

Agenda

Wellesley Apple Butter & Cheese Festival Committee

Annual General Meeting

January 12 – 7:30 p.m.

Active Living Centre, Bill Gies Recreation Centre
1401 Queen's Bush Rd, Wellesley

1. **Call to Order:**
2. **Disclosures of Pecuniary interest:**
3. **Adoption of Minutes:** Motion to adopt the minutes of the September 9th, 2025 meeting as printed:

Presentations/Delegations/Communications:

Wellesley Idol has requested the Festival sponsor the Wellesley Idol competition again for 2026, with prizes of \$500 for 1st place, \$300 for 2nd place and \$200 for 3rd place finalists.

The following letter was received from the Wellesley NEH Agricultural Society:



WELLESLEY NEH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

P.O. Box 161

Wellesley, ONTARIO

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Joanne M. Stewart– President

Greetings,

Thank you for your support of the Wellesley North Easthope Agricultural Society. Your generosity has played a vital role in the success of the Wellesley Township Fall Fair.

We're excited to share that our 173rd Wellesley Township Fall Fair will take place on **August 28th & 29th, 2026**, with the theme **"Field to Feast"**.

This year, we're offering a special opportunity for select sponsors to be featured in our 2026 Fair book. To be included, we kindly ask for a donation commitment and content submission by **January 15th, 2026**.

This opportunity is available to sponsors at the following levels:

- Silver: \$500-\$999
- Gold: \$1,000-\$1,999
- Platinum: \$2,000+

As a featured sponsor, your logo, name, and any additional details you'd like to share will be printed in the Fair book for 2026. Please submit your content in **.jpg** or **.pdf** format.

If this opportunity isn't the right fit, we still truly value your support. All donors will continue to be recognized on a banner, our website, and social media for any contributions made.

Donations can be made by

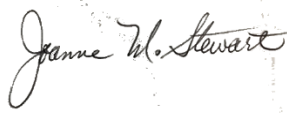
- Cheque, payable to Wellesley NEH Agricultural Society, P.O. Box 161, Wellesley
- E-transfer, to wellesleyfallfair@gmail.com
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All donations made by July 31st, 2026 will be publicly acknowledged.

Unless specified for a particular event or class, all donations will support the Wellesley Township Fall Fair overall.

We are enormously grateful for your continued support, and we hope to celebrate another successful fair with you in 2026. Thank you for being a valued part of our community!

Sincerely,



Joanne M. Stewart

President

4. Unfinished Business:

- a) Transition to new storage building.
- b) Potential projects for Festival funds of White netting for the arena (*deferred until all committed projects have been funded*)
- c) Arena wall project.
- d) Display case contents.

5. *New Business:

Booth/Event Co-ordinators: Verbal updates (roundtable)

6. **Financial Report:** Theresa Bisch to report along with summaries of income and expenses. *The December 22, 2025 balance in the Township Reserve was \$131,459.61. This includes HST that needs to be expensed and various adjustments and invoices to be paid.*
7. **Other Business:**
8. **Next Meeting:** February 10, 2026 – 7:30 p.m.
9. **Adjournment:**