



# ORANGE COUNTY FARMERS MUSEUM™

*A little piece of history*

*a non-profit dedicated to preserving local farming history,  
equipment, and artifacts.*

## ***2013 Annual Report***

850 Route 17K  
Montgomery, NY 12549



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## 2014 Initiatives

- Increase Attendance at Events Held on the Grounds
- Grow the Farmers Museum 4-H Club
- Continue Farm Animal Exhibit
- Re-design and enhance Herb Garden
- Grow Garden Tractor Pull Club
- Continue Reorganization of Collection Management Policies and Procedures
- Hold Several Membership drives
- Increase Educational Programming in Education Center
- Finalize grounds clean up
- Complete Emergency Preparedness Plan
- Apply for Permanent Charter



## Volunteer Hours

2013 Volunteer Hours

3,549



## 2013 Expenditures

Total Operating Expenses

\$18,576.63

Total Income

\$18,867.23

Net Profit

\$290.60



**Mana Tudy Memorial Car Show**  
May 5, 2013

Join Us!

**GARDEN TRACTOR PULL CLUB**  
AT THE  
**FARMERS MUSEUM**  
850 Route 17N (corner of Route 10)  
Montgomery, New York

**BUILDING CLASSES**

Aug 22 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Sept 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Oct 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Nov 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Dec 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00

**CLASSES**

Aug 22 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Sept 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Oct 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Nov 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00  
Dec 12 1000 hrs. at 10:00

All Public Events at 10:00 AM  
Refreshments Available

Area of Interest at 10:00 AM  
Refreshments Available

For more information please call 518-537-3744 or visit our website at www.ocfarmersmuseum.com

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Orange County Farmers Museum

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Montgomery, NY

The Orange County Farmers Museum operates in the historic site of a 19th-century farmstead and offers a unique glimpse into the past. The site is a living museum, where visitors can see and learn about the life of a 19th-century farmer. The museum is open from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, and admission is \$5.00 for adults, \$3.00 for children, and \$2.00 for seniors. For more information, please call 518-537-3744 or visit our website at www.ocfarmersmuseum.com.

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Event Calendar

Our Community



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The Farmers Museum is rejuvenating itself and its image, we have made many significant changes in the past two year.

Our mission to preserve local farm history, equipment and artifacts continues. We are incorporating many new programs and events to enhance our educational value.

Although times have been difficult in our community, many people are working hard to ensure that this historic treasure in the Hudson Valley will thrive and continue for many years to come. Our assets are growing and our determination is strong.

Please keep us in mind when you think of volunteers and donations.



## *Administration*

- Riki Lent, Director
- Frank Cass, President
- Mark Vitek, Vice-President
- Heather Tancredi, Secretary
- Barbara Doolittle, Treasurer
- Richard Weishaar, Trustee
- Sam Samson, Trustee
- James Malloy, Trustee
- Susan Roth, Trustee
- Robert Reynolds, Trustee

## *Status*

- Education Center houses 4-H Club Activities and various educational seminars
- Membership has grown by 73% during 2013
- Donations have grown by 32%
- New Website built, The Museum website has received 55,839 page views in 2013, a 500% increase over 2012.
- Social Media Presence has grown by 1500%
- Establishing an online presence, to become a tourist destination for Orange County visitors.

## *2013 Attendance*

April	476
May	915
June	596
July	822
August	1127
September	758
October	376
November	321
Off Season Months	214
<b>Total 2013 Attendance</b>	<b>5,605</b>



## Our Story

We started with one barn, a small workshop, a tiny visitor's center and a chicken house. Today, we've added a blacksmith shop, a larger workshop, a sawmill, a run-in shed, a memorial barn to house our collection, a barnyard to house our animals, and a brand new Education Center with heat and comfort stations.



Help preserve our fabulous local heritage by supporting the Orange County Farmers Museum.

Plan your organization's next event here!

Contact Us for More Information.

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