

Historic Barn & Farm Foundation's
2025 Annual Meeting & Barn Tour Registration
"Split Barns and Barn Stars of Somerset County"

June 6 & 7, 2025, Somerset, Pennsylvania



Meeting headquarters for Friday registration, dinner and meeting:

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Community Room, 1845 N. Center Ave, Somerset, PA 15501
Enter church on north or south sides from respective large parking lots. | (814) 445-5341

Friday, June 6:

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| 1p.m. - 6 p.m. | St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Community Room |
| Afternoon | Drive on your own to Somerset Historical Center (SHC)
\$5.50 entrance fee, not in HBFF registration fee
SHC video loops every ten minutes, describes Somerset County history
2:45 to 3:15 PM Fred Will presents program with split barn model at SHC
3:15 PM to 4:00 PM SHC Tour guides lead tours of ground exhibits |
| 5:00 p.m. | Social Hour |
| 5:30 p.m. | Dinner |
| 6:30 p.m. | Annual Meeting & Featured Presentation "Split Barns and Barn Stars" by Fred Will |

Saturday, June 7:

Breakfast is on your own. Tour attendees who did not attend on Friday must register before boarding the buses.

Bus tour of seven barns and sites throughout Somerset County via tour buses with a mid-day lunch stop at the Huston Barn. Buses will depart Comfort Inn, Somerset at 8:00 a.m. and return around 5:00 p.m.

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| 7:30 a.m. | Registration at bus, must sign waiver to board. No one/vehicle may follow bus |
| 8:00 a.m. | Bus departs Comfort Inn, Somerset, 202 Harmon St, Somerset 15501. Park along back side of parking lot. |
| 1:00 p.m. | Lunch at barn 4, the Robert Huston Barn |
| 2:30 p.m. | Bus Departure for Afternoon Barn Tour |
| 5:00 p.m. | Bus Returns to Comfort Inn, Somerset |

Sunday, June 9: Optional Schedule

Two self-guided tours available. Pick up brochures with maps at registration table

Covered Bridges of Somerset County: <https://pabucketlist.com/exploring-the-covered-bridges-of-somerset-county/>

Barn Stars of Somerset County: <https://somersetcountychamber.com/wp-content/uploads/Barn-Stars-Brochure-2020-Final.pdf>

Registration and other information:

Space is limited. Pre-registrations are processed in order of receipt and all registrations must be received by May 7. Refunds for cancellations made after May 7 are at the discretion of the board.

No one may follow the bus in any type of vehicle. To join the tour, you must be a paid member of HBFF of PA. You may join or renew your membership in HBFF on the registration form. Every person in attendance at the tour must sign the liability waiver.

Mail completed Registration Form, and Waiver with check payable to:

HBFF of PA, c/o Jerry Clouse, 844 Doubling Gap Road, Newville PA 17241. | jaclouse2018@gmail.com
For more tour info, email Douglass Reed: doug@preservationassociatesinc.com

☞ **Lodging reservations are the responsibility of attendees.**

For your convenience, blocks of rooms have been reserved for HBFF guests at Comfort Inn, 202 Harmon St, Somerset 15501. Call the hotel directly at (814) 445-9611 to make reservations, and use group code: "Historic Barn and Farm Foundation" Block of 40 rooms on hold for tour attendees; Equivalent two double bed rooms \$125.00 plus tax.

☞ **Accessibility**

No special accommodations have been made to enhance accessibility at any of the barns for this tour. These are historic barns and most have some obstacles to mobility. Walking surfaces from bus parking locations to barns are gravel and earth and in some cases with rises or drops in grade. Our members typically extend courtesy to those around them when an attendee is in need.

☞ **Dress Appropriately**

Some of the barns are working barns, so be prepared for mud and manure.

2025 HBFF Annual Meeting & Barn Tour Registration Form & Waiver

For a printable registration form & sponsorship form, visit <http://pahistoricbarns.org/> or Facebook page

“Split Barns and Barn Stars of Somerset County”

- **Friday, June 6:** Friday Visit to Somerset History Center, Tour Booklet, Annual Meeting, Presentation, and Dinner
- **Saturday, June 7:** Saturday Barn Tour, lunch, & one tour booklet (if you did not attend Friday).
- **Sunday, June 8:** Optional self-guided tours (see page 6)

Name(s) (please print) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Tour Day Contact (cell) _____

Email _____ County _____ Organization _____

Website _____

		Amount Paid
<input type="checkbox"/> I am a current member of HBFF for 2025	Individual or Family members	\$40
<input type="checkbox"/> Renew or Add 2025 HBFF membership	Non-profit Organization	\$75
	Corporate Affiliates	\$100
Friday, June 6 – Friday Registration, Tour Booklet, Annual Meeting and Dinner		
	<i>Member</i>	\$65
	<i>Member and household/family</i>	\$120 for 2
Saturday, June 7 – Somerset County Barn Tour via tour bus		
	<i>Member</i>	\$95
	<i>Member and household/family</i>	\$180 for 2
	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional copy of tour booklets	\$25 each
See Sponsorship opportunities on back page of Forebay Post: \$200, \$300, and \$600		
TOTAL ENCLOSED (payable to HBFF of PA) postmarked by May 7, 2025		

REQUIRED WAIVER:

If more than two people are registering on this form, please make additional copies. Each registrant must sign the waiver below. One person may not sign for two people. Only those who have signed waivers will be permitted on the buses.

For and in consideration of being allowed to participate in the 2025 HBFF barn tour of Somerset County to take place on June 6-8 2025,

I (Name(s), please print) _____ in full recognition and appreciation of the dangers and hazards involved in such activity, do hereby agree to assume all risks and responsibilities surrounding my participation in this event and do hereby release and hold harmless the HBFF, its officers, directors, barn owners, and participants from and against any and all liabilities to the undersigned, his her dependents, assigns, personal representatives, heirs, and next of kin for any and all damages, expenses (including attorney fees), claims, judgments, actions or causes of action as a result of any loss or injury to the person or property, including death, which may be sustained or suffered during or arising out of activities of the above described event and during transportation to and from such event whether caused by negligence of the HBFF, or persons acting on its behalf or otherwise.

I understand that the HBFF does not in any manner serve as principal, agent or partner of any commercial carrier which may provide services or accommodations to the participants. I have read and understand this release and voluntarily sign this document and participate in this trip.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Reservation questions, email Jerry Clouse: jaclouse2018@gmail.com

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