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- Grab a basket and head to a Fort Wayne Apple Orchard to pick your favorite variety. Snap a photo in the orchard and show us your apple bounty! Find a list at VisitFortWayne.com/Fall.
- Lace up your running shoes and participate in the Hot Cider Hustle on October 30! All participants receive a shirt, hot cider, a caramel apple and a finishers mug!
- Take a picture with a Johnny Appleseed reenactor or enjoy a classic Johnny Appleseed treat at the period-authentic Johnny Appleseed Festival, September 17 & 18.
- Explore the Fort Wayne Children’s Zoo (open until October 30) and see if the red pandas, giraffes, primates, or other animals are nibbling on some apples! Take a picture of these animals or in front of the classic Zoo sign!
- Explore the Old Fort grounds and keep a lookout for an apple tree – it’s a descendant of an original tree planted by John Chapman, aka Johnny Appleseed.
- Take the Native Trees of Indiana River Walk on the Purdue Fort Wayne campus, and see if you can spot the native Indiana apple tree.
- Step into The Genealogy Center and discover the family history of Johnny Appleseed. Ask a genealogist for help, and learn how to discover your own family history while you are there.
- Get the perfect selfie at the Hyde Brothers Bookseller’s Mural – can you find Johnny Appleseed in the mural?
- Discover the history of Johnny Appleseed at The History Center. Snap a photo of Johnny Appleseed’s flask or their beautiful building!
- Take a seat with the Johnny Appleseed sculpture. Located at the Hampton Inn & Suites Downtown, this sculpture is a great photo opportunity!
- Visit the Johnny Appleseed gravesite located in the Johnny Appleseed Park. Visitors sometimes like to leave apples to pay tribute!
- Pull up a seat at Kekionga Cider Mill for their Kekionga Old Bicorne Cider.
- Taste Indiana sourced ciders and meads at Ambrosia Orchard, Cidery, and Meadery. Plus, the facility is family-friendly and perfect for a fall afternoon.
- For our sour fans, you’ll want to try Mad Anthony Brewing’s classic Apple Tart Kettle Sour.

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- Bite into a DeBrand Fine Chocolates Caramel Apple for a delicious luxury – apples available in October.
- Enjoy a nice helping of Apple Pie Baked Beans from Shigs in Pit – they won’t disappoint.
- Pick up a dozen Rise’n Roll apple-filled donuts or an apple fritter for a scrumptious morning treat!
- For a not too sweet treat, GK Baked Goods makes a mean seasonal hand pie, so be sure to watch out when apple season rolls around.
- “Johnny Loves Apple” at Churro Loco features cinnamon crispy apple chips with a signature glazed sauce.
- Pop-able treats anyone? Pick up a bag of Poptique Karm Apple popcorn.

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