



SPRING AG LEADERS FORUM AGENDA

April 22, 2018

WHAT TO **KNOW!**

Just When You Thought You KNEW....SOMETHING CHANGES

- 8:30 – 9 a.m. Registration**
- 9 – 9:05 a.m. Welcome – John Kozenski, President of MAAFS**
- 9:05– 10:05 a.m. Swine Influenza Incidents, Here Is What You Need To **KNOW** For 2018**
 - Dr. Monique Duwell, MD, MPH; CDC Epidemic Intelligence Officer**
Maryland Department of Health and Mental Health and Hygiene
 - Dr. Mike Radebaugh & Dr. Marla Stevens**
Maryland Department of Agriculture

“This session will provide an overview of the 2017 swine influenza outbreak at Maryland agricultural fairs, including the animal and human health investigation and response. We will describe the epidemiological findings, including demographic, health, and exposure trends among patients. We will review lessons learned from this outbreak, and provide recommendations for preventing swine flu outbreaks in Maryland in 2018 and beyond.”
- 10:05 – 11 a.m. The Show/Sale Must Go On! **KNOW** How You Can!**
 - Bonnie Boyden, 4-H Extension Educator, Charles County**
 - Donielle Axline, 4-H Faculty Assistant, Frederick County**
 - Elaine Bailey, 4-H Extension Educator, Calvert County**
- 11-1:55 a.m. **KNOW** Your Responsibility, Rights and The Rights of Your Guest!**
 - Larry Hughes, MS, M.I.S, Coach/Trainer; Track & Field Coach for Disabled & Non-Disabled Athletes; 1996 Atlanta Paralympic, Gold Medalist; 4 Times International Gold Medalist**

“So, Title II or Title III, or United States ATBCB? This session will focus towards, locating barriers, and implementing solutions to bring noncompliance into compliance. If you own, operate, lease, or lease to a business that serves the public, then, you are obligated under the ADA to comply. Audience’s participation is welcome to increase attendees learning.”

Noon – 12:45 p.m. Lunch

12:45 – 1:15 p.m. Be In The **KNOW**....Partner Updates:
MD Farm Bureau, MD Ag Fair Board, DLLR, MAEFS, MDA, MAAFS

1:20- 2:20 p.m. Do You **KNOW** how HSUS Can Impact You?
-- Jeremy Criss, Director Montgomery County Office of Agriculture Services
--Marty Svreck, Executive Director Montgomery County Agricultural Fair
--Colby Ferguson, Maryland Farm Bureau

“The Human Society of the United States: How they work to change the business operations and historic culture of your Fair as well as their anti-animal agriculture agenda and what you can do to reduce their influence. There will be discussion about Bill 23-17 that bans performance animals in Montgomery County and initiatives by the HSUS to pass similar legislation in the City of Gaithersburg”.

2:20– 3:20 p.m. What You Need To **KNOW** For Ride Safety Panel
-- Rick Warble, State of Maryland Ride Safety Supervisor
-- Thomas Gaylin, Rosedale Attractions

NOW YOU **KNOW** THE REST OF THE STORY!

Have a Safe Trip Home!

Please RSVP to Janice Coroneos at
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