



NORTHWEST



SEPT. 29-OCT. 31 — Lake Erie Fearfest, Ghostly Manor Thrill Ctr., 3319 Milan Rd., Sandusky, \$25. Experience five haunted houses! 419-626-4467 or www.lakeeriefearfest.com.

SEPT. 30-OCT. 1 — Fiber Arts Fest, Sauder Village, 22611 St. Rte. 2, Archbold, Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.–4 p.m. Demonstrations of spinning, weaving, knitting, crocheting, tating, and dyeing, and hands-on activities. 800-590-9755 or www.saudervillage.org.

OCT. 1 — Farm Toy Show, Van Wert Co. Fgds., 1055 S. Washington St. (U.S. 127), Van Wert, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$2. Contact Lowell Morningstar at 937-826-4201.

OCT. 7–8 — Harvest Happenings, Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron, 11 a.m.–5 p.m. Free. Antique tractor and engine display, pony rides, farmers market, food trucks, and more. Fun for the whole family! 419-625-7783 or <http://eriemetroparks.org/program>.

OCT. 7–8, 14–15, 21–22, 28–29 — Mums and Pumpkin Festival, Lincoln Ridge Farms, 6588 Pollock Rd., Conroy. Fall fun at the farm for the entire family. \$10, under 3 free. 419-749-4224.

OCT. 14 — Apple Butter Fest Craft and Quilt Show, Van Buren High School, 217 S. Main St., Van Buren, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. Free admission and parking. Hosted by Van Buren Lions Club. Crafts and quilts, train rides, live music, free eye screening for children. Homemade apple butter and bean soup for sale. 419-299-3628 or e-mail vanburenapplebutter@yahoo.com.

OCT. 14 — Folklore and Funfest, Wood Co. Historical Ctr. and Museum, 13660 County Home Rd., Bowling Green, 6–9 p.m. Free. Horse-drawn wagon rides, kid-friendly activities in Boo-ville, apple cider press, plus tricks and treats for all ages. 419-352-0967 or www.woodcountyhistory.org.

OCT. 14–15 — Oak Harbor Apple Festival, downtown Oak Harbor. \$5. Contests, parade, kiddie tractor pull, car show on Sunday, 5K Apple Run, and other fun activities. Baking contest held on Friday, Oct. 13. 419-898-0479 or www.oakharborohio.net.

OCT. 20–21 — Van Wert County Apple Festival, Van Wert Co. Fgds., 1055 S. Washington St. (Rte. 127), Van Wert, 11 a.m.–5 p.m. Free. A festival featuring all things apple, including cider,

dumplings, fritters, and more. Also wagon rides, a flea market, crafts, and entertainment for all ages. www.visitvanwert.org/family-adventures.php.

OCT. 20, 21, 27, 28 — Haunting History Walking Tours and Mystery Dinner, Wauseon Depot and Fulton County Museum, 225 Depot St. and 229 Monroe St., Wauseon, 6:30–8:30 p.m. Tours: \$10 non-members, \$8 members. Dinner: \$15. Tours every 15 minutes. Reservations required. www.fultoncountyhhs.org.

OCT. 21–22 — Oak Ridge Festival, 15498 E. Twp. Rd. 104, Attica, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$6, Srs. \$5, C. (8–12) \$4, under 8 free. Antique farm equipment; living history displays featuring military vehicles and weaponry; handmade crafts; food and entertainment; and kids' activities. 419-426-0611 or www.oakridgefestival.com.

OCT. 27 — Friday Night Folklore Trick, Treat & Tour, Wood Co. Historical Ctr. and Museum, 13660 County Home Rd., Bowling Green, 7–10 p.m. \$15. 419-352-0967 or www.woodcountyhistory.org.

OCT. 28–29 — Woodcarver's Show and Sale, Sauder Village, 22611 St. Rte. 2, Archbold, Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.–4 p.m. 800-590-9755 or www.saudervillage.org.

OCT. 29 — Coin Show, 122 N. Main St., Mendon, 9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. Free admission, free appraisals (no obligation). For table reservations, contact Warren Kramer at wrkchevy@hotmail.com or 419-733-0055.

NORTHEAST



THROUGH OCT. 28 — Pumpkins and Ponies, Spring Mist Farms, 691 Pearl Rd., Brunswick Hills, every Fri. 6–8 p.m. and Sat. 4–8 p.m. \$3, C. (1–12) \$5. Pony and horse rides, hayrides, feed barrel train. Various animals available for viewing and feeding. 330-225-3565 or www.springmistfarms.com/pumpkins.htm.

THROUGH OCT. 31 — Corn Maze, Beriswill Farms, 2200 Station Rd., Valley City, Tues.–Fri. & Sun. 11 a.m.–6 p.m., Sat. 11 a.m.–10 p.m. Thur. Oct. 5 and 19, open till 9 p.m. Test your sense of direction in this 5-acre maze. 330-350-2486 or <http://beriswillfarms.com>.

OCT. 1–31 — Spooky Ranch, Rockin'-R-Ranch, 19066 E. River Rd. (St. Rte. 252), Columbia Station. From \$12. Five unique haunted attractions. 440-236-5454 or www.spookyranch.com.

OCT. 5–8 — Founders Week: Historic Zoar Village, 198 Main St., Zoar. Free. Educational activities celebrating the legacy and history of the Separatist Society of Zoar, one of the most successful communal groups in American history. Speakers, German music, photo collection, and stage play. 800-262-6195 or www.historiczovavillage.com.

OCT. 7–8 — The Great Berea Train Show, Cuyahoga Co. Fgds., 164 Eastland Rd. (use Bagley Rd. entrance), Berea, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$8, under 16 free. Two-day pass \$10. All-gauge model train show with over 300 tables and many operating

displays. New and old trains to buy, sell, or trade. 440-785-9907, e-mail showmanager@thegreatberetrainshow.org, or www.thegreatberetrainshow.org.

OCT. 7–8 — Holmes Co. Antique Festival, downtown Millersburg. Markets and auctions, parades, arts and crafts, lumber jack show, and much more. <http://holmescountyantiquefestival.org>.

OCT. 13–14, 20–21, 27–28 — Halloween Fair, Carlisle Visitor Ctr., 12882 Diagonal Rd., LaGrange. \$2, under 4 free. 440-458-5121 or <http://metroparks.cc/halloween.php>.

OCT. 14 — Fort Laurens Archaeology Day, 11067 Fort Laurens Rd. NW, Bolivar, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$7, C. (under 13) \$5. Celebrating Ohio Archaeology Month with presentations from professional and hobbyist archaeologists. Tool stations and mock archaeology dig. 330-874-2059 or www.fortlaurens.org.

OCT. 14–15 — Olde Stark Antique Faire, Stark Co. Fgds., Exhibition Bldg., 305 Wertz Ave., Canton, Sat. 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$5, under 13 free. Early-bird admission Sat. 7 a.m., \$7. A large indoor exhibition of quality antiques and collectibles from over 100 dealers and collectors. 330-794-9100 or e-mail oldestark@neo.rr.com.

OCT. 14–15 — Wayne County Farm Tour, various locations, Sat. 11 a.m.–6 p.m., Sun. 1–6 p.m. Take a self-drive tour of area farms and agricultural businesses while enjoying the fall colors in northeast Ohio. 330-263-7456 or www.wccvb.com.

OCT. 20–21 — Fort Laurens Trick-or-Treaty, 11067 Fort Laurens Rd. NW, Bolivar, 7:30–8:30 p.m. \$10, C. (5–12) \$5, under 5 free. Combo tickets with Ghost Tours of Zoar available. Lantern tour includes tales of American and British soldiers who may haunt the grounds. Tours depart every 15 minutes. Reservations required. 330-874-2059 or e-mail fortlaurens@gmail.com.

OCT. 20–21 — Ghost Tours, Dennison Railroad Depot Museum, 400 Center St., Dennison. Tours leave at 8, 8:30, and 9 p.m. \$10 non-members, \$5 children and members. Reservations required. 740-922-6776 or <http://dennisondepot.org>.

CENTRAL



THROUGH OCT. — Rock Mill Weekends, Rock Mill Park, 1429 Rockmill Place NW, Lancaster, Sat. and Sun., 1–3 p.m. Free. Visit the 1824 grist mill, recently restored to working order, and see demos of grinding methods. Also visit Rock Mill Covered Bridge. www.historicalparks.org/rock-mill-park or www.facebook.com/FairfieldCountyParks.

THROUGH OCT. 31 — Fall Fun Days, Circle S Farms, 9015 London Groveport Rd., Grove City, 9 a.m.–7 p.m. daily. \$8.50, under 2 free. Hayrides, barn with slides, bale cave, petting zoo, and corn and sunflower mazes. 614-878-7980 or www.circlesfarm.com/fallfundays.html.

OCT. 2 — A Taste of the Harvest, OSU Marion, Guthery Community Room, Maynard Hall, 1465 Mt. Vernon Ave., Marion, 6:30–8:30 p.m. \$40. Advance purchase only. Sample wines from around the world and enjoy specialty hors d'oeuvres. 740-725-6340 or www.osumarion.osu.edu/initiatives/cultural-arts.html.

OCT. 3–29 — All American Quarter Horse Congress, Ohio Expo Ctr., 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus. The largest single-breed horse show in the world. 740-943-2346 or www.quarterhorsecongress.com.

OCT. 6–8 — Ohio Gourd Show, Delaware Co. Fgds., 236 Pennsylvania Ave., Delaware, Fri. noon–5 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$5 per day, \$7 for weekend, under 13 free. Performances and presentations will highlight the wiz-

arding world of gourds, gourd art, and gourd music. Fri. and Sat. workshops. www.americangourdsociety.org/ohiochapter.

OCT. 6–8 — Willy Wonka Jr., Palace Theatre, 276 W. Center St., Marion, Fri./Sat. 7:30 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. \$12–\$18. This captivating adaptation of Roald Dahl's fantastical tale features enchanting and memorable songs, dancing Oompa Loompas, and a talented cast of local youth. 740-383-2101 or www.marionpalace.org.

OCT. 6, 13, 20, 27 — Firelight Fridays, Geneva Hills, 1380 Blue Valley Rd. SE, Lancaster, 6–9 p.m. \$3. Hayrides, night hikes, campfires and s'mores, field games, and more. 740-746-8439 or www.genevahills.com.

OCT. 8 — Annual Scout Pilgrimage, Harding Memorial, corner of Delaware Ave. (St. Rte. 423) and Vernon Heights Blvd., Marion, parade at 3 p.m., ceremony at 3:30 p.m. Free. Over 500 Scouts gather each year to pay homage to the late President and First Lady for their support of Scouting. 740-387-9630 or www.hardinghome.org.

OCT. 12 — The Kite Runner, Palace Theatre, 276 W. Center St., Marion, 7:30 p.m. \$16, Stds. \$10. In a stunning solo performance, the bestselling novel and international classic is brought to life on stage. 740-383-2101 or www.marionpalace.org.

OCT. 13-14 — Historic Ghost Tour, Frances Steube Community Ctr., 22 S. Trine St., Canal Winchester, 7 p.m. Last tour leaves at 7:30 p.m. \$10, C. (6-18) \$5, under 6 free. Hear people from our historic past tell tales like you've never heard before! 614-833-1846.

OCT. 14 — Behind Closed Doors: Historical Marion Tour, four locations, Marion, 1-5 p.m. \$8 in advance, \$10 day of event. Go behind doors of sites normally closed to the public. 740-387-4255 or www.marionhistory.com.

OCT. 14 — Central Ohio Symphony Season Debut, Gray Chapel, 61 S. Sandusky St., Delaware, 7:30 p.m. 740-362-1799 or www.centralohiosymphony.org.

OCT. 14 — Grandma Gatewood's Fall Colors Hike, Hocking Hills State Park, 19852 St. Rte. 664 S., Logan, 9 a.m. A

strenuous hike that spans 6 miles. 740-385-6841 or www.thehockinghills.org/Events.htm.

OCT. 14 — Lorena Sternwheeler Dinner Cruise, Zanesville, 5-7 p.m. \$35. Includes prime rib dinner. Reservations required at least 48 hours in advance. Children's menu also available. 800-743-2303 or www.facebook.com/LorenaSternwheeler.

OCT. 18-19 — Marion County Historical Society's "Lunch with the Presidents," Moose Lodge Ballroom, 374 N. Main St., Marion, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. 740-387-4255. Step back in time to meet and dine with different presidents from U.S. history. www.marionhistory.com.

OCT. 18-21 — Circleville Pumpkin Show, downtown Circleville. Free admission. Ohio's oldest and largest pumpkin celebration. Seven different parades. 740-474-7000 or www.pumpkinshow.com.

OCT. 20-22 — Apple Butter Stirrin' Festival, Historic Roscoe Village, 600 N. Whitewoman St., Coshocton, Fri./Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sample fresh apple butter cooked

over an open fire. Enjoy a delicious assortment of unique foods, music, and attractions, including living history tours, lantern tours (Fri./Sat. only), canal boat rides, and a children's activity area. 740-622-7664 or www.roscoe-village.com.

OCT. 21 — Marion County Historical Society's "Dinner with the Presidents," Harding High School, 1500 Harding Hwy. E., Marion, 5:30-8:30 p.m. \$26 single, \$47 couple. Step back in time to meet and dine with different presidents from U.S. history. 740-387-4255 or www.marionhistory.com.

OCT. 28 — Applebutter Str and Horseradish Day, Lawrence Orchards, 2634 Smeltzer Rd., Marion, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Free. Apple butter is cooked in a copper kettle over a wood fire, while the horseradish crop is ground fresh. 740-389-3019 or www.lawrenceorchards.com.

OCT. 30 — Haunted Village, Olde Pickerington Village, St. Rte. 256 (Columbus St. at Center St.), Pickerington, 6-8 p.m. Free ghost tours, hayrides, trick-or-treating, haunted museum, and more. 614-833-2211 or www.pickeringtonvillage.com/events.html.

SOUTHEAST



THROUGH OCT. 28 — National Imperial Glass Museum Tours, 3200 Belmont St., Bellaire, Thur.-Sat. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. \$3. Learn about and view extensive displays of Imperial glassware. 740-671-3971.

THROUGH OCT. 31 — Daily Memorial Library Escape Room, 37252 Mound St., Sardis. \$15 per person. A fun, exciting, mentally challenging fundraiser for the library. www.facebook.com/Daily-Memorial-Library-Escape-Room-465587900487570/.

OCT. 1 — Friendship VII Chorus Annual Show, Pritchard Laughlin Civic Ctr., 7033 Glenn Highway, Cambridge, 3 p.m. 740-984-2190 or www.pritchardlaughlin.com.

OCT. 5-6, 12-13, 19-20, 26 — Weekday Fall Foliage Trains, Hocking Valley Scenic Railway, Nelsonville Depot, 33 West Canal St., Nelsonville, 1 p.m. \$17, Srs. \$15, C. (3-12) \$12, under 3 free. Take a 2-hour train ride through the historic Hocking River Valley to view the beautiful colors of autumn. 740-249-1452 or www.hvrsy.org.

OCT. 6-8 — Paul Bunyan Show, Guernsey Co. Fgds., 335 Old National Rd., Old Washington, Fri./Sat. 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. \$8, Srs./C. (7-12) \$4, under 7 free. Competitions, demos and clinics, wood crafts, and much more. 614-497-9580, 888-388-7337, or www.ohioforest.org.

OCT. 7, 14, 21 — Petrified Forest, Deerassic Park Education Ctr., 14250 Cadiz Rd., Cambridge. This outdoor haunted trail is geared toward those 13 and over. All others must be accompanied by an adult. 740-435-3335 or <http://deerassic.com>.

OCT. 13-15 — Bob Evans Farm Festival, Bob Evans Farm and Homestead Museum, 10854 St. Rte. 588, Rio Grande, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. \$6, C. (6-18) \$4, under 6 free. Featuring down-home entertainment, great food, homestead living displays, and more than 100 demonstrators and crafters. 740-245-5305 or www.bobevans.com/aboutus/the-farm.

OCT. 13-15 — Chillicothe Halloween Festival, Yoctangee Park, Chillicothe, Fri. 11 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-10 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Halloween- and paranormal-themed exhibits, merchandise, and guest speakers, plus local/regional bands,

rides, coffin races, costume contests, and plenty of food. www.chillicothehalloweenfestival.com.

OCT. 20-22 — Muskingum Valley Trade Days, 6602 St. Rte. 78, Reinersville. Large flea market. 740-558-2740.

OCT. 20 — 50th annual Fall Festival of Leaves, downtown Bainbridge (Ross Co.). Celebrate the beauty of the season and region with arts and crafts, entertainment, parades, contests, and much more. www.fallfestivalofleaves.com.

OCT. 21 — Pumpkin Fest, Dairy Barn Arts Ctr., 8000 Dairy Ln., Athens. A family-friendly fall celebration including free pumpkin carving, art activities, and games. 740-592-4981 or www.dairybarn.org.

OCT. 22 — Farm Toy and Craft Show, Pritchard Laughlin Civic Ctr., 7033 Glenn Highway, Cambridge, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Free admission. Food, craft, and toy vendors. 740-439-7009 or www.pritchardlaughlin.com.

OCT. 28 — Trail of Treats, Deerassic Park Education Ctr., 2-3 p.m. Geared toward those under 14. Free. Local businesses pass out goodies on our kid-friendly trail. 740-435-3335 or <http://deerassic.com>.

OCT. 28 — Un-haunted Forest, Shawnee State Park, 4404 St. Rte. 125, Portsmouth, 6-9 p.m. A guided, lantern-lit walk to learn more about creatures of the night on an easy half-mile loop trail. 740-858-6652 or <http://parks.ohiodnr.gov/Shawnee>.

SOUTHWEST



THROUGH OCT. 29 — Fall Farm Days, Bonnybrook Farm, 3779 St. Rte. 132, Clarksville, every Sat. and Sun., noon-6 p.m. Free. Pumpkin picking, wagon rides, corn maze, petting zoo, games, and food. 937-289-2500 or <http://bonnybrookfarms.com>.

THROUGH OCT. 29 — Ohio Renaissance Festival, Renaissance Park, Harveysburg, on St. Rte. 73 just off I-71 or I-75, every Sat. and Sun., 10:30 a.m.-6 p.m. \$22.50, Srs. \$20.50, C. (5-12) \$9.50. Step back in time to this 30-acre re-created 16th-century English village and enjoy Renaissance-themed shows, unique arts and crafts shops, hearty food and drink, games of skill, and human-powered rides. 513-897-7000 or www.renfestival.com.

OCT. 7 — Celebrate Fall at the Johnston Farm, 9845 N. Hardin Rd., Piqua. Tour the Johnston home, visit the Historic Indian and Canal Museum, and take a ride on the *General Harrison of Piqua*, a replica of a 19th-century canal boat. 800-752-2619 or www.johnstonfarmohio.com.

OCT. 7, 14, 21, 28 — Lantern Light Wagon Rides and Corn Maze, Bonnybrook Farm, 3779 St. Rte. 132, Clarksville, 7:30-10:30 p.m. \$8-\$21, under 6 free. 937-289-2500 or <http://bonnybrookfarms.com>.

OCT. 10-14 — Bradford Pumpkin Show, downtown Bradford. Free admission. Daily parades, concessions, rides,

and contests. Sat. car show and craft show. Pumpkin pie and bread baking contest on Wed. 937-448-0630 or www.bradfordpumpkinshow.org.

OCT. 11, 18, 25 — Weekly Wednesday Bluegrass Night, Pit to Plate BBQ, 8021 Hamilton Ave., Mt. Healthy, 7-9 p.m. Hosted by Vernon McIntyre's Appalachian Grass. Bring your instrument and join the band to pick a good bluegrass number. 513-931-9100.

OCT. 13 — Mainstreet Piqua Chocolate Walk, downtown Piqua, 5:30-8 p.m. \$15. Make your way to the over 20 downtown businesses participating in the walk. Some treats can be enjoyed on the spot and others will be placed in your bag to enjoy later. 937-773-9355 or www.mainstreetpiqua.com.

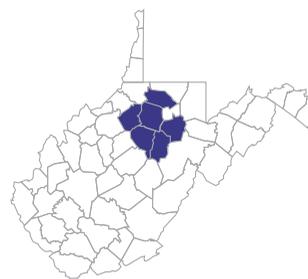
OCT. 13-15 — Operation Pumpkin, downtown Hamilton, Fri./Sat. 11 a.m.-10 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Free admission. The fun-filled weekend includes a giant pumpkin weigh-off, pumpkin sculpting, pet parade, live entertainment, fall brews, wine, delicious food, art vendors, and much more. 513-844-8080 or www.operation-pumpkin.org.

OCT. 14 — Iam Homestead Pioneer Harvest Fest, 349 S. Broadway, Trotwood, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Free admission. Enjoy chili cooked over an open fire, roasted hot dogs, and freshly harvested corn. Activities include corn husking contest, corn binding, hayrides, corn husker shredder demonstration, and much more. 937-837-5387 or <http://t-mhs.blogspot.com>.

OCT. 14-15 — Fall Farm Fest, Lost Creek Reserve and Knoop Agricultural Learning Center, 2385 E. St. Rte. 41, Troy, Sat. 12-7 p.m., Sun. 12-5 p.m. Free admission. Corn maze, pumpkin patch, scarecrow contest, wagon rides, kids' activities, and more. 937-335-6273 or www.miamicountyparks.com.

OCT. 14-15 — Ohio Sauerkraut Festival, 10B N. Wayne St., Waynesville, Sat. 9 a.m.-8 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Try sauerkraut pizza, fudge, doughnuts, cookies, and pies. 513-897-8855 or www.sauerkrautfestival.com.

WEST VIRGINIA



OCT. 8 — West Virginia Chestnut Festival, Rowlesburg, 10:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Roasted chestnuts for sampling or purchase, chestnut saplings for planting, chestnut crafts and wares, and guest speakers/researchers. www.wvchestnutfestival.com.

OCT. 27-28 — West Virginia Book Festival, Civic Ctr., 200 Lee St. E., Charleston. Free. <http://wvbookfestival.org>.

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