

Wisconsin Association of Fairs 2023 Spring District Meetings

The Wisconsin Association of Fairs (WAF) is taking a new look at how we host the District Meetings. For 2023, we are going to host four district meetings at a central location within each district and also host a Zoom evening meeting. WAF District Directors will take the lead organizing reservations. We want to thank all of the fairs that have generously served as host for the meeting in the past. We hope to see every fair represented in some fashion at the upcoming district meetings.



2023 Schedule of Events

- April 4, Spring District 2 Meeting, Barron (10AM-2:30PM)
- April 5, Spring District 1 Meeting, Merrill (10AM-2:30PM)
- April 11, Spring District 4 Meeting, Washington (10AM-2:30PM)
- April 11, Spring District Zoom Call (6-8 PM)
- April 12, Spring District 3 Meeting, WI Dells (10AM-2:30PM)

District 2: April 4, 2023 (Tuesday)

- Hosted at the VFW in Barron.
- The cost for lunch is \$20.00 per person.
 - RSVP to Jackie Kumm, 715-381-3744 or jackiekumm@edinarealty.com
- Deadline for reservations is March 27 at noon.
- GPS Address: 1105 E Division Avenue, Barron, WI 54812

District 1: April 5, 2023 (Wednesday)

- Hosted at the Eagle's Club in Merrill.
- The cost for lunch is \$20.00 per person.
 - RSVP to Dale Christiansen, 715-218-1148 or cwsfexecdir@gmail.com
- Deadline for reservations is March 27 at noon.
- GPS Address: 1205 Lake St, Merrill, WI 54452

District 4: April 11, 2023 (Tuesday)

- Hosted at the Washington County Fair Park, in West Bend.
- The cost for lunch is \$20.00 per person.
 - RSVP to Mary Check, 608-755-1470 or info@rockcounty4hfair.com
- Deadline for reservations is April 3 at noon.
- GPS Address: 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend WI 53095

District 3: April 12, 2023 (Wednesday)

- Hosted at the Chula Vista Resort, Upper Dells Ballroom, in WI Dells.
- The cost for lunch is \$20.00 per person.
 - RSVP to Liz Cook, 608-356-8707 or info@saukcountyfair.com
- Deadline for reservations is April 3 at noon.
- GPS Address: 2501 River Road Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965

Zoom Call: April 11, 2023 (Tuesday) from 6:00-8:00PM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88424725262?pwd=V3dDR1R6T2UvSndqSnIzaGhXcXcwZz09>

Meeting ID: 884 2472 5262: Passcode: 676257

One tap mobile: +16469313860,,88424725262#,,,,*676257# US

Dial by your location: +1 646 931 3860

Cost for all in-person district meetings is \$20 per person and payable to WAF the day of the meeting. Advance reservations are required. Your fair will be responsible for the cost of each meal if a reservation is made & not canceled two days prior to the meeting.

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Agenda:

9:30 Registration / rolls & beverages

10:00 Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
2023 President's Message: Mary Check

Roll Call: Jayme Buttke

Share: What is one tradition you have at your fair? What is a new tradition you hope to start?

WI DATCP Update: Debbie Gegare, Fairs Coordinator

11:00 Recap 2023 WAF Annual Convention & Suggestions for 2024
- How do fairs utilize bookings from our Associates through Showcases, Trade Show and Visiting Associates?

Survey Launch – the Door County Fair is partnering with WAF to survey our fairs. This information is valuable to all fairs. We'll talk though what is being created and how the data will be shared.

12:00 Lunch

12:45

Legislative Update

2024 Fair Member Due Structure

100th WAF Anniversary Promotion – As WAF celebrates 100 years this year, we have some exciting ways your fair can participate.

Fair Show & Tell –Share your craziest ideas about what works at your fair. Share what is something your fair is struggling with and brainstorm with other fairs to see if we can find a solution. Let's see how things we've done the past can lead to a successful fair future.

2:30 Adjourn

Upcoming Fall Meeting Schedule:

October 3, Fall District 4 Meeting, West Bend

October 4, Fall District 3 Meeting, WI Dells

October 10, Fall District 2 Meeting, Barron

October 11, Fall District 1 Meeting, Merrill

