

**Celebrate National Agriculture
Week March 14th thru 20, 2010**

***Stop by and visit the following
Agencies and Organizations:***

- * Bureau of Forestry
- * Farmland Preservation
- * Farm Service Agency
- * Gas, Steam & Horse Association
- * Natural Resources Conservation Service
- * PA CleanWays
- * Penn State Cooperative Extension
- * Pomona Grange
- * Washington County Agricultural Fair
- * Washington County Cattlemen's Association
- * Washington County Conservation District
- * Washington County Farm Bureau
- * Washington & Greene County Antique Tractor Association
- * Washington County Watershed Alliance
- * West Alexander Agricultural Fair



Ag Facts: Did you know?

- ◆ There are 2,480 farms in Washington County.
- ◆ Washington County is 4th in the total acreage of land in farms and 3rd in PA for the total number of farms.
- ◆ Washington County is 2nd in total number of cattle farms with 1,160.
- ◆ Washington County is 2nd in number of sheep farms with 235.
- ◆ Washington County is 2nd in total acreage of alfalfa hay and all dry hay, 2nd in other hay, and 4th in total forage.
- ◆ The first Ag Days at the Mall started in 1988 and this will be the 22nd Ag Days at the Mall in 2010.
- ◆ Washington County is 1st in total sheep production.

****As of 2007-08 PA Agricultural Statistics****

Washington County Agricultural Days

is sponsored by the Washington County Agricultural Days Committee: Nadene Gardner, Phyllis Hamilton, Judy Iams, June Leech, Darlene Locy, Betty Naser, Donna Winnett, Gary Stokum and Pam Paletta.

Thank you!

- * Washington Crown Center sponsorship of entertainment, prizes, gifts, copies and prizes for the coloring contest winners.

**22nd Washington
County
Agricultural
Days**



**Friday, March 12 &
Saturday, March 13, 2010**

**Washington
Crown Center**



Farm Animals

- * petting zoo
- * rabbits
- * goats
- * baby chicks
- * ducks
- * lambs
- * llamas



Good Home Cooking

- * baked goods
- * roast beef sandwiches
- * apple dumplings
- * pies
- * cabbage & noodles
- * soup



McGuffey and Fort Cherry H.G. Parkinson FFA programs will be promoting their Chapters. The kids' play area will be open from Friday -7:00 - 9:00 p.m. & Saturday from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Coloring Contest sponsored by Washington Crown Center

Coloring sheets can be picked up at the Washington Crown Center mall office next to Sears. Prizes will be awarded. Entries must be returned to the mall office by March 5, 2010.

* The Washington County Farm Bureau will be collecting non-perishable food items for the Washington County Food Bank. Please drop off a donation at the Farm Bureau table.



Washington County Ag Days Washington Crown Center - March 12 & 13, 2010

*Set up begins Thursday, March 11, 2010 from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Carry in only/no carts until the mall closes at 9:00 p.m.*

Schedule of Events - Friday, March 12, 2010

All displays must be set up for the public

12 Noon

4:00 p.m.

100 Foot Long Banana Split – sponsored by Ag Days at the Mall Committee

5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Taps“N”Toes and All That Jazz - from Bentleyville – Center Stage

7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Square Dance by Chuck Monticello – sponsored by Washington Crown Center

Schedule of Events - Saturday, March 13, 2010

Receive Apple Pies at the Wash. Co. Cattlemen's booth

Noon - 2:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m.

Fashion Show – Sponsored by Macy's – Center Stage

2:00 p.m.

Pedal Pull – Sponsored by Log Cabin Fence & Washington County Farm Bureau – Hallway by movie theater

2:00 p.m.

South Hills Kennel Club – Dog Obedience Class – Center Stage

3:00 p.m.

Spinning & Weaving Demonstration - by Washington County Spinners & Weavers – Center Stage

3:00 p.m.

Loughman Llamas – Center Stage

5:00 p.m.

Magic Show -by David Lawrence – Center Stage

6:00 p.m.

Apple Pie Auction- Benefits Washington Co. Cattlemen's Association, Inc. Advanced Education Support Grant – Center Stage

7:30 p.m.

Raffle Ticket Drawing – Center Stage. **The Coloring Contest and Washington County Farm Bureau Photo Contest awards will be presented at this time.**

All tickets sold during Ag Days at the Mall will be drawn at this time on stage.

8:00 p.m.

Magic Show- by David Lawrence – Center Stage

Washington County Farm Bureau Photo Contest rules and entry form can be picked up at the Extension or mall office. Two divisions (junior & adult). First place \$50, second place \$25 & third place \$15. All entries must have an entry form & be dropped off at the Washington Crown Center mall office next to Sears by March 5.