

NEW YORK STATE ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL FAIRS, INC.

The 133rd annual Convention of the New York State Association of Agricultural Fairs, Inc. was held January 14-17, 2022 at the Joseph A. Floreano Rochester Riverside Convention Center, Rochester, NY. On behalf of the Officers and the Board of Directors, I would like to take this opportunity to extend sincere thanks to each of you for your participation and cooperation. You have made it possible for us to once again experience a successful Convention. We hope you enjoyed the Convention and we wish you a successful 2022 season!

All Officers, Directors and Committees of the Association **All Associate Members who participated**

Scholarship Auction: All fairs, individuals and associate members who participated, contributed and purchased auction items. The Auction Committee, Auctioneer Todd Jantzi and all those who helped with the auction.

President's Reception and Hospitality Room:

Chenango County Fair County Fair Board of Directors and Staff and Sponsors

Past Presidents' Reception on Saturday – Sponsored by The Joseph A. Floreano Rochester Riverside Convention Center and Visit Rochester

Signs: Supplied by the Dutchess County Fair, Andy Imperati

Saturday & Sunday Breakfast, Banquet, Saturday Buffet: NYS Association of Agricultural Fairs, Inc., Lewis County Fair, Saratoga County Fair and Variety Attractions.

Door Prizes: All those donating door prizes; Board and Staff members of the Chenango County Fair and friends for ducks and distributing prizes.

Memorial Service & Display: Dr. Marilyn Trainor

Showcase Acts: WailOn, Tribute to Waylon Jennings & Classic County, Murphy presented by Klein's Entertainment, LLC, and the Rylee Lum Band

Emcees: Jeff Williams and Nick Pelham, CVFM

Personnel from:

Visit Rochester – Amanda Fox, and Alicia Gazda

NICA – represented by Jessica Gottsche

New York Showpeople's Association – Jeff Lloyd, President

OABA – represented by Debbie Powers

Speakers:

William Stainton

Alicia Shoults, Ohio State Fair, IAFE Speaker

Bill Ogg, CFE, Nebraska State Fair, sponsored by the Erie County Fair

Breakout Sessions: All speakers and facilitators

Sponsors:

Gold Plus Sponsor: Amusements of America, Dreamland Amusements, Erie County Fair, McGown Allied Specialty Insurance, Powers Great American Midways, Strates Shows.

Bronze Sponsor: Lewis County Fair, Saratoga County Fair, Variety Attractions, Inc, Visit Rochester

Contributing Sponsors: Afton Fair, Automated Cash Technologies, Boxall's Concessions, Coleman Bros. Shows, Herkimer County Fair, Seneca County Fair, The Corner Grill.

Acknowledgements:

Badges & Tickets: The Fair Publishing House; Visit Rochester.

Lanyards: Zutter Design, Washington Mills, NY

Sound: Lloyd Sound Inc.

Audio-Visual: CMI Communications

President's Plaque: Don Peck

Hall of Fame Plaques: Andy Imperati

Trade Show: Northeast Decorating, Bill Newman; Otsego County Fair, Lisa Jones & Staff and our Trade Show participants.

Trade Show Luncheon Coupons

Sponsored by NYS Association of Agricultural Fairs, Inc. & The Joseph A. Floreano Rochester Riverside Convention Center

Refreshment Breaks: Upstate Milk Cooperative & Valley Beverages (Pepsi)

Staff of: The Joseph A. Floreano Rochester Riverside Convention Center and the Hyatt Regency Rochester.

Sale of 50/50 Tickets: Pauline Bunce, Chairperson, and all those who sold tickets.

Registration Desk: Norma Saville, Ida Williams Kathy Elthorp and the Visit Rochester staff ; Jane Luskin, Treasurer; Recording Staff: Lauren Delaney, Saratoga County Fair.

For all those who helped to make the convention a success, we truly appreciate it.

Thank you!

Russell L. Marquart, CFE
NYSAAF Executive Secretary