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38th Annual Bauman's Harvest Festival September 20 - October 30, 2025

Bauman Farms' 130th Anniversary is This Year's Celebration!

The #1 Pumpkin Patch, Bauman's Harvest Festival Kicks Off the Fall Season with Over 30

Weekend Activities with lots of Fall Family Fun;

Gervais, OR, September 8, 2025 – Bauman's Farm & Garden is proud to host the 38th Annual Bauman's Harvest Festival from September 20th through October 30th, 2025. This fall event features over 30 activities for kids young and old such as mazes, obstacle courses, rides and farm animals spread out over 60 acres. Attendees will delight with Bauman's fresh pressed apple cider, the farm's famous apple cider donuts and, lots of delicious food and drink options. They will also experience streamlined admission pricing and ample, organized free parking.

"This year, we are celebrating the farm's 130th anniversary", said Brian Bauman, General Manager of Bauman's Farm & Garden. "Great grandmother Elizabeth Bauman would be in disbelief if she can see and experience what the humble farm she started over a century ago has transformed into. After 5 generations we are uniquely qualified to share what fun on the farm means. Each of our activities are based on the childhood games we all grew up playing on the farm."

This year's Harvest Festival has a number of great events scheduled. Here is a list of all the important dates:

September 20th & 21st - Bauman Family Rewards Weekend - All Family Rewards Members will receive \$5 off admission and new members can sign up at the gate.

September 27th & 28th – Farm Days – This is how farming is done! We will have an collection of farm tractors & farming equipment at the festival, small & large, for you to see and experience up close.

October 4th - **Giant Pumpkin Weigh Off & Pumpkin Drop** - Giant Pumpkins from across the country will be arriving at the farm by 9:00am to see who has grown the biggest pumpkin and other vegetables. Our coveted Giant Pumpkin Drop will take place at 1:00pm.

October 5th - Spicy Pumpkin Cider release featuring Portland's own Elvira. - To toast this notable milestone in our farm's history, we will be doing a release party for Bauman's Cider new Spicy Pumpkin Cider with no one less than Elvira on Sunday, October 5th!

October 10th - **Statewide No School Friday** - Since there is no school throughout Oregon, all our activities and food/drink venues are open and operate as if it were a weekend day.

October 25th & 26th - Bauman's Cider Festival - We have invited over 20 cider makers from around the Northwest to bring their top three fall flavors to the farm. Guests will have the opportunity to purchase tickets and taste the ciders to vote for the People's Choice Winner for 2025.



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While at Bauman's Harvest Festival, attendees can also enjoy shopping at the farm's country store, bakery and award-winning garden center while enjoying a refreshing cold glass of Bauman's Hard Cider.

Bauman's Harvest Festival starts on Saturday, September 20th and runs for 6 weeks through October 30th. Hours are: 9 AM to 5 PM, Tuesday through Sunday.

The festival is closed on Mondays.

Information on Bauman's Harvest Festival, including, dates & hours, activities offered, admission pricing, and online ticket sales are available at **baumanshf.com**.

About Bauman's Harvest Festival:

Bauman's Harvest Festival is an annual fall festival that originated when Barb & Rick Bauman's 4 kids brought their classmates out to the farm to pick pumpkins and play in a small maze made from leftover straw. But soon, the rest of the classes at their school had heard about the fun they were having and they joined in as well! As a result, bigger and better mazes were built to accommodate the larger crowds of kids. Each year since, this annual event has grown into what is today one of the best known and largest harvest festivals in the Pacific Northwest. Now in its 38th year, Bauman's Harvest Festival takes place at Bauman's Farm & Garden which also serves as its permanent venue. For more information, visit baumanshf.com or call Bauman's Farm & Garden at 503-792-3524.