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Women's Leadership Committee Hosts Annual GRACE Conference

Pennsylvania Farm Bureau's Women's Leadership Committee held its annual conference in Williamsport, March 27-28. This year's GRACE Conference hosted more than 40 women, who toured the Blooming Grove Museum and Historical Society, participated in an informational session and a painting craft to end the first evening.

Saturday's programming included a breakfast, an auction and a keynote address by Kiah Twisselman Burchett, a California cattle rancher turned motivational speaker and life coach, known as "Coach Kiah."

Kiah engaged attendees on the importance of embracing their true self and that importance of having meaningful conversations with those around you.

Participants also heard from WLC National Committee member Lisa Wherry, who informed members on opportunities available to them at the national level, while PFB



President Chris Hoffman provided updates on what PFB is engaged in at the state and federal level.

The conference nearly doubled in size from the previous year and continues to be one of several key events for the Committee each year. The proceeds of the raffle will benefit Ronald McDonald House.



This year, the PFB women's committee has raised more than \$73,000 for Pennsylvania Ronald McDonald Houses across the state, with two regions yet to host their fundraising events.



Pennsylvania Farm Bureau Hosts Ag Night with Harrisburg Senators

Pennsylvania Farm Bureau sponsored Agriculture Night on Friday, April 10th, at FNB Field with the Harrisburg Senators. As the game sponsor, we had sponsorship tables and were able to fundraise for the Pennsylvania Friends of Agriculture Foundation with a special ticket link.

The game featured farm trivia, the Foundation's GIANT Immersion Lab and VR tractor display and animals, courtesy of Dauphin County 4H! Postgame fireworks were also sponsored by PFB.

The Foundation was the community organization of the game and Foundation Executive Director Charlene Espenshade was interviewed on the scoreboard before the game.

President Chris Hoffman threw out a ceremonial first pitch and participated in the silent auction of the special ag night jerseys that were sold following Friday night's game.

We are thankful for the nearly 50 people who joined us at the ballpark for a beautiful night of baseball on City Island!



Harrop Represents PFB at Annual Easter Egg Roll Event at White House

Mifflin County Farm Bureau's Rebecca Harrop represented Pennsylvania Farm Bureau at the White House's annual Easter Egg Roll on behalf of American Farm Bureau's Promotion & Education Committee.

The White House Easter Egg Roll is a family-friendly event held on the South Lawn of the White House each year on Easter Monday. Children, accompanied by adults, participate in rolling decorated hard-boiled eggs across the lawn, along with other activities, such as story time, games, live entertainment and egg races.

The tradition dates back to 1878, during President Rutherford B. Hayes' administration.



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