2018 NAITC Conference
Traveling Workshops

7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, June 27, 2018

Included with your NAITC full conference registration. Sorry, no guests. We will start with a buffet breakfast at 6:30-7:20 a.m. Tours depart at 7:30 sharp. *Traveling workshops are subject to change or cancellation. Maximum capacity 54 unless otherwise noted.*

❑ **TW1: Aquaculture for ME & You**
You will board a lobster boat and cross Casco Bay to the Calendar Island Mussel Aqua Farm. A visit to the Gulf of Maine Research Center will give insight to unique challenges facing fishermen and water farmers.

❑ **TW2: Careers for ME & You** – *Maximum 40*
Learn how small farmers and processors are sharing a full-service production kitchen. Sample some delicacies and hear their stories. IDEXX Lab develops and distributes products for animal health, water testing and dairy producers.

❑ **TW3: Animal Agriculture, Maple, Bees and More**
At Cooper's Royal Heritage Farm, see beef cattle, miniature horses, a maple syrup operation, greenhouse and an apiary. Northstar Farm raises Hampshire and Suffolk sheep for both food and fiber and donkeys, natural protectors of the sheep.

❑ **TW4: Alpacas, Oxen, Working Dogs and More**
At Shadow Hill Farm, you will see alpaca, sheep and the working dogs and donkeys that protect them from predators. Marston Homestead will share heritage breed, Milking Devon, see team(s) yoked and have a chance to drive a team!

❑ **TW5: Wolfe's Neck Center for Agriculture and the Environment – Winter Hill Farm**
On this tour see a new approach to dairy farming, Summer Teen Ag Crew, and soil regeneration. At Winter Hill, experience a small Maine farm and artisan cheese making!

❑ **TW6: Pineland Farms Dairy, Farmyard and Local Food Market**
In the rolling hills of New Gloucester, Pineland Farms is a 5,000-acre working farm. Their mission is to provide a productive and educational venue that enriches the community by offering educational opportunities and encouraging healthy lifestyles.

❑ **TW7: School Garden [Farm] Project & Maine Craft Distilling**
The Falmouth School complex is home to gardens, orchard, outdoor classrooms, and space designed for a full permaculture system including a 1600 square-foot high tunnel. Learn more about Farm to Flask and small batch distilling at this innovative distillery!

❑ **TW8: Transportation Matters & UNE Aquaculture Research Center**
Visit University of New England seaside campus in Biddeford and experience the aquaculture center. Explore new career choices! Transportation is the artery of the economy. It puts food on our tables, and connects our globe. Visit the International Marine Terminal and see firsthand.

❑ **TW9: Maine Foodie & Farmers Market Walking Tour**
On a walk through the Old Port section of town, visit one of the oldest farmer's markets in the country in Monument Square. Learn the history of Portland and unique "Foodie" information! Ever tasted a whoopee pie, one of Maine's signature sweet foods? You will and MORE!