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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL  
SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**



*Once again the pie-eating contest will be part of the **Harvest Home Festival**, held on Sunday, September 30 from 11:00am-5:00pm at Historic Longstreet Farm, Holmdel.*

HOLMDEL — It's all fun and games during the Monmouth County Park System's **Harvest Home Festival**. Held from 11am-5pm on Sunday, September 30 at Historic Longstreet Farm, Longstreet Road, Holmdel, this old-fashioned country fair brings visitors back to the 1890s through games, music and entertainment. Activities include pie-eating contests, corn-husking competitions and wagon rides. Visitors will have the chance to guess the weight of "the biggest pumpkin" and get their hands dirty during the potato harvest. See ongoing cider making, blacksmithing, bee keeping and plowing demonstrations. Crafters will be demonstrating the arts of rug hooking, lacemaking and weaving.

Ongoing entertainment includes music from the Jugtown Mountain Band, Music Man Rich Marzec and banjo player Chuck Winch. Be sure to catch “Let’s Talk Baseball” with Bradley Shaw at 12:30 & 3pm and performances by the Chorus of the Atlantic at 1 & 2:15pm. Once again “Phydeauz” Flying Flea Circus and “Wahoo” Medicine Show will be part of the festivities.

Visitors are also invited to join in the spirit of the festival by entering one of the many competitions! Prize-winning categories include vegetables, fruit, canning, condiments, baked goods, needlework, quilting and rug hooking.

To learn more about this and other Park System activities, please visit [www.monmouthcountyparks.com](http://www.monmouthcountyparks.com) or call the Park System at (732) 842-4000, ext. 4312. For persons with hearing impairment, the TTY/TDD number is 711. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, is Monmouth County’s Open Space, Parks and Recreation Agency.

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