



## *Johnston Farm & Indian Agency*

Unless otherwise noted, the cost for each program is the regular site admission fee: \$10.00/adults, \$5.00/students. Johnston Farm Friends Council and Ohio History Connection members, plus children 5 and under are admitted free. AAA and Senior Citizen discounts are honored. **Please note that some programs require advance registration.** Site hours: April, May, September, and October Monday – Friday by appointment for group visits 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.; in June, July, and August the site is open Thursday and Friday 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Saturday and Sunday Noon – 5:00 p.m. The Johnston Farm & Indian Agency is located 3 miles north of Piqua, Ohio off SR 66 on Hardin Road. Call 937-773-2522 or 1-800-752-2619 for additional information or visit us on the world wide web at [www.johnstonfarmohio.com](http://www.johnstonfarmohio.com).

### **2023 PROGRAM CALENDAR**

We are committed to serving the needs of the public while taking precautionary steps to insure the health and safety of the public, volunteers, and staff. We will follow all safety guidelines set by the World Health Organization (WHO), Centers for Disease Control (CDC), and the Ohio Department of Health (ODH). Please note that each program will be dependent on the current safety guidelines in effect at the time of the event and all events may not be able to go on as scheduled. Feel free to contact the Johnston Farm & Indian Agency to confirm schedules at 937-773-2522 or our website: [www.johnstonfarmohio.com](http://www.johnstonfarmohio.com). We thank you for your flexibility and understanding.

**Saturday & Sunday, June 10 & 11, 2023, Noon – 5:00 PM**

#### ***Family Days at the Johnston Farm***

John Johnston's family home will come alive with games and activities enjoyed in days past by families like yours. You can make this an early Father's Day gift since each dad or grandfather will be admitted free when accompanied by his family. Allow enough time to visit the Johnston's home to learn how the family lived, take in the Historic Indian and Canal Museum to gain insight to the lives of the first people who called Ohio home, and don't forget to include time in your day for a relaxing ride on the *General Harrison of Piqua* and relive the time when mules pulled boats and the world moved at four miles per hour at the end of a tow rope. Regular site admission applies.

**Saturday & Sunday, July 29 & 30, 2023, 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM**

#### ***History Alive at Fort Piqua***

Come experience Living History at its finest! The very best, carefully selected, reenactors will gather at the Johnston Farm & Indian Agency to present an historical timeline of the years 1748 (Pickawillany) – 1862 (Camp Piqua). These years mark the period of the greatest historical significance for this land. The events that took place and the people involved all had great impacts on the course of both America and Ohio's history. A wide variety of camps, civilian and military demonstrations, and numerous activities will take visitors back to some of the most exciting times this place has ever seen. The Johnston Home, the Indian and Canal Museum, and the canal boat *General Harrison of Piqua* all will help visitors visualize a time long past. This is truly a don't miss event. Regular site admission applies.

**Saturday, August 5, 2023 – Reservation Event, 6:30 PM**

***Evening on the Canal***

Join us for an evening that takes you back to the time the world moved at four miles an hour at the end of a towrope. Our evening begins in the museum with a tasty picnic style meal. After dinner guests will board the *General Harrison of Piqua* for a twilight journey on the canal that is always full of surprises for each passenger. This is a **RESERVATION ONLY** event, so call early to book your passage for this popular once-a-year opportunity. **\$35.00/adults, \$30.00/children 6-12, \$30 & \$25.00 for Johnston Farm Friends Council and Ohio History Connection members.**

**Saturday, October 14, 2023, Noon – 5:00 PM**

***Fall Celebration at the Johnston Farm***

Have you ever wondered what the Miami and Erie Canal looked like in the fall? Join us for this special day of activities at the Johnston Farm. There will be three canal boat rides aboard the *General Harrison of Piqua*; at 12:30, 2:30, & 4:00 to give passengers an idea of what canawlers saw in 1845 as they moved across western Ohio by canal boat. Join the staff and volunteers of the Johnston Farm & Indian Agency for this special fall afternoon and take part in a variety of activities and demonstrations at the home of John Johnston as well as a time to share the stories of the Johnston family and the events that have taken place here. Be sure to include a visit to the Historic Indian and Canal Museum. Regular site admission applies.

**Saturday, December 2, 2023, - Reservation Event, 5:00 PM – 8:20 PM**

***Christmas at the Johnston Farm***

**Event activities TBD**

*Not a Friends member? Consider joining the Johnston Farm Friends Council and enjoy unlimited daily admission, discounts to all of our reservation events, as well as discounts in our Museum Shop. A family membership is \$30.00 and individual memberships are \$15.00. Your membership helps support one of Ohio's most visited historic sites.*



The Johnston Farm & Indian Agency is one of 58 sites partnered with the Ohio History Connection  
The JF&IA is a non-profit organization that serves as a partner to preserve and interpret Ohio's  
history, archaeology, and natural history. Visit us on the web at [www.johnstonfarmohio.com](http://www.johnstonfarmohio.com)