



MARYLAND HOLSTEIN NEWS

STATE ANNUAL MEETING

The Maryland Holstein Association will host the annual business meeting at 10 a.m., Tuesday, March 12, at the Howard County Fairgrounds dining hall. With the awards banquet part of the Maryland Dairy Convention this year, the association still needs to conduct an annual business meeting. All members are invited, and lunch is \$5. If interested in attending, register by March 1 at 301-349-0750 or LaurieZSavage@aol.com.

STATE SPRING SHOW

The Maryland Holstein Spring Show will be held Saturday, April 20, at the Howard County Fairgrounds. Enclosed are entry forms and rules. Entries are due by March 29 for lowest entry fee. Pat Lundy of Hartford, NY, will judge.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL & MARYLAND ANNUAL

If this newsletter has a membership form enclosed, you may still need to pay dues. Check your records to see if payment was sent. The due date was Jan. 31. You may use this one-page form or the envelope application from the previous newsletter. The Maryland Holstein Annual should be in all members' mailboxes soon. The annual can also be found on the website, marylandholstein.com.

MARYLAND HOLSTEIN ACTIVITIES

The Maryland Holstein Association would like to hear members' ideas for activities, such as barn meetings or bus tours. The association is always looking for summer picnic hosts and for members to serve on committees and sponsor awards. For more information, call 301-349-0750 or e-mail LaurieZSavage@aol.com.

ALL-AMERICAN NOMINATIONS

Congratulations to the Maryland cows and breeders with All-American nominations. Visit www.purebredpublishing.com/all-american for the list.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- March 2**, Maryland Holstein Junior Jamboree, 10 a.m., Carroll County Extension Office
- March 12**, Maryland Holstein Annual Business Meeting, 10 a.m., Howard County Fairgrounds Dining Hall
- April 13**, Maryland 4-H Dairy Bowl Contest, University of Maryland College Park
- April 20**, Maryland Holstein Spring Show, 9:30 a.m., Howard County Fairgrounds
- May 24**, Maryland Holstein Picnic, Triple-Hil Sires, Smithsburg (meat provided, members bring a dish)
- June 8-9**, Show Like a Pro Dairy Weekend, Frederick Fairgrounds
- June 15**, Maryland All-Breeds Field Day, Frederick Fairgrounds
- June 22**, Breakfast on the Farm, Valley-Ho Farm, Middletown
- July 6**, Washington County Holstein Field Day, 10 a.m., Washington County Agricultural Education Center
- July 9**, Garrett County Holstein Field Day, 6:30 p.m.
- July 10**, Maryland Dairy Princess Coronation, reception 7 p.m., contest 7:30 p.m., Clarion Inn Frederick
- September 1**, Maryland Holstein Futurity, Timonium
- September 2**, Maryland State Fair Open Holstein Show, Timonium

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