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**What: Mississippi Ag Museum's Pumpkin Adventure**

**When: October 9-12, 16-19 and 23-26**  
**Weekdays: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.**  
**Saturdays: 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

**Where: Mississippi Agriculture and Forestry Museum**  
**1150 Lakeland Drive, Jackson, MS**

## **Mississippi Agriculture and Forestry Museum Hosts Annual Pumpkin Adventure in October**

The Mississippi Agriculture and Forestry Museum invites the public to Pumpkin Adventure on October 9-12, 16-19 and 23-26. The event will be held from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays with extended hours for family days on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

The Museum's Pumpkin Adventure will include the following: a hay ride around the museum grounds and Small Town, Mississippi; a delicious, complementary snack of cookies and milk, a self-guided tour of the Heritage Center Gallery; and a small pumpkin of choice to take home. The General Store will be open for visitors to shop for souvenirs and enjoy an old fashioned Coca-Cola in a glass bottle.

Admission for Pumpkin Adventure is \$8 per person ages 2 and older.

The Mississippi Agriculture and Forestry Museum, located at 1150 Lakeland Drive in Jackson, is open Monday through Saturday from 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. For more information about the Museum, call 601-432-4500 or 1-800-844-8687, visit [www.msagmuseum.org](http://www.msagmuseum.org), or visit the Mississippi Agriculture and Forestry Museum on Facebook. The Ag Museum is a division of the Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce.

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**Photo and outline attached.**



**All children take home a small pumpkin of choice from the Mississippi Agriculture and Forestry Museum's Pumpkin Adventure. This is just one of the many highlights of the event. Pumpkin Adventure takes place October 9-12, 16-19 and 23-26 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. on weekdays and 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. on Saturdays.**