i>Nurses Hall</i>
12:00 pm	"Taste of Massachusetts" Reception & Exhibits <i>Great Hall & Grand Staircase Areas</i>

Nametags will be available at the registration desk

For more information, contact the MA Agricultural Promotional Board at
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