

Fair/Organization Name _____ Total # of Attendees _____
 Mailing Address: _____ x \$65.00 = \$ _____ Due on 1-12-26
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ **Late registrations are \$75.00**
 Contact Email: _____ Contact Phone: _____
 Attendee Name (s): _____

Please mail registration form & payment to:
 VT/NH Fair Association, PO Box 44 Reading, VT 05062
 By: January 12, 2026

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Fireside Inn Guest Room Rates

Group room rate is \$119.95 plus tax, Per
 Room, Per Night. Rate is based on
 Single/Double occupancy & includes
 breakfast buffet in the morning.

**Call the Hotel directly for your
 reservations: 1-(603)-298-5900** Tell
 them you are part of this group, to get our
 group rate.

Reservations must be made by
December 31, 2025

Please note that photos will
 be taken during the event.
 Posting of signage is not allowed in the Hotel



34th Annual VT/NH Fair Association Meeting & Trade Show

vtnhfairs.org

**Saturday
 January 31, 2026**

Fireside Inn & Suites
 25 Airport Road
 I-89 Exit 20
 W. Lebanon, NH 03784

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Terry Straight, President
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Schedule of Events

- 8:00 – 9:00 am** Registration
- 8:00 am** Trade Show Open
- 9:30-11:00am** Workshops
1. Emergency Planning Procedures
- John Ramirez from the Big E,
Director of Public Safety
 2. Marketing Your Fair
–Jenn Ucci; Cornish Fair Director
- 11:45 – 12:30 pm** Lunch
- 12:30 – 1:15 pm** Keynote Speaker
Ian Hill will present
“You Make **THE** Difference.”
Motivating your TEAM to peak
performance.
- 1:30 – 2:15 pm** Breakout Sessions
1. Managing the “Camping Nightmare” at
your fair. Presented by Arthur Adam
from Fryeburg Fair.
 2. Off Season Use of your Fairgrounds.
David Lacke, President, N. Haverhill
Fair
- 2:30 pm** Auction with desserts
- 3:00 pm** Trade Show closes
- 4:00 pm** Close up and on the road



Ian Hill

Award-Winning Advocate for Agricultural
Societies & Fairs

Ian Hill is a world-record-breaking humanitarian, social innovator, and lifelong advocate of agricultural societies and fairs. As the architect of the You Make THE Difference National Initiative, he’s leading a North American movement to reignite community pride, rebuild volunteerism, and strengthen the institutions that are the heart of rural life.

Now, as You Make THE Difference launches in Vermont and New Hampshire, Ian introduces the You Make THE Difference Grant – empowering local leaders, volunteers, and fair boards to reignite hope, restore pride, and remind us all that the strength of our communities lies not in programs or policies, but in people who choose to make the difference.

2026

**This Year’s
Featured Fairs**

**Vermont
Caledonia County
Fair**

**New Hampshire
Hopkinton State
Fair**

**Visit them in the
Trade Show**

The **vendor trade show** will be
open throughout the day. Stop in
to see who can help your fair.

Please remember to bring your
baskets and donations for the
auction!

Thank you