

# Midnight Maples Farm

## Artisan Maple Works

The Collins family in Hancock NH is passionate about maple products and the time-honored traditions of maple country. Kelly, Rob, and kids eagerly await the first hints of spring when they can all head back into the woods again. “It’s a special time for us when winter gives way to spring, so much more than just mud season,” says Rob.



It all started as a hobby. The family remembers the early days of collecting sap in brimming buckets and boiling late into the night on various “rigs and contraptions.” On one of those moonlit evenings, a sleepy Kelly muttered the phrase “midnight maple” and nudged Rob to stoke the fire. Little did they know their future farm name was born.

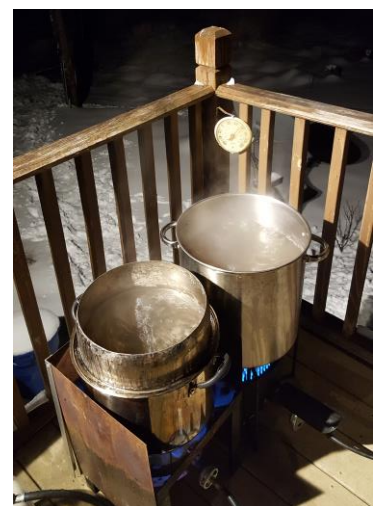
Businesses start small with big dreams and grow.



Boiling sap on a burning stump



Then to a gas burner on the porch



Then to a double gas burner on the porch, But . . . . .

**This year Midnight Maples Farm purchased their first true wood-fired maple evaporator and expanded their line of commercial maple products. The equipment and processes may have evolved, but the mission remains the same. The Collins family is dedicated to sustainability, renewable energy consumption, and good stewardship of the forest for generations to come.**

**Midnight Maples Farm products include maple syrup in various sized glass bottles, maple sugar, maple cream, maple seasonings, maple hot cocoa mix, and maple cinnamon granola with coconut. They look forward to adding new products as well as gift baskets.**



**Look for the Midnight Maple Farm booth every Friday at the Franconstown Community Market and visit their website at [midnightmaplesfarm.com](http://midnightmaplesfarm.com).**