



Thank you for choosing Spina Farms Pumpkin Patch for your School or Club Field Trip this year! We are eager welcome you and share the rich farming history of the Santa Clara Valley.

Upon your arrival, a Spina Farms guide will greet the teacher/leader, collect any balance due and direct you to the area where you will begin your tour.

Your farm experience will include:

- A guided tour of the patch and whichever planned excursion you have chosen. See below for this year's offerings:
  - New this Year! The Valley of the Hearts Delight - A walk through the spectacular fields of Zinnia dotted with Educational Posts depicting locals farm operations from the early 1900's to today.
  - Area 51 Corn Maze - A challenging labyrinth though the corn fields. If age appropriate, will have a passport which will guide them through the maze as they answer questions regarding what they learned in the Valley of the Hearts Delight. (Passports are optional and may not be appropriate for smaller children.)
  - Hay Ride - Climb aboard our hay wagon and wind through the corn, sunflowers and zinnia. Enjoy the many scarecrows and characters you will see along the way.
  - Reserved Tent - Enjoy a little shade with your snacks after the adventure.
  - A Sugar Pie Pumpkin - we will include a simple recipe for making pumpkin pie and bread out of your pumpkin!

We suggest that your group bring the following items to insure their comfort:

- Sunscreen and a hat - (October can be hot!)
- Water or money for water. Free water is not provided.
- Permanent felt tip pen to mark each pumpkin with the children's names
- Sturdy closed toe shoes are recommended
- Spending money - in case they would like to purchase additional tickets or items from the Snack Shack or Boutique.
- Table coverings are suggested if you will be having a snack. Our picnic tables are rustic wood and can cause splinters.
- Boxes or Bags for transporting your pumpkins

Other things to note:

- NO Petting Zoo or Pony Rides Monday - Friday - (Animals are on site Saturdays and Sundays from 10am-4pm. Tickets are sold separate from Spina Farms Rides)
- Pumpkin Patch Closure may occur with stormy/wet weather conditions due to flooding & safety issues
- School, Troop or Club shirts are recommended to easily keep an eye out for students.

Location:

Spina Farms Pumpkin Patch is located at the corner of Santa Teresa Boulevard and Bailey Avenue.

Contacts:

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Please sign in acknowledgment that you have received and read this welcome letter.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_