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John Deere 625i Gator XUV Featured at 2011 MATE Show

Billings, Mont. - Scout your fields, move livestock, check pivots, haul seed – no matter what's on your list, a John Deere 625i Gator will fit into any operation. As a brand new product sold exclusively through John Deere dealers, the 625i Gator will be the featured Grand Prize, sponsored by John Deere, at the 35th Annual Montana Agri-Trade Exposition (MATE Show) at MetraPark in Billings February 17-19, 2011.

The popularity of utility vehicles (UTV) has surged over the last five years. Their multifaceted use has made them the vehicle of choice for both farmers and ranchers. The John Deere 625i Gator features 4WD and locking rear differential, a 2-range CVT transmission, and independent double-wishbone long-travel suspension and is built rugged to handle utility jobs around the farm or ranch. The 625i Gator comes equipped with a 23 hp v-twin cylinder gasoline engine and tops out at 30 mph.



Other products in the John Deere XUV lineup include the 825i featuring a 50 hp 3-cylinder gasoline engine that tops out at 42 mph, and the 855D featuring a 25 hp 3-cylinder diesel engine that can travel up to 32 mph.

“John Deere Company and the participating JD dealers are proud to be a sponsor of this year’s MATE show,” says Scott Hackley of John Deere Company. “Our joint sponsorship clearly demonstrates our company and dealers’ commitment to the agricultural community in Montana and Wyoming.” The grand prize will be on display at several of the area John Deere locations including Yellowstone County Implement, Moodie Implement Locations, Farm Equipment sales locations, Horizon Implement, and Sheridan County Implement.

*For more information about John Deere Company and the new 625i Gator XUV, visit:
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The Montana Agri-Trade Exposition (MATE Show) and the Home & Health Expo are owned by the Northern International Livestock Exposition (NILE). The MATE is held the third week of February and has a three day attendance of over 14,000 people. The NILE is a non-profit organization established in 1967 that is dedicated to the promotion of livestock, agriculture education, and respect of the western tradition. For more information contact the NILE office at 406-256-2495 or visit www.thenile.org.