

# News Release

## 942 Pound Pumpkin on Display

**Richmond, KY. 09-24-10... Baldwin Farms....** Jonathan Williams of Lexington, Kentucky has placed his award-winning, 942-pound pumpkin on display at Baldwin Farms for Pumpkin Festival 2010. His giant pumpkin won second place in the Kentucky, Ohio and Tennessee State Fair competition this year. It's a rare treat to see a pumpkin this size. Make a donation to Habitat for Humanity at the farm when you visit and you can have your picture made with it.

Margery Baldwin, owner of the farm, announced Jonathan's generosity in sharing his prize pumpkin with the visitors to the Pumpkin Festival this year, along with the many changes she has made to add to the fun. "Our pumpkin fields look spectacular. We moved the patches so guests can stroll the fields to actually pick their own. We designed a fantastic corn maze. For only \$1.00, you can have a great adventure or unlimited adventures for \$3.00. We added a shelter for those who wish to bring a picnic. Every Saturday from noon through mid-afternoon, Chick-Fil-A will be on the farm for visitors who wish to buy lunch. Every Sunday in October, we're planning open pit Chicken Barbecue, western Kentucky style."

Mrs. Baldwin continued, "Everyone had such a great time last year and told us they'd be back this year so we're looking forward to a fantastic crowd. We try to make it a great place for a family country outing...take some great photos and make memories while you shop for the freshest local produce and fall decorations. Folks often ask for recipes so we're planning a new cookbook featuring recipes of our guests using our products. Check the website for details. Send in your recipe."

"We'll have the old favorites like the mountain of dirt topped with a flag pole which the kids quickly dubbed "Mt. Baldwin Dirt Hill," along with all the other fun games and animals they have come to expect, Mrs. Baldwin says. Our baby goat Nellie-Bell has a new pal, Oreo. Of course, naming the rabbits is always a big hit. We still have chickens and ducks, and this year, maybe a few rabbits for sale. The Pumpkin Festival 2010 is scheduled for September 24-October 31.

Baldwin Farms is popular for its pie pumpkins, gourds, winter squash, apples, fresh cider, Amish sorghum, jams, chow-chow, Baldwin Farms Honey Apple-Salsa, local honey, apple butter, Mums, corn shocks, straw, handmade doggie treats, in addition to handmade cedar swings, hay, wood products, firewood, and more.

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