

# **Woodford County Annual Farm Tour Stops/Topics:**

## **1966**

*Hampton Henton Farm* - Sheep

*William Montague Farm* - Honey

*Ralph Mills Farm* - Swine

*Bennie Baker Farm* - Tobacco Irrigation

*Dick Starks Farm* - Feeder Calf Performance Testing

*Alexander Farm* - Lunch, Strip Cropping, Irrigation Reservoir, Alfalfa Management

## **1967**

*J.B. O'Rear Farm* - Grass Silage, Pasture Management

*Buddy Sellers Farm* - Sod Production

*Ambrose Jones Farm* - Brood Mare Operation

*Laurence Blevins Farm* - Lunch, Cattle Freeze Branding

*Claude and David Kaenzig* - Labor Saving with Antrazine, Cucumber Harvesting, Fruit Production

## **1968**

*Matt Jones Farm* - Dairy

*W. J. Walden Farm* - Sweet Corn Production

*Dr. Sublett Farm (Floyd Roark)* - Alfalfa Weed Control, Hay Production

*Stafford Farm (Randolph Cotton)* - 4-H Steer Project

*Bohanan Meyer Farm (Kelly Linville)* - Trench Silo

*Mrs. Evan McCord and Miss Susan Turner Farm (Brad Padgett)* - Lunch, Livestock Facilities, Bunker Silo, Tobacco Strip Cropping, No-Till Corn Production

## **1969**

*Harvey Jones Farm* - Tobacco Test Plots

*James Miller Farm* - Sheep Production

*Hugh Perry Farm* - Cattle Production

*Nathan Elliott Farm (Benny Baker)* - No-Till Corn

*Jimmy Jack Lewis* - "Push Button" Cattle

*Swope Farm (R.H. White)* - Lunch, Pasture Renovation, Cattle, Sheep, Swine and Home Food Production, Conventional and Narrow Strip Cropping, Conservation Plan

## **1970**

*Lee Walter Gaines Farm* - Walnut Tree Production

*Dudley Gaines Farm* - Walnut Production

*Bruce Davis Farm* - Hay Stacker

*Harry Bullock Farm (E.T. Carmickle)* - Hay Thrower, Post Driving Demo, Tobacco

*George Dunlap Farm* - Lunch, Proper Land Use, Hay Bine, Mowers

## **1971**

*Mint Spring Farm* - Cattle Production

*Hardin Fields III Farm* - Pasture Renovation

*Triple M Farm* - Cattle Production/Feed Lot

*Pin Oak Farm* - Asparagus Production

*Nuckols Brothers Farm* - Conservation Practices/Sodded Waterway

*Bill Clark Farm* - Buffalo, Longhorns and Crosses

*A.B. Karsner Farm* - Lunch, Horse Operation, Landscaping

## **1972**

*James Brumback Farm* - Maryland vs. Kentucky Burley Comparison

*James Moore, Jr. Farm* - Conservation Cropping, Land Use Fencing

*B.R. Hippe Farm* - Narrow Strip Cropping of Tobacco

*Ed Randle Farm* - Farm Development, 7 Acre Lake, Maine Anjou-Cross Calves

*King Farm* - No-Till Corn

*Landfill*

*Glen Oak Farm* - Lunch, Purebred Hereford Cattle Production, Cattle Handling Facility and Equipment

### **1973**

*Pin Oak Farm* – Cattle Production

*Jack D. Roger Estate and Clarence Cornish* – Underground Tile Drainage Systems for Wet Lands

*Mrs. G.D. Hill Farm* – No-Till Corn in Small Grain Stubble

*Joe Garrett Farm* – Fruit Trees On Wires

*S.B. Alexander Estate (Wallace Tilghman)* – Narrow Strip Tobacco Production

*J.J. Lewis Farm* – Lunch, Recognition Program-Agencies, Tobacco Topper, Cattle Handling Facility, No-Till Corn in Sod, Pasture Production

### **1974**

*Woodford County High School Greenhouse* – Jim Wilds Presiding

*Granville Leach Farm* – Cattle Production, Silo

*Tom Lancaster Farm* – Spring Development

*Kaenzig Brothers* – Zip Seeding, No-Till Corn, Narrow Width Strip-Tiled, Water Way, Corn Varieties

*S.B. Alexander Estate (Wallace Tilghman)* – No-Till Corn

*Ronnie Rose Farm* – Pasture Renovation, Thistle Eradication, Community Garden (Dalton Evans)

*H.B. Walters Farm* – Lunch, Recognition Program-Agencies, Equipment Demonstration, Cattle Production

### **1975**

*Henton Farm (Hampton Henton, Jr.)* – No-Till Corn Double Cropping-Soybeans, Grain Bins and Dryer, 4 Row Planter

*Bonnie Braes Farm* – Strip Cropping, New Idea in Horse Barn and Tobacco Barn

*Garrett's Orchard* – Apple Production on Wires, Fruit and Vegetable Production, Marketing

*Graham McCauley Farm* – Lunch, Speaker Ken Evans, UK Agronomy, Recognition Program, Cattle Handling Facility and ID, Water Facilities-New Lake, Round Bales

### **1976**

*Hardin Fields III Farm* – Machine Harvest Tomatoes

*Kaenzig Brothers* – Tobacco Seed Operation, Hand Pollination

*Alexander Farm (Wallace Tilghman)* – Mouse Damage and Control in No-Till Corn

*Dudley Gaines Farm* – Zip Seeded Clover

*Mint Springs/Airy Mount Farm (Robert Kelley)* – Lunch, Recognition Program, Pasture/Hay Production, Horse Facility, New Pond, Walnut Stand Management, Machinery Display, Tobacco Production, Cattle Handling Facility, Beef Judging

### **1977**

*Waverly Farm (Archie and Johnny Adams)* – Fed Lot Operation, Cattle Production

*Glen Oak Farm* – Horse Operation

*Bill McDaniel Farm* – Spring Stock Water Development and Waterway Improvement, Recycled Garbage for Fertilizer, Erosion Control

*Raymond Lane Farm* – Lunch, Recognition Program, Tour Lane Farm and Gene Manley Farm, Hog Operation, Tobacco Strip Cropping, Fly Control, Stockwater Pond, Cattle Production, Bell Pepper Production, Equipment Demonstration

### **1978**

*Mrs. Wade Henton Farm* – Tobacco, Grain and Sheep Production, Chemical Weed Control

*Benincasa Egg Company (Midway)* – Egg Processing

*Weisenberger Mill (Midway)* – Milling Operation

*W.R. Hawn Farm* – Lunch, Awards Program, Horse Farm Operation

*W.C. Robinson, Jr. Estate* – Walnut Tree Operation, Wet Land Management for Crop Production

*Moore's Meat (William Moore)* – Meat Packing Operation

### **1979**

*Springdale and Polly Place Farm (Mrs. Branham Dunlap and Tavner Dunlap, Jr.) (Mrs. Lucy Cross Chandler and Whitney Dunlap, II)* – No-Till Corn, Double Crop Soybeans, Cattle Production

*Castleview Farm (David A. Logston, Mgr.)* – Equine Therapeutic Center

*Matt Jones Farm* – Tobacco Harvesting Aids Demonstrations

*Mint Springs Farm* – Lunch, Awards Program, Tobacco Equipment and Production, Variety of Farm Equipment Displayed, Discussion on Weed and Grass Control, Cattle Production and Involvement of Embryo Transplants in Herd Improvement

*James L. Spurgeon Farm* – Honey Production

### **1980**

*Herman Pittman Farm* – Utilizing Small Farm, 4-H Beef Project

*Henry Alexander Farm* – Sorghum Production

*Big Sink Farm* – Farm Shop, Johnson Grass Control in Alfalfa, Tobacco and Corn Production, Horse Facility

*Bethel Dotson Farm* – Sunflower, Corn and Tobacco Production

*Pinnacle Farm* – Horse Facility, Sod Waterways and Conservation Practices

*Bob Perry Farm* – Lunch, Awards and Recognition, Demonstrations of Hay and Tobacco Production Equipment, Wood Splitter, View New Type of Fencing

### **1981**

*Henton Farm (Hoppy Henton)* – Grain Drying and Handling Facilities, Minimum Till Corn, No-Till Soybeans, Electric Gate

*National Distilleries* – Tour of Taylor Distillery and Museum

*Woody Fint and David Penn* – Ginseng Farming

*Eddie Knight Farm* – Haying Demonstration, Tow Rake Hook-up and New Concept in Roll Balers

*Howard Montague Farm* – Lunch, Recognition Program, Tobacco Baler Demonstration, Sheep Production, Cattle Facility, Haying Demonstration, Spring Development

*Willard Lloyd Farm/Gary Wilson* – Tobacco Cutter Demonstration

*Robert Richardson Farm* – Lake Development

### **1982**

*Hardin Fields Farm* – Grain Handling Facility, Corn Production, Chisel and Disk Preparation, Corn Variety Plots, Double Crop No-Till Soybeans, Fence Row Control, Volunteer Pond

*Windy Hill Farm (Ronald Craig)* – Youth Livestock and Sheep Project

*Hensley Mackie Farm* – Spring Development, Grass Waterway, Pasture Renovation, Fly Control Ear Tags, Weed Control, Tobacco Barn Convenience

*Floyd Roark Farm* – Lunch, Introductions and Recognitions, Equipment Display, Cattle Facility, Crop Production

*Joseph Lamonica Farm* – Horse Facility, Barn Conversion

*Mint Spring Farm* – Feed Lot and Slurry System

### **1983**

*Select Angus Farm* – Cattle Show Barn, Show String, Handling Facility, Embryo Transplant Results

*Brookdale Farm* – Laser Tile Laying Demonstration

*Lane's End Farm* – Horse Facility, Farm Greenhouse

*Romanoaks Farm (Williams Lane)* – Lake Management and Fish Production, Discussion on Grouting, Tile Layout and Soil Structure

*Whitney Dunlap II Farm* – Lunch, Introduction and Recognitions, Tobacco and Grain Production

*Tavner Dunlap Farm* – Soil Tillage Equipment Demonstration Featuring Erosion Control

### **1984**

*M.B. Food* – Food Distribution Center

*Woodspring Farm (Dr and Mrs. Gary Priest)* – Horse Facility

*H.A. (Buzzy) Owens Farm* – High Tensile Boundary Fence

*J.B. Stratton Farm* – Alfalfa Production

*Tony Lane Farm* – Contour Strip Tobacco

*Eddie Sellers Farm* – No-Till Corn, Minimum Till Soybeans, Alfalfa Production, Tobacco Production (Herman Roark, Jr.)

*Kaenzig Brother's Orchard* – Lunch, Introductions and Recognitions, Fruit and Vegetable Production, Tobacco Seed Production, Wool Making by Jim and Elizabeth Boggs

### **1985**

*"Three In One"* – Keebler Co. Distribution Center, Horse Equipment Tack Shop, Versailles, Farm & Garden Supply

*Bill Barrows Farm (Bill Barrows and Billy Gaines)* – Pepper Production

*Curtis Congleton Farm* – Feed Lot, No-Till Corn, Haylage, Soybeans, Milo, Strip Cropping Tobacco,

*Jim Conway Farm* – Horse Operation, Tobacco Barn Conversion

*Laurence Blevins Farm* – Lunch, 35 Year Old Terrace in Operation, Hay Production and Equipment, Cage Fish Production, Electric Fence Demonstration, Lake Management, Round-up No-Till Corn

### **1986**

*It's Magic – ADS on By-Pass – Flexible Drainage Pipe From Resins (Power and Paste)*

*Bobby Gaffney Farm – Vegetable Production, Muck Processing, Machinery Display and Demonstration, Weed Control in Soybeans*

*William J. Mitchell Farm – Family Farm Operation, Tobacco Production, Cattle Production, Crop Rotation*

*Airdrie Stud – Lunch, Introductions and Recognition, Stallion Complex, Foaling Barn, Vegetable and Formal Gardens*

### **1987**

*Ed Wimpy Farm – Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation*

*Intensive Cattle Grazing on 5 Acres*

*John Thompson Farm – Alfalfa Production, Bale Wagon Demonstration, Tobacco Production, Cattle Production*

*Joe Arnold Farm (Rusty Thompson) – Soybeans, No-Till Cropping, Corn Varieties, Straw and Hay Production*

*County Fairgrounds – Lunch, Introductions and Recognitions, Community Project - View and Discuss Facilities and Proposed Projects, Tobacco Harvester and Other Farm Equipment Display, Demonstration Plots*

### **1988**

*Midway Farm Center – Farm Equipment Dealership, Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation*

*Parrish Hill Farm – Horse and Cattle Facility, Crop Production*

*Hicks and Yeary Farm – Cattle Facility, Show Barn*

*Midway College – Lunch, Introductions and Recognitions, New Programs at the College, Facility Tour*

*United L/N Glass Plant – Briefing and Tour*

### **1989**

*Quality Feed – Tour, Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation*

*Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tuttle – Home Garden and Orchard*

*Gainsborough Farm – Foaling Barn, Stallion Complex, Yearling Barn*

*Hippe Brothers & Sons – Tobacco Production, Pond Demonstration, Partnership Arrangements*

*Buckley Wildlife Sanctuary – Lunch, Introductions and Recognition, Tour of Sanctuary (Tim Williams and Staff)*

### **1990**

*Woodford Feed Company (Robert Cleveland) – Celebrating 50 Years of Business, Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation*

*YA America Plant (Dwayne Gauding, Plant Manager) - Automotive Air Conditioning and Pressure Line Manufacturer*

*Beechwood Farm (Frank Stronach) - Horse Facility, Soil Conservation Service Project 6.2 Acre Lake (Randal Rock)*

*Portwood Brothers Limousin Farm (Al Portwood) - Cattle Facility*

*Habitat Improvement Program (Mark Cramer) – Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources*

*Animal Health in Kentucky (Dr. Don Knotter) – State Veterinarian Department of Agriculture*

*Jesse Lane Farm (Jesse Lane) – Lunch, Precision Seeding and Undercutting Tobacco Beds, Small Scale Spraying, Plant Bed Irrigation Systems, Greenhouses and Plant Production, Tobacco Float Plant Systems*

### **1991**

*Henton Farms (Hoppy Henton) – Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation, High Tensile Fencing for Horses, Diversion Ditches for Erosion Control*

*Mickey Reed Farm – Greenhouses for Tobacco Transplant Production, Demonstration of Carousel Tobacco Setters, Tobacco Float Technology*

*Shady Lane Garden & Nursery (Gary McCormick and Sterling Tracy) Home Landscaping*

*Margaux Stud & Margaux Limousin Farm (Steve Johnson, Manager) – Lunch, Meet the Candidates, Farm Bureau Hay Bale Tossing Contest, Producing Lean Beef, Producing Quality Hay with Preservatives, Mobile Hay Testing Unit, Forage Production, Cattle and Horse Facility*

### **1992**

*Greg Peterson Farm – Sweet Corn Varieties, Pickling Cucumbers for Paramount Pickles, Staked Tomatoes for Cumberland Farms Coop., Utilizing Migrant Labor, Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation*

*Dr. and Mrs. Kerry Barling Farm – Intensive Grazing, Pasture Management, Cattle Facility*

### **1992 Continued**

*UK Woodford County Research Farm (David Smith, Manager)* – Overview of Operation, Tobacco Production, Soil Analysis of Farm (Steve Jacobs, Soil Scientist), Lunch, Awards and Recognitions, Farm Bureau Hay Bale Tossing Contest, Property Rights Information (Farm Bureau, 4-H/FFA Tractor Driving Contest)

### **1993**

*Windfield Farm (Mr. and Mrs. James E. Walters)* – Show Cattle (Steve Huffman) Cattle Production, Embryo Transplanting and Artificial Insemination Techniques, Marketing, Judging Sheep, 4-H Lamb Club Project, Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation

*Mrs. Ruth Richardson Farm (Robert Richardson)* – Tobacco and Cattle Production, Tray Filling Demonstration for Float System, Greenhouse Plant Production, Tray Storage and Sanitation, ASCS Program Update, Results of Hay Contest, Rinse and Return Ag Chemical Recycling Program and Pesticide Recordkeeping Law, Farm Bureau Hay Toss Contest, Lunch

### **1994**

*Agriculture Service Center* – Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation, Installing Geothermal Systems, Service Center Tour

*Elkhorn Springs Farm (Bruce Hundley, Owner; Chris Rose, Farm Manager; Colby Marks, Cattle Manager)* – Demonstration of Sod Harvester, Pecan Orchard, Brangus/Saler Crossbred Bulls, Tobacco Varieties: KY 8959, R711, TN90, TN86

*Tom and Mur Greathouse Farm* – Warm Season Grasses, Farm Shop Planning, Beef Cattle Record Keeping, No-Till Tobacco and Weed Control Strategies, Using Agricultural Ground Fabric in Feeding Operations, Farm Watershed Improvement, Results of Hay Contest, Lunch

### **1995**

*Woodford County High School Vocational Agriculture Barn* – UK Integrated Pest Management, Fruit Plots (Joint Test Plot Project with Woodford County Farmers Market, Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation

*Bluegrass Railroad Museum at County Park* – Tourism in Woodford County, Board Train for Ride to Thompson Farm

*Rusty and Martha Thompson Farm* – Tobacco Situation Update – Blue Mold and Special Fungicide Labels, Integrated Crop Management Program, Soybean Production and Soy Diesel Use, Water Quality Best Management Practices, Quail Production/Marketing, Animal Damage Control, Lunch, Hemp, Canadian Hemp Producers Visit With Farmers About Production, Hemp Spinning and Weaving

### **1996**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation

*Steele Davis Farm* – Solar Powered Livestock Watering System, Elkhorn Creek Watershed Improvement Projects, Gallagher Fencing Systems

*Eddie and Julie Sellers Farm* – New Weed Control Methods and Cultivating Equipment for No-Till

*Eartheart Farm (Martin Richards)* – KLAES Project and Small Scale Apple Production, Broom Corn Production, Cut Flowers, Angora Goats, Rotational Grazing and Sustainable Agriculture Practices, Lunch

### **1997**

*Gary & Carol McDonald Farm* - Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation, Burley Sucker Control, Update on Tobacco Diseases, Tobacco Cutting Machine, Utilizing Forages for Winter Feeding, Nozzle, Tip and Pump Selection, Mobile Hay Testing Unit, Greeting From UK College of Agriculture

### **1998**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Enter Fruits and Vegetables (Sponsored by Woodford County Fair Board) Breakfast Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation

*Graddy and Jackie Prewitt Farm* – No-Till Tobacco – EQIP Project Grant – New Labeled Herbicides for Tobacco, Utilizing High Moisture Hay in Beef Operations, Bale Wrapping Demonstration

*Airdrie Stud* – Equine Waste Management – Compost Turner Demonstration

*Moberly Farm (Theda, Steve and Wanda Moberly)* – Tobacco Outlook and Future, Fruit and Vegetables Awards, Lunch

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*Waverly Farm (Hoppy, Ivy and Nat Henton)* – Rotating Wagon Tour Featuring Strip Cropping with Double Crop, Evaluating Tobacco Tillage Systems, Utilizing Loan Deficiency Payments in Grain Production, Shrimp and Prawn Production and Marketing, Establishing Riparian Zones for Wildlife Enhancement, On-Farm Harvested Timber, Portable Sawmill Demonstration, Food, Land & People In-Service Training (for Teachers), Lunch, Tobacco Certification Board & the Tobacco Settlement Process

### **2000**

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*Cleveland Home Farm* – Managing Water Resources, Managing Tobacco Settlement Payments Phase II & T-LAP  
*Elsie Gaines Farm (Billy and Sue Gaines)* – Tobacco Disease Management, Cattle Handling Facility, Warm Season Grasses, Baling and Ensiling High Moisture Hay Demonstration, Bull Leasing Program, Regional Farmers Market Presentation, Award Presentations, Lunch

### **2001**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Enter Fruits and Vegetables (Sponsored by Woodford County Fair Board) Breakfast Refreshment provided by Woodford County Farm Bureau Federation  
*Springdale Pond Farm (Jimmy and Miriam Cox)* – History and Overview, Future of Burley Tobacco Markets, Managing Beef Herds, KY Beef Network – A Tobacco Settlement Program, Beef Genetics Program  
*Shady Lane Vinery (Ed and Katherine Neal)* – History and Overview, Making the Tobacco Transition, Horticulture Diversification Plan, Grape Opportunities in Kentucky, Integrated Shrimp Production Grants, Policy and Program Issues Facing Agriculture, Lunch, Vineyard Tour  
*Mickey and Nola Reed Farm* – Vermiculture Tour

### **2002**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Breakfast: Fresh Biscuits with Local Jams, Honey, and Sorghum  
Agriculture Tour:  
*Rocky Ranger Farm (Sharon Dalrymple)* – Equine Production  
*Windover Ridge Farm (Roger Thacker)* – Market Lamb Production  
*Arrow Head Spring Farm (Tim McMillen)* – Boer Goats  
*Wayne Baker Farm* – Forages, Cattle Handling Facility  
Horticulture Tour:  
*Old Home Place Farm (John Wilhoit)* – Shiitake Mushrooms, Conservation Reserve Programs (CRP's)  
*Alvie and Imogene Antrobus Farm* – Vegetable Production with Plastic and Irrigation  
*Welcome Hall Gardens (Lucy Smith)* – Cut Flower Production  
*Welcome Hall (Kitty Graddy Tonkin)* – Lunch, Roundtable Discussions: Bees, Berries, Goats, West Nile Virus, Conservation Reserve Program, Welcome Hall Tour

### **2003**

*Gene and Elaine Hornback Farm (Keith and Ronald Berger)* – Light Breakfast, Rotational Grazing: Water Lines/Systems, and Fencing, Grazing Techniques  
*Rolling Acres Farm (Barry and Regina Drury)* – Alfalfa Varieties, Cattle Handling Facilities, CHP 45, Hay and Grain Storage  
*Felassic Park Nursery (Susan Bradley and Buzz Daugherty)* – Ornamental Horticulture Production, Ornamental Display Garden with Large Pond Feature  
*John Creech and Jennifer Stith Farm* – Lunch featuring all Woodford County Products, Historic Inn Restored to Present Home, Sawmill, Grounds Tour, Speaker Topics: Agri-Tourism Initiative, Value Added Products and Marketing

### **2004**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Bear's Breakfast prepared and sponsored by Woodford County Farm Bureau and the Woodford County Sheriff's Department, Certified Kitchen, KSU's Mobile Processing Unit  
*Woodstone Farm* – Conservation Reserve Program Planting  
*Midway Honey Company (Jon Maybrair)* – Honey House  
*WinStar Farm* – Composting Unit, Stallion Complex  
*Hopewell Farm* – Skip Away, Famous Thoroughbred, ATV Accident Simulation, Lunch, Speaker Topic: Land Preservation, Tour Hopewell

## **2005**

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*University of Kentucky Animal Research Center* – Driving Tour of the Farm, Walking Tour of the Composting Pad and Beef Cattle Unit, Biosystems and Nutrient Management Application, Endophyte Fescue Research, Beef Unit

*Seldom Scene Farm (Paul and Lindy Huber)* – Livestock Production Facility, Educational Stops: Shooting Sports, Native Grasses for Hay and Grazing, Wildlife Habitat Improvement, Grassland Reserve Program, Pond Management, Alpaca and Wool Production, Outdoor Woman Program and Archery, Shiitake Mushroom Production, Forestry and Timber Stands, National Animal Identification Program, Firearms Training Simulation (FATS) Trailer

## **2006**

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*The 4-H Country Ham Curing House* – 4-H project participants exhibited their curing facility

*Life Adventure Center (Mary Oldiges, Director)* – Equine Education Program, Ropes Challenge Course

*Graskop Farm (Steve, Geri and Ben Isaacs)* – Willow Production, Walnut Timber Production, Vineyard - Table Grapes

*Valhalla Farm (David Marshall)* – Water Quality Education, Lunch

## **2007**

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*Northside School Outdoor Classroom (Shelby Ison, KACD Environmental Elementary Teacher of the Year)* – Tour of wetlands created by students

*Honest Farm “Pure Kentucky” Market (Susie Quick)* – Featuring local seasonal produce from area farmers as well as local eggs, milk, Broadbent bacon and hams, frozen beef, bison, lamb and poultry. Discussion on buying local and how far your food travels

*Highland Moor Nursery (Kristine McNeil)* – Woody Cut Stem Production, Native Plant Nursery, Hydrangea and Perennial Production

*Valley View Farm (Richard Nolan, Farm Manager)* – The ruins of “Valley Farm” are one of the oldest standing structural remains in central Kentucky and are listed in the National Register of Historic Places, Lunch, a partnership with Slow Food Bluegrass, a non-profit convivium of Slow Food USA

## **2008**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Bear’s Breakfast prepared and sponsored by Woodford County Farm Bureau and the Woodford County Sheriff’s Department

*Woodford County Middle School (Laura Wright, Science Teacher)* – Wetlands student project

*New this year, a “Youth Tour – youth ages 9 Life Adventure Center* for hands-on learning of a “working farm” and nature center.

*Woodford County Equine Hospital* – Walking tour of this state of the art equine hospital

*KESMARC (Kentucky Equine Sports Medicine and Rehabilitation Center)* Demonstrations including the Aquatred, swimming pool, and the Equigym. Tour of facility including the oxygen chamber used for Equine Hyperbarics (Equine Oxygen Therapy) and the canine rehabilitation unit

*Ruth Richardson’s Farm* – KY Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources program and farm management and demonstration of fish shocking

*Thompson Farm (Rusty, Martha and Travis Thompson)* – Tobacco research plot and dark tobacco, Lunch (Woodford County Beef Cattle Association grilling)

## **2009**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Bear’s Breakfast prepared and sponsored by Woodford County Farm Bureau, Woodford County Sheriff’s Department and Woodford County Judge Executive.

*Historic Henton Farm (Hoppy, Ivy, Natalie Henton)* – Tour participants visited this historic and diversified working farm to getting a glimpse of cattle, tobacco, and soybean production as well as fresh water prawns and more.

*Buckley Wildlife Sanctuary (Tim and Debbie Williams)* – Tour of this bird and wildlife retreat nestled in the quiet Millville countryside.

*Old Frankfort Stud – (Jim Plemmons)* Millville is home to one of Woodford County’s oldest horse farms. Walking tour of the stallion complex and race track including demonstration by jockey, riding tour of broodmare and yearling complexes.

*Millville Community Center (formerly Millville School)* – Lunch site and program.

## **2010**

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*Three Chimneys Farm* – Walking tour of the stallion complex.

*University of Kentucky Animal Research Center* – Tour beef unit, corn and soybean production.

*WinStar Farm* – Tour of racetrack featuring new poly track surface.

*Woodford County Park “Red Barn”* – Lunch site and program.

*Woodford County Homemakers Backpack Project* – School supplies were donated by participants as “admission” to the breakfast and “Hats off for Backpacks” Auction was held during lunch to support the project.

## **2011**

*Woodford County Agriculture Resource Building* – Bear’s Breakfast prepared and sponsored by Woodford County Farm Bureau, Woodford County Sheriff’s Department and Woodford County Judge Executive.

*Woodford County Detention Center Garden* – Walking tour of the community garden. See demonstration plot utilizing black plastic mulch and trickle irrigation.

*Gaffney Farms* – Tour Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) operation and roadside market. See demonstration of mechanical sweet corn harvester.

*Wildside Winery* – Tour winery. See grape and berry production, wine making, visit special event gathering/meeting facilities and tasting room.

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