

TWO IMPORTANT EVENTS



ACF Contests, Annual Business Meeting and Awards Banquet are being held on October 27th at the Lyceum in Terryville, CT.

Registrations will be required separately for both events.

Check List:



Registration – Annual Business Meeting & Banquet:

- ♦ Due Oct. 15th
- ♦ Send to: Jody Cameron, Asst Treasurer with payment (see form)
- ♦ Who should attend: fair voting delegates, representatives, state contest winners & guests attending

Baking & Quilt Contest Registration:

- ♦ Due Oct. 14th
- ♦ **Baking** to: Laurie M Skornia ([see form](#))
Email: baking@ctagfairs.org
- ♦ **Quilts** to: Debbie Bellemare ([see form](#))
Email: quilts@ctagfairs.org

*Note: contest registrations are separate and in addition to the banquet registration

Teacup Auction:

- ♦ Don't forget donation items for the Teacup Auction benefiting the Scholarship Fund

Photo Contest:

- ♦ State Photo Contest Judging – submit your vote

Contests & Workshops:

- ♦ 8:30 - 11:00 AM Baking Contests entries received
- ♦ 9:30 - 11:00 AM Quilt Contests entries received
- ♦ 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM **Quilt of Valor Workshop**
- ♦ The Association of Connecticut Fairs State Quilt Contest Committee will be hosting a Quilt of Valor Workshop the day of the Fall Banquet, October 27, 2018 from 9:30 - 4:30 at the Lyceum Hall. All interested quilters are welcome to participate FREE of charge. You don't have to be winner to participate. Please plan to bring items to make a quilt square. [more](#) info...
- ♦ 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM Judging - Quilts
- ♦ 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM Judging - Baking

Annual Business Meeting:

- ♦ 3:00 – 4:30 PM Annual Business Meeting
Proposed Constitution & Bylaws changes and other business

Banquet:

- ♦ Enjoy a great meal, award presentations and don't forget to collect any winnings from the Teacup Auction



The 2018 Tri-State Convention • Trade Show & Showcase is being held in conjunction with MA & RI fairs on Nov. 9-10th in Cromwell, CT.

Registrations will be required separately for both events.

Check List:



Sponsorship:

- ♦ Is your fair a sponsor? There is a level of sponsorship for everyone.
- ♦ Sponsorship packages can be found on the convention page @ CTAgFairs.org

Registration:

- ♦ Due Oct. 26th
- ♦ Send to Joan Buvarsky, CTAgFairs Treasurer with payment (see form)
- ♦ Who should attend: fair representatives, officers, directors, superintendents & volunteers from all departments and guests
- ♦ Breakfast is at 8:00 am for All Day & Business registrants

Overnight Room Reservations:

- ♦ Red Lion Hotel Cromwell, Cromwell, CT
- ♦ 100 Berlin Road, Cromwell, CT 06416 (860) 635-2000
- ♦ Group rate available until October 19, 2018,. Subject to Availability
- ♦ Mention CTAgFairs/Tri-State - Room rate \$99/night plus taxes

Trade Show & Showcase:

- ♦ Notify all of your fair personnel, there is something for all departments at the trade show & showcase

Workshops:

- ♦ Every year the committee works very hard to include a variety of departments and facets of the fair. Please be sure to offer this day to all of your fair's department superintendents and their committees. The best presenters are brought in for your fairs benefit.

CT Fair Brand Displays: *Don't forget to bring*

- ♦ Bring items for fair brand displays! This is a great way for us to share ideas. We've seen MAFA's displays these past few years let's join in and share what Connecticut fairs are doing.
- ♦ Items to include:

Posters	Brochures
Fairbooks	Bumper Stickers
Promotional Items	Fair ribbons/rosettes
Photographs	Samples for fellow fairs to take
Anything that visually shows what your fair is doing and can be put on a tabletop display.	

Note: many fairs use one of those self-standing tri-display boards from the dollar store, not a requirement – just an example.

Banquet:

- ♦ CT Premium Book & Website Contest Awards

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