

Calaveras County Fair & Jumping Frog Jubilee



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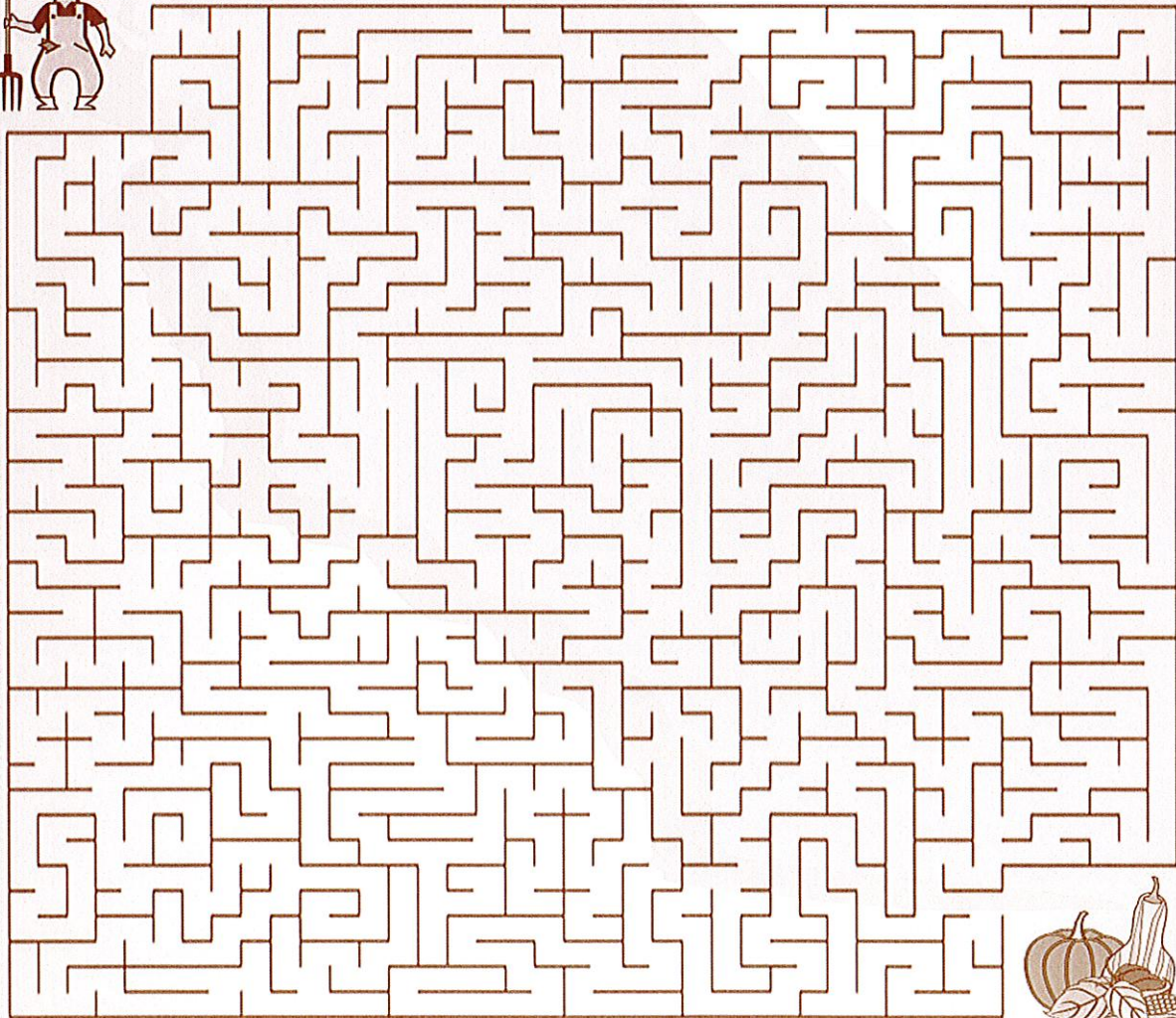
2021 Fun Pack

Agciting Stuff

The Food Producing State

Farming and Ranching Facts

- There are 81,500 farms in California.
- 25.3 million acres of farm land.
- California is the top agricultural producing State in the Nation
- 60% of all farms are on 50 acres or less.
- 90% of all farms are family owned.



BACK IN THE SADDLE

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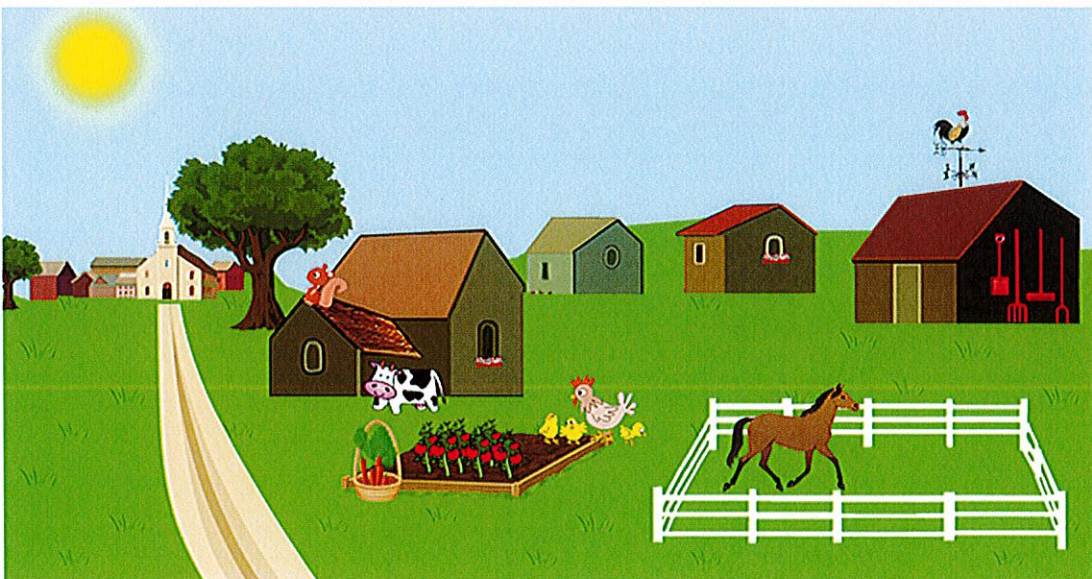
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WINNER





**In 1865, Mark Twain wrote a short story,
“The Celebrated Jumping Frog of
Calaveras County.”**

The story was about a man named Jim Smiley who had a great frog named Dan'l Webster and a gambling problem. He loved to bet anyone about anything. Jim thought his frog could out jump any other frog. he bet a stranger \$40 in gold. The stranger was clever and put buckshot down the frog's throat, rigging the jump. Jim lost his gold. The story was published worldwide. Mark Twain and Calaveras County became very famous. The story was written 153 years ago.

In 1928, the City of Angels Camp decided to have a party to celebrate the paving of the streets. The festivities included a parade with bands, wagons, teams of oxen and floats. They also held the first-ever frog jump. Eventually, the celebration grew so big that it was merged in 1938 with the Calaveras County Fair and moved to the current Fairgrounds. Today, CCF & JFJ is held every year on the 3rd weekend in May. Not only is there still a frog jump, but the Fair also has animal exhibits, live music, rodeo events, a destruction derby, carnival and more.

The Fair has a special committee that takes care of its Frogs. They make sure the frogs are treated in the best possible manner. They feed, water and care for them in a an area below the stage called the Frog Spa. The Spa is open during the Fair so come see the hundreds of frogs and learn more about them before they're released back into the wild.

The current world frog jumping record is 21' 3 1/4" set in 1986 by Rosie the Ribbiter. Rosie, a bullfrog, was jockeyed by retired teacher, Lee Guidici of Santa Clara.

Every year the history of Calaveras County and its people is celebrated at the Calaveras County Fair & Jumping Frog Jubilee.

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