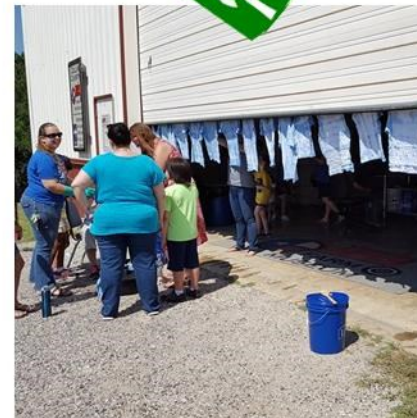


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Don't miss
the Laughs!



Winter & Spring 2017, Collin County Farm Museum
Workshops, Events & Programs Catalog, Vol. 6, No. 1



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WORKSHOP REGISTRATION:

Register Early. Classes will be cancelled if they do not meet the minimum enrollment by 6 business days prior to the start of a new session. The Collin County Farm Museum reserves the right to cancel, combine or reschedule any class.

To REGISTER please call
972-548-4792 or email
ccfm@collincountytx.gov

Collin County has changed credit card processing companies and there is now a non refundable convenience fee to use a credit card.



From the Museum Coordinator

You may notice that the Collin County Farm Museum is offering fewer programs this season and this is a good thing. After two years of steady programs covering a wide range of topics, I have figured out what the Farm Museum can do and do well. I have experimented with different days and times to find the ones that suit you and us best. Despite this, I still want you to keep sending us suggestions for new class ideas or input of organization of workshops because I know we can always improve.

This year I have decided that instead of changing our workshops and classes, I am going to change the way I offer the workshops and classes to the public. What this means is that you now have the chance to get a group of your friends together or your children's friends and schedule one of these workshops as a private party, corporate retreat, homeschool group, boy/girl scout badge... These workshops can be adapted to a variety of different age groups and customized based on what your group wants to learn.

So don't miss the laughs if you can't make it to one of our scheduled workshops, instead schedule one on your own.

*Thank
You!*

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Seeking...



Collin County Rural Heritage Fair

May 13, 2017
10 am - 3 pm

- ♦ Heritage Demonstrations
- ♦ Shop Handmade Crafts
- ♦ Children's Activities
- ♦ Door Prizes

Free
Admission!

Don't forget to celebrate the
100th birthday of the 1911
Ford Model T with cupcakes
and a once-in-a-lifetime ride!



We are currently seeking merchants and themed participants that can provide rural skills and craft demonstrations and/or products such as artisan foods, handmade folk arts and crafts (basketry, farming, food, fiber, leather, soaps, sewing, wood working, building or restoration).

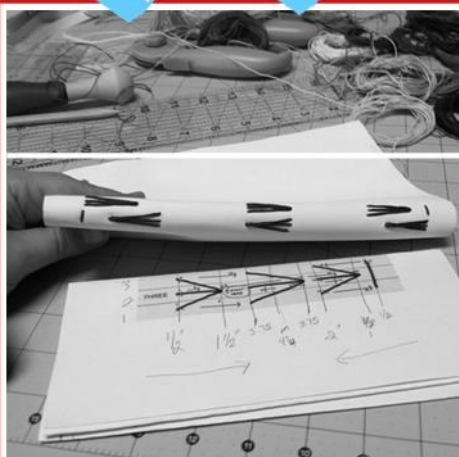
Be a part of the heritage that will be the Collin County Rural Heritage Fair for years to come!

Contact Heritage Fair Coordinator,
Jennifer Rogers at 972-548-4792 or
ccfm@collincountytx.gov for an
application.



For questions or more information, contact Jennifer Rogers at ccfm@collincountytx.gov
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Farming & Hand Crafts

Workshops are predominately for adults and youths older than 10 years old unless

Register Early. Classes will be cancelled if they do not meet the minimum enrollment by 12 business days prior to the start of the workshop or craft activity. The Collin County Farm Museum reserves the right to cancel, combine or reschedule any class.

Age Limits. Students younger than 16 years old, who meet the minimum age requirement for the workshop, must be accompanied by an adult who is also taking the workshop.

Basketry

12+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Woven Snowflake Ornament	Sat. Dec. 10, 2016 10-11 am	\$5	20	11/23/2016
5" Peppermint Basket	Sat. Dec. 10, 2016 Noon—2 pm	\$10	15	11/23/2016
Melon Basket	Sat. Jan. 7, 2017 9 am—Noon	\$40	4	12/20/2016
Basket Vase	Sat. Apr. 8, 2017 9 am—Noon	\$40	4	2/16/2017

Book Art

16+ years old and up

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Fabric Book Making	Sat. Feb. 4, 2017 9 am—Noon	\$40	6	1/20/2017
Leather Book Making	Sat. Mar. 4, 2017 9 am—Noon	\$40	6	2/24/2017

Farming Skill

12+ years old and older

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Make a Cold Frame	Sat. Jan. 21, 2017 10 am—Noon	\$20	6	1/13/2017
Crops in Pots—Companion Planting	Sat. May 20, 2017 10 am—Noon	\$30	6	5/5/2017

Fiber Crafts

12+ years old and older

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Spinning & Dyeing Wool Naturally (Easy & Family Fun)	Sat. Feb. 18, 2017 10 am—Noon	\$10	6	2/14/2017
Dyeing Wool Naturally & Weaving (Easy & Family Fun)	Sat. Feb. 25, 2017 10 am—Noon	\$10	6	2/21/2017
Quick Braided Rug (Easy & Family Fun)	Sat. Mar. 25, 2017 10 am—Noon	\$20	6	3/16/2017



Essential Oils

12+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Essential Oils for Home & Health	Sat. Jan. 28, 2017 9—11 am	\$20	20	1/24/2017
Lotions & Potions— Natural Skin Care & Home Cleaning	Tues. Feb. 21, 2017 10 am—Noon 6:00—8:00 pm	\$30	6	2/21/2017

Soap Making

12+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Basic Skin Care Soaps	Tues. May 16, 2017 10 am—Noon 6:00—8:00 pm	\$30	6	5/4/2017

Want to learn to drive an Model T?

*Please pay attention to the **minimum age** and the request that youths must be **accompanied by an adult**.*

Antique Driving Classes

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
1911 Ford Model T Driving: Part 1 *Must have valid drivers license	Sat. Mar. 11, 2017 1-3pm	\$10	6	3/3/2017
Antique Tractor Driving Class *Must be 10 years or older & 47"	Sat. Apr. 1, 2017 1-3 pm	\$10	6	3/24/2017



The Farm Kitchen

Workshops are predominately for adults and youths older than 10 years old unless

Bread Making

12+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Bread Baking Basics & Tips for Pasta Making	Tue. May 23, 2017 10 am—Noon 6:00—8:00 pm	\$20	8	5/16/2017

Cheese Making

12+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Cheese Making , Part 1 Butter Milk, Cream Cheese...	Tues. Mar. 7, 2017 10 am—Noon 6:00—8:00 pm	\$30	8	2/24/2017
Cheese Making, Part 2 Yogurt, Labneh...	Tues. Apr. 4, 2017 10 am—Noon 6:00—8:00 pm	\$30	8	3/24/2017
Cheese Making, Part 3 Colby Jack Cheese	Sat. Apr. 29, 2017 8 am - Noon	\$40	4	4/13/2017

Register Early. Classes will be cancelled if they do not meet the minimum enrollment by 12 business days prior to the start of the workshop or craft activity. The Collin County Farm Museum reserves the right to cancel, combine or reschedule any class.

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Fermented Foods

12+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
Fermented Foods & Liquids	Tues. Apr. 25, 2017 10 am—Noon 6:00—8:00 pm	\$30	8	4/13/2017

Historic Cooking

12+ years old with an adult

PROGRAM	DATE & TIME(S)	FEE	LIMIT	DEADLINE
17th Century Holiday Meal & Recipes	Dec. 6, 2016 10 am—Noon 6—8 pm	\$20	8	11/23/2016
18th Century Meal & Recipes	Jan. 31, 2017 10 am—Noon 6—8 pm	\$20	8	1/24/2017
19th Century Meal & Recipes	Feb. 28, 2017 10 am—Noon 6—8 pm	\$20	8	2/21/2017
Open Fire/Dutch Oven Cooking	Sat. May 27, 2017 9 am—Noon	\$30	8	5/19/2017



Don't Miss the Laughs!
Schedule a Workshop
for Your Group!

If you are interest in some of the workshops offered at the Collin County Farm Museum but the dates or times don't work for you, consider getting a group of your friends together and scheduling your own private workshops.

This past year we've had several groups use our workshops as Corporate Retreats, Mom's Days, Birthday Parties, Anniversary Gifts, Book Club Meetings, Homeschool Projects, Boy/Girl Scout Badges, etc...

In addition to adult programs, the Collin County Farm Museum offers programs specifically for youths of different ages, including teens and tweens.

We have not had success with attendance when scheduled on Saturdays or afterschool despite survey request. As a result, the Youth Catalog was developed for you to schedule an activity with a group of youths or families. Home school groups have scheduled a workshop each month. Some are scheduled for birthday parties at the museum or scout projects.

For a copy of the **Youth Catalog** or to **Schedule** your group workshop please contact Jennifer Rogers at ccfm@collincountytx.gov or 972-548-4792





Sample of Youth Workshop Catalog

PROGRAM		*You may be asked to bring supplies with you.	Limit
Basket Weaving			
\$5	2 hrs./1 day	Weave a small ornament or round basket to take home	24
\$10	2 hrs./1 day	Learn the Peppermint weave and take the basket home.	12
Book Making			
\$5	2 hrs./1 day	Make a hardback journal with handstitched pages to take home.*	24
\$10	2 hrs./2 days	Make a leather-bound journal with handstitched pages to take home.	12
Candle Making			
\$5	2 hrs./1 day	Make traditional poured & dipped candles to take home.	6
Cheese Making			
\$5	2 hrs./1 day	101: Learn to make basic soft cheeses to take home.*	24
\$5	2 hrs./1 day	102: Learn to make advanced soft cheeses to take home.*	24
\$10	4 hrs./1 day	201: Learn the beginning steps of making hard cheeses & take home samples.	6
Container Gardening			
\$5	2 hrs./1 day	Make a miniature landscape inside a mason jar to take home.*	24
\$10	2 hrs./1 day	Make your own personalized companion plant container garden.*	24
Natural Dyes			
\$1	2 hrs./1 day	101: Learn about creating a dye and dyeing your own shirt to take home.*	24
\$5	2 hrs./1 day	102: Make dyes from natural plants and minerals and dye your own fabric.*	12



REGISTRATION

You may register for as many programs as you would like. However, registration is not confirmed until payment is received.

12/6/16	17th Century Cooking	10 am—Noon	6—8 pm	\$20 x _____
12/10/16	Woven Ornament	10 am—Noon		\$5 x _____
12/10/16	Peppermint Woven Basket	Noon—2pm		\$10 x _____
1/7/17	Melon Basket Weave	9 am—Noon		\$40 x _____
1/21/17	Build a Cold Frame	10 am—Noon		\$20 x _____
1/28/17	Essential Oils, Home & Health	9—11 am		\$20 x _____
1/31/17	18th Century Cooking	10 am—Noon	6—8 pm	\$20 x _____
2/4/17	Fabric Journal Binding	10 am—Noon		\$20 x _____
2/18/17	Fiber Spinning (Easy)	10 am—Noon		\$10 x _____
2/21/17	Lotions & Potions	10 am—Noon	6—8 pm	\$30 x _____
2/25/17	Fiber Dying (Easy)	10 am—Noon		\$10 x _____
2/28/17	19th Century Cooking	10 am—Noon	6—8 pm	\$20 x _____
3/4/17	Leather Book Making	9 am—Noon		\$40 x _____
3/7/17	Cheese Making, Part 1	10 am—Noon	6—8 pm	\$30 x _____
3/11/17	Model T Driving Class	1—3 pm		\$10 x _____
3/25/17	Quick Braided Rug (Easy)	10 am—Noon		\$20 x _____
4/1/17	Antique Tractor Driving Class	1—3 pm		\$10 x _____
4/4/17	Cheese Making, Part 2	10—Noon	6—8 pm	\$30 x _____
4/8/17	Basket Vase Weaving	9—Noon		\$40 x _____
4/25/17	Fermented Foods & Liquids	10—Noon	6—8 pm	\$30 x _____
4/29/17	Cheese Making, Part 3	8 am—Noon		\$40 x _____
5/16/17	Soap Making	10—Noon	6—8 pm	\$30 x _____
5/20/17	Crops in Pots or Terrariums	10—Noon		\$30 x _____
5/23/17	Bread Baking Basics	10—Noon	6—8 pm	\$20 x _____
5/27/17	Open Fire/Dutch Oven Cooking	9—Noon		\$30 x _____

To complete your REGISTRATION or to SCHEDULE a workshop, please contact Jennifer Rogers at 972-548-4792 or ccfm@collincountytx.gov