

25th MASTER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE GRANGE

WAYNE CAMPBELL

The Person

Wayne D. Campbell was born and raised in Perry County. He was raised on the family farm. He has been a Grange member all of his life joining the Grange as a Junior Granger. He is a fifth generation Grange member, active in Community Grange #1767; Oliver Grange #1069 and Perry County Pomona Grange #69. He has held offices in both the Subordinate and Pomona Granges. He served on the Pennsylvania State Grange Agricultural Committee for six years.



Wayne married Debra Campbell in 1973. They are the parents of three children- Jennifer Lynn, Ashley Michelle and Nathan William, three grandchildren-Bryce, Riley and Nathan Junior. Wayne worked on the family farm until 1981.

Wayne was also an active FFA member at Newport High School, serving two years as President of the Newport Chapter. He is a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Newport and has served many times on the Church Council.

Wayne was elected as Vice President/Overseer in October 2016. In January 2017, Elizabeth Downey, who was the then current President/Master resigned. He was installed as President/Vice President at the National Master's Conference in Connecticut, February 17, 2017.

Wayne serves on the Penn State Council of Farm Organization.

2017 Year in Review

The Order

Master Downey resigned February 17, 2017 due to health reasons, and State Overseer Wayne Campbell was installed at the Masters' Conference held in CT, to serve until the State session in October. The 2017 session was held in Scranton.

Wayne Campbell was elected to the one-year term of Master; JV Lamb, Lawrence County, was elected to a one-year term as Overseer.

The Credentials Committee reported

- 111 Subordinate Delegates, representing 63 Subordinate Granges
- 49 Pomona Delegates representing 28 Pomona Granges
- 38 Juniors
- 231 Total registered

The Sixth Degree was conferred on 17 candidates.

Baskets donated by the State Officers were auctioned and raised for \$2,018.00 for the PA Grange Foundation Museum Fund.

Membership Awards presented to
Greenwood #1852, Juniata County
Red Lion #1781, York County
Kimmerlings #1529, Lebanon County

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GRANGE & MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION
(AS OF FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2016 – JUNE 30, 2017)
Figures are as of the end of the Second Quarter

Number of Subordinate Granges – 203

Number of Subordinate Grange Members – 6,635

Number of Associate Members – 23

Number of Lifetime Members – 938

Accurate Junior Grange information is not available until 2022.

Number of Junior Granges – _____

Number of Junior Grange Members – _____

New Subordinate Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county - None

Subordinate Grange Closed – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Closed</u>
Eureka Grange #816	Crawford	11-30-2016
Mahantango Grange #2087	Juniata	12-31-2016
Howard Grange #297	Centre	04-27-2017
Buffalo Valley Grange #520	Union	06-01-2017

Subordinate Grange Consolidations – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>Merged with</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Merged</u>
Sandy Creek Grange #2021	Richland Grange #1413	Venango	11-01-2016
Waterford Grange #423	Edinboro Grange #947	Erie	01-01-2017
Fallowfield Grange #1382	Long Branch Community #2072	Washington.	03-31-2017

New Junior Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county - none

Junior Granges Closed – name, number, & county - none

Granger of the Year - Harry Keith, Lincoln Grange #914, Huntingdon County

Three Leadership Workshops were held – Scrubgrass Grange #1705, Venango County; Long Branch Grange #2072, Washington County and Kutztown Grange #1836, Berks County

Historical information posted on the PA State Grange website.

History Committee issued an appeal and as of September 15, 2017 had received \$4,680.00, much of which would be used for microfilming and digitizing of State Grange records.

History Committee agreed to postpone establishment of a State Grange Museum.

Legislative

- The delegates voted to encourage PennDOT and the State Game Commission to develop and advertise a deer carcass removal program with an 800 hotline number.
- The Grange will express their concern over a recent court ruling that gave the Delaware Valley Commission the right to ban drilling and development of oil and gas reserves in the Basin.
- The Delegates requested that the regulations for Guest Workers such as the H-2a program be maintained and simplified.
- The Grange will oppose any action leading to the leasing of the PA Farm Show Complex.
- The Delegates voted to support legislation limiting terms of State and Federal Representatives and Senators to 12 years.
- The Grange would support the dispersal of the Lieutenant Governor's Mansion.

Good of the Order

- Delegates requested notification to Granges when proposed resolutions are available prior to the session.
- Requested that the National Grange review and explore a membership classification for those who are elderly, homebound, or residing in an assisted living facility.
- Voted to move the 2019 session only to the fourth week of October due to a hosting problem.
- The Delegates asked that the Suggestions for Office Committee seek at least two candidates for each office.
- Approved a resolution asking that the two-year program guide be published in off-election years for reasons of continuity of programs.

Lecturer

- Hosted Mid-Atlantic Lecturers' Conference at Scotch Valley Grange #510, Blair County
- 14th Family Festival held at Centre County Grange Fairgrounds

Deaf & Community Service

- Donated seven boxes and three bags of school supplies to the Scranton School for Deaf and Hard of Hearing children and five boxes and one bag of items to St. Francis Commons in Scranton. From the book and video sales donated \$95.00 to the Dogs for the Deaf.
- During Family Festival donate \$150 plus collected items donated to Easter Seals, St. College.
- The Bike Hike raised \$680 for sponsorship of an autism dog. The cost is \$10,000 to raise a dog for life.

Community Service Reports

Subordinate - Under 25 members

- 1st – Chester Valley Grange #1496, Chester County
- 2nd – London Grove Grange #63, Chester County

- 3rd – Sinking Valley Grange #484, Blair County

Subordinate - 26-60 members

- 1st – Hayfield Grange #800, Crawford County
- 2nd – Schnecksville Grange #1684, Lehigh County
- 3rd – Harveys-Aleppo Grange #1444, Greene County
- Honorable Mention – Central Grange #1650, Lehigh County

Subordinate - Over 61 members

- 1st Plumsteadville Grange #1738, Bucks County
- 2nd – Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County
- 3rd – Big Knob Grange #2008, Beaver County
- Honorable Mention – Kutztown Grange #1836, Berks County

Pomona

- 1st – Centre #13
- 2nd – Montour-Northumberland-Union #31
- 3rd - Berks #22

Overall

- 1st – Hayfield #800, Crawford County – submitted to National Grange
- 2nd – Plumsteadville #1738, Bucks County
- 3rd – Ontelaunee #1617, Berks County
- 4th – Big Knob #2008, Beaver County

Family Activities

- Fifty wraps were donated to Wrapped in Hugs during Family Festival.
- Pomona Director of the Year Virginia Mangel, Butler County #17
- Subordinate Director of the Year Jane Reppert, Virginville Grange #1832, Berks County

Juniors

- Junior Grange Friend of Year award presented to Debra Campbell, Perry County.
- Richard Straub Memorial amounted to \$510.00
- Junior Camp held at Camp Sylvan Hills with 59 campers, five helpers, ten counselors, nine staff for a total of 83.
- 2017-18 Junior Princess Autumn Tworkowski, Berks County and Junior Prince Tanner Davis, Berks County

Youth-Young Adults

- 2017-18 Outstanding Young Patrons – Andrew Keiffer, Berks County and Denae Zvarick, Montgomery County
- 2017-18 Youth Ambassadors – Grace Wadsworth, Chester County and Jacob Mengel, Berks County
- Friend of Youth Award recipient Lindsay Schroeder, Virginville Grange #1832, Berks County
- Youth held a fundraiser for the National Grange Foundation – “Pie in the Face” – which raised \$2,000.
- Eastern Regional Youth Conference – Philip Vonada, Centre County and Gail Switzer, Berks County competed at National in Jeopardy contest. Philip placed first and Gail placed third.

- Gail Switzer, Berks County, participated in the Trimble Legislative Experience and Lindsay Schroeder, Berks County served as a Communications Fellow during National Grange.
- Young Adults Weekend held in Pittsburgh.

2018 Year in Review

The 146th annual session was held in Cranberry Township, Butler County

The Order

Credentials Committee reported

- 118 Subordinate Delegates representing 64 Subordinate Granges
- 46 Pomona Delegates representing 27 Pomona Granges
- 31 Juniors and 4 Chaperones

The Sixth Degree was conferred on 14 candidates

The PA Grange Foundation Basket Auction raised \$3,004.00 plus an additional \$545 from the sale of the Youth Department baked goods

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GRANGE & MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION (AS OF FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2017 – JUNE 30, 2018) Figures are as of the end of the Second Quarter

Number of Subordinate Granges – 189

Number of Subordinate Grange Members – 6,164

Number of Associate Members – 22

Number of Lifetime Members – 906

Accurate Junior Grange information is not available until 2022.

Number of Junior Granges – _____

Number of Junior Grange Members – _____

New Subordinate Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date ReOrganized</u>
Ginger Hill Grange #1549	Washington	10-01-2018

Subordinate Grange Closed – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Closed</u>
Decatur Grange #1920	Mifflin	07-31-2017
Boot Jack Grange #1680	Elk	08-31-2017
West Valley Grange #1760	Armstrong	10-31-2017
Briar Creek Grange #146	Columbia	12-31-2017
Brokenstraw Grange #407	Warren	12-31-2017

North Woodbury Grange #1923	Blair	12-31-2017
Mountain Grange #1307	McKean	01-31-2018
Beech Creek Grange #378	Clinton	03-31-2018
Ginger Hill Grange #1549	Washington	05-03-2018
White Deer Grange #122	Union	06-30-2018
Rostraver Grange #919	Westmoreland	06-20-2018

Subordinate Grange Consolidations – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>Merged with</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Merged</u>
Lawsville Grange #1455	Union Grange #152	Susquehanna	01-01-2018
Sugar Hill Grange #1969	Roseville Grange #1290	Jefferson	01-01-2018
Northumberland #218	California Grange #941	Montour	01-01-2018
West Branch Grange #136	Eagle Grange #1	Lycoming	03-01-2018

New Junior Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county - none

Junior Granges Closed – name, number, & county - none

Membership Awards:

- Under 21 members – Girard #788, Clearfield County
- 21-49 members – Kimmerlings #1529, Lebanon County
- Over 50 members – Roseville #1290, Jefferson County

There were 261 new members obligated

2018 Granger of the Year - James Scott, Hookstown Grange #1980, Beaver County

Jodi Keith Kensinger, Huntingdon County represents PA State Grange on the PA Department of Agriculture Farm Safety Advisory Committee

The delegates approved a resolution authorizing the Master and Executive Committee to spend the necessary funds needed to determine the best option for housing the State Grange in the future. The ultimate goal of the State Grange would be to own a property and have a footprint in Pennsylvania.

Legislative

- Broadband access was the top priority of the legislative efforts of the State Grange in 2018. The PA State Grange hosted an event bringing together leading players in the field. A PA House Rural Broadband Caucus was formed.
- The State Grange worked to secure adequate funding for PDA, PSU Ag Sciences and the Penn Veterinary School.

Agriculture

- Delegates voted to support a resolution asking that Food Stamps be used only for the purchase of nutritional foods.
- Supported a resolution asking that the historic use of land be considered when interpreting new environmental regulations and laws.
- The PA State Grange should support legislation opposing any efforts to label cell cultured protein products as “meat or poultry”.
- The Grange will oppose any regulation by municipalities to restrict construction of temporary high tunnel structures.

Governmental Issues

- The delegates approved a resolution favoring an “Open Primary” system for PA to allow all registered voters to participate in the process.
- Voted to lobby for daytime running lights, both front and rear, on all new vehicles.
- The Grange will favor the elimination of Social Security numbers for personal identification
- The delegates voted to advocate for curbs on drone use over public events.

Good of the Order

- The delegates voted to permit delegate action on Sunday if necessary, but not scheduled.
- An amendment to the By Laws was approved to permit the State Grange to make loans for building and grounds improvements by local and Pomona Granges.
- An amendment to the By Laws was approved to state the responsibility for staffing and maintaining the State Grange office in the hands of the State President/Master in conjunction with the Executive Committee.

Family Issues

- The delegates approved a resolution asking that the National Grange establish a policy for all officers, staff members and volunteers at all levels of the Grange who come in contact with children to provide Child Abuse Clearances, State Police Background Checks and National Criminal Background Checks in compliance with their respective state’s requirements

Lecturer

- Family Festival held at Centre County Grange Fairgrounds with 175 in attendance
- Philip Vonada, Centre County, received Best of Show in the talent contest and represented PA in the National Grange Night of Excellence in Stowe, VT
- Community Day/Night Program
Under 75 Members – Nancy Sattazahn, Kutztown #1836, Berks County
76-149 members – Lorrie Wisner, Ontelaunee #1617, Berks County
Over 150 members – Madeline Seidel, Virginville #1832, Berks County

Deaf and Community Service

- Family Festival - \$147.00 from a cake walk donated to a local food bank
- Collected items to create birthday boxes. A total of 87 were packed and distributed across the state.
- Bike-Hike raised \$1,152 toward sponsoring an Autism Dog

Community Service Reports

Subordinate - Under 25 members

- 1st – Chester Valley #1496, Chester County
- 2nd – London Grove #63, Chester County
- 3rd – Sinking Valley #484, Blair County
- Honorable Mention – London #1492, Mercer County

Subordinate - 26-60 members

- 1st – Hamburg #2103, Berks County

- 2nd – Hayfield #800, Crawford County
- 3rd – Wesley #1675, Venango County
- Honorable Mention – Schnecksville #1684, Lehigh County

Subordinate – 61 or more members

- 1st Valley #1360, York County
- 2nd – Plumsteadville #1738, Bucks County
- 3rd – Big Knob #2008, Beaver County
- Honorable Mention – Ontelaunee #1617, Berks County

Pomona

- 1st – Centre #13
- 2nd - Bucks #22
- 3rd – Montour-Northumberland-Union #31
- Honorable Mention – Berks #43

State Grange collection of items – 12 boxes donated to Gleaners Food Bank and 12 boxes to The Western PA School for the Deaf

Juniors

- Camp Sylvan Hills had 56 campers, nine helpers, 13 counselors and nine staff for a total of 96
- Campers attended a Spikes Baseball Game in State College made possible from memorial donations in memory of Richard Straub and matched by fund from his wife Ginny Straub, Mercer County
- 2018-19 Junior Princess Cassandra Kehs, Chester County and Junior Prince Zachary Perseghetti, Mercer County

Youth-Young Adults

- National Grange 2017 – Jennifer Nauss, York County, placed first in Jeopardy, Code Reading and Prepared Speech Public Speaking and was also named 2017 National Grange Young Patron.
- Philip Vonada, Centre County, placed second in the Prepared Speech Public Speaking Contest at National Grange
- 2018 Young Adult Weekend was held in Williamsport.
- 2018-19 Outstanding Young Patron – Jodi Keith Kensinger, Huntingdon County
- Youth Camp was held at Sylvan Hills with 31 campers participating
- 2018-19 Ambassadors selected were Mikayla Davis and Isaac Mengel, Berks County
- Campers prepared 67 Homeless Kits and donated them to Safe Harbor, a men's and women's shelter in West Chester.
- Assembled over 100 coloring kits for hospitals and shelters

PA State Grange History Committee

- The State History Committee reported that the State Archives will no longer accept Grange records.
- A 36-slide PowerPoint highlighting National and PA State Granges was developed and available to be borrowed and may be adapted to include local historical information
- History Committee continued the work with IMR Digital to provide microfilming/digitizing of State Grange records.

- Phase I was completed of microfilming/digitizing newsletters
- Phase II- digitize Journals of Proceedings from existing microfilm and microfilm/digitize Charter applications
- Phase III – microfilm/digitize Executive Committee minutes, officer registers/directors, history publications from the 75th, 100th and 125th anniversaries
- IMR has agreed to extend the State Grange contract to active local Granges wishing to microfilm/digitize their records
- A duplicate set of Journals from 1873-2004 were purchased from the PA State Archives Historical & Museum Commission to be digitized
- Completed posting to the website all existing newsletters published by the State Grange from 1905-present
- Edited/posted Charter ledgers of all 2,100 Subordinate and 73 Pomona Granges organized in State from 1871 to present
- Wrote and posted historical summaries of events and accomplishments during terms of State Masters Mauger through Wismer
- Contacted Eagle Grange #1, Lycoming County and offered assistance for their 150th celebration in 2021
- The appeal issued in 2017 resulted in donations of \$6,900 making the total funds available \$9,000 to proceed with the preservation of State Grange records.
- A second appeal was approved by the Executive Committee in July 2018

2019 Year in Review

The Order

In February Master Campbell was in a serious accident at Bottle Run Grange resulting in numerous injuries while cleaning out the hall. After a one-day stay in ICU at Williamsport Hospital, he returned home. Four days following the accident, he appeared on PCN representing the PA State Grange's position in opposition to Sunday hunting.

The 147th Annual Session was held in State College, Centre County.

The Credentials Committee reported

- 115 Subordinate Delegates, representing 67 Subordinate Granges
- 51 Pomona Delegates, representing 29 Pomona Granges
- 23 Junior
- 61 Guests
- 250 total registered

The Sixth Degree was conferred on 25 candidates.

Baskets donated by the State Officers were auctioned and raised \$2,453.00 for the PA Grange Foundation which was donated to the State Grange History Committee. An additional \$343.00 was raised from the sale of baked goods from the Youth Department Contests for the Youth Department and \$430.00 from the sale of pies from the Family Activities Department which was donated to the Grange Foundation.

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Number of Subordinate Granges – 183

Number of Subordinate Grange Members – 6,116

Number of Associate Members – 22

Number of Lifetime Members – 899

Accurate Junior Grange information is not available until 2022.

Number of Junior Granges – _____

Number of Junior Grange Members – _____

New Subordinate Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date ReOrganized</u>
Plainfield Grange #1727	Cumberland	10-01-2018
Shartlesville Grange #1512	Berks	02-19-2019

Subordinate Grange Closed – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Closed</u>
Friendship Grange #1232	Mercer	08-31-2018
Shartlesville Grange #1512	Berks	09-30-2018
Roaring Creek Grange #2041	Columbia	12-31-2018
Ulysses Grange #1183	Potter	02-28-2019
Penn Grange #534	Clearfield	06-30-2019

Subordinate Grange Consolidations – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>Merged with</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Merged</u>
Bottle Run Grange #1301	Eagle Grange #1	Lycoming	10-01-2018
Gideon Grange #2010	Valley Grange #1360	York	10-01-2018
Morning Star Grange #1271	Dawson Grange #419	Fayette	12-31-2018

New Junior Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county - none

Junior Granges Closed – name, number, & county - none

Delegates voted to discontinue the Lifetime Membership as of January 1, 2020.

The All-Granger Banquet had 210 in attendance.

Matt Espenshade, Elizabethtown Grange #2076, Lancaster County was named Granger of the Year.

The Family Festival was held with 175 in attendance at the Centre County Grange Fairgrounds, Centre Hall.

Legislative

- Matt Espenshade, Doug Sattazahn, Art and Dina Zug and Master Campbell met with representatives of the Budget & Finance Committee to look at all aspects of the dairy industry and report the facts to the Senate within one year on suggested changes.
- State House Caucus hosted a meeting on Broadband at which Master Campbell spoke.
- Testified for increased universal Broadband access.
- Establishment of PA Dairy Future Committee with naming of a farmer member of the PA State Grange to the Committee.
- Supported federal whole milk in school meal programs.
- Support for the continuance of the PMMB over-order premium.
- The PA State Grange and National Grange encouraged to adopt policy and lobby for legislation that intentionally supports the implementation, growth and sustaining of alternate non-traditional forms of food production such as aeroponic, hydroponic and vertical farming that are designed for high production with limited space.
- The PA State Grange to ask trade groups representing restaurants, hotels, and fast-food locations to consider using and selling whole milk produced by Pennsylvania dairy farmers.
- Urge both State and National Granges to support legislation that would limit campaign advertising to begin no more than six months prior to the election.
- Sunday Hunting bill passed by the Senate.

Good of the Order

- Request the Assembly of Demeter to allow the Degrees to be produced on DVD and offered to the corresponding level of Granges to present the Degree for the education and enrichment of the membership.
- Requested National Grange to change the Bylaws to read "Pomona Granges may meet as determined by each Pomona Grange at a minimum of two times per calendar year."

Lecturer

- Hosted Mid-Atlantic Leaders' Conference at Gettysburg with 100 in attendance.
- Jennifer Beamon, Hamburg Grange #2103, Berks County received Best of Show in the talent contest and represented PA in the National Grange Night of Excellence in Minnesota.

Community Night/Day (Open House) Report/Scrapbook

- Subordinate - Up to 75 Members
 1. Tammy Schaeffer, Pioneer Grange #1777, Berks County
 2. Judy Stevenson, Wesley Grange #1675, Venango County
 3. Nancy Sattazahn, Kutztown Grange #1836, Berks County
 4. Cheryl Ruoss, Russellville Grange #91, Chester County

- Subordinate - 76-149 Members
 1. Lorrie Wesner, Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County
 2. Ashley Furman, Logan Grange #109, Centre County
 3. Linda Roan, Baileyville Grange #1991, Centre County
- Subordinate - 150+ Members
 1. Brenda Lengel, Virginville Grange #1832, Berks County
- Pomona
 1. Arvilla Allen, Crawford County Pomona #26
 2. Mary McMillin, Lawrence County Pomona #65
 3. Georgette Mummert, Huntingdon County Pomona #6

Two new programs introduced for 2020

- Design a Program – Lecturers and other Grangers to share programs they have designed and compiled into an “Idea Guide” for Lecturers resource.
- Lecturer’s Grant – Lecturers who wish to develop quality programming for their Grange, but the Grange may lack the resources to allow for this.

Deaf & Community Service

- Donated \$5,000 to Perfect Fit Canine, Pittsburgh for sponsoring an autism dog.
- Bike hike at Family Festival raised \$597 to support Big Brothers Big Sisters in Centre County.
- Items collected at Family Festival donated to Pets Come First.
- State Grange items collected were donated to Centre Safe Empowering Survivors, Eliminating Violence and State College Food Bank.

Community Service Reports

- Granges with 25 or less members
 1. Sinking Valley Grange #484, Blair County
 2. London Grove Grange #63, Chester County
- Granges with 26-60 members
 1. Hamburg Grange #2103, Berks County
 2. Hayfield Grange #800, Crawford County
 3. Harvey’s Aleppo Grange #1444, Greene County
 4. Honorable Mention: Schnecksville Grange #1684
- Granges with 61 or more members
 1. Valley Grange #1360, York County - represented PA at the National Grange Session in MN.
 2. Hookstown Grange #1980, Beaver County
 3. Big Knob Grange #2008, Beaver County
 4. Honorable Mention: Plumsteadville Grange #1738, Bucks County
- Pomona Granges
 1. Centre County #13
 2. Bucks County #22
 3. Berks County #43
 4. Honorable Mention: Lehigh-Northampton Pomona #68

Sign-A-Song - Philip Vonada, Centre County represented PA at the Mid-Atlantic Leaders' Conference Regional.

Family Activities

- Subordinate Director of the Year – Jane Reppert, Hamburg Grange #2103, Berks County
- Pomona Director of the Year – Virginia Mangel, Butler County Pomona #17
- State Grange Quilt was won by Scott Shank, Elizabethtown Grange #2076, Lancaster County

Juniors

- The 72nd Annual Camp held at Camp Howard with 62 campers (24 NEW), 6 helpers, 17 Counselors, and 11 staff for a total of 97.
- Traveled to Bald Eagle State Park
- 2019-20 Junior Princess – Elizabeth Reich, Valley Grange Junior Grange, York County
- 2019-20 Junior Prince – Bryce Danko, Community Junior Grange, Perry County
- Junior Grange Supporter of the Year – Centre County YP of H
- Junior Prince and Princess titles changed to Junior Grange Ambassadors.
- Bryce Danko, Community Junior Grange, Perry County selected as National Junior Grange Ambassador in MN

Youth/Young Adults

- Participated in the Mid-Atlantic Leaders' Conference in Gettysburg.
- New Grange Baseball competition resulted in Gail Switzer, Lindsay Schroeder and Jodi Keith Kensinger being selected to participate at National Grange.
- Placing first in Public Speaking were:
Prepared Speech age 22-25 – Jodi Keith Kensinger, Huntingdon County
Prepared Speech age 35+ - Lurae Benzio, Beaver County
Impromptu Speech age 14-21 – Isaac Mengel, Berks County
Impromptu Speech age 22-25 – Gail Switzer, Berks County
Best of Show – Lurae Benzio, Beaver County, eligible to compete at National in MN
- Young Adult weekend held in Lancaster.
- Youth Camp held at Camp Sylvan Hills, Howard, with 26 campers (7 NEW) for a total of 34.
- 2019-20 Youth Ambassadors Isabella Boone, Centre County and Joshua Mengel, Berks County.
- 50 Kindness boxes to hold food delivered to elderly and shut-ins by Chester County Food Bank.
- Selected as the Outstanding Young Patrons at Family Festival were Derek Snyder, Valley Grange #1360, York County and Braden Gourley, Hookstown Grange #1980, Beaver County.
- Friend of Youth Award – Wayne and Debbie Campbell, Oliver Grange #1069, Perry County.

PA State Grange History Committee

- Record preservation included final two phases to microfilm/digitize State Grange documents including Journals of Proceedings, Executive Committee minutes, officer registers/directories, historical publications from 50th, 75th, 100th and 125th anniversaries.
- Executive Committee approved second appeal for funding for Phase 3 of preservation work.
- Valley Grange #1360, York County contributed for the purchase of video recording equipment for oral histories.
- History Committee appointed to be responsible for planning the 150th Anniversary in 2023.
- Continued leadership and support for Eagle Grange #1, Lycoming County for the 150th Anniversary.

PA Grange Heritage Quilt Trail

- 10th Anniversary of the Quilt Trail.
- Grange requested to place Quilt Blocks throughout the Farm Show Complex and create a 30' showcase of Quilting History in the McClay Street Lobby.
- Committed to painting 100 wooden quilt blocks (2'x2") for the Farm Show Complex.
- Requested to provide a 4'x4' block for the lobby of the PA Department of Agriculture.

2020 Year in Review

Normal activities and events took place until March 19, 2020, when everything shut down due to the COVID Pandemic. Many planned events were either canceled or held virtually for the remainder of the year.

The Order

The 148th Annual Session was held in Erie, PA with only delegates and State Officers permitted to attend. All normal activities of an Annual Session were omitted due to the Pandemic.

The Credentials Committee reported

83 Subordinate Delegates representing 48 Subordinate Granges

29 Pomona Delegates representing 17 Pomona Granges

5 State Officers – non-delegates

117 total registered

The Sixth Degree was not conferred, nor was there the All-Granger Banquet and Granger of the Year selected. Additionally, there was no Junior Jamboree or auction for the PA State Grange Foundation.

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Number of Associate Members – 18

Number of Lifetime Members – 824

Accurate Junior Grange information is not available until 2022.

Number of Junior Granges – _____

Number of Junior Grange Members – _____

New Subordinate Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Organized</u>
Capital Grange #2111	Dauphin	01-01-2020

Subordinate Grange Closed – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Closed</u>
Jefferson Grange #1384	Schuylkill	07-30-2019
Odin Grange #1254	Potter	12-31-2019
Kaylor Grange #1396	Armstrong	12-31-2019
Lewistown Grange #1639	Schuylkill	12-31-2019
Buffalo Grange #1523	Washington	03-02-2020
Elkland Grange #976	Sullivan	06-27-2020
Susquehanna Community Grange #2106	Clearfield	06-30-2020

Subordinate Grange Consolidations – name, number, & county - none

New Junior Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county - none

Junior Granges Closed – name, number, & county - none

Legislative

- PA State Grange supported limited liability to farms engaging in agritourism or agri-entertainment. Grange attracted other agricultural groups to join in support.
- Continued to support legislation to exempt “historic agricultural buildings” from local property taxes. Alternate property tax exemption bill for Grange halls drafted but not introduced.
- Continued support of additional regulations for Country of Origin Labeling to list production and processing origins for produce and meats both organic and non-organic.

Lecturer

- Three Regional Conferences were planned, with only one being held at Logan Grange, Centre County. The Eastern and Western Regional Conferences were canceled due to the Pandemic.
- Talent contest was held virtually. Best of Show Philip Vonada, Penns Valley Grange #158, Centre County.
- Open House Programs changed to Creative Connections. Numerous categories added in lieu of the normal Open House Program.

Granges who planned Open House but not held

- Subordinate - Up to 50 Members
 1. Tammy Schaeffer, Pioneer Grange #1777, Berks County
 2. Judy Stevenson, Wesley Grange #1675, Venango County
 3. Jennifer Beamon, Hamburg Grange #2103, Berks County
 4. Jason Gruber, Stony Point Grange #1694, Mercer County
- 51-99 Members
 1. Jane Birk, Plumsteadville Grange #1738, Bucks County
 2. Drew Fegley, Hookstown Grange #1980, Beaver County
- 100+ Members
 1. Lorrie Wesner, Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County
- Pomona
 1. Mary McMillin, Lawrence County Pomona #65

Granges who could not hold their Open House meeting

- Subordinate – Up to 50 Members
 1. Cheryl Ruoss, Russellville Grange #91, Chester County
 2. Bonnie Casselberry, Liberty Grange #1780, Lawrence County
 3. Walter McChessney, Hartslog Valley Grange #375, Huntingdon County
- 100+ Members
 1. Brenda Lengel, Virginville Grange #1832, Berks County
- Pomona
 1. Mary Jane Kent, Greene County Pomona #63

Deaf & Community Service

Created a project to make appreciation bags for police officers or other community heroes at Regional meetings with a goal of 200 bags at each conference. Bags were completed at one Regional Conference and delivered to Jennersville Hospital. Later in the summer, youth and young adults assembled over 400 bags and they were dispersed across the southern and eastern sides of PA to community heroes.

Community Service Reports

- Granges with 25 or less members
 1. Chester Valley Grange #1496, Chester County
 2. Sinking Valley Grange #484, Blair County
 3. Harveys-Aleppo Grange #1444, Greene County

- Granges with 26-60 members
 1. Wesley Grange #1675, Venango County
 2. Honorable Mention – Plumsteadville Grange #1738, Bucks County
- Granges with 61 or more members
 1. Big Knob Grange #2008, Beaver County
 2. Progress Grange #96, Centre County
 3. Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County
 4. Honorable Mention: Logan Grange #109, Centre County; Valley Grange #1360, York County
- Pomona Granges
 1. Beaver County Pomona #66
 2. Centre County Pomona #13

Family Activities

- Annual Quilt raffle was the only project completed due to the Pandemic.
- Quilt won by Kelli Briggs, Avella, PA.

Juniors

- The 2020 Junior Camp was held virtually with 70 Juniors and 18 Counselors participating.
- No Junior Ambassadors were selected for 2020-21 and the 2019-2020 Junior Ambassadors Elizabeth Reich, Valley Grange, York County and Bryce Danko, Community Grange, Perry County continued in their positions for 2020-2021.

Youth/Young Adults

- Annual Young Adults Weekend held on a smaller scale in August.
- Youth Camp held virtually with over 20 youth and young adults connected through ZOOM for two nights.
- 2019-2020 Youth Ambassadors Isabella Boone, Centre County and Joshua Mengel, Berks County and Outstanding Young Patrons Derek Snyder, Valley Grange, York County and Braden Gourley, Hookstown Grange, Beaver County continued in their roles for 2020-21.
- Virtual Paint Nights held in conjunction with the Lecturer's Department on ZOOM attended by 30 individuals across the country.

PA State Grange History Committee

- Completed final phase of microfilm/digitize State Grange documents.
- Completed posting of Phase 3 documents to State Grange website.
- \$40,000 in renovations of the first floor of Eagle Grange #1, Lycoming County since it's opening in 1888. Hall is now handicapped accessible.
- Continued planning of the 150th Anniversary Kick-Off celebration with Open House at Eagle Grange #1 followed by luncheon at Country Cupboard Restaurant to kick-off the 150th Anniversary of the PA State Grange.

- Began promoting the exemplification of all Degrees in full form at Annual Session through 2023.
- Continued the recording of oral history interviews with Grange leaders.
- Encouraged active Pomona and Subordinate Granges to consider having their records microfilmed.

PA State Grange Heritage Quilt Trail

- 108 Quilt Blocks (2'x2') permanently mounted in the Crossroads Hall next to the Main Exhibit Hall in the Farm Show Complex.
- Glenn Gross, Scrubgrass Grange, Venango County, painted 12 additional Quilt Blocks (2'x2') and donated to PA Friends of the Farm Show to be placed in McClay Street Lobby.

2021 Year in Review

The Order

149th Annual Session held at King of Prussia, Valley Forge Casino & Resort Convention Center

The Credentials Committee reported

96 Delegates representing 57 Subordinate Granges
 38 Delegates representing 23 Pomona Granges
 63 Guests
 25 Juniors
 222 Total registered

The Sixth Degree was conferred on 13 Candidates.

Five Quilts of Valor were awarded

- Ray Davis, Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County
- Bernie Downey, Allegheny Grange #1843 & Eagle Grange #1, Lycoming County
- Thomas Kehs, Russellville Grange #91, Chester County
- Norm Shaffer, Cumberland Valley Grange #2104, Cumberland County
- David Wadsworth, Goshen Grange #121, Chester County

The First and Second Degrees were exemplified by Valley Grange #1360, York County in full form.

Delegates voted for PA Delegates to vote to sell the National Grange Headquarters in Washington, DC.

The PA State Grange Foundation Scholarship Auction raised \$774.00 from the sale of Youth Department baked goods. An additional \$3,304.00 was raised from the State Officers' donated baskets which was donated to the History Committee.

Nettie Kauffman, Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County was named the 2021 Granger of the Year.

Attendance at the All-Granger Banquet was 190.

Beginning with the year 2017 and going forward Grange and membership information will be printed as of the Fiscal year July 1st – June 30th.

GRANGE & MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION
(AS OF FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2020 – JUNE 30, 2021)
Figures are as of the end of the Second Quarter

Number of Subordinate Granges – 168

Number of Subordinate Grange Members – 5,484

Number of Associate Members – 12

Number of Lifetime Members – 786

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Accurate Junior Grange information is not available until 2022.

Number of Junior Granges – _____

Number of Junior Grange Members – _____

New Subordinate Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county - none

Subordinate Grange Closed – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Closed</u>
Ondawa Grange #174	Bradford	09-20-2020
Rural Valley Grange #1750	Armstrong	11-30-2020
Eldred Grange #1604	Lycoming	01-31-2021

Subordinate Grange Consolidations – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>Merged with</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Merged</u>
Marshallton Grange #1394	Goshen Grange #121	Chester	07-01-2020
Washington Grange #1949	Valley Grange #1360	York	10-01-2020
North Jackson Grange #1740	Kimmerlings Grange #1529	Lebanon	01-01-2021
Milford Grange #773	Walker Grange #786	Juniata	01-01-2021
Westfield Grange #1514	Liberty Grange #1780	Lawrence	01-01-2021
Delaware Grange #1895	Eagle Grange #1	Lycoming	03-01-2021

New Junior Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county - none

Junior Granges Closed – name, number, & county - none

May 5, 2021, a new State Office building was purchased at 26 CJEMS Lane, Mifflintown, PA

The PA Grange News is now being prepared by the State Grange Office staff.

Legislation

- Lobbied against Governor’s proposal to take monies from the PA Race Horse Development Fund and use it for non-agricultural purposes. The proposal was rejected as part of the State Budget passed by the General Assembly.
- Continued to work toward providing universal Broadband access in Pennsylvania. Held fourth Broadband program at the Farm Show.
- Testified for continuance of PA Milk Marketing Board over-order premium.
- Supported milk sell-by legislation.
- Supported continued funding for conservation programs; Growing Greener III, and dedicating funding for farmers to adopt conservation best practices.
- Urged USDA and PA Congress to allow whole milk as part of the Nutrition Guidelines.
- Continued support of legislation to exempt “historic agricultural buildings” from local property taxes.
- Support legislation that offers tax credits to businesses and organizations that purchase and maintain an AED on their premises and to promote basic AED operation training.

Lecturer

- Regional Leadership Conferences were held virtually since it was still not safe to meet in person during the spring. Each of the eight Departments participated in the series of eight Conferences.
- The talent contest was held at Family Festival with Best of Show Kay Reyburn and Cassy Kehs, Russellville Grange #91, Chester County selected to represent PA at National Grange in Wichita, KS.

Creative Connections Reports/Scrapbooks - Granges that held Open Houses

- Subordinate – Up to 50 Members
 1. Cheryl Miller, Marion Grange #223, Centre County
 2. Judy Stevenson, Wesley Grange #1675, Venango County
- 51-99 Members
 1. Cheryl Ruoss, Russellville Grange #91, Chester County
- Pomona
 1. Laura McMillin, Lawrence County Pomona #65
 2. Georgette Mummert, Huntingdon County Pomona #6

Granges that held a designated activity to “tell their Grange’s story”

- Subordinate – Up to 50 Members
 1. Liz Kattner, Jefferson Grange #1384, Schuylkill County

Deaf & Community Service

- Coordinated with Family Activities at Family Festival for a food drive for the State College Food Bank. Collected 334 pounds of food and donated \$500.00.
- Raised funds from the Bike-a-Thon.

Community Service reports

- Membership 25 members or less
 - Unionville Grange #1971, Butler County
 - Sinking Valley Grange #484, Blair County
 - Harveys-Aleppo Grange #1444, Greene County
- Membership 26-60 members
 - Hayfield Grange #800, Crawford County
 - Perry Valley Grange #1804, Perry County
 - Eagle Grange #1, Lycoming County
- Membership 61+ members
 - Big Knob Grange #2008, Beaver County
 - Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County
 - Progress Grange #96, Centre County
- Pomona
 - Beaver County #66
 - Center County #13
 - Perry County #69

Family Activities

- In conjunction with Deaf & Community Service Department collected 334 pounds of food for the State College Food Bank and donated \$800.00.
- There were 125 in attendance at Family Festival.

Juniors

- Junior Camp was held at Camp Sylvan Hills with 64 campers and 41 Counselors, helpers, and staff.
- Junior Ambassadors selected for 2021-22 were Sadie Johnson, Hookstown Grange, Beaver County and Harvey Reyburn, Russellville Grange, Chester County.
- Junior Grange Supporter of the Year was Derek Schroeder, Berks County.

Youth/Young Adults

- Implemented 2021 Youth Officer Team Sponsors. Youth Officers were presented with an Official Youth Team vest, including the Grange logo and their name on the front. Youth Team Officers receive a black vest and sponsors receive a grey vest for a donation of \$100.00.
- Youth Camp was held with 24 campers including nine first time attendees.

- Youth Ambassadors for 2021-22 selected were Ashlan Smith, Elizabethtown Grange #2076, Lancaster County and Autumn Tworkoski, Hamburg Grange #2103, Berks County,
- The Outstanding Young Patron Gail Switzer, Marion Grange #1853, Berks County was selected at Family Festival.

PA State Grange History Committee

- Continued sorting historical documents, excess regalia and other Grange paraphernalia housed in the Lemoyne Office prior to the move to the Mifflintown facility.
- Continued the planning of the 150th Anniversary Kick-off event.
- Resumed video interviews with Grange leaders to record oral history.
- Purchased metal shelving units to provide orderly storage for Grange records in the new headquarters.
- 150th Anniversary Kick-off included recognition of Leonard Rhone, John W. Scott and J. Luther Snyder who were inducted into the National Grange Hall of Fame.
- Continued fund-raising efforts for the 150th Anniversary session in Morgantown, PA in 2023.
- Eagle Grange #1, Lycoming County completed renovation of facilities with the addition of commercial kitchen equipment, a new HVAC system, and rehabilitation of the second floor meeting room, including installation of a chair lift.

PA Grange Heritage Quilt Trail

- A 4'x4" patriotic themed Quilt Block was painted to hang on the new State Grange headquarters, Mifflintown.
- In conjunction with a Venango County 4-H Club 13 new 2'x2' blocks were painted bringing the total to 50 displayed at the Venango County Fairgrounds.

2022 Year in Review

The Order

The 150th session was held in York.

The Credentials Committee reported

101 Delegates representing 63 Subordinate Granges

40 Delegates representing 25 Pomona Granges

100 Guests

26 Juniors

267 Total registered

The Sixth Degree was conferred on 17 candidates.

The Youth Department exemplified the Third Degree and Centre County exemplified the Fourth Degree in full form.

Quilts of Valor were awarded to

- Robert Edwards, Valley Grange #1360, York County
- Carl Meiss, Valley Grange #1360, York County
- Philip Jacobs, Red Lion Grange #1781, York County

The PA Grange Foundation Scholarship auction was held raising \$1,625.00 from Youth Department baked goods contests and a quilt donated by the Family Activities Department. Baskets donated by the State Grange Officers and businesses raised an additional \$2,613.00 for the PA Grange Foundation.

Dina Zug, Walker Grange #786, Juniata County was named Granger of the Year.

Beginning with the year 2017 and going forward Grange and membership information will be printed as of the Fiscal year July 1st – June 30th.

GRANGE & MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION
(AS OF FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2020 – JUNE 30, 2021)
Figures are as of the end of the Second Quarter

Number of Subordinate Granges – 158

Number of Subordinate Grange Members – 5,260

Number of Associate Members – 16

Number of Lifetime Members – 752

Number of Junior Granges – 15

Number of Junior Grange Members – 216

New Subordinate Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Re-Organized</u>
Jefferson Grange #1384	Schuylkill	07-08-2021

Subordinate Grange Closed – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Closed</u>
Shartlesville Grange #1512	Berks	08-02-2021
Beech Flats Grange #336	Bradford County	12-31-2021
Penn State Grange #2105	Centre County	12-31-2021
Community Grange #2048	Dauphin	03-31-2022
Labor Grange #1063	Wayne	03-31-2022
Iona Grange #272	Bradford	03-29-2022

Subordinate Grange Consolidations – name, number, & county

<u>Grange Name & Number</u>	<u>Merged with</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Date Merged</u>
Kingwood Grange #1765	Wills Grange #1690	Somerset	09-01-2021
Community Grange #1767	Oliver Grange #1069	Perry	06-30-2022
Little Gap Grange #1882	Big Creek Grange #1559	Carbon	06-30-2022

Kennett Grange #19	Harmony Grange #12, Delaware	Chester	06-30-2022
East New Castle Grange #1536	Liberty Grange #1780	Lawrence	06-30-2022

New Junior Grange Charters issued – name, number, & county
 Centre County Junior Grange #552 Centre County

Junior Granges Closed – name, number, & county - none

The 150th Anniversary Cookbook first printing had 5,000 copies delivered to the State Office in September 2021. An additional 5,000 were delivered in February 2022.

Legislation

- PA State Grange selected to sit on the Education and Advocacy Subcommittee.
- Supports the continued funding for conservation programs; Growing Greener III and dedicating funding for farmers to adopt conservation best practices.
- PA State Grange selected to sit on a solar advisory committee.
- Support the PA Milk Marketing Board hearings to decide Over-Order Premium and other alternatives for a PA dairy farmer premium program.
- Oppose the 30 by 2030 Plan as a possible takeover of America’s farming sector that would be negative to the farming community.
- Support voting rights and lobby for the protection of mail-in voting via absentee ballot for all who qualify.

Good of the Order

- National Grange to clearly define the purpose of a Pomona Grange and how its function is distinct from a Subordinate Grange. Reconsider the necessity for Pomona Granges to meet at least once every three months.
- Requested National Grange to archive the Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh Degree ceremonies through video recording to preserve the ritual work of the Grange.
- Requested National Grange adopt an alternate Pomona Grange Opening-Closing Ritual and Pomona Grange Obligation Ceremony.
- Change the current PA State Grange By-Laws that 20% of Community/Subordinate Granges of the State eligible to submit delegates would constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Lecturer

- Lecturer’s Department announced a new statewide initiative “Books for a Buck” partnering with a local classroom to sponsor books for students.
- The Eastern Regional Leadership Conference was held in Washington, DC at the National Grange Headquarters. State Lecturer Jennifer Nauss led a workshop “Programming in Our Granges.”

- Best of Show 2021 talent winners Cassy, Dani and Abby Kehs, Russellville Grange #91, Chester County participated in the vocal division at National Grange in Nevada.
- Three regional conferences were held – Big Knob Grange, Beaver County, Progress Grange, Centre County and Kutztown Grange, Berks County. In addition to the Lecturer, workshops were conducted by State Junior Director Philip Vonada, State Youth and Young Adults Director Ellen Wadsworth, and PA State History Committee/150th Anniversary Chairman Doug Bonsall.

Creative Connections Reports/Scrapbooks - Granges that held Open Houses

- Subordinate - Up to 50 Members –
 1. Judy Stevenson, Wesley Grange #1675, Venango County
 2. Chester Tau, Hayfield Grange #800, Crawford County
 3. Marty Dinsmore, Harveys-Aleppo Grange #1444, Greene County
- Subordinate - 51-99 Members –
 1. Kari Thompson, Liberty Grange #1780, Lawrence County
 2. Jesse Garbrick, Progress Grange #96, Centre County
 3. Drew Fegley, Hookstown Grange #1980, Beaver County
 4. Linda Roan, Baileyville Grange #1991, Centre County
- Subordinate - 100+ members
 1. Lorrie Wesner, Ontelaunee Grange #1617, Berks County
- Pomona
 1. Arvilla Allen, Crawford County Pomona #26
 2. Georgette Mummert, Huntingdon County Pomona #6

Granges that held a designated activity to “tell their Grange’s story”

- Subordinate up to 50 members –
 1. Robert Warden, Scrubgrass Grange #1705, Venango County
 2. Jacqueline Clabaugh, Hartslog Valley Grange #375, Huntingdon County
- Pomona
 1. Janet Fishovitz, Beaver County Pomona #66

Deaf/Community Service

Year End Reports

- Subordinate – Membership 25 or less
 1. Sinking Valley Grange #484, Blair County
- Subordinate Membership 26-60
 1. Wesley Grange #1675, Venango County
- Subordinate - Membership 61+
 1. Big Knob Grange #2008, Beaver County
- Pomona
 1. Centre County Pomona #13

Family Activities

- Chili Cookoff held at Family Festival and served for dinner.

- The Committee collected 105 lbs. of food for the State College Food Bank. Personal care items were also collected and donated to Centre Safe.

Junior Grange

- Gail Switzer, Berks County, names National Junior Mentor of the Year.
- Junior and Youth Departments teamed up to hold “Meetup” on opposite sides of the State at Hookstown Grange, Beaver County and Virginville Grange, Berks County.
- Junior Grange Camp was held at Camp Sylvan Hills, Howard with 58 campers and 52 counselors, helpers and staff participating.
- The 2022-23 Junior Ambassadors are Danni Wilcox, Allegheny Grange, Lycoming County and Tyler Davis, Ontelaunee Grange, Berks County.
- Centre Junior Grange #552 was Chartered in Centre County.
- Wayne Campbell, Oliver Grange #1069, Perry County was named PA Junior Grange Supporter of the Year.

Youth/Young Adults

- Jennifer Nauss received the 2021 Wib and June Justi Youth Community Service Award at the annual National Grange Session in Wichita, KS. The award recognizes a youth/young adult member for outstanding service to community and to the Grange Youth Department.
- Youth Camp was held at Camp Sylvan Hills, Howard.
- 2022-23 Youth Ambassadors were Logen Smith, Elizabethtown Grange #2076, Lancaster County and Bryce Danko, Oliver Grange #1069, Perry County.
- The 2022-23 Outstanding Young Patron was Charles Glenn Wilkins, Valley Grange #1360, York County selected at Family Festival.
- A chili cookoff was held at Family Festival in conjunction with the Family Activities Department.
- A cornhole tournament was held at Family Festival.

PA State Grange History Committee

- The Committee continues to plan activities for the 150th anniversary to be celebrated at Morgantown, PA in October 2023.
- Fundraising continues with Light the Cake, sponsorships and sale of commemorative items.
- Recording of oral histories with Grange leaders continued.
- History Committee held a work session in the State Office to organize historical pictures/plaques and memorabilia.

Heritage Quilt Trail

- There are now 125 quilt blocks at the Farm Show Complex in the McClay Lobby and hallway next to the Main Exhibition Hall.