

Thursday April 11, 2019

3:00-7:00pm Registration..... Windjammer Lobby
7:00-8:00pm Welcome Reception..... Baypoint Ballroom
8:30-10:30pm Hospitality Gathering Baypoint Ballroom

Friday April 12, 2019

7:00am-12 noon Registration Windjammer Lobby
7:00-9:00am Breakfast..... State of Maine Hall
8:00am MDACF Commissioner

8:30-11:30am Emergency Plans Baypoint Ballroom
Kevin Rousseau, MEMA & Rachael Fiske, MDACF

11:45-1:30 Lunch Buffet State of Maine Hall
National Anthem by Graci Gillen
Keynote - U.S.Army SSG Travis Mills
Meet & Greet with SSG Travis Mills

2:00-3:00pm Farm to Fair Rockland Room
Darcy Winslow – Waterford World’s Fair
The Importance of Bylaws Camden Room
Bill McFarland – Windsor Fair
Volunteer Programs Rockport Room
April Boucher – Common Ground Fair

3:15-3:30pm Afternoon Refreshments State of Maine Hall Lobby
3:45-4:45pm Government & Your Fair Schooner Room
Melissa Jordan – MDACF, Barry Norris – Union Fair
Children’s Activities at your Fair.. Rockland Room
Junia Norris – Union Fair
H2B Program Camden Room
Jorge Acero- State Monitor Advocate H-2A H-2B FLC
Handling a Crisis at your Fair Rockport Room
David Andrews- Fryeburg Fair

5:30-7:30pm Lobster DinnerState of Maine Hall
8:00-10:00pm Hospitality Gathering Baypoint Ballroom
Entertainment by Sharon Hood & Dixon Road Band

Saturday April 13, 2019

7:00-9:00am Breakfast..... State of Maine Hall
8:30am Guest Speaker: Tom Peaco, Executive Director
Penobscot Bay Regional Chamber of Commerce

9:15-10:15am Being an Owner, Trainer, Driver in the Harness Racing Industry Rockland Room
Mike Cushing – Farmington Fair

Rising Stars of Maine Fairs.....Camden Room
Marilyn Hunter-Topsham Fair, Liz Chaisson-Pittston Fair,
Arthur Adams-Fryeburg Fair

IT Support for Fairs..... Rockport Room
Steve Graustein – Fryeburg Fair

10:30-11:30am IAFE Zone 1 Meeting Baypoint Ballroom
Mark St. Jacques – Director
YPI Auction

11:45am-12:45pm Lunch..... Baypoint Ballroom
Keynote – Building Boards that Build
Gordon Hibbard – IAFE

1:00-2:45pm Institute of Fair Management... Baypoint Ballroom
#130 Ag Programming
Jen Cannon, CFE, Iowa State Fair

3:00pm Depart by bus to the Union Fair, Union Maine
3:30-5:30pm The Matthews Museum and Blueberry Museum

Other activities include:
Music by the Saltwater Hillbilly
Wagon rides by the FDHMP Club
Race Horse & Bike – Mike Cushing
Cotton Candy – Nash Family Concessions
Blacksmith – Jan Tricarico
Chainsaw Sculptor – Tim Pickett
Sawmill Demonstration – Tad Hunter
Working Steers – The Orff Family
Hoof Trimming – Dick Brown
Construction Rodeo – Mac Hunter

5:30pm Depart by bus to the Thompson Community Center
5:45-7:45pm Dinner and Wine Tasting

Sponsored by Savage Oakes Vineyard & Winery
Depart by bus back to the Samoset Resort
Surprise at Hotel Penobscot Bay Patio,
Penobscot Bay Room, Schooner Room