

MEALS

Thursday Social Hour and Trade show will offer appetizers compliments of Franklin County Maple Producers. Friday Breakfast will consist of a buffet scrambled eggs, bacon, home fries, toast & ass't fruit. Friday lunch will be a cookout catered by Robbie Provasi with Hamburgs (homemade), McKenzie Hot dogs, Baked Beans, Pasta salad. Friday night banquet will be a Maple Baked Ham & Lasagna with all the fixings. Saturday Breakfast will be Pancakes, Sausage and Cinnamon Buns w/maple frosting. The weekend will conclude with a Chicken Barbecue with all the fixings.

LODGING

There are many campsites available at the Field days for minimal fee. Please call Jacques & Donna Beaulieu at 802-868-4140 or 802-370-2671 to reserve a spot. \$40 a night or 3 nights for \$100.

Here is a list of other places to stay in the area

Laquinta - St. Albans exit 19 I-89N 802-524-3300 www.lq.com

Econo Lodge - St. Albans exit 19 I-89N 802-524-5956 www.econolodge.com

The Cadillac Motel -St. Albans exit 19 I-89N 802-370-3082 <http://www.thecadillacmotel.com/>

Back Inn Time - B&B -St. Albans exit 19 I-89N 802-527-5116 www.backinntimevt.com

Tetreaults Hillside View B&B - exit 19 I-89N 802-827-4480 www.vermontinvitesyou.com/hillsideviewfarm

Parents Hilltop B&B – 802-933-4625

Swanton Motel - exit 21 I-89 N 868-4284

Schedule:

Thursday - July 24 at Franklin County Field Days - Highgate VT

3:00-8:00 PM Registration

5:00-7:00 PM Appetizers - Bar Open

4:00-8:00 PM Trade Show

Friday - July 25 at Franklin County Field Days - Highgate, VT

6:30-8:00 AM Registration Trade show

6:30-7:30 AM Breakfast

8:00 AM - 4:45 PM Tours

5:00 - 6:00 PM Social Hour Trade Show

6:00-7:00 PM Dinner Followed by Awards and Entertainment

Saturday - July 26 at Franklin County Field Days - Highgate, VT

6:30-8:00 AM Registration Trade show

6:30-7:30 AM Breakfast

8:00-1:00 Tours

1:00 - Chicken Barbeque

Directions

Franklin County Field Days is located off I-89 exit 21 - Airport Road

From the South - take I-89 north to exit 21. Take a right on Rt 78 go straight you will see a John Deere dealership on your right Airport Road is on your left.

From the North - take I-89 south to exit 21 . Take a left on Rt 78 take go straight you will see a John Deere dealership on your right Airport Road is on your left.

Friday Tour stops

Tators Sugar Shack - Stephen Tetreault - 5000 taps, wood evaporator, RO

Green Mountain Mainlines- JR Sloan - boils 130K taps, State of the art sap buying facility, 2 evaporators new Technology

Ryans Maple Ridge Sugarhouse, Inc -Matt & Travis Ryan - 36K taps new building, oil evaporator, Tubing installers

Branon Family Maple Orchards - Tom & Cecile Branon & Sons - New building, oil evaporator, RO's, 66K taps

Elm Brook Farm -David Howe - 10K taps sells sap, Distillery

Memory Lane Maple-Garth Atherton - Pellet evaporator, 1800 taps, 3 different tubing set up CDL Vacuum monitoring system

Gagne Maple- Fernand & Pat Gagne & Sons - wood chip evaporator, 22K taps, TapTrack monitoring system, very innovative sugaring operation!

Cutler View Maples- Dan Rainville - Oil evaporator, 1600 taps, RO - new Technology-small scale w/advanced Technology

Dubie Family Maple - Mark & Muffin Dubie - Steam evaporator, 50000 taps all to the sugarhouse

Boston Post Dairy - Dairy and Goat farm featuring award winning cheeses made on site

Gervais Family Maple -Gabe Gervais - 45K taps, oil evaporator, on very large operating farm

B&T Black Creek Farm -Tom & Sue Howrigan & Sons - Old School house renovated for a sugar house, oil Evaporator, 15K taps on an operating Dairy Farm

Saturday Tour stops

L'Esperance Family Maple - Cody L'Esperance - 20K taps, owned and purchased sap, all woods are off location - sap trucked in.

Boston Post Dairy - Dairy and Goat farm featuring award winning cheeses made on site

Memory Lane Maple- Garth Atherton - Pellet evaporator, 2000 taps, 3 different tubing set ups, CDL Vacuum monitoring system

Gagne Maple- Fernand & Pat Gagne & Sons - wood chip evaporator, 22K taps very innovative!

Cutler View Maples - Dan Rainville - Oil evaporator, 2000 taps, RO - new Technology-small scale w/advanced Technology

Rick's Sugar House - Richard Hoburn 18000 oil evaporator, camera system to monitor tanks and vacuum gauges at the sugarhouse.

Companion Tour

Joey's Junction - A quick stop before we get on the road to grab hot coffee and fresh baked goods.

Due North Winery - Local Wine tasting
is teaming up with **Maggie T's** breads and

Boucher Family Farm for cheese tasting

Boston Post Dairy - soap making, visit the cheese room, goat cheese tasting etc.

Toby Fulwiler - watch a local bowl maker transform wood into bowls in his newly designed shop

Barn Quilts - we will follow the local Barn Quilt Trail to view beautifully designed and locally made barn quilt designs that will take us along back roads of Franklin County

Downtown St. Albans - a visit to our newly redesigned downtown where guests can enjoy a unique shopping experience.

St. Albans Historical Museum - learn about Franklin County's local history. This year we are celebrating the 150th Anniversary of the St. Albans Raid!

More to come!