# **2021 Morton Pumpkin Festival**

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### 1. Will there be a Festival this year?

YES! September 15-18, 2021. There will be food tents, carnival rides, the parade and more! Visit mortonpumpkinfestival.org for more information and how to participate!

#### 2. What is the festival theme this year?

Pumpkins, Tailgates, and Traditions

#### 3. Will there be a Parade this year?

Yes, the Parade will be along the usual route on Saturday, September 18 at 10:30am

## 4. Where will the Art & Craft Market be located this year?

The Art & Craft Market will be held at Grace Church (1325 E Jefferson) on Friday, September 17 & Saturday, September 18

#### 5. Where is the Business Expo (Merchants Tent)?

The former Business Expo offers several new ways to enjoy or participate:

<u>Tour the Town – Merchants Week: September 11-18</u> – visit participating Morton brick and mortar businesses (found in the Festival Guidebook and on the website) to receive swag items / special food items/discounts and coupons <u>Tour the Town – Pop Up Merchant Market: September 17 & 18</u> - Morton Township Office, parking lot (300 W Jefferson)

<u>Local Spotlight: September 15-18</u> - Church Square grassy lot (225 E Jefferson St.) Featuring organizations and groups within the Morton area that offer outreach initiatives, non-profit services and more

#### 6. If there is no Expo Tent, where can I buy Festival Merchandise?

Prior to the Festival the Merchandise will be available at the Morton Chamber of Commerce (415 W. Jefferson St.) starting Tuesday, September 7. During the Festival, the Merchandise Tent will be on Festival Grounds.

# 7. Where will the Pumpkin Decorating Tent be located?

Pumpkin Decorating will be hosted at Ackerman Family Farms (27158 US-Rt. 150, Morton)

### 8. Are there any changes to the layout of Festival Grounds?

Yes, The Sweet Shop will be located along Jefferson St. (in place of the former Business Expo) and will be expanded to provide seating underneath the tent.

### 9. Will there still be a Pumpkin Pancake Breakfast?

Yes, Saturday morning in the Pumpkin Grill. This year, the Pancake Breakfast will be TO-GO style. You are welcome to stay and eat on Festival Grounds or take your breakfast to-go! Pre-orders will also be available for a reduced rate. Check the website for pre-order availability.

### 10. What is the i3 Broadband Family Zone?

Located at Church Square (225 W Jefferson), the i3 Broadband Family Zone will host the Yard Art, a Pumpkin Patch (buy your own pumpkin on Festival Grounds), paint by space mural, seating area, baby changing/nursing tent, Local Spotlight, kids activities and more!











Use the camera on your smartphone and scan QR code to access the Pumpkin Festival website