

Corn Roast 2015



Despite some drizzle, hundreds of people lined up Thursday, August 6 for the WVDA's annual Corn Roast at the Capitol. Gritt's Farm provided 48 dozen ears of corn and roasted it on the North Plaza of the Capitol complex. State workers and visitors were treated to a free ear (or two) of corn with all the fixings – butter, salt, and pepper.

The event was part of National Farmers' Market Week, celebrating the folks who grow the produce and make it available at markets around the state.

“Fresh, local produce is not only healthy, it's good for the economy. With 93 farmers' markets at 110 locations across the state, we're helping grow family farms as well as healthy West Virginians,” said Commissioner Walt Helmick.

