



Media Release

Lang Pioneer Village Museum
The Corporation of the County of Peterborough



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2022 Event Schedule

Applefest

Sunday, October 2

Historic All Hallows' Eve

Fri & Sat, October 28 & 29

Christmas Bazaar at the Peterborough County Agricultural Heritage Building

Saturday, November 19

Christmas by Candlelight

Sat & Sun, December 3 & 4

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Applefest

Sunday, October 2 ~ 10 am to 4 pm

Lang, ON – Kick off fall with a fun-filled celebration of apples and the harvest season during Applefest at Lang Pioneer Village Museum! The Museum's sweetest and most popular event returns to the historic village Sunday, October 2 from 10 am to 4 pm.

Hop aboard the horse-drawn wagon and enjoy the sights, tastes and aromas of autumn and apples throughout the village. Learn about how settlers preserved the fall harvest and prepared for the long cold winter. View a variety of historic demonstrations throughout the village including spinning, rug hooking with the Northumberland Rug Hookers Guild, natural dyeing, chair caning, flour grinding at the Lang Grist Mill, cider pressing at the Cider Mill and more, and an antique clock and timepiece display brought by the Quinte Timekeepers.

Visit the Ayotte Cabin where historic reenactors, the 41st Battalion of Brockville Rifles, 1st Company, will be performing drills and demonstrating military marching. Enjoy live traditional music performed by Lotus & Luke on the Weaver Shop Porch, the Cheryl Casselman Trio at the Agricultural Barn, and Rob Cory in the Hotel Bar Room. Be sure to stop by the Horse Barn to see the threshing demonstration (*morning only*).

Kids, pick up a scavenger hunt upon arrival and see if you can spot all the items as you tour the village. Participate in some old-fashioned schoolyard games at the South Lake School and make an apple-themed craft on the Village Green. Don't forget to visit with the lambs!

If you are feeling hungry, visit the Peterborough County Agricultural Heritage Building which will be selling chili and buns to warm you from the inside out as you enjoy the fall weather in our outdoor courtyard. Or pick up some traditional fall fair fare from Ben's Kettle Corn which will be onsite selling kettle corn and candy floss. Enjoy hot or cold apple cider and freshly baked apple treats from the Keene Hotel. There will be bushels of sweet, juicy apples and fresh apple cider for sale to take home with you, as well as fresh Empire Cheese curd and bread for sale in the Cheese Factory and candy apples at the Cider Mill. Think you can eat an apple pie the fastest? Participate in our apple pie eating contest at 2 pm on the Village Green! The catch – you must eat the pie without your hands!

Immerse yourself in the colourful beauty of fall in the historic village during Applefest, taking place Sunday, October 2 from 10 am to 4 pm at Lang Pioneer Village Museum. Admission is \$15 for adults, \$10 for students and seniors (60+), \$7 for youths (ages 5-14) and free for children under 5. Family admission is also available for \$40 and includes 2 adults and up to 4 youths (ages 5-14). Visitors may purchase admission in advance via the Museum's online shop at <https://lang-pioneer-village-museum.myshopify.com/>, but advance purchase is not required. For more information on our upcoming events, please visit our website at www.langpioneervillage.ca.