

Ashley Armstrong

Farm name: Angel Acres at Armstrong Farms

Website: <https://angel-acresfarm.com/pages/about-our-farm>

Ashley and her sister Sarah are the owners of the farm. They bought the property in 2021 and have been working with MAEAP ever since the property was purchased. Ashley is the lead farmer, while her sister Sarah manages the event venue and coordinates their AirBnB. Every time a suggestion was made, Ashley jumped at the opportunity to improve her management practices. She has taken on a considerable amount in the last three years, but her business is thriving.

They pasture raise and rotationally graze chickens, pigs, cows, lamb and milking goats. There are also several fluffy livestock dogs that will greet you on the farm. They focus on organic and regenerative practices that store carbon in the soil. Their eggs are being sold all across the country due to an agreement between fed-ex and their farm that allows for overnight shipping to anywhere in the US.

The farm itself is a historical beauty that has been restored and enhanced to preserve the history of the 100 year old barns, while making them up to code for event hosting. Ashley is an innovative first generation farmer who has accomplished great things in her first 3 years. Recently, Ashley completed work with MAEAP. Angel Acres is now MAEAP verified in cropping, livestock, and farmstead. She has had an official grazing plan written by NRCS with hopes of having approval in the near future for implementation.