

# HALE FARM & VILLAGE

A MUSEUM OF WESTERN RESERVE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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## ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL AT HALE FARM & VILLAGE

October 8 & 9

presented by Giant Eagle, Inc.

*Open Saturdays & Sundays 10:00 am to 5:00 pm*

*Hale Farm & Village  
2686 Oak Hill Road, Bath, OH*

BATH, OHIO – The annual **Harvest Festival Weekend, presented by Giant Eagle, Inc.** October 8 & 9, is a fall tradition for Northeast Ohio families and schoolchildren. Celebrate the fall bounty with costumed staff, including Mr. C. O. Hale himself, nicknamed “Apple Hale” for his expertise and love of apples. Watch them prepare and preserve foods for winter. Use antique farm equipment to press apple cider, grind and shell corn, make – and taste – apple butter and sauerkraut, and enjoy old fashioned popcorn. Hale Farm barnyards are alive with harvest activities and animals, including chickens, cows, hogs, and sheep. Other activities include pumpkin painting, wagon rides through the grounds, a huge pile of hay, and a Fall Frolic scavenger hunt. This weekend celebration, full of fall fun the whole family will enjoy, takes place rain or shine! Admission is \$10 adults/seniors; \$5 children (age 3-12); WRHS members FREE. Admission includes festival activities as well as traditional Hale Farm crafts & trades demonstrations. No reservations are necessary. Hale Farm & Village is located at 2686 Oak Hill Road, Bath, Ohio 44210.

As the fall season comes to a close **All Hale’s Eve** returns to Hale Farm & Village. This Halloween celebration in the Village takes place **Saturday, October 29, 2011 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm**. Kids can don a costume and trick-or-treat at Hale Farm. Admission is \$5 per person.

For more information about Fall Programs at Hale Farm & Village call 330-666-3711 or visit [www.halefarm.org](http://www.halefarm.org).

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Hale Farm & Village, a museum of the Western Reserve Historical Society, is Northeast Ohio’s premier outdoor living history museum depicting daily life for mid-19<sup>th</sup> century residents of the Western Reserve. Located in Bath, Ohio, Hale Farm & Village features dozens of historic structures, farm animals, heritage gardens and demonstrations such as glassblowing, candle-making, blacksmithing, and hearth cooking bringing history to life for visitors of all ages. Western Reserve Historical Society, a private nonprofit 501(c) (3) educational institution, encourages the public to explore the history of Northeast Ohio and its impact on regional, state, national, and international history.

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