



OHIO AgVenture GUIDE

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50+ Agricultural Fall Experiences Across the Buckeye State

Part of America 250-Ohio's Ohio Grows: Food & Farms Month



Photo: The Pines at Buckeye Ridge

Welcome to the Ohio Ag-Venture Guide!

As we commemorate America's 250th anniversary, America 250-Ohio is featuring dedicated monthly themes to highlight the communities, traditions, and innovations that have defined our state for generations. In October, we proudly celebrate Ohio Grows: Food & Farms Month — a statewide spotlight on agriculture, which serves as Ohio's largest industry, a cornerstone of our rich heritage, and a vital part of our lives.

The **Ohio Ag-Venture Guide** is your family's official handbook to exploring the incredible farms, orchards, markets, and seasonal celebrations across every region of Ohio. Whether you are searching for the perfect pumpkin, hoping to sample some locally made cheeses, or just want to take a scenic drive through the fall foliage, this guide highlights the best autumn adventures our state has to offer.

By visiting these destinations, you are doing more than creating fall memories — you are directly supporting Ohio's local farmers, small businesses, and agricultural families.

Grab your sweater, gather your family, and get ready to discover authentic, hands-on ag-ventures right in your backyard!

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Our comprehensive guide organizes Ohio's premier ag-venture destinations across five regions, making it easy to plan your fall outings this year.

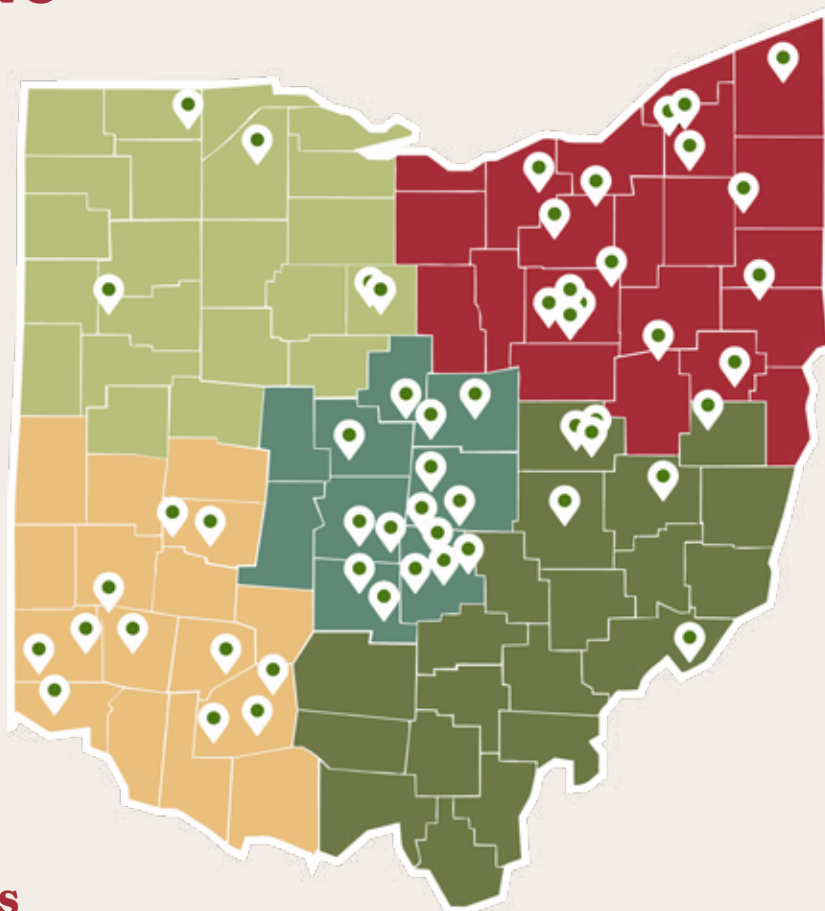
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Season-Long vs. Special Events

Within each region, experiences fall into one of two categories:

- **Season-Long Destinations:** Open continuously throughout the fall season (typically September–November, but check destination hours).
- **Dated Fairs & Festivals:** Mark your calendars for these time-sensitive events with specific calendar dates. Check the back of this guide for the full list!

Category Icon Legend

Look for these visual icons on every listing to easily spot your favorite activities:

 **Orchards & Fruit Farms** — U-pick apples, fresh cider, and bakeries

 **Pumpkin Patches** — Pick-your-own pumpkin fields and autumn displays

 **Dairy & Cheese** — Creameries, cheese shops, and farm tours

 **Farmers Markets** — Fresh local produce, baked goods, and artisan crafts

 **Historic Farms & Museums** — Living history and heritage farmsteads

 **Corn Mazes & Hayrides** — Giant themed mazes and scenic wagon rides

 **U-Pick & Flowers** — Sunflower fields and build-your-own bouquet gardens

 **Greenhouses & Arboretums** — Gardens, plant nurseries, and tree walks

 **Vineyards & Tastings** — Local wineries, cideries, and tasting rooms

 **Animal Encounters** — Petting zoos, alpaca farms, and goat yoga

 **Fairs & Festivals** — Harvest celebrations and community events

CENTRAL OHIO REGION

The Heart of Ohio Harvest

Take a scenic drive through Licking, Franklin, Delaware, Morrow, Madison, Pickaway, Fairfield, and Knox counties. From historic family homesteads and town squares to bustling makers' markets, this region highlights the seamless harmony between rich farming traditions and farm-to-table culinary experiences.

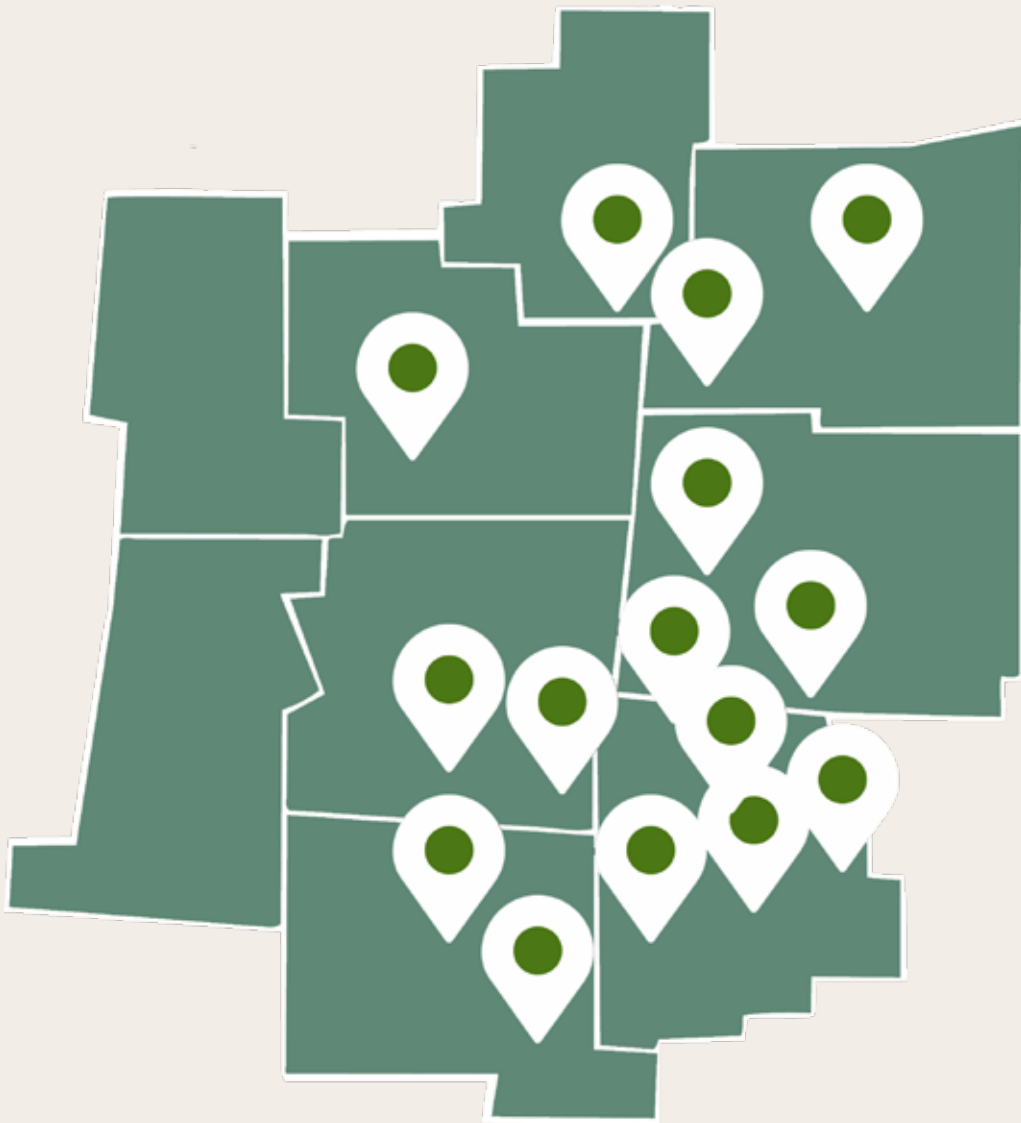




Photo: Slate Run Farm

Moser's Farm Market and Barn

Orchards & Fruit Farms | Farmers Markets | Historic Farms



Location: 3350 Clark Shaw Road, Powell, OH 43065 (Delaware County)

Hours: Wed–Fri 10 AM – 6 PM; Sat 9 AM – 2 PM; Sun 12 PM – 4 PM (June – Oct 31)

Admission: Free



Set around a historic 1870s brick farmhouse, Moser's Farm Market connects visitors directly to Ohio agriculture through fresh local produce, fruit, farm products, seasonal experiences, and Farmstead Cider tastings. The site gives guests a place to taste, learn, gather, and understand how farms shape community life. By combining food, storytelling, family activities, and Ohio-grown products, Moser's helps turn agriculture into an accessible and memorable visitor experience.

Highlights: Sample Farmstead Cider, walk the wildflower meadow, visit the historic barn, and read storyboards detailing historical farm families.

Plan Your Visit: mosersmarket.com | (740) 524-7872

Lohstroh Family Farms



Location: 8009 Bishop Rd, Centerburg, OH 43011 (Knox County)

Hours: Fri–Mon 9 AM–7 PM

Admission: Free



Step onto a sixth-generation family farm and get a closer look at where Ohio-grown food begins. Visit the Farm Store in the renovated milk house to shop for locally raised beef, pork, lamb, poultry and farm-fresh eggs. With Katahdin sheep, hay fields and working farmland, Litzenberg Farms offers families a chance to experience agriculture firsthand while supporting a Central Ohio farming tradition that dates to 1866.

Highlights: Shop for locally raised meats and farm products, view the livestock, and experience the atmosphere of a working family farm.

Plan Your Visit: litzenbergfarms.com | (740) 504-7477

Stebelton Park at Rock Mill



Location: 1429 Rockmill Place NW, Lancaster, OH 43130 (Fairfield County)

Hours: The park: year-round, dawn to dusk. The gristmill: Wed & Sat 11 AM – 2 PM, Sun 1 PM – 4 PM. Milling demo: Final Sun of each month, 1 PM – 4 PM (May – Oct).

Admission: Free



Discover how Ohio's early farmers and millers turned grain into food for their communities at this scenic Fairfield County park, home to a restored 1824 gristmill, historic covered bridge, and views of the Hocking River gorge and waterfall. Families can explore the mill during seasonal open hours and watch corn-milling demonstrations on select Sundays. Pack a picnic, enjoy the scenery, and gain a unique educational experience on how agriculture, milling, and rural commerce shaped the region's early economy.

Highlights: Watch live milling demonstrations, explore the scenic gorge and waterfall, and see Ohio's largest all-wood water wheel.

Plan Your Visit: fairfieldcountyparks.org | (614) 321-4833

The Pines at Buckeye Ridge 🐕

Location: 3550 Blacklick-Eastern Road NE, Millersport, OH 43046 (Fairfield County)

Hours: By reservation; events and experiences vary

Admission: Varies; reservations required Varies; reservations required



Escape to 100 acres of rolling pastures, ponds, woods, and trails at this peaceful rural retreat near Buckeye Lake. Meet rescued animals, explore the property, and take part in guided nature and animal-based experiences focused on connection and land stewardship. With a cozy bed and breakfast, outdoor spaces, and opportunities to slow down and enjoy the countryside, The Pines offers a relaxing way for families and visitors to experience rural Ohio.

Highlights: Meet rescued animals, explore the 100-acre property, stay at the on-site bed and breakfast, and participate in relaxing guided nature experiences.

Plan Your Visit: thepinesatbuckeyeridge.com | (740) 279-3150

Hidden Acres Legacy Farm 🐕 🌻 🥬

Location: 7278 Reynoldsburg-Baltimore Rd, Pickerington, OH 43147 (Fairfield County)

Hours: Farm stand: dawn-dusk (April – Oct); experiences by appointment

Admission: Varies by experience; reservations may be required



Get a hands-on taste of farm life at this working family farm, where visitors can meet goats and chickens, shop for fresh eggs, local honey, and seasonal flowers, and enjoy the peaceful countryside. Try a memorable goat yoga class beside the pond and barn, or join a floral workshop to create something of your own. With conservation land surrounding the farm, Hidden Acres offers a relaxed way to connect with Ohio agriculture and nature.

Highlights: Meet playful goats, shop for fresh eggs, honey, and flowers, join a floral workshop, and enjoy the peaceful farm landscape.

Plan Your Visit: hiddenacreslegacyfarm.com | (614) 579-9919

Hugus Fruit Farm



Location: 1960 Old Rushville Rd NE, Rushville, OH 43150 (Fairfield County)

Hours: Mon–Sat 9 AM – 6 PM (Sept – Oct); Mon–Sat 9 AM – 5 PM (Nov – Dec)

Admission: Free



Since 1946, Hugus Fruit Farm has grown apples, peaches, pears, and other seasonal produce on its family-owned orchard in the Appalachian foothills. Stop by the farm market for fresh fruit, cider, apple and pumpkin butter, honey, maple syrup, local cheeses, and other seasonal favorites. During the fall, visitors can watch cider being pressed from the viewing platform and enjoy the sights and flavors of a working Ohio orchard.

Highlights: Shop for fresh apples and seasonal farm products, watch cider being pressed, and enjoy scenic orchard views.

Plan Your Visit: hugusfruitfarm.com | (740) 536-9590



Photo: Hidden Acres Legacy Farm

Smeck Park

Location: 7395 Basil Rd, Baltimore, OH 43105 (Fairfield County)

Hours: Year-round, dawn to dusk

Admission: Free



Explore Fairfield County's agricultural heritage at Smeck Park, where working fields, historic farm structures, and scenic trails come together in a peaceful rural setting. Families can visit the historic Stover Windmill, Fetter-Hood Barn, and Cruit House, while seasonal sunflower plantings offer colorful photo opportunities. Agricultural fields maintained by the Fairfield County Antique Tractor Club showcase traditional farming practices, while hiking trails, birdwatching, and Walnut Creek views invite visitors to enjoy the outdoors.

Highlights: Explore historic farm buildings, see the Stover Windmill, enjoy seasonal sunflowers, and walk scenic trails through fields and woodlands.

Plan Your Visit: fairfieldcountyparks.org | (614) 321-4833

Rockside Winery & Vineyards

Location: 2363 Lancaster Newark Rd NE, Lancaster, OH 43130 (Fairfield County)

Hours: Mon–Thu 2 PM – 8 PM; Fri–Sat 1 PM – 9 PM; Sun 1 PM – 5 PM

Admission: Free



Experience Ohio's wine country at this family-owned vineyard, where cold-hardy grapes are grown, harvested by hand, and crafted into small-batch wines. Visitors can stroll through the vineyard, learn about the winemaking process, and sample estate and locally crafted wines in the tasting room. Relax on the patio overlooking the rolling hills, and check the calendar for seasonal events and live music on weekends.

Highlights: Sample Ohio wines, stroll through the vineyard, learn about the seed-to-bottle process, and relax on the patio overlooking the vines.

Plan Your Visit: rocksidewinery.com | (740) 687-4414

Winchester Farm Exchange

Location: 8 S. High Street, Canal Winchester, OH 43110 (Franklin County)

Hours: Mon–Sat 9 AM – 7 PM; Sun 10 AM – 3 PM

Admission: Free



Connect with local farmers, bakers, and makers at Winchester Farm Exchange, a community market featuring nearly 70 local producers. Meet the “Farmer on Duty” to ask questions and hear firsthand stories about Ohio agriculture, or browse locally made foods and products. Stop in for a meal at the café, sample a variety of olive oils and vinegars, and watch for seasonal experiences like Camp Winchester’s apple and pumpkin picking.

Highlights: Meet local farmers, shop products from nearly 70 producers, sample olive oils and vinegars, and enjoy a meal at the café.

Plan Your Visit: winchesterfarmexchange.com | (614) 499-2755.

Slate Run Living Historical Farm

Location: 1375 OH-674, Canal Winchester, OH 43110 (Franklin County)

Hours: Tue–Thu & Sun 9 AM – 5 PM; Fri–Sat 9 AM – sunset (Oct – Mar)

Admission: Free



Step back into the 1880s at Slate Run Living Historical Farm, where costumed staff and volunteers demonstrate the daily work of an Ohio farm family. Explore the restored 1856 farmhouse, historic barn, gardens, and farmyard while seeing heirloom livestock such as pigs, geese, turkeys, and Percheron horses. From cooking and gardening to caring for animals and crops, the farm offers families a hands-on glimpse into Ohio’s agricultural past.

Highlights: Meet heirloom farm animals, explore the historic farmhouse and barn, watch period farming demonstrations, and experience daily farm life as it was in the 1880s.

Plan Your Visit: metroparks.net | (614) 833-1880

Angry Acres Farm – Extra Ordinary Goat Milk Soaps & More! 🐐 🧺

Location: 51 Public Square, Mount Vernon, OH 43050 (Knox County)

Hours: Wed–Fri 12 PM – 6 PM; Sat 10 AM – 6 PM; Mount Vernon Farmers Market
9 AM – 12:30 PM (May – Oct)

Admission: Free



Meet-and-greet with Nigerian Dwarf dairy goats and discover how their milk becomes handcrafted soaps and other farm products at Angry Acres Farm store. Stop by the storefront to browse goat milk products and learn about the farm's registered dairy goat herd, or plan your visit around a monthly goat meet-and-greet or seasonal soap-making demonstrations.

Highlights: Meet Nigerian Dwarf goats, shop handcrafted goat milk products, and watch soap-making demonstrations.

Plan Your Visit: angryacres.com | (740) 485-7682

Lynd Maze Fest at Lynd Fruit Farm 🍏 🎃 🌽

Location: 9851 Morse Road, Pataskala, OH 43062 (Licking County)

Hours: Fri–Sat 10 AM – 10 PM; Sun 10 AM – 7 PM (Sept 4 – Nov 1)

Admission: \$13 ages 2+; wagon rides \$4



Families can pick apples and pumpkins, explore a giant corn maze, and discover fun facts about Ohio agriculture and history along the way. Choose from a mini maze or the larger corn maze challenge, take a wagon ride through the fields, or gather around the fire for an evening of s'mores and stories. With seasonal fruit, farm adventures, and activities for all ages, Lynd offers a full day of fall fun.

Highlights: Pick apples and pumpkins, tackle the corn maze and scavenger hunt, ride a wagon through the fields, and gather around the fire for s'mores.

Plan Your Visit: lyndfruitfarm.com | (740) 404-9967

Lohstroh Family Farms 🍁 🌻 🌽 🐐

Location: 15632 St. Rt. 56 SE, Mt. Sterling, OH 43143 (Madison County)

Hours: Mon–Fri 12 PM – 6 PM; Sat–Sun 10 AM – 6 PM (Aug 28 – Nov 8)

Admission: Free



Make fall memories at Lohstroh Family Farms, where visitors can pick their own pumpkins, wander through a sunflower field, and explore a corn maze. Families can enjoy a tractor train ride, hayrides to the pumpkin patch, play in the hay, visit the goats, and leave a message on the graffiti wall. Stop by the fall market and bakery for seasonal treats, including the farm's popular pumpkin donuts.

Highlights: Pick a pumpkin, explore the sunflower field and corn maze, visit the goats, ride the tractor train, and enjoy fresh pumpkin donuts.

Plan Your Visit: lohstrohfamilyfarms.com | (740) 869-4208

Grins & Pickin's CampFarm LLC 🌻 🐐

Location: 1 County Road 170, Marengo, OH 43334 (Morrow County)

Hours: Daily 8 AM – dusk

Admission: \$5 per person or \$10 per carload; voluntary donations welcome



Reconnect with nature at Grins & Pickin's CampFarm, where families can explore a rewilded farm landscape filled with native plants, wildlife, and seasonal produce. Wander the prairie garden trail, explore the pollinator maze, go hiking or creek walking, and try your hand at fishing or a nature scavenger hunt. Seasonal pick-your-own produce offers a taste of farm-fresh food, while camping and dark-sky views make it easy to slow down and enjoy the outdoors.

Highlights: Explore the pollinator maze and prairie trails, pick seasonal produce, search for wildlife, hike and creek, and enjoy peaceful countryside and dark-sky views.

Plan Your Visit: grinsandpickinscampfarm.com | (614) 420-6011



Photo: Slate Run Living Historical Farm

Circleville Pumpkin Show Inc 🎪 🍂

Location: Downtown Circleville, Court & Main Streets, Circleville, OH 43113 (Pickaway County)

Hours: Tue 5 PM – 10 PM; Wed–Sat 10 AM – 10 PM (Oct 20 – 24)

Admission: Free



Experience one of Ohio's biggest fall traditions at the Circleville Pumpkin Show, known as the "Greatest Free Show on Earth." Explore nine blocks of downtown filled with giant pumpkins, local exhibits, vendors, amusement rides, parades, and creative pumpkin-themed foods. Families can see giant pumpkins and other agricultural displays, enjoy live entertainment, and sample everything from pumpkin pizza and burgers to ice cream, chili, and cupcakes.

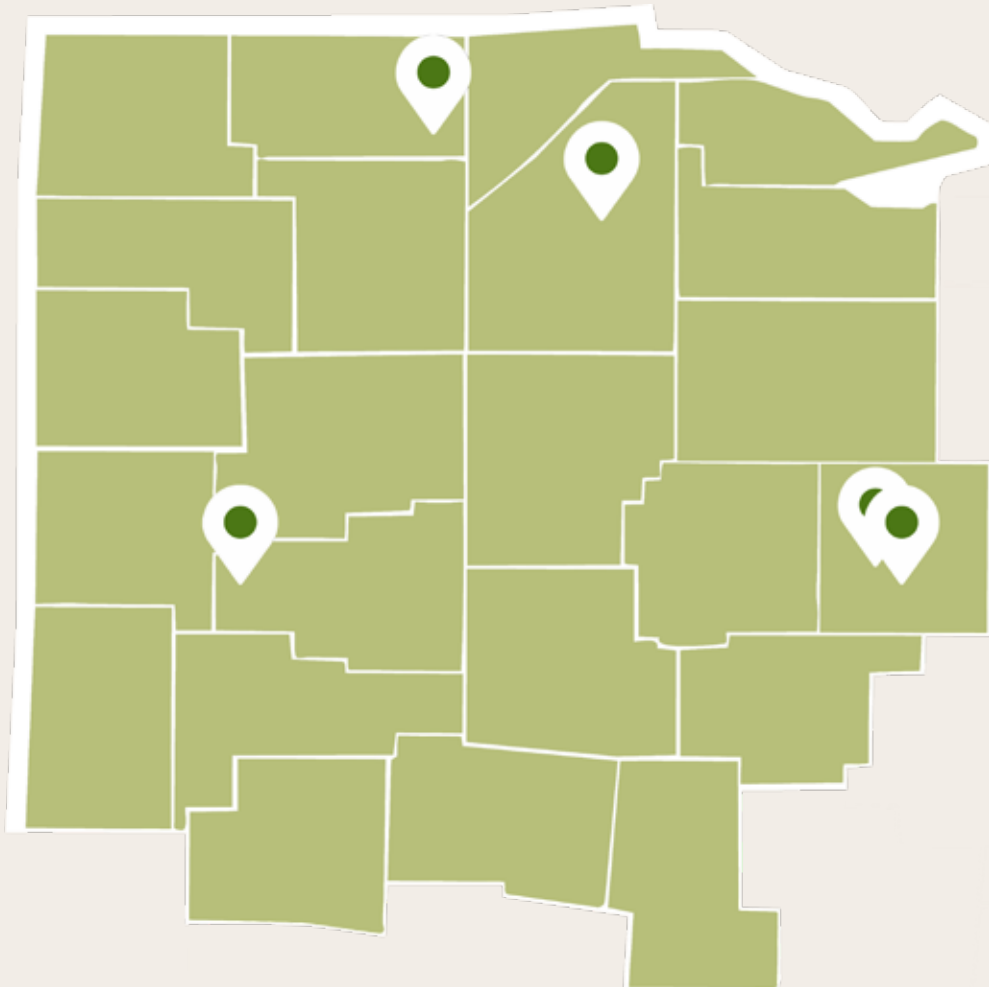
Highlights: See giant pumpkins, explore agricultural and art exhibits, watch colorful parades, enjoy amusement rides, and sample creative pumpkin treats.

Plan Your Visit: pumpkinshow.com | (740) 474-7000

NORTHWEST OHIO REGION

Fields, Orchards & Lake Erie Heritage

Explore the farms, fields, and outdoor experiences across Northwest Ohio's Fulton, Paulding, Crawford, Lucas, Seneca, and Wood counties. Pick fresh apples, create your own wildflower bouquet, paddle scenic waterways, or explore historic farmsteads. With rich farmland, wide-open landscapes, and Lake Erie nearby, there are plenty of ways to enjoy the region's agricultural heritage.





Weller Farms/Auglaize Canoe & Kayak 🍏 🍂 🌽 🐕

Location: 24821 Road 207, Oakwood, OH 45873 (Paulding County)

Hours: Sat 9 AM – 5 PM; Sun 12:30 PM – 5 PM (Labor Day – Oct 31); Mon–Fri by appointment

Admission: \$10 adults; \$7 children ages 4–11; under 4 free



Spend a fall day at Weller Farms, where traditional farm fun meets outdoor adventure. Families can tackle two corn mazes, ride an interactive wagon, visit farm animals, and pick their own pumpkin. Enjoy family games, farm photo spots, and seasonal treats like an apple cider slushy, or add a kayaking adventure for even more outdoor fun. It's a welcoming destination for making memories and experiencing the best of rural Ohio.

Highlights: Explore two corn mazes, ride the interactive wagon, visit farm animals, pick a pumpkin, enjoy seasonal treats, and try kayaking.

Plan Your Visit: auglaizecanoe.com | (419) 594-3456

2. The Pickwick Place

Location: 1875 N Sandusky Ave, Bucyrus, OH 44820 (Crawford County)

Hours: Market & Stalls Mon–Sat 9 AM – 6 PM; Sun 11 AM – 5 PM; Café 8 AM – 3 PM (kitchen closed Tues)

Admission: Free



Spend a day exploring The Pickwick Place, where agriculture, shopping, dining, and seasonal experiences come together. Wander through the U-Pick Flower Field and create your own bouquet from dozens of flower varieties, then browse more than 70 vendors in The Stalls. Stop by The Market for fresh produce and locally made goods, or relax at The Café for coffee, breakfast, or lunch.

Highlights: Pick your own flowers, shop fresh produce and local products, browse 70+ vendors, and enjoy coffee, breakfast, or lunch at The Café.

Plan Your Visit: thepickwickplace.com | (419) 562-0683

3. The Ohio Flower Girls

Location: 1875 North Sandusky Ave, Bucyrus, OH 44820 (Crawford County)

Hours: Daily 9 AM – 6 PM (through Sept – early Oct, weather permitting)

Admission: U-pick flowers start at \$20



Create your own bouquet at The Ohio Flower Girls, a U-pick flower field located at The Pickwick Place. Stroll through rows of colorful blooms, see how flowers are grown on a commercial scale, and cut your own fresh bouquet to take home. Bring your camera for photos among the flowers, then make a day of your visit with shopping and dining at The Pickwick Place.

Highlights: Cut your own fresh flower bouquet, stroll through the flower field, learn about commercial flower growing, and capture photos among the blooms.

Plan Your Visit: ohflowergirls.com | (419) 561-4106

4. Johnston Fruit Farms 🍏 🍂 🌻 🐕

Location: 2790 US 20A, Swanton, OH 43558 (Fulton County)

Hours: Mon–Sat 8:30 AM – 7 PM; Sun 10 AM – 6 PM

Admission: Free



A Northwest Ohio favorite since 1954, Johnston Fruit Farms has grown from a family apple orchard and cider mill into a destination for seasonal farm fun. Pick apples and pumpkins, gather fresh berries, stroll among sunflowers and cut flowers, or visit the petting zoo. Take a weekend hayride, then relax in the pavilion with a fresh donut and glass of cider for a classic fall farm experience.

Highlights: Pick apples and pumpkins, visit the petting zoo, enjoy a hayride, explore seasonal flowers and sunflowers, and savor fresh donuts and cider.

Plan Your Visit: johnstonfruitfarms.com | (419) 826-1453

5. Carter Historic Farm 🏠 🐕

Location: 18331 Carter Rd, Bowling Green, OH 43402 (Wood County)

Hours: Year-round, 8:30 AM – sunset

Admission: Free



Experience farm life as it was in the 1930s at Carter Historic Farm, a working living-history farm operated by the Wood County Park District. Explore the historic farmhouse, barns, one-room schoolhouse, gardens, livestock, and period farm equipment while learning how families lived and worked during the Depression era. Visitors can see heritage crops being grown, watch historic farming practices in action, and discover how agriculture shaped life in Northwest Ohio.

Highlights: Explore the historic farmhouse and schoolhouse, see livestock and antique farm equipment, and experience farming and daily life as it was in the 1930s.

Plan Your Visit: [Carter Historic Farm on Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/CarterHistoricFarm) | (419) 353-1897

NORTHEAST OHIO REGION

Rolling Hills, Heritage Orchards & Lake Erie Country

Discover Northeast Ohio's agricultural treasures across Ashtabula, Carroll, Columbiana, Geauga, Lorain, Medina, Portage, Summit, Tuscarawas, and Wayne counties. Explore historic farms, apple orchards, flower fields, agricultural research centers, and lively fall festivals. From Lake Erie's unique growing conditions to generations of family farming, the region offers plenty of ways to experience Ohio's rich agricultural heritage.

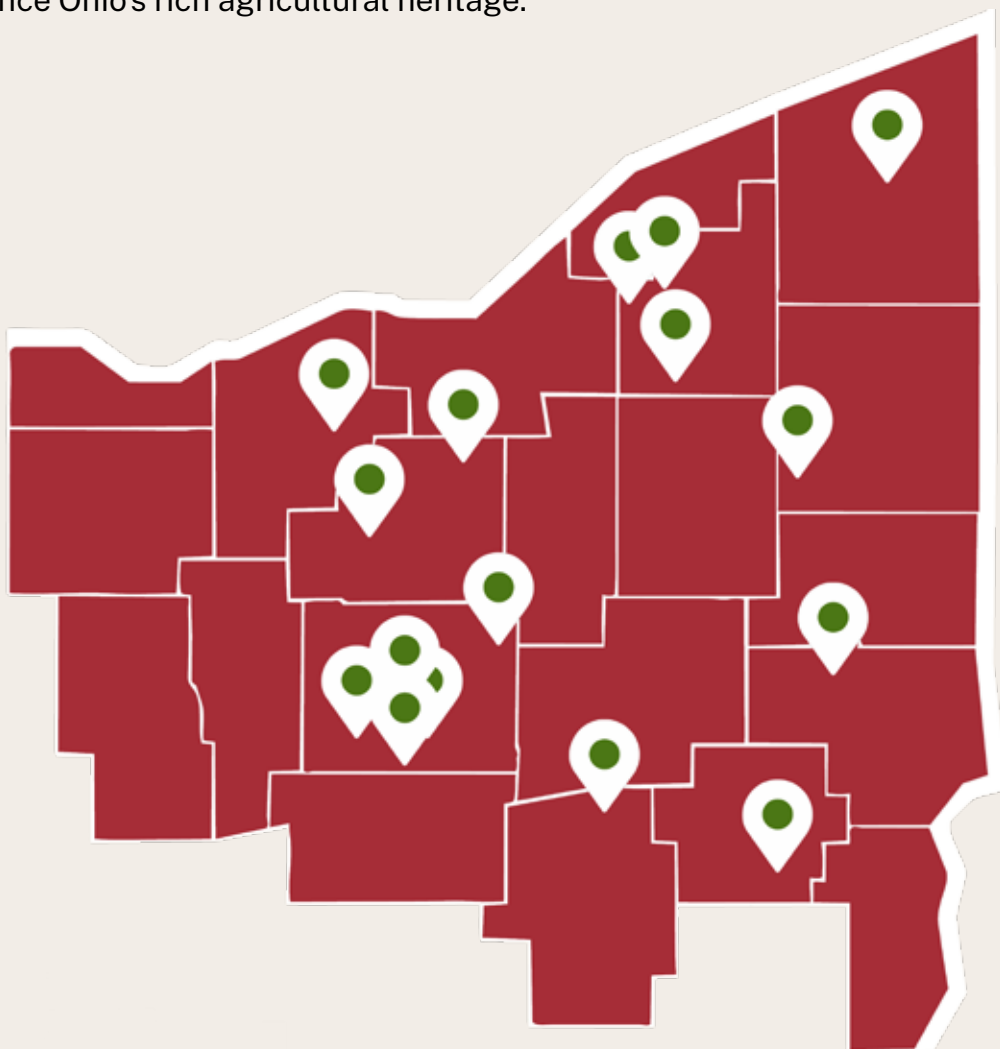




Photo: Kuchta Farms

Kuchta Farms

Location: 4785 State Route 82, Newton Falls, OH 44444 (Trumbull County)

Hours: Wed–Thu 12 PM – 7 PM; Fri 12 PM – 8 PM; Sat 10 AM – 8 PM; Sun 10 AM – 6 PM

Admission: Farm admission free; activities \$16 ages 3+; online discounts available



Bring the family to Kuchta Farms for a classic fall farm experience filled with hands-on activities, friendly animals, and seasonal fun. Get lost in the corn maze, take a wagon ride, and explore the barnyard activity area, or cheer on the entertaining pig and duck races. Save room for fresh-made donuts and farm food as you spend a few hours enjoying the simple pleasures of farm life.

Highlights: Navigate the corn maze, ride a wagon, visit the animals, watch pig and duck races, and enjoy fresh-made donuts and farm food.

Plan Your Visit: kuchtafarms.com | (330) 984-4525

Red Umbrella Farm Stand 🐕 🥬

Location: 6360 Avon Lake Rd, Spencer, OH 44275 (Medina County)

Hours: Mon–Fri 8 AM – 9 PM; Sat–Sun 9 AM – 9 PM

Admission: Free



Meet the rescued animals that call Red Umbrella Farm Stand home, from senior horses and mini pigs to goats, rabbits, and chickens. Visitors can spend time with the animals, offer treats, and enjoy plenty of opportunities for gentle interactions and cuddles. Browse the farm stand for fresh, no-spray fruits and vegetables, flowers, and other seasonal goods, knowing that every visit helps support the farm's rescue animals and regenerative agriculture efforts.

Highlights: Meet and cuddle rescued animals, feed friendly goats and chickens, watch the piggies swim and play, and shop fresh produce and flowers.

Plan Your Visit: [Red Umbrella Farm Stand on Facebook](#) | (330) 635-9972

Mapleside Farms 🍏 🎃 🌽 🥬

Location: 294 Pearl Road, Brunswick, OH 44212 (Medina County)

Hours: Varies by event; daily during fall season

Admission: \$10–\$18, depending on attractions



Since 1927, Mapleside Farms has grown from a family apple orchard into one of Northeast Ohio's premier agritourism destinations. Explore more than 120 acres of orchards and farmland while enjoying fresh apples, cider, seasonal produce, and fall activities. During the autumn season, families can experience pumpkin patches, giant corn mazes, hayrides, farm trains, and themed festivals, making Mapleside a destination for a full day—or even weekend—of farm fun.

Highlights: Pick up farm-grown apples and cider, explore giant corn mazes, ride hayrides and farm trains, and enjoy seasonal festivals and farm attractions.

Plan Your Visit: mapleside.com | (216) 452-6860

Patterson Fruit Farm Market – Family Fun Fest and Pick Your Own



Location: 11414 Caves Road & 8765 Mulberry Road, Chesterland, OH 44026
(Geauga County)

Hours: Market daily 9 AM – 6 PM (Summer – Fall); daily 9 AM – 5 PM (Winter); Family Fun Fest Mon–Thu 10 AM – 6 PM; Fri–Sun 10 AM – 5 PM (Sept 16 – Nov 1))

Admission: Family Fun Fest \$8 Mon–Thu, \$12 Fri–Sun, children 2 and under free; seniors 65+ \$7 Fri–Sun



The seven-generation Patterson family invites visitors to experience the sights, flavors, and traditions of a working Northeast Ohio farm. Shop the year-round farm market for fresh produce, apples, cider, baked goods, meats, and local products, then head to Family Fun Fest for fall adventures including a corn maze, wagon rides, giant straw pile, racing slide, pedal tractors, and more. Pick your own apples and stock up on pumpkins, mums, and other seasonal favorites.

Highlights: Pick apples, explore the corn maze, race down the 50-foot slide, climb the giant straw pile, ride a wagon, and enjoy fresh cider, donuts, and other farm favorites.

Plan Your Visit: pattersonfarm.com | (440) 729-1964

Cedar Crest Farm LLC



Location: 9755 Shepler Church Ave, Bolivar, OH 44612 (Stark County)

Hours: Fri–Sun 11 AM – 6 PM (Sept 25 – Oct 25)

Admission: Xxxx



Enjoy a fall day on this third-generation family beef and grain farm, which has welcomed visitors for seasonal farm fun since 2019. Families can explore a five-acre corn maze, play in corn harvested from the farm's fields, and take a scenic hayride through the countryside. Before heading home, cool off with a refreshing apple cider slushie and enjoy a taste of life on a working Ohio farm.

Highlights: Navigate the five-acre corn maze, play in freshly harvested corn, ride a hay wagon through the fields, and enjoy an apple cider slushie.

Plan Your Visit: cedarcrestbolivar.com | (330) 663-6372

The Petal Post 🌻

Location: 2152 Dodgeville Road, Jefferson, OH 44047 (Ashtabula County)

Hours: Varies; check schedule of events

Admission: Free; special events may require admission



Wander through The Petal Post's seasonal flower patches and create a bouquet of your own while learning about the flowers grown on the farm. Visitors can enjoy photo opportunities among the blooms and take part in seasonal events featuring local vendors. It's a relaxed way to experience local flower production, connect with agriculture, and bring home something beautiful.

Highlights: Pick your own flowers, learn about seasonal blooms, take photos in the flower fields, and enjoy seasonal events.

Plan Your Visit: [The Petal Post on Facebook](#) | (440) 645-4856

Flowers at Grover Farms 🌻

Location: 504 Steubenville Rd. SE, Carrollton, OH 44615 (Carroll County)

Hours: Tue–Fri 9 AM – 4 PM; Sat 9 AM – 1 PM; closed Sun–Mon

Admission: Free; special events may require admission



Discover a family farm with roots dating to 1965 that has evolved from dairy and grain farming into a working flower farm. Pick your own blooms, explore the farm stand and sensory garden, or join an educational class to learn how flowers are grown and transformed into arrangements. Visitors can also enjoy community events and behind-the-scenes experiences that offer a closer look at the farm's day-to-day work.

Highlights: Pick your own flowers, explore the sensory garden, shop the farm stand, take an educational class, and see how flowers are grown and turned into fresh arrangements.

Plan Your Visit: groverfarmsflowers.com | (330) 260-5741

Lincoln Way Vineyards and Brewing

Location: 9050 W. Old Lincoln Way, Wooster, OH 44691 (Wayne County)

Hours: Tue–Wed 12 PM – 6 PM; Thu–Fri 12 PM – 9 PM; Sat 11 AM – 9 PM (May 1 – Oct 31); Thu–Fri 12 PM – 9 PM; Sat 11 AM – 9 PM (Nov – Apr)

Admission: Tasting room free; tastings and tours additional; vineyard/production tours \$29 ages 21+, \$21 under 21



Tour the vines, taste Ohio-grown wines and ciders, and see how grapes make their way from the vineyard to the bottle at this family-owned winery, cidery, and brewery. Climb aboard a converted hay wagon for a guided tour through the rolling countryside to the vineyard, where you can sample wines made from grapes grown on-site. Back at the winery, see the winemaking process from crushing and fermentation through aging and bottling.

Highlights: Ride a hay wagon through the vineyard, sample estate wines, enjoy a vineyard and production tour, and listen to live music with food trucks on weekend evenings.

Plan Your Visit: lincolnwayvineyards.com | (330) 804-9463

Ramseyer Farms

Location: 4000 Ramseyer Lane, Wooster, OH 44691 (Wayne County)

Hours: Wed–Sat 10 AM – 7 PM; Sun 1 PM – 7 PM (Sept 2 – Oct 31); closed Mon–Tue

Admission: Activities area admission varies by date; Country Store and pumpkin patch free



Make fall memories at this fifth-generation family farm, where more than 50 interactive activities bring agriculture to life for visitors of all ages. Explore corn mazes, take a hayride, find the perfect pumpkin, and enjoy farm-fresh food before browsing the Country Store. With activities designed for a range of ages and abilities, Ramseyer Farms offers a fun and welcoming way to experience the sights, flavors, and traditions of an Ohio fall.

Highlights: Explore 50+ activities, navigate the corn mazes, take a hayride, pick out a pumpkin, enjoy farm-fresh food, and browse the Country Store.

Plan Your Visit: ramseyerfarms.com | (330) 264-0264

Outlaw Farm Alpacas, LLC 🦙

Location: 35915 Law Rd, Grafton, OH 44044 (Lorain County)

Hours: Open house and event dates vary; private tours available by reservation

Admission: Open houses free; private tours \$10 per person



Meet the friendly alpacas at this family farm and learn how these gentle animals contribute to Ohio's growing fiber industry. Visitors can feed the alpacas, feel their incredibly soft fiber, and discover how alpaca fleece is transformed into finished products through demonstrations from local spinners and fiber artists. With educational tours, seasonal events, and plenty of photo opportunities, Outlaw Farm Alpacas offers a memorable hands-on experience for animal lovers and families.

Highlights: Feed the alpacas, meet the herd up close, learn about alpaca fiber and farming, see fiber-art demonstrations, and capture photos with the animals.

Plan Your Visit: outlawfarmalpacas.com | (440) 258-7387

Rittman Orchards and Farm Market 🍏 🍂 🌻

Location: 13548 Mount Eaton Rd., Doylestown, OH 44230 (Wayne County)

Hours: Tue–Sat 9 AM – 5 PM; Sun 11 AM – 5 PM; closed Mon

Admission: Free; pay for u-pick and market purchases



Pick your way through the seasons at this family-owned fruit and vegetable farm, where visitors can gather everything from strawberries and raspberries to apples, flowers, and pumpkins. After exploring the fields, visit the on-site market and bakery for farm-grown produce, fresh baked goods, apple butter, honey, and other local favorites. Seasonal festivals add even more fun, making Rittman Orchards a great destination for a few hours of family farm adventure.

Highlights: Pick strawberries in June or apples in September and October, gather seasonal flowers and pumpkins, explore the farm market, and enjoy seasonal festivals.

Plan Your Visit: rittmanorchards.com | (330) 925-4152

Top Knoll Farm & Flowers

Location: 1508 Bell Road, Chagrin Falls, OH 44022 (Geauga County)

Hours: Tue–Wed & Sat–Sun 8 AM – 12 PM (Aug – early Oct)

Admission: \$30 for a U-pick flower cup



Spend a peaceful morning surrounded by blooms at this family flower farm just outside Chagrin Falls. During the late-summer and early-fall season, visitors can fill a cup with freshly cut flowers grown organically on the farm, then relax at picnic tables overlooking the countryside. With a calm setting and hands-on flower-picking experience, Top Knoll Farm & Flowers offers a simple way to connect with nature and take home a colorful reminder of your visit.

Highlights: Pick your own organically grown flowers, create a fresh bouquet, relax at the farm's picnic tables, and enjoy the peaceful countryside.

Plan Your Visit: topknollfarmandflowers.com | (419) 606-2285

Buckeye Agricultural Museum & Education Center

Location: 877 W. Old Lincoln Way, Wooster, OH 44691 (Wayne County)

Hours: Second Saturday of each month, 10 AM – 2 PM; appointments available outside regular hours

Admission: \$5 donation per person; \$15 per family



Explore Ohio's agricultural heritage at this 19,000-square-foot museum, where thousands of exhibits tell the story of farming and rural life from the 1800s through the 1940s. See historic farm equipment, one of Ohio's oldest barns, a steam engine, a massive cider press, early J.M. Smucker equipment, and exhibits focused on dairying, barn raising, butchering, ice harvesting, grain processing, and cheesemaking.

Highlights: Explore thousands of agricultural artifacts, see an 1814 barn, discover historic farm equipment, and learn how farming shaped life in Wayne County and Ohio.

Plan Your Visit: buckeyeagriculturalmuseum.com | (330) 264-6941

Woolf Farms Market Store



Location: 6051 State Route 9, Salem, OH 44625 (Columbiana County)

Hours: Mon–Sat 9 AM – 5 PM; fall festival activities Fri, Sat & Mon (late Aug – Oct)

Admission: \$5 fall festival; children 2 and under free



Make a day of fall fun at this third-generation fruit farm, where families can enjoy seasonal activities and experience a working Ohio orchard. Take a hay wagon to the orchard for U-pick, then explore the Activity Barn filled with kid-friendly attractions including zip lines, a hay maze, corn maze, duck races, and barrel carts. Stop at the market for farm-grown produce, fresh-made donuts, and lattes before heading home.

Highlights: Ride a hay wagon to the orchard, pick your own fruit, explore the Activity Barn, navigate the corn maze, and enjoy fresh donuts and lattes from the market.

Plan Your Visit: [Woolf Farms](#) | (330) 525-5128

Hale Farm Harvest Festival



Location: 2686 Oak Hill Rd, Bath, OH 44210 (Summit County)

Hours: Sat 10 AM – 4 PM (Oct 3, 2026)

Admission: Event admission varies; check the event website for current pricing



Celebrate the sights, flavors, and traditions of an Ohio harvest at Hale Farm & Village's Harvest Festival. Families can explore the historic farm while enjoying seasonal activities that highlight 19th-century agricultural life, including apple cider pressing, pumpkin picking, apple butter making, kettle corn, food preservation demonstrations, farm animals, draft horses, and traditional craft demonstrations. Set within nearly 100 acres of historic farmland and 34 historic structures, the festival offers a fun and educational fall experience.

Highlights: Watch apple cider pressing and apple butter making, visit farm animals and draft horses, explore historic buildings, and experience traditional crafts and seasonal harvest activities.

Plan Your Visit: [wrhs.org](#) | (330) 666-3711

The Ohio State University College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences (CFAES) Wooster Campus



Location: 1680 Madison Ave, Wooster, OH 44691 (Wayne County)

Hours: Daily 8 AM – 8:30 PM (or dusk)

Admission: Free



Explore Ohio agriculture through research, education, and hands-on discovery at the CFAES Wooster Campus. Visitors can explore working agricultural facilities, Secrest Arboretum's 110 acres of gardens and plant collections, and the United Titanium Bug Zoo while learning about food production, environmental stewardship, and modern farming practices.

Highlights: Explore Secrest Arboretum, visit the United Titanium Bug Zoo, enjoy a picnic, and discover how agricultural research and education are shaping Ohio's farms and food systems.

Plan Your Visit: ati.osu.edu/about-cfaes-wooster | (330) 263-3700



Photo: Hale Farm Harvest Festival

SOUTHWEST OHIO REGION

Rolling Valleys, Historic Orchards & Country Heritage

From family farms to vineyards and community gardens, Southwest Ohio offers a wide range of agricultural experiences across Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Hamilton, Highland, Montgomery, and Warren counties. Visit multi-generation dairy farms, pick apples, explore alpaca farms, stroll through community gardens, or enjoy seasonal events at county fairgrounds. Along the region's river valleys and rolling countryside, Ohio's farming traditions are alive and thriving.

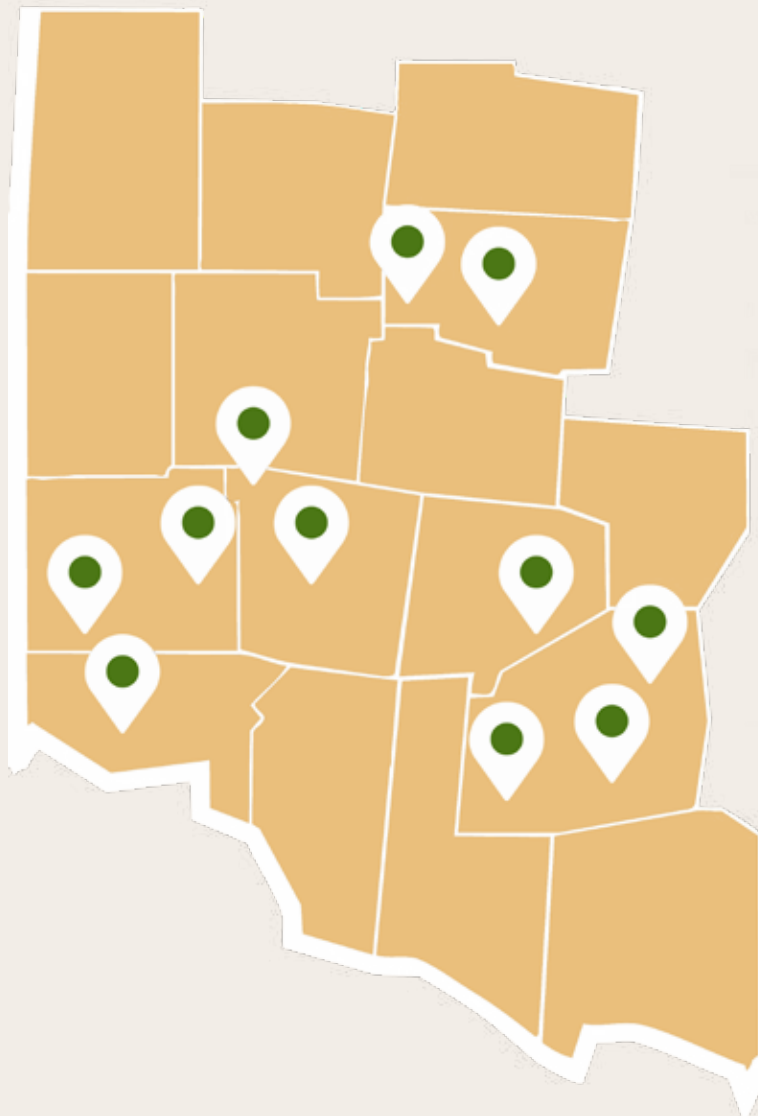




Photo: Aiken High School Community Garden

Brown's Family Farm Market



Location: 11620 Hamilton Cleves Rd, Hamilton, OH 45013 (Hamilton County)

Hours: Daily 9 AM – 7 PM; Fall Family Fun Weekends 10 AM – 6 PM

Admission: Free; hayrides \$6 per person (ages 3+); barrel train rides \$3 per rider



Enjoy a family-friendly farm experience with seasonal activities, fresh produce, plants, and plenty of opportunities to explore. During Fall Family Fun Weekends, visitors can wander the corn maze, sunflower walk, straw maze, and farm animal areas, climb on tractors and a combine playscape, explore the play village, and visit the pumpkin patch.

Highlights: Explore the corn and straw mazes, walk through the sunflowers, visit farm animals, pick a pumpkin, and take a hayride through the farm.

Plan Your Visit: brownsfarmmarket.com | (513) 738-0404

Niederman Family Farm



Location: 5110 LeSourdsville West Chester Road, Hamilton, OH 45011 (Butler County)

Hours: Thu–Sun (Sept 25 – Nov 1)

Admission: \$16–\$20; online tickets are cheaper than gate admission



Celebrate 25 years of fall fun at this third-generation family farm, where visitors can enjoy classic autumn attractions and experience a working farm through seasonal activities. Explore the corn maze, take a wagon ride, bounce on the jumping pillow, and enjoy warm farm-fresh donuts while making memories with family and friends.

Highlights: Navigate the corn maze, take a wagon ride, bounce on the jumping pillow, and enjoy a warm donut.

Plan Your Visit: niedermanfamilyfarm.com | (513) 779-6184

Young's Jersey Dairy



Location: 6880 Springfield-Xenia Rd., Yellow Springs, OH 45387 (Clark County)

Hours: Hours vary by attraction and season; Dairy Store: Mon–Thu 11 AM – 8 PM, Fri 11 AM – 9 PM, Sat 9 AM – 9 PM, Sun 9 AM – 8 PM

Admission: Free; individual attractions have separate fees



Young's Jersey Dairy brings Ohio agriculture to life as a working family farm where visitors can see Jersey cows, enjoy farmstead cheese and ice cream made on-site, and experience a wide range of family attractions. From the farm animal area and seasonal corn maze to miniature golf, wagon rides, and Cowtherine's Carousel, Young's offers a memorable blend of agriculture, education, and family fun.

Highlights: Visit the Jersey cows, enjoy farmstead cheese and ice cream, ride Cowtherine's Carousel, and explore the farm's seasonal attractions.

Plan Your Visit: youngsdairy.com | (937) 325-0629

Aiken High School Community Garden



Location: 5641 Belmont Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45224 (Hamilton County)

Hours: Daily, sunrise to sunset

Admission: Free



Discover an urban farm operated by Aiken High School's Agricultural Career Tech and FFA students, where raised beds, high tunnels, farm animals, hiking trails, and outdoor education bring agriculture into an urban setting. Visitors can interact with alpacas, goats, chickens, and a miniature steer while learning about food production, animal care, fiber production, and agricultural education from students.

Highlights: Meet the alpacas and goats, explore the urban farm and hiking trails, and connect with students who share their agricultural experiences and knowledge.

Plan Your Visit: [Aiken High School Community Garden on Facebook](#) | (513) 363-6700

Indian Spring Winery, LLC



Location: 10862 Fite Hauck Rd, Sardinia, OH 45171 (Brown County)

Hours: Fri 4 PM – 10 PM; Sat 2 PM – 10 PM (May – Nov); Sat 5 PM – 10 PM (Nov – Apr); Sun–Thu by appointment

Admission: Free; wine tastings and purchases vary



Indian Spring Winery is a family-owned agribusiness in rural Brown County where visitors can stroll through the vineyard, sample wines made with grapes grown on-site, and enjoy a peaceful country setting. Pack a picnic, grab food from a local food truck, or enjoy live music on Friday and Saturday evenings while experiencing a family-friendly gathering place rooted in the region's agricultural heritage.

Highlights: Walk through the vineyard, sample handcrafted wines, enjoy a picnic or local food truck, and listen to live music on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Plan Your Visit: indianspringwinery.com | (937) 446-9463

Holdfast Alpaca Farm

Location: 12026 Lower Valley Pike, Medway, OH 45341 (Clark County)

Hours: Mon–Sat 10 AM – 5 PM

Admission: Self-guided tours \$10



Visit an active alpaca breeding farm home to more than 100 alpacas, where guests can tour the farm, interact with alpacas of all ages, and learn about alpaca farming and fiber production. Browse the farm store for products made from alpaca fiber, and discover how the Hilty family connects agriculture, education, and community through 4-H, FFA, farm tours, and outreach programs.

Highlights: Feed and interact with alpacas, explore the farm on a self-guided tour, and shop for alpaca fiber products in the farm store.

Plan Your Visit: hiltyfarms.com | (937) 878-1111



Photo: Youngs DairyStore Opening 2021

Hidden Valley Orchards



Location: 5474 North State Route 48, Lebanon, OH 45036 (Warren County)

Hours: Thu–Sat 10 AM – 9 PM; Sun 10 AM – 6 PM; Tue–Wed added in Sept–Oct

Admission: Free; play yards \$16



Since 1956, Hidden Valley Orchards has welcomed families to enjoy Ohio farm life through U-pick experiences, wagon rides, seasonal attractions, and farm-fresh food. Explore the orchards, corn maze, pumpkin patches, sunflower fields, and barnyard animal village, or relax on the Great Lawn and enjoy food, drinks, live music, and community events at the farm's cidery and gathering spaces.

Highlights: Pick apples, explore the corn maze and pumpkin patches, visit the barnyard animals, and enjoy the play yards, sunflower field, and cidery.

Plan Your Visit: hiddenvalleyorchards.com | (513) 932-2869

Farm on Central



Location: 572 Central Avenue, Carlisle, OH 45005 (Warren County)

Hours: Tue–Fri 10 AM – 6 PM; Sat 9 AM – 5 PM; closed Sun–Mon

Admission: Free; U-pick \$3.50 per car



Farm on Central is a family-owned regenerative farm and year-round market connecting visitors with Ohio agriculture through fresh local food, seasonal U-pick experiences, educational events, and hands-on farm activities. Shop produce from the farm and more than 30 Ohio farms and local artisans, enjoy seasonal food and drinks from the farm food truck, and participate in experiences such as strawberry and pumpkin picking, farm tours, and workshops.

Highlights: Shop the farm market, pick seasonal produce, enjoy farm-fresh food and slushies, and participate in U-pick experiences, farm tours, and educational events.

Plan Your Visit: farmoncentral.com | (937) 550-3136

Happy Cows Creamery at New Horizon Farm



Location: 1103 Hodson Road, New Vienna, OH 45159 (Clinton County)

Hours: Daily 7 AM – 9 PM

Admission: Free; guests receive a complimentary gift from the American Dairy Association



Happy Cows Creamery offers a behind-the-scenes look at life on a working Ohio dairy farm, where visitors can see how fresh milk goes from the farm to the bottle. Meet the farm's animals, explore the creamery, sample a variety of milk flavors, and discover the story of a family dairy committed to keeping local agriculture thriving.

Highlights: Take a photo with Liberty the Cow, tour the farm and processing plant, sample 8–12 flavors of milk, visit the baby calves, and browse the farm store.

Plan Your Visit: happycowsatnewhorizon.com | (937) 993-5058

Karnes Orchard



Location: 8200 Worley Mill Rd, Hillsboro, OH 45133 (Highland County)

Hours: Mon–Sat, 9 AM – 6 PM; closed Sun (July – October)

Admission: Free



Karnes Orchard is a family-owned fruit farm with roots stretching back to 1876. Today, the orchard carries on that legacy with more than 50 varieties of apples, along with peaches and tart cherries. Visitors can enjoy the simple pleasures of picking fruit, exploring the orchard, and taking in sweeping views of the surrounding countryside while connecting with a farm that has been part of Ohio's agricultural story for 150 years.

Highlights: Pick your own apples, explore the orchard, walk to the top of the orchard hill for beautiful countryside views, and visit the farm market for fresh produce and cider pressed onsite.

Plan Your Visit: karnesorchard.com | (937) 763-8250

Bone Acres Farm

Location: 10185 Thomas Rd., Leesburg, OH 45135 (Highland County)

Hours: Weekends 10 AM – 6 PM (September 19 – November 1)

Admission: \$7 per person; children under 2 and adults over 65 are free; \$5 for veterans and first responders



Bone Acres Farm is a family-owned agritourism destination where creativity, agriculture, and rural tradition come together. Built and operated by the Johnson family, the farm turns repurposed equipment, homegrown crops, and hands-on activities into memorable experiences that help visitors discover the ingenuity and hard work behind farm life. From exploring a playground made from a retired combine to meeting animals raised on the farm, every attraction offers a fun and authentic connection to agriculture.

Highlights: Operate a real excavator, launch apples with a pneumatic apple cannon, race ducks, explore the combine playground, visit the farm animals, navigate the 3-acre corn maze, and take a hayride around the farm with an apple cider slushy and pumpkin donut.

Plan Your Visit: boneacres.com | (937) 402-7896



Photo: Holdfast Alpaca Farm

SOUTHEAST OHIO REGION

Appalachian Foothills, Harvest Traditions & Fall Festivals

Rolling hills, river valleys, and generations of tradition define Southeast Ohio across Coshocton, Guernsey, Jackson, Muskingum, Noble, and Washington counties. Experience the region's farming and timber heritage at harvest festivals, corn mazes, apple butter gatherings, timber events, and u-pick berry farms. From hands-on activities to seasonal celebrations, Southeast Ohio offers a unique look at rural life and traditions.

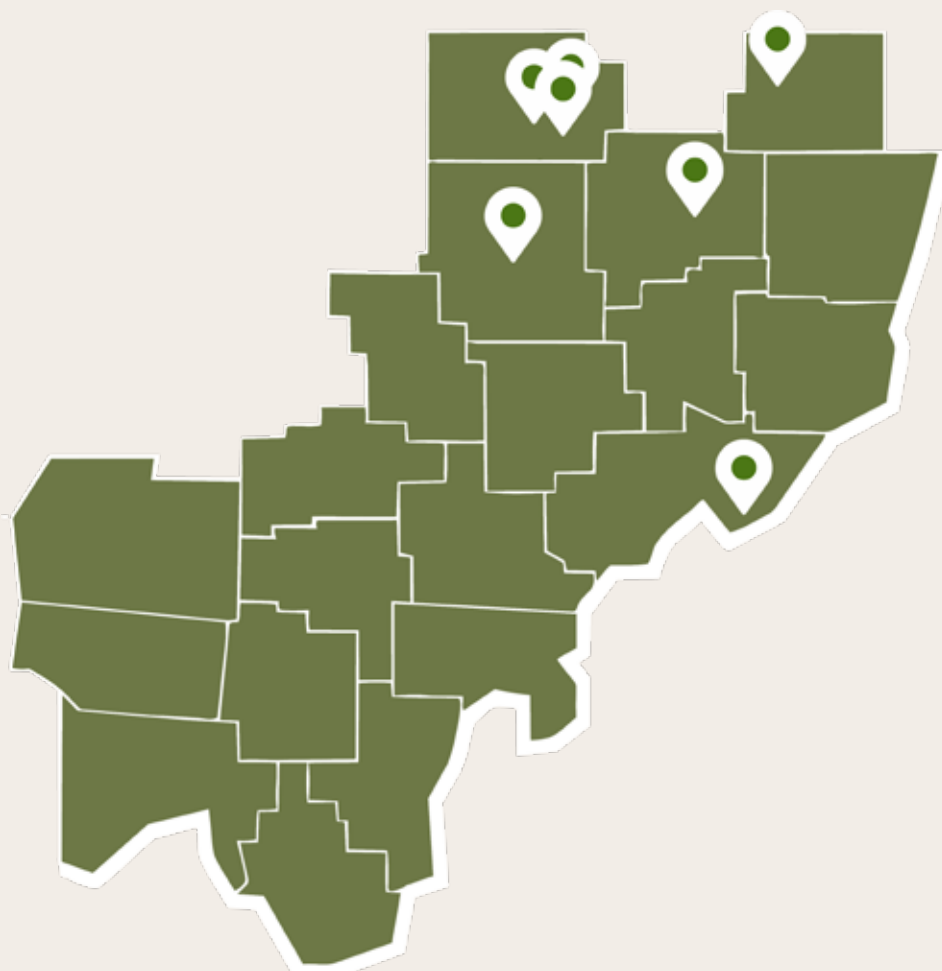




Photo: Wine Your Way Out

Wine Your Way Out®



Location: 24688 County Road 10, Coshocton, OH 43812 (Coshocton County)

Hours: Saturdays, September 12, 19 & 26 and October 3, 2026; 1 PM – 8 PM

Admission: \$15–\$40



Wine Your Way Out® offers a festive fall experience that blends three things Ohio does especially well: agriculture, local beverages, and good times with friends and family. Visitors can wander through a larger-than-life corn maze featuring a special America 250–Ohio design, then unwind with Ohio wines and craft beers in the Wine & Beer Garden. With live music, seasonal scenery, and plenty of opportunities to explore, it's an easygoing way to experience Ohio's food-and-farm heritage with a glass in hand.

Highlights: Navigate the America 250–Ohio corn maze, sample Ohio wines and beers, relax in the Wine & Beer Garden, and enjoy live music throughout the event.

Plan Your Visit: wineyourwayout.com | (740) 502-9245

McPeek's Mighty Maze



Location: 24688 County Road 10, Coshocton, OH 43812 (Coshocton County)

Hours: Saturdays, October 10, 17, 24 & 31, 2026; 1 PM – 9 PM; last admission at 8 PM

Admission: \$10 general admission; \$8 seniors (65+) and active or retired military; children 2 and under free



McPeek's Mighty Maze brings a classic fall tradition to life with a special America 250–Ohio experience celebrating Ohio's agricultural heritage. This year's maze features a design inspired by the America 250–Ohio logo, while an interactive scavenger hunt challenges visitors with trivia about Ohio farmers and the important role agriculture has played in the state and nation. It's an entertaining way for families to explore, learn, and celebrate Ohio's farming story together.

Highlights: Find your way through the corn maze, take on the interactive agricultural scavenger hunt, and return after dark for a thrilling Flashlight Night experience.

Plan Your Visit: mcpeeksmightymaze.com | (740) 502-9245

Apple Butter Stirrin' Festival — Historic Roscoe Village



Location: 600 N Whitewoman Street, Coshocton, OH 43812 (Coshocton County)

Hours: October 16–18, 2026; Friday & Saturday 10 AM – 6 PM; Sunday 10 AM – 5 PM.

Normal hours: Tuesday–Sunday, 10 AM – 4 PM

Admission: \$10



The Apple Butter Stirrin' Festival brings the sights, sounds, flavors, and traditions of autumn to life at Historic Roscoe Village. Watch apple butter simmer over an open fire, explore Ohio's canal-era history, and experience traditional crafts demonstrated by skilled artisans. With live bluegrass and Americana music, handcrafted goods, historic exhibits, and a horse-drawn canal boat ride, the festival offers a full day of seasonal fun steeped in Ohio heritage.

Highlights: Watch apple butter being stirred over an open fire, tour historic canal-era exhibits, take a horse-drawn canal boat ride, enjoy live bluegrass and Americana music, and browse work from curated craft artisans.

Plan Your Visit: roscoevillage.com | (740) 622-7644

The Paul Bunyan Show

Location: 335 Old National Rd., Old Washington, OH 43768 (Guernsey County)

Hours: October 2–4, 2026; Friday & Saturday 8 AM – 5 PM; Sunday, 9 AM – 3 PM

Admission: Adults \$15/day; seniors (60+) and children 7–12 \$10/day; children 6 and under free. Veterans receive free admission Sunday with military ID.



The Paul Bunyan Show celebrates Ohio's forest products industry with a hands-on look at the people, equipment, and skills behind one of the state's important agricultural industries. Whether you're interested in woodland management, curious about modern forestry equipment, or simply love seeing skilled competitors in action, the show offers an engaging mix of demonstrations, competitions, education, and family-friendly entertainment.

Highlights: Watch technical tree-cutting and felling demonstrations, see massive chippers and grinders in action, cheer on competitors in the Ohio State Lumberjack and International Lumberjack competitions, explore landowner education sessions, and experience the Great Lakes Timber Show.

Plan Your Visit: thepaulbunyanshow.com | (888) 388-7337

McDonald's Greenhouse & Corn Maze, Ltd.

Location: 3220 Adamsville Rd., Zanesville, OH 43701 (Muskingum County)

Hours: Spring: weekdays 9:30 AM – 6 PM, Saturday 9 AM – 5 PM, Sunday 11 AM – 4 PM. Fall: weekdays 9:30 AM – 6 PM, Saturday 10 AM – 6 PM, Sunday 11 AM – 6 PM

Admission: \$10 per person for fall farm activities; ages 2 and under free



McDonald's Greenhouse is a family-owned farm where generations of agricultural tradition come together with year-round education and family fun. Since opening its greenhouses in 1995, the McDonald family has grown the farm into a welcoming destination with seasonal activities, educational programming, and a strong connection to the surrounding community.

Their fall experiences offer a chance to enjoy the farm at its most festive while seeing how a working family farm continues to grow and evolve.

Highlights: Take a scenic hayride, bounce on the jumping pillow, enjoy hot fresh donuts, and explore the farm's seasonal activities and educational programming.

Plan Your Visit: mcdonaldsgreenhouse.com | (740) 819-5814

The Market at Gladman Farms



Location: 32405 Moravian Trl, Tipppecanoe, OH 44699 (Harrison County)

Hours: Fri–Sun, 10 AM – 6 PM (June – November); events select dates

Admission: Free; fees vary for events



The Market at Gladman Farms is a welcoming farm destination where local agriculture, handmade goods, and creative experiences come together. Browse seasonal produce, homemade baked goods, handcrafted soaps, chocolates, and locally inspired gifts, then linger for a workshop, family activity, or seasonal celebration. Rooted in a family farm and a passion for community, the market offers visitors a chance to slow down, discover something new, and enjoy a taste of rural Ohio.

Highlights: Shop the self-serve farm market, discover local foods and handcrafted products, participate in Make & Take workshops and paint events, and enjoy seasonal family activities and celebrations.

Plan Your Visit: gladmanfarms.com | (740) 238-0348

Stacy Family Farm, LLC



Location: 27515 State Route 7, Marietta, OH 45750 (Washington County)

Hours: Weekday evenings; weekends 10 AM – 6 PM (Mid-September – October)

Admission: \$10



Stacy Farm is a family-owned farm where every season brings a new way to experience Ohio agriculture. In the spring and summer, visitors can pick their own strawberries, blueberries, and raspberries, while fall transforms the farm into a colorful destination filled with sunflowers, pumpkins, wagon rides, and family-friendly activities. With plenty of opportunities to explore, take photos, and enjoy the changing seasons, Stacy Farm offers a relaxed and authentic taste of life on an Ohio family farm.

Highlights: Wander through the sunflower fields, capture memorable photos, pick your own seasonal fruit, explore the corn maze, take a wagon ride, visit the pumpkin patch, and enjoy seasonal events including the farm's fall car show.

Plan Your Visit: stacyfarm.com | (740) 374-2371

Noble Family Farms 🍷 🌽 🌻 🧺

Location: 11210 State Route 335, Minford, OH 45653 (Scioto County)

Hours: Fri & Sun 1–7 PM, Sat 11 AM–7 PM (September 19 – October 31)

Admission: \$12 per person; children 2 and under free



Noble Family Farms is a family-owned agritourism destination built around creating traditions and making the most of every season. What began as a fall farm experience has grown into a lively destination where visitors can explore the pumpkin patch, navigate corn mazes, enjoy classic farm activities, and discover flowers, plants, and gifts at the on-site Honeysuckle Haven. With a mix of hands-on attractions and seasonal experiences, the farm offers an inviting way for families to connect with Ohio agriculture and enjoy a day in the country.

Highlights: Challenge yourself in the Mega or Mini Corn Maze, pick your own pumpkin, race pedal carts, launch apples from the apple slingshots, clip your own flowers, explore the jumbo corn crib, and browse the Honeysuckle Haven Plant & Gift Shop.

Plan Your Visit: ohiotraveler.com/noble-family-farms/ | (740) 280-2676



Photo: Noble Family Farms

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



Dated Fairs & Harvest Festivals

While many ag-venture sites welcome visitors all season long, these special events bring communities together for limited-weekend celebrations. Be sure to check dates and plan your trip in advance!

- **Lynd Maze Fest at Lynd Fruit Farm** (*Licking County*)
September and October Weekends — Get lost in one of Ohio's favorite fall traditions at Lynd Fruit Farm. Navigate the sprawling corn maze, enjoy seasonal farm activities, and soak up the sights and flavors of autumn on the farm.
- **Wine Your Way Out® & Beer Maze** (*Coshocton County*)
Saturdays: September 12, 19, 26 & October 3, 2026 — A unique 21+ autumn wine tasting event inside McPeek's Mighty Maze at Coshocton KOA Holiday where guests navigate a giant corn maze while sampling local Ohio wines, craft beers, cheeses, and chocolates, featuring live music and food trucks each night.
- **Patterson Fruit Farm Family Fun Fest** (*Geauga County*)
Mid-September through October 2026 — A seasonal favorite in Chesterland featuring wagon rides, a pumpkin patch, corn mazes, treehouses, pedaled tractor tracks, and family-friendly farm play areas set against scenic orchard views.
- **McDonald's Greenhouse & Corn Maze** (*Muskingum County*)
Weekends: September 19–November 1 — Make a day of it with a corn maze, pumpkin patch, hayrides, farm animals, and other seasonal activities for the whole family. Browse the greenhouse and farm market, then enjoy classic fall treats and outdoor fun surrounded by the sights of the season.
- **The Paul Bunyan Show** (*Guernsey County*)
October 2–4, 2026 — One of the nation's oldest forestry and timber expos, featuring lumberjack competitions, heavy equipment demos, wood carving, and forest industry exhibits at the Guernsey County Fairgrounds in Cambridge.
- **Hale Farm Harvest Festival** (*Summit County*)
October Weekends, 2026 — Experience 19th-century fall traditions in the Cuyahoga Valley, including apple cider pressing, blacksmithing, heritage farm animal encounters, and seasonal craft demonstrations.
- **McPeek's Mighty Maze** (*Coshocton County*)
Saturdays: October 10, 17, 24, & 31, 2026 — Take on a giant America 250-Ohio corn maze at McPeek's Farm, where visitors can enjoy a classic fall adventure through winding paths and seasonal farm fun. Perfect for families, friends, and anyone looking to get lost in the spirit of autumn.
- **Apple Butter Stirrin' Festival** (*Coshocton County*)
October 16–18, 2026 — Historic Roscoe Village celebrates 55 years of autumn heritage with copper-kettle apple butter stirring over open fires, live bluegrass music, 100+ craft vendors, and canal-era living history tours.
- **Circleville Pumpkin Show** (*Pickaway County*)
October 21–24, 2026 — Known as "The Greatest Free Show on Earth," this massive annual festival transforms downtown Circleville into a celebration of all things pumpkin, featuring giant pumpkin weigh-ins, parades, live entertainment, and endless pumpkin treats.

For a full list of seasonal events, visit America250-Ohio.org/events.



Photo: Van Buren Acres Corn Maze



About America 250-Ohio

America 250-Ohio is the state's official celebration commemorating the 250th anniversary of the founding of the United States. Designed to engage communities across all 88 counties, the initiative highlights Ohio's pivotal contributions to the nation—from ancient Indigenous civilizations and early frontier history to trailblazers in aviation, space exploration, agriculture, and civic leadership. Through statewide driving trails, community events, educational programs, and historic preservation, America 250-Ohio invites residents and visitors to reflect on the Buckeye State's past, celebrate its present, and help shape America's future.



FOOD & FARMS
Celebrate Ohio Agriculture

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Explore Ohio Grows: Food & Farms Month

Ohio Grows: Food & Farms is the official October theme for the statewide America 250-Ohio semiquincentennial celebration. This month-long spotlight honors the massive impact that generations of Ohio farmers, innovators, and rural communities have made on our nation's history, culture, and food supply. As a cornerstone of the America 250-Ohio monthly series, "Ohio Grows" highlights everything from pioneer farm heritage and agricultural research breakthroughs to autumn harvest traditions.

Throughout the month, families, foodies, and travelers across all 88 counties are encouraged to connect with local food systems through special events, historic demonstrations, fall harvest festivals, and the statewide Ohio Ag-Venture Guide.

Ohio Food & Farms month is made possible by Nationwide. Special thanks to our partners at the Ohio Farm Bureau, Ohio's Farmers Market Network, Kroger, Historic Roscoe Village, United States Department of Agriculture, and OSU Extension.



Photo: The Ohio State University Hydrangea Trail



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