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It's Pumpkin Season



744 Tacoma is decorated with the traditional fall porch decor such as pumpkins, corn stalks, and colorful wreaths for the fall season.

October means Halloween, pumpkins, and fall-delights. Americans spend big every year on fall festivities, from costumes to candy to other spooky trappings. And who can forget the star of fall, the pumpkin? Almost 1-in-2 Americans will carve a Jack O'Lantern this year (with more digging into a delicious pumpkin pie or

sipping on a Pumpkin spice latte.)

For many Americans, pumpkins are not just a seasonal treat, but a way of life and how they make a living. Over 1.5 billion pounds of pumpkin are produced in the US, on over 15,214 farms.

With those whopping numbers, we set out to find the states who grow the

most pumpkins and other fun, festive facts.

The top three states that grow the most pumpkins are Illinois, Pennsylvania, New York. 80% of pumpkins are picked in October. 62 percent of pumpkin acres were grown in only ten States. Illinois is the nation's largest producer of pumpkins. The average

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Living History Weekend at Old Fort Niagara



Fifes and drums regulated the soldiers' day and also entertained the troops in the 18th century.

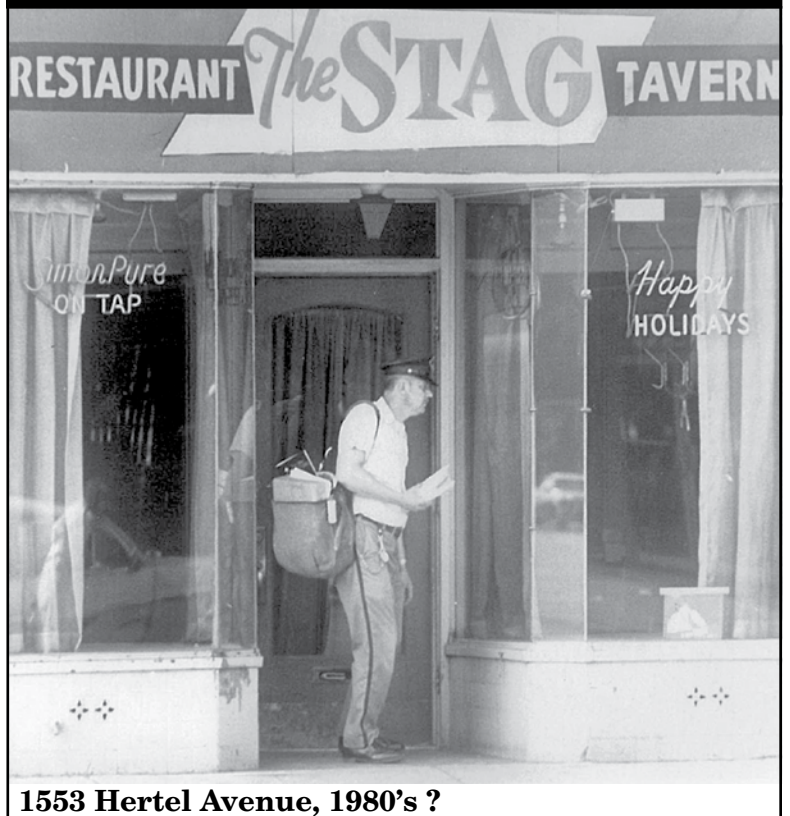
Old Fort Niagara beckons you back to the 18th century when soldiers in colorful uniforms walked the fort's walls and fur traders glided past the fort in birch-bark canoes. On Saturday and Sunday of Columbus Day Weekend, October 10 and 11, the fort's staff and volunteers will present a variety of living history activities for visitors to enjoy from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Artillery demonstrations on Saturday only--first time this year. Enjoy regular musket-firing demonstrations throughout the day on

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Memories

From the Buffalo Rocket archives



1553 Hertel Avenue, 1980's ?



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Peace in the Parks

The MolinaCares Accord in New York and Buffalo Olmsted Parks Conservancy team up to promote Peace in the Parks, a Mental Health Awareness initiative.

In honor of World Mental Health Day, October 10th, the Olmsted Parks Conservancy will spray paint hearts in three different locations in Cazenovia, Delaware, and Riverside Park for the community to enjoy. Channeling the spirit and legacy of

Olmsted, these spaces are designed to provide a peaceful spot to rest and give respite to anyone who wishes to soak up the benefits of being in outside. The community is encouraged to step into a heart space for relaxation, reading, picnicking, cloud watching, listening to birds, meditating or any other activity that can support one's mental wellbeing, especially during this time of social distancing.



Local Weather

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8



Partly Cloudy
High 59°
Low 43°

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9



Sunny
High 66°
Low 60°

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10



Partly Cloudy
High 71°
Low 53°

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11



Mostly Cloudy
High 62°
Low 54°

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12



AM Showers
High 67°
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Sabres Add Goal Scorer Jack Quinn to Prospect Pool

The Buffalo Sabres added the player considered the best goal scorer in the 2020 NHL entry draft when they selected Jack Quinn from the Ottawa 67's with the eighth pick in the first round. Quinn scored 52 goals in 62 games in the Ontario Hockey League.

Quinn would seem to be the ideal prospect for the Sabres. He is a right wing right handed shot who projects as an elite goals scorer on an NHL first line. He is an excellent skater ideal for the speedy modern game. He has the knack to find open spaces on the ice to get the time and space necessary to create scoring chances.

In some ways he is the opposite of Sam Rhinehart. Quinn is a speedy finisher rather than Rhineherat who is a slower more deliberate playmaker who can also score. Expect Quinn to play

one more season in junior to finish out his eligibility and then another season in the minors to prepare for the NHL.

The concern that I have is that Quinn has only had



Jack Quinn.

this one season of dominance as an amateur. In his first season with Ottawa he scored only 12 goals and

had 32 points. He scored 21 goals in 49 games in tier two junior CCHL in 2017-18.

Scouts will tell you that they like the player who has dominated throughout his career, not just for one season. Sabres GM Kevin Adams said via the teams Twitter account, "Jack has what I would say is a really good self-awareness of who he is as a player and he also has a determination that I see him getting better and better."

Despite my concerns, I expect Quinn to continue his progression and have an even stronger season next year.

It's easy to see Quinn teaming with Dylan Cozens in two or three years to give the Sabres a potent second scoring line to support Jack Eichel's first line.

Some other first round draft choices had Buffalo connections. Jake Sanderson was selected fifth overall by the Ottawa Senators. He is the son of former Sabre Geoff Sanderson. Kaiden Guhle was selected 16th overall by the Montreal Canadiens. He is the younger brother of former Sabre Brendan Guhle. Also the Toronto Maple Leafs did not offer Evan Rodriguez a qualifying offer making the former Sabres a free agent.

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The Blotter

Felonies

From "D" District

North Buffalo
October 5, 2020
Delaware Avenue – Victim reports unknown male (suspect) did attempt to take victim’s purse. Victim states suspect pushed her to the ground and states he had a gun while grabbing his waistband. Suspect described him as a light skinned male, early 20’s did flee the scene in a purple vehicle with yellow NY plates eastbound on Rand Avenue. Suspect did not get victim’s purse.

October 5, 2020
Lovering Avenue – Victim reports unknown person(s) did ransack her husband’s unlocked vehicle which did have a spare key in it. Suspect(s) did use the key to take the vehicle without permission.

October 5, 2020
Delaware Avenue – Witness (1) states two unknown males knocked on her apartment door and when victim answered door the males dragged victim out of apartment and began assaulting him physically and stabbed him multiple times. Witness (2) stated one suspect was a male approximately 6’ 3”, 260 lbs. wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt, bluejeans and a white mask on his face. Witness (2) also stated the second suspect was a male approximately 6’ 4”, wearing a black and blue windbreaker, bluejeans and he also was wearing a white mask on his face. Detectives responded to the scene, investigated and took photos.

October 5, 2020
Delaware Avenue – Complainant reports that unknown person(s) gained entry through the south side door of building using a crowbar and once inside unknown person(s) loaded a bag with items listed. When officers arrived unknown person(s) fled the building east bound through plaza dropping items as they fled building. Cameras from the store are owned by plaza. While suspect fled, they damaged the wiring to the store’s power and also damaged a wall display.

October 3, 2020
Jewitt Avenue – Offender was arrested at Summit and Jewitt while investigating prior incident.

Riverside
October 5, 2020
Austin Avenue – Victim states suspect(s) unknown did take without permission a bank debit card and withdrew without permission over \$1,000.00. Possible suspect may be known to victim.

October 5, 2020
Farmer Street – Complainant reports that he has been living in apartment for the past 5 years. His mother passed away and the named suspect (landlord) did have locks changed, removed all of complainant’s belongings including his food and did dangle his cat from the top porch and dropped it to the ground causing injury to same. SPCA is involved. Complainant can provide witnesses and does wish to prosecute.

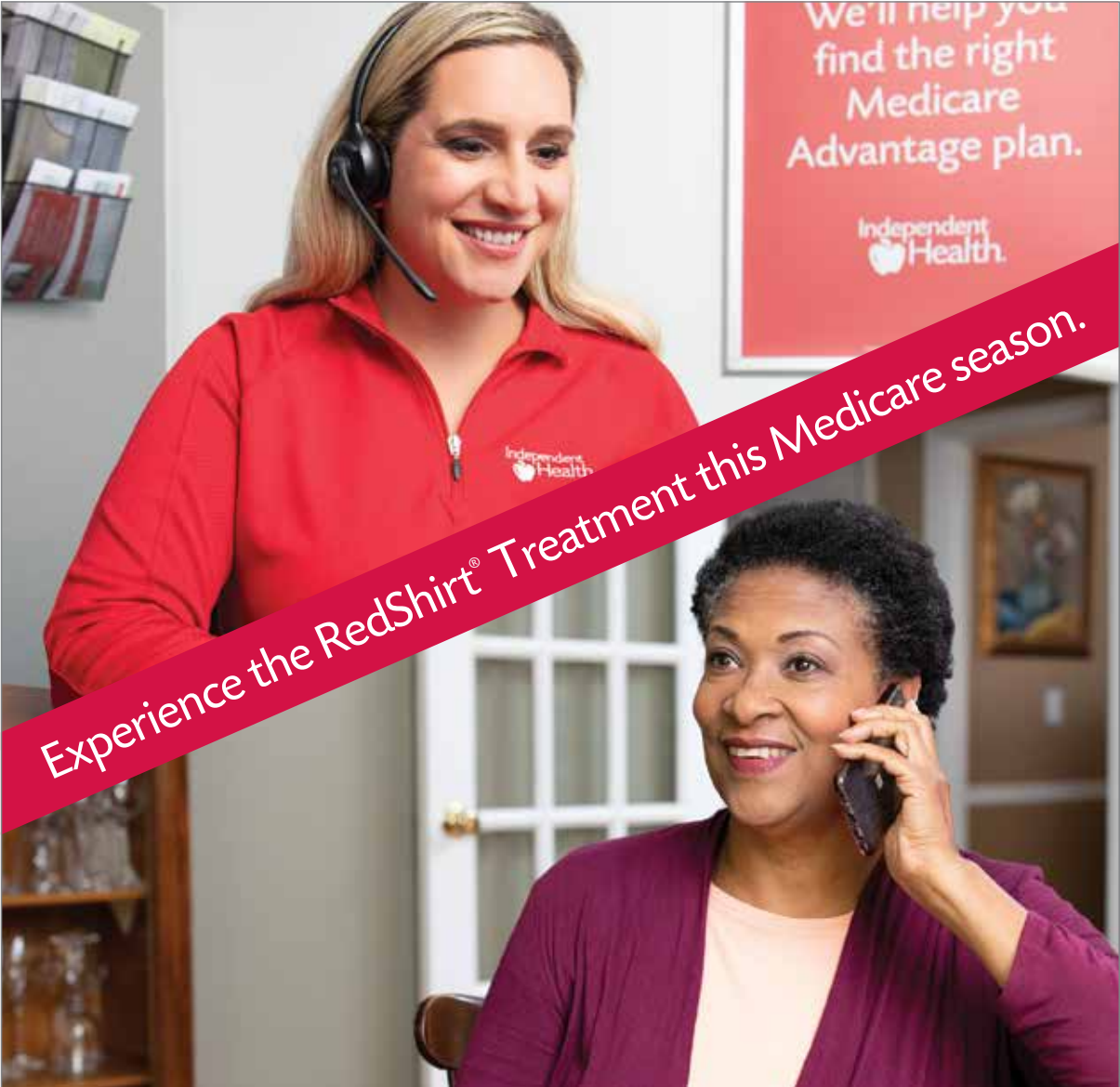
October 5, 2020
Amherst Street – Complainant reported that two females did enter the store and stole meat valued at \$650.00 and seafood valued at \$681.74. The total of items taken is approximately \$1,331.74. The suspects fled in vehicle unknown make or model. There are pictures and video of the incident from the store.

October 5, 2020
East Street – Officers responded to a home invasion call. The victim showed video footage of the suspect entering the home with a firearm. The suspect matched the description of an earlier home invasion call. Officers patrolled the surrounding area looking for the suspect in vehicle. Officers drove north on Reno Street and turned westbound on Crowley Avenue. Officers observed an individual walking west on Crowley Avenue crossed the street, continued on Isabelle Street heading east. Officers drove up to the suspect exiting vehicle and ordered the suspect to put his hands in

the air and walk towards officers. The suspect complied. While detaining the suspect officers observed a plastic bag of crack-cocaine in his left hand. The suspect was checked for weapons and placed in the back of the patrol vehicle. While searching the area, officers found a silver/gray revolver behind a concrete barrier on northeast corner of Crowley and Isabelle in

some brush and tall grass. The gun was photographed and recovered by officers. The gun was loaded with three rounds. The suspect was positively identified by the complainant in a show up on Isabelle Street. The suspect was previously convicted of a felony. The suspect’s black jacket was p-10’d. The bag of narcotics was submitted to the lab for testing.

October 4, 2020
Tonawanda Street – Complainant reports defendant did select \$71.64 of merchandise and concealed it in his shirt and pants and did pass all points of purchase. Complainant did recover all stolen merchandise. Defendant was issued an appearance ticket and was admitted to ECMC for being under the influence of alcohol and unable to care for himself.



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Northwest Buffalo Beat

by Joe Bartz

Buffalo Fish Fry

Read a recent blog on Facebook about fish fries in Buffalo. They have been around so long we kind of take them for granted. Like they were always there and you can get them anywhere. That is not true. I have been to almost all 50 states and in most they do not even know what a fish fry is. Some don't even believe in frying fish. Yes, they have fish and chips pretty much everywhere, even in Europe, but they are not anything like the beer battered traditional fish fry we enjoy. I like to think that the fish fry as we know it originated here in Buffalo

and I will tell you why. This is mostly by memory and not fact checked.

First let me say if you are Catholic which I was raised as, eating meat on Friday was a mortal sin. Yes, you can burn in hell if you had a hot dog or hamburger on a Friday. The only thing that was allowed on meatless Friday was fish in its place. Back then the way you prepared fresh fish, you scrape off the scales, cut it down the middle, gut it, cut off the head and tail and fry it with the bones and all. Was actually a chore to eat as you had to avoid eating the bones. Other sea

food entries were acceptable but they were from the ocean and not readily available and expensive. So that leaves us with fish on Friday in Buffalo. Plenty of fresh water fish was available at the time right here in good old Lake Erie and the Niagara River.

There were two bars located at the foot of Ferry on what was then the tow path. The tow path was located along side the canal and was used for mules to tow barges down the waterway. Sergeant's on one side of Ferry Street and Roy's on the other. These two places offered what I remember as the first fish fries as we now know them. I do believe they caught the fish fresh out of the Niagara River which was just over the Ferry Street Bridge. They only served yellow pike as that was abundant in this area. I recall walking over the Ferry Bridge one night and a light shining



Traditional Buffalo Fish Fry.

into the water attracted a whole school of yellow pike. As a boy I would go out on the break wall and bring home a string of a dozen good sized pike. So the fish served in these restaurants was always fresh yellow pike as they did not have freezers back then.

They prepared the fish by filleting it. Skilled at the profession, a person would take a sharp knife and starting at one side of the backbone, run it down the bones of the fish and would come off with just the flesh. End up with a good size piece of fish fillet without any bones. No bones about it, great way to clean fish. That is the only way it is done now. Then they came up with a batter to fry it in. Batter was nothing new as the Indians used to have a coating they cooked fish in. Thing is Buffalo being a big beer town with all kinds of breweries, beer was also abundant. I like to believe that the beer batter was discovered right here in those two restaurants. Deep frying fish in this beer batter was so good it really caught on.

I used to work on the Ferry boat that crossed the river back in 1950. Every Friday the boat would be loaded with Canadians coming across to these two restaurants to indulge in this treat. You could smell the fish cooking as soon as you got off the boat. I recall being a youngster and our family going there on a Friday. It cost like a quarter a

dinner.

Soon two other restaurants opened with the same menu on Friday. Beer battered fish fry with French fries and coleslaw. Located on the Lake Shore, Foits and Hoaks also became famous for their Friday fish fries. They also were located right on the shore of Lake Erie in a spot known as a great place to catch yellow pike. I also like to believe that they located there for access to catching fresh fish. I know that the bay right out their doors, had many boats full of fishermen, catching Yellows. Sometimes there were so many boats it looked like the invasion of Normandy. Here again I like to believe 70 years ago, they caught the fish they served. Later on when freezing came into being, haddock took over as the fish served, as it was abundant and cheap. The lake population of yellow pike diminished over the years with the excessive demand it had.

I do know this, few states, including Florida, do not offer what we have here. They have different versions of presenting fish but not like our fish fry. If the fish served, does not overlap each side of the dish, it is not a Buffalo Fish Fry. Like I said I want to believe like chicken wings and beef on weck, Buffalo could also be known as the originator of the beer battered Buffalo Fish Fry. I feel that way, as I know I was there in what I think was the beginning.

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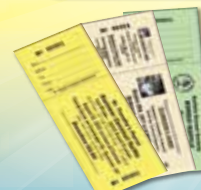


Answers to Senior Trivia Buffalo Rocket Issue 40 OCTOBER 1, 2020

Trivia Association Answer - "ALICE IN WONDERLAND"

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| 1) Cat - CHESHIRE CAT | 6) Hat - MAD HATTER'S TOP HAT |
| 2) Hat - MAD HATTER'S TOP HAT | 7) Hearts - KING & QUEEN OF HEARTS |
| 3) Girl - ALICE | 8) Vest - MAD HATTER'S VEST |
| 4) Hole - ALICE FELL IN HOLE | 9) Queen - QUEEN OF HEARTS |
| 5) Tea - TEA PARTY | 10) Rabbit - THE WHITE RABBIT |

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Ask Rusty - About the Mystery of Spousal Benefits

Dear Rusty: From what I've researched, the formula for spousal benefits seems very complicated. I read somewhere that it was a good idea to start the lower earning spouse's benefit at age 62 and have the higher earning spouse file at full retirement age, for the spouse to get maximum benefit. But that information does not seem correct from other things I've read. Please help me clear this up. My wife's birth year is 1956 and she now gets \$656/month in Social Security benefits after claiming at 62. I have not claimed my benefits yet and Social Security's estimator says I qualify for about \$2850/month when I reach full retirement age. My birth year was 1957. So, if I take my benefit now at 63 will my wife's benefit go up? And if I wait until my full retirement age to claim, will she get half of

my benefit? I've tried to research all of this, but it is still very unclear. Signed: Seeking Knowledge

Dear Seeking: Yes, the spousal benefit formula is complicated, especially when both of you are entitled to your own Social Security benefits. And there's never a simple answer to whether it is a good idea for the lower earning spouse to start benefits first at age 62. For one thing, it depends upon whether they are still working, but it also depends upon health, life expectancy, and need for the money early.

Nevertheless, if your wife's current age 62 benefit is \$656, then her benefit at her full retirement age (had she waited) would have been about \$895. This is known as her Primary Insurance Amount, or "PIA." Spouse benefits are computed using PIA amounts, so if your full re-

tirement age (FRA) benefit will be \$2850, here's how your wife's spousal benefit will be calculated if you claim your SS after your wife has already reached her FRA:

- 50% of your FRA benefit (PIA) is \$1425. Because your wife's PIA is \$895, her spousal boost is \$530 (\$1425 - \$895). Her spousal boost (\$530) will be added to her actual early benefit (\$656) and her new benefit amount as your spouse, at her FRA, will be about \$1186. Obviously, less than half of your FRA benefit amount.

The computation changes if you claim your SS benefit now, before your wife has reached her full retirement age, because getting her spouse benefit before her FRA means her spousal boost will be reduced (she automatically gets her spousal benefit when you claim).

The reduction to the spousal boost is actuarial, according to the number of months before her FRA that it is taken. If you were to claim now when your wife is 64, her spousal benefit would be computed like this:

- The spousal boost amount of \$530 would be reduced because your wife hasn't yet reached

her FRA. Instead of the full \$530 spousal boost, it would be reduced to about \$442. The reduced spousal boost is added to your wife's early SS benefit of \$656, for a total benefit of about \$1098. Once again, less than 50% of your FRA benefit amount.

So, as you can see, because your wife took her own benefit at age 62, she cannot get a spousal benefit equal to 50% of your FRA benefit, regardless of when you claim. If you claim your Social Security

before your wife reaches her FRA, your wife's spousal boost amount will be reduced, further lowering the total benefit amount your wife is entitled to as your spouse. The basic rule is this: any time any Social Security benefit is taken before one reaches their full retirement age, that benefit is reduced. And a spouse who claims their own SS retirement benefit before FRA will never get a spouse benefit equal to 50% of the other spouse's PIA.

Senior TRIVIA

Trivia Association..... What do these have in common?

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|-------------------|------------------------|
| 1) Famous rock | 6) Planet |
| 2) Cross a stream | 7) 15th President |
| 3) Indian Tribe | 8) Army transportation |
| 4) Spotted Horse | 9) French Explorer. |
| 5) Wild Horse | 10) To avoid. |

If you are looking at this on Facebook hit "Like" if you have the answer.

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It's Pumpkin Season

From page one.

pumpkin cost is \$2.60, but a big carving pumpkin will set you back more. 44% of Americans plan to carve a Jack-O-Lantern. Jack-o'-lanterns were made out of turnips or potatoes, until Irish immigrants arrived in America and discovered pumpkins were better for carving.

The heaviest pumpkin weighed 1,810 lb 8 oz and was grown in Minnesota. The largest pumpkin pie ever made was 20 feet in diameter and weighed 3,699 pounds. Hope they had plenty of forks! Antarctica is the only continent pump-

kins don't grow. Pumpkin-flavored yearly sales total over \$414 million- from coffee, beers, baked goods, Oreos and more. Pennsylvania and California.

Morton, Illinois, is the self-proclaimed "pumpkin capital", producing 85% of the world's canned pumpkin. More than 1.5 billion pounds of pumpkin are produced in the U.S. on over 15,214 farms.

To find the number of acres and farms used for pumpkin production, we turned to the 2017 U.S. Census of Agriculture. Sadly, data was not available yet for beyond 2017. From there we ranked each state based on its pumpkin acreage to determine where is growing the most pumpkins (and seeing the boon of all those pumpkin bucks.)

From there, we looked to sources such as Nielsen

Retail Measurement Services, Finder, and others for the fun facts throughout the article.

Sure, other produce might try and steal pumpkins' thunder (cough, apples, cough.) However, we all know pumpkins are the pinnacle of fall.

You might bob for apples (gross-wouldn't recommend), or drink some apple cider, but can you carve a spooky ghost face in one? Are 80% of them picked in October? I think not.

So, sit back, pop open a pumpkin beer and accept pumpkins' dominance. If that's not enough, try a pumpkin doughnut, cookie, cake, cereal, or anything other product that is pumpkined up. Still don't believe me? Just ask Illinois, or the other states that grow the whopping 1.5 billion pounds of pumpkin we demand.

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Living History Weekend at Old Fort Niagara

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Saturday and Sunday.
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Our resident blacksmith will fire up the forge and demonstrate how iron tools and furnishings were made using a bellows, hammer and anvil.
Explore the lives of engagees (known as voyageurs) who paddled canoes on the Great Lakes carrying European made goods west and furs harvested by Native Americans east. Fall was the time when voyageurs returned from the upper country with their harvest of beaver, otter, martin and other pelts.
Silver goods were a popular trade item in the 17 th and 18 th centuries. Silversmiths were employed to manufacture jewelry and other silver products

that were much in demand among Native Americans. This demonstration will show how these valued articles were made.
Women’s roles at the fort were to serve as laundresses and nurses (jobs which often overlapped). Women were paid for taking in soldiers’ laundry, but they didn’t just chuck the dirty clothes in the ol’ Maytag with some detergent, push a button and walk away. Laundry was a laborious task, from building the fire to heat the water, to carrying the water, to washing and drying the clothes.
Do you like math? Find out how forts were designed using precise mathematical formulas. A scale model of Fort Niagara shows you how.
Fifes and drums regulated the soldiers’ day and also entertained the troops. Hear some of the most popular tunes from the 18 th century.
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NOTICE OF FORMATION - Curry Cares LLC filed Articles of Organization with the New York Department of State on July 22nd, 2020. Its office located in Erie County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the Company upon whom process against it may be served and a copy of any process shall be mailed to Curry Cares LLC C/O Yalanda Curry 136 Carmen Road, Amherst, NY 14226. 41

Notice of Formation of OHBDE-SIGNS LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/25/20. Office location: Erie County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: OSCAR EDUARDO HIDALGO BALAREZO, 17 CUSTER STREET, BUFFALO, NY 14214. Purpose: any lawful purpose. 41

Notice OF FORMATION of Taylor Reed and Associates LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on June 26, 2020. County: Albany. The SSNY has been designated as the agent upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of any process against the LLC to: LEGALINC Corporate Services INC, 1967 Wehrle Drive, Suite 1 #086, Buffalo, NY 14221. 43

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OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION
Nanette Luczak, Principal Manager of the Carl Tripi Foundation, wishes to announce the foundation’s annual return for the year ending December 31, 2019, is available for inspection at the principal office (located at 69 O’Hara Road, Tonawanda, NY 14150), during regular business hours. Any citizen who wishes to inspect it may do so within 180 days from the date of this notification. A free copy of the return will be provided upon request by Freed Maxick CPAs, P.C. 41

Notice is hereby given that an order entered by the Supreme Court,

Erie County, on the 2nd day of October, 2020, bearing Index Number 600023/2020, a copy of which may be examined at the office of the clerk, located at 92 Franklin Street, Buffalo, NY, grants me the right to assume the name of DOMONIC MICHAEL PERKINS. The city and state of my address are BUFFALO, NY; the month and year of my birth are August, 2018; the place of my birth is BUFFALO, NY; my present name is DOMONIC MICHAEL LEONARD.41

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