



## **THE FARMER'S COW HOSTS THE CORN MAZE ADVENTURE AT FORT HILL FARMS IN CONNECTICUT'S QUIET CORNER**

**Lebanon, Connecticut, August 27, 2009** – The Farmer's Cow, local dairy farmers providing Connecticut-produced fresh milk, cream and other products, is inviting people to come experience the Corn Maze Adventure in Thompson. The maze will open to the public on August 22<sup>nd</sup> and run until November 8<sup>th</sup> at Fort Hill Farms, one of the member farms of The Farmer's Cow.

"This year's theme is 'Building Awareness About the NATURE of Food' and is designed to look like a cow and her calf from the air," says Peter Orr, owner of Fort Hill Farms. "The main maze is being sponsored by Stop & Shop supermarkets. There will also be a smaller Mini-Moo-Maze for the younger kids sponsored by The Farmer's Cow. Both mazes are an excellent opportunity to have some fun, learn about life on a farm, and get some exercise."

When entering the maze, visitors will be given a four-page game sheet, and as they walk the path they will look for clues about why locally-grown food and the slow food movement is so good for you and why it leads to healthy families. In the maze, there will be 30 desks, which have the answers for the game sheet.

"The Farmer's Cow is proud to be sponsoring and hosting the Corn Maze Adventure and hope that families come out and have some fun trying to find their way in and out," says Robin Chesmer, Managing Partner with The Farmer's Cow. "Farm land provides many open space benefits and we hope that this maze brings people's attention to how they are connected to farms and the foods that farms produce."

Hours for the maze are Sunday through Thursdays 10am until 5pm. On Fridays and Saturdays the maze opens at 10am and stays open late until 10pm for flashlight tours. Those looking to experience the maze should wear comfortable closed-toe shoes, bring water and dress appropriately for the weather.



Maze admission is \$12 for adults and \$10 for children under 12. Groups of 20 or more should call in advance for special reservations. Those who have a Stop & Shop card can show it for a \$1 discount on each admission. For more information visit [www.TheFarmersCow.com/maze](http://www.TheFarmersCow.com/maze) or call (860) 923-3439.

### **About The Farmer's Cow**

The Farmer's Cow is a group of six Connecticut dairy farms that produces fresh, hormone-free milk, half & half and other dairy products for Southern New England. They also sell Connecticut-sourced, all-natural eggs, apple cider, and seasonal beverages. The Farmer's Cow's mission is to promote Connecticut agriculture and show that "Local is Fresh!" For more information visit [www.TheFarmersCow.com](http://www.TheFarmersCow.com) or call (866) 355-COWS.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
MEDIA CONTACT: Chris Watts  
[chris@pmarketingllc.com](mailto:chris@pmarketingllc.com)  
(860) 838-1808

-end-