

2018-19 Maryland FFA Calendar of Events

Updated September 5, 2018 NWK

PLEASE NOTE: For the most current calendar, www.mdffa.org and click on Full Calendar on the homepage.

Submit all uploads through the following link: <https://mdcte.wufoo.com/forms/Maryland-ffa-registration/>

Mail all documents to: Terrie Shank, Executive Director
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DUE DATE	APPLICATION, FORM OR EVENT	LOCATION/SUBMISSION
SEPTEMBER		
1	New membership year begins, renew members	
1	DUE ONLINE: CDE/LDE certifications, Nat. Convention	Register on ffa.org by 5 PM
1	DUE ONLINE: All Nat. CDE portfolios, manuscripts, etc.	Upload on ffa.org by 5 PM
18	DUE: Registration for COLT Conference	Send thru wufoo link
12	ONLINE Registration opens National Convention	Register thru ffa.org
14-15	The Big E Expo CDE competitions	Springfield, Mass.
26	MSDE CTSO Advisor Training, 8 AM- 4 PM	Notre Dame University
30	DUE: Balance for Nat. Convention	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
OCTOBER		
1	DUE ONLINE: All Nat. Conv. CDE/LDE Part. Waivers	Upload on ffa.org by 5 pm
2	DUE: COLT Payment and RVR release waivers	Mail payment, scan and email State FFA
12-14	COLT Conference/Advisor Updates, 5 PM-11:30 AM	River Valley Ranch Manchester, MD
13	MATA General Member Fall Meeting	During COLT Conference 9 AM
15	DUE: All Registrations for Reg. leadership Conferences	Send thru wufoo link
19	DUE: Registration for State Land Judging	Email Terrie Shank, team and names
24-27	91 st National FFA Convention & Expo	Indianapolis, Indiana
NOVEMBER		
1	DUE: confirm/add Chapter Affiliation Membership	Complete form, send to Terrie Shank
1	Maryland Ag. Ed. Foundation Annual Dinner, 6 PM	Michael's 8 th Ave. Glen Burnie, MD
6	State Land Judging Event, check in 8:30 AM	TBD, Maryland
9	Region 3 Leadership Conference, Check in 9 AM	College of So. MD, Prince Frederick
13	MD FFA Foundation Showcase	Middletown High, Middletown, MD
13	Region 1 Leadership Conference, Check in 9 AM	Frostburg State University
15	Nat. FFA Scholarship Application goes live online (Seniors must be on active roster to apply)	Go to ffa.org to start application
15	DUE ONLINE: SAE Grant applications	Upload on ffa.org by 5 PM
16	Region 5 Leadership Conference, Check in 9 AM	Chesapeake College Wye Mills, MD
30	Region 4 Leadership Conference, Check in 9 AM	Carroll Comm College Westminster, MD
30	DUE ONLINE: Completed Chapter Roster	Submit for State Approval on ffa.org
30	DUE ONLINE: Chapter Program of Activities & Budget	Nat. Chapter Award, Form I- theaet.com
DECEMBER		
21	Submit payment- Fall and ALL Affiliate membership	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
JANUARY		
2-16	ILSSO- State Officers	South Africa
15	AET Online Advisor training, 8 AM- 4 PM	TBD
30	DUE: Gift of Blue order for 3 FFA Jackets	Send thru wufoo link

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FEBRUARY

1	DUE ONLINE: Nat. FFA Scholarship Application	Upload on ffa.org by 5 PM
1	DUE: Registration for FFA Day in Annapolis	Send thru wufoo link
8	Nat. FFA Scholarship pages signed and postmarked	National FFA Organization
15	DUE ONLINE: Complete Chapter Roster- Spring Sem.	Submit for State Approval on ffa.org
16-23	National FFA Week Celebration	
21	FFA Day in Annapolis, Advocacy for Agriculture	MD State House Annapolis, MD

MARCH

1	DUE: Registration for Spring Judging Events	Send thru wufoo link
8	DUE: Proficiency Award Applications	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
15	DUE: Full payment Chapter Roster, Spring Semester	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
22	DUE: American Degree Application	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
26	Region 2 Leadership Conference, Check in 9 AM	Frederick Fairgrounds

APRIL

1	*NEW Submit Chapter Annual Report	Advisor portal, ffa.org
6	DUE: Student Nom. Comm. App. St Officer Interview	Send thru wufoo link
6	State Spring Judging Events, Check in 8 AM	Westminster High School
15	DUE: State Officer Candidate Application	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address

MAY

1	National Convention State Housing Block Opens	Advisor portal, ffa.org
1	DUE: State FFA Degree & Star Applications	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
1	DUE: Honorary State Degree & Dist. Service Application	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
15	DUE: National Chapter Award Application	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
15	DUE: All State Convention manuscripts & portfolios	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
15	DUE: Chapter Registration for State Convention	Send thru wufoo link
17-18	State Officer Candidate Personal Interviews	Frederick, MD
TBD	State Horse Judging Event	Univ. of MD College Park

JUNE

1	DUE: All State winning Agriscience Fair Applications	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
1	DUE: Special need request form for State Convention	Scan or Fax to Terrie Shank
15	DUE: Submit payment for State Convention	Mail to Terrie Shank, above address
18	State Forestry and ENR CDE's	Allegany College
24-26	91 st Maryland FFA State Convention, Check in 10 AM	University of Maryland Eastern Shore

JULY

1	DUE: Registrations for ALL Summer CDE's	Send thru wufoo link
8-10	MD Agriculture Educators Technical Update	University of Maryland Eastern Shore
TBD	State Summer Evaluation CDE's Event (Dairy, Dairy Handling, Livestock)	TBD

August

1	DUE: Registrations & State Bus for Big E	Send thru wufoo link
1	DUE: State Bus registrations for National Convention	Send thru wufoo link
1	National Convention State Housing Block Closes	Advisor portal, ffa.org
15	DUE: Submit Top 4 Regional tractor operators	Regional Coordinator email State FFA
15	DUE: Special needs request form National Convention	Upload on ffa.org by 5 PM
28	State Safe Tractor Operators Event, Check in 12 noon	MD State Fair, Grandstand infield

MARYLAND FFA ASSOCIATION AND PARTNER MEETING DATES

Maryland FFA Board of Directors Meetings:

*All Maryland FFA Advisors are invited and encouraged to submit topics prior to meeting to Terrie Shank

Thursday, October 18, 2018	Farmer’s Coop Frederick	5:30 PM
Thursday, January 17, 2019	Annual Meeting	6:00 PM
Thursday, April 11, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	5:30 PM
Thursday, June 13, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	5:30 PM

Maryland FFA Alumni Meetings:

Wednesday, October 10, 2018	Alban CAT	7:00 PM
Wednesday, December 12, 2018	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	7:00 PM
Wednesday, February 13, 2019	Gladhill Tractor, Frederick	7:00 PM
Wednesday, June 12, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	7:00 PM

Maryland FFA Foundation Meetings:

Tuesday, October 30, 2018	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	6:30 PM
November 13 or 14, 2018	Showcase, Middletown High School	6:30 PM
Tuesday, January 22, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	6:30 PM
Tuesday, March 26, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	6:30 PM
Tuesday, June 18, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	6:30 PM
Tuesday, August 20, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	6:30 PM

Maryland Agriculture Teachers Association Meetings (MATA) - All Maryland Agriculture teachers welcome

Thursday, September 20, 2018	Boonsboro High School	4:30 PM
Saturday, October 13, 2018	COLT Conference - River Valley Ranch	9:00 AM
Thursday, November 15, 2018	Linganore High School	5:00 PM
No meeting scheduled for December		
Thursday, January 17, 2019	Baughers’ Restaurant Westminster	5:00 PM
Thursday, February 7, 2019	Conference Call	4:00 PM
Thursday, March 21, 2019	University of Maryland, College Park	6:00 PM
Thursday, April 11, 2019	MidAtlantic Farm Credit, Frederick	7:30 PM
Thursday, May 16, 2019	Damascus High School	5:30 PM
Monday, June 24, 2019	MD FFA State Convention, UMES	9:00 PM