

MARIN COUNTY FARM DAY

Marin County Fairgrounds
Exhibit Hall

Thursday, March 17, 2016

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon



Awards Ceremony at 11:00 a.m.

Agriculture is a leading industry in Marin County. A coalition of farm groups work together to focus on the importance of agriculture and farming in Marin County by celebrating National Agriculture Week in March. The theme for the 2016 Marin County Farm Day is:

Finding the Culture in Agriculture

The following activities are planned to give students more awareness of agriculture's role in Marin County:

- Artwork Project, Grades Pre-K through Grade 3
- Creative Writing Contest, Grades 4-6
- Photo Contest, Grades K-6
- Farm Day display activities and live animal exhibits are open to all Pre-K through 6 grade students.

Please note:

- Be sure to include a visit to the Farmers Market during your field trip! Come explore the Thursday Marin Civic Center Farmers Market, open 8am-1pm, just a 2-3 minute walk from the Exhibit Hall.
- Each class should provide for their own lunch.
- Join the celebration of student and class entries for the literary, photography and art contests at 11:00 a.m. inside the Exhibit Hall. Awards will be presented to winning entries.

**Important note to District Superintendents/School Principals/Teachers:
Supervision level is 4 students per adult to ensure student safety.**

Farm Day R.S.V.P. Form (1 per class or group)

NEW! Online Registration: <http://ucanr.edu/farm day 2016>

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School Name: _____ Teacher: _____

Teacher Email Address: _____

Grade: _____ Number of Boys: _____ Number of Girls: _____

Ethnicity (Please indicate numbers for each category)

American Indian/Alaskan _____ Asian or Pacific Islander _____ Black _____

Hispanic _____ White _____ Other/Unknown _____

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