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154 Century Farms Honored in 2020

State Fair and Farm Bureau Program Salute Minnesota Family Farms

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St. Paul, Minn. — The Minnesota State Fair and the Minnesota Farm Bureau recognize 154 Minnesota farms as 2020 Century Farms. Qualifying farms have been in continuous family ownership for at least 100 years and are 50 acres or more. Century Farm families receive a commemorative sign, as well as a certificate signed by Minnesota State Fair and Minnesota Farm Bureau presidents and Governor Tim Walz. Since the program began in 1976, more than 10,500 Minnesota farms have been recognized as Century Farms.

2020 Century Farm families are listed by county, then by the farm's city or township, family or farm names and year of original purchase:

Aitkin

Aitkin	Flat Rock Farm	1920
Finlayson	Chelsey Brook Acres	1907

Becker

Menahga	The Chester Tangen Farm	1919
Park Rapids	Rixen	1919

Beltrami

Bemidji	Kimmes Family	1917
Puposky	Mistic Family Trust - Frank J. Mistic, Jr. and Diana D. Mistic	1920

Benton

Foley	Hess Farms	1900
Foley	The Latterell Farm	1919

Big Stone

Correll	Larson Family Farm	1918
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Blue Earth

Mapleton	Treanor Farm	1918
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Brown

New Ulm	Milford East	1872
Sleepy Eye	Berkner Farms	1920
St. James	KJH Hanson Farm	1887

Carlton

Cloquet	Aho Farms	1917
Holyoke	Fabrello Family Farm	1919

Cass

Pequot Lakes	Hoefs' Rock House Ranch	1911
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Chippewa

Maynard	The Gosseling Farm	1892
Maynard	Michael L. Arends	1919
Montevideo	Ellingson Family Farm	1908

Chisago

Lindstrom	Maple Hill Farm	1920
North Branch	Hay Creek Farm	1920

Clay

Hawley	Keith and Lori Aakre	1883
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Clearwater

Gonvick	Johnson Operation	1909
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Cottonwood

Jeffers	Schooper Farm	1919
Lamberton	Hubert Farm	1916
Revere	Peder Enstad Homestead	1871

Dakota			
	Cannon Falls	McCoy Farms	1913
	Hastings	The Leifeld Farm	1871
Dodge			
	Mantorville	Schleeter Family Farm	1912
Douglas			
	Alexandria	Chermak	1888
	Alexandria	Johnson	1913
	Parkers Prairie	Hart Farm	1919
Faribault			
	Blue Earth	Guckeen/Murphy	1885
	Frost	Claire and Diane Olson	1920
Fillmore			
	Preston	Clint and Marlene Peterson Farm	1916
Freeborn			
	Alden	Jacobs	1920
	Ellendale	D&P Farr Farm	1919
	Glenville	Arlo L. and Julie D. Wallin – Wallin Farms	1919
	Hartland	The Madson Farm	1903
Goodhue			
	Goodhue	Dicke Family Farm	1920
	Goodhue	Richard Ryan Family	1863
Grant			
	Elbow Lake	James K. and Charlene Nelson	1915
	Herman	Itzen Family Farm	1902
Houston			
	Caledonia	Evergreen Stock Farm	1918
	Caledonia	Molling Family Farm	1919
	Spring Grove	David Holten Family Farm	1901
Isanti			
	Cambridge	The Troolin Farmstead	1908
Jackson			
	Jackson	Vacura	1919
	Lakefield	Buresch Family Farm	1920
	Lakefield	Doug and Sue Pohlman, Kimberley and Brett Johnson, Elaine Pohlman, and Kenneth and Pat Pohlman	1920
Kandiyohi			
	Atwater	Person - Kelley	1920
	Pennock	Thompson Family Farm	1895
Koochiching			
	Littlefork	Lofgren Farm	1904
	Littlefork	Rehn	1914
Lac qui Parle			
	Bellingham	Trygestad Family Farms, LLC	1920
Lake of the Woods			
	Williams	Olson Stock Farm	1920
Le Sueur			
	Le Center	Macho Farm	1920
	Le Sueur	King Family Farm	1920
Lincoln			
	Ivanhoe	Tom and Cindy Frensko Family	1920
Lyon			
	Tyler	Bakker Farms	1920
Mahnomen			
	Fosston	Hans and Mary Nesvold Farm	1919
Marshall			
	Argyle	Tulibaski Brothers	1919
	Strandquist	Hanson Farm	1920
	Strandquist	Stusynski Farms	1920
Martin			
	Fairmont	Becker Farm	1920
	Fairmont	Bill and Jim Bulfer	1912

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Fairmont	John Bulfer – Crowley Farm	1904
Truman	George Farm	1898
Welcome	Louis – Carl – Kristy Meyer Farm	1919
McLeod		
Brownton	Zimmerman Farm	1920
Lester Prairie	Curtis and Debra Marks	1920
Lester Prairie	Francis Burch	1919
Stewart	The Maiers Family Farm	1919
Meeker		
Dassel	Dahlman	1918
Dassel	Lakewood Farm	1907
Dassel	Settergren Farm	1919
Grove City	Dean Stenberg	1920
Morrison		
Pierz	Hebler's KG Ranch	1920
Mower		
Brownsdale	Holst Farms	1920
LeRoy	McRoberts	1920
Lyle	Wilfred and Calista Murphy Family Farm	1920
Murray		
Chandler	Strampe Farm	1920
Walnut Grove	Kassel Family Farm	1911
Nobles		
Lismore	Alma Voss Bullerman and Sons	1919
Lismore	DeGroot Farm	1918
Worthington	Gordon Family Farm	1920
Worthington	Robertson Farm	1917
Norman		
Shelly	Svalestad and Swalstad Farm	1889
Olmsted		
Elgin	Kitzman Dairy	1920
Eyota	Darrel Mulholland Farm	1917
Rochester	Kuise Korner	1912
Stewartville	Dux Farm	1919
Otter Tail		
Erhard	Weiss Family Farm	1898
Perham	Dan Bucholz Family Farm	1919
Perham	Steuber Family Farm	1920
Pelican Rapids	Ruud	1919
Vining	Aune – Wallevand	1899
Wadena	Roger and Pamela Heiden	1919
Pennington		
Thief River Falls	Iverson Family Farmstead	1920
Pipestone		
Edgerton	DeGroot – Walhof	1918
Pipestone	Bucher Farm	1918
Polk		
Beltrami	Eia Farms	1904
Beltrami	Page Farm	1920
Beltrami	Rolland B Hamre Inc.	1920
Beltrami	Walters Farm	1912
Crookston	Letnes Farms	1891
Fertile	Larson Brothers Farming	1884
Gully	Travis and Tracy Carlson	1902
Pope		
Glenwood	Reichmann Homestead Farms	1920
Starbuck	The Rasmusen Family Farm	1920
Redwood		
Clements	Nelsen Family Farm	1918
Lamberton	Steven and Euleen Christensen Farm	1912
Garden City	Michael and Mary Pankratz Family Farm	1877

Morgan	Schmidt Family Farm	1920
Renville		
Fairfax	Jeffrey and Kari Jo Borth	1920
Franklin	Sherman Farm	1920
Rice		
Faribault	Bauer	1914
Faribault	Bauer – East Prairie Farm	1916
Lonsdale	Pumper	1906
Lonsdale	Trnka's	1920
Morristown	Schwichtenberg Farm	1919
Rock		
Luverne	Swenson Farm	1920
Roseau		
Badger	Gerald Didrikson Farms	1917
Scott		
Belle Plaine	Riesgraf – Bauer Farm	1920
Sibley		
Buffalo Lake	The Binger Farm	1919
Gaylord	Larry and Debra Podratz Family Farm	1919
Gaylord	Spiering, Reinke, Paine	1919
St. Louis		
Alborn	Polich Farm	1919
Wright	The Markkanen Farm	1909
Stearns		
Albany	The Burg Family Farm	1891
Albany	Linn Family Farm	1917
Albany	Malley Family Farm	1882
St. Joseph	Kosel Family	1865
Steele		
Owatonna	Wencl Farm	1920
Stevens		
Alberta	Tollef Berger Farm	1920
Swift		
Benson	Saunders Family Farm	1919
Benson	Dean and Shirley Evenson Family	1920
Todd		
Bertha	Hartman Family	1920
Grey Eagle	Berscheit Farms LLC	1919
Long Prairie	Zastrow Farms	1920
Sauk Centre	Eltgroth	1919
Wabasha		
Plainview	Welti Farm	1915
Waseca		
Janesville	Holmes Farm	1919
Janesville	Nyquist Family Farm	1920
Waseca	Greg and Amanda Born	1916
Waseca	Reinecke Farm	1900
Washington		
Hastings	Schneider Farm	1919
Stillwater	Alocra Dairy Inc.	1919
Wright		
Annandale	McDonald Farm	1859
Cokato	Dahlen Stockholm Land	1909
Cokato	Lundeen Farms	1920
Yellow Medicine		
Canby	Hansen Farm	1903
Canby	Kraft Farm	1920

Information on all Century Farms will be available at the Minnesota Farm Bureau exhibit during the 2020 Minnesota State Fair. A database of all Minnesota Century Farms is also available at fbmn.org.

About the Minnesota State Fair: The Minnesota State Fair is one of the largest and best-attended expositions in the world, attracting more than 2 million visitors annually. Showcasing Minnesota's finest agriculture, art and industry, the Great Minnesota Get-Together is always 12 Days of Fun Ending Labor Day. Visit mnstatefair.org for more information. The 2020 Minnesota State Fair runs Aug. 27 - Labor Day, Sept. 7.

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