

# The Monthly

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Your who, what, where and sometimes why guide to  
camping at Poor Farmer's RV

# CHATTER

## Haunted Shelter Opens for Four Nights Only!!

That's right! The Poor Farmer's Haunted Shelter is only open 4 nights this year. September 30, October 1<sup>st</sup>, October 7<sup>th</sup> and October 8<sup>th</sup>. Each one of these nights we will open from 9 - 11pm. The cost is \$15 at the door or pre-sale in the camp office is \$10. This haunted feature is very scary. If you like haunted houses, you will like this one. If you don't like haunted houses... well, you know. Join us for a horrific good time. Tony's will have his concession open with treats and hot chocolate.

**HALLOWEEN CRUISE-IN**

**Poor Farmer's RV**  
7211 N. Lostcreek-Shelby Rd  
Fletcher, Ohio 45326

**Food Vendors!!!!**

**TRUNK OR TREAT**

**October 8th  
FREE!!!**

**4-9 PM**

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Bring candy for the kiddos who will be costumed up and beggin' for those sweet treats. There will be music, food and a plethora of cars, trucks and motorcycles. No cost to enter!

**Poor Farmer's RV**  
PRESENTS

## The Haunted Shelter



**DANGER**  
ENTER AT YOUR OWN RISK

Jimmy Weaver and his Psychos have created another stellar Haunted Shelter at Poor Farmer's RV. This haunt is over 500' long and may require a second set of trousers. If you were a pirate, you would be scared shipless. Get your tickets now before you lose your nerve.

**Hours of Operation:**  
**September 30th**  
**October 1<sup>st</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**8-11 PM**

**Ticket Prices:**  
**\$10** - Friday and advanced purchase  
**\$15** - Saturday

## Halloween Cruise-In!

Join us on October 8<sup>th</sup> as we host our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Halloween Cruise-in. Admission is FREE! Bring your classic car, hot rod, monster truck or rare antique to Poor Farmer's for our Annual Trunk or Treat. The show opens at 4PM and will run until 9PM. Feel free to stop into our Haunted Shelter before you head home.

Food Vendors will have hot delicious goodies and kids from 0-16 will be beggin' for the good stuff in their Halloween costumes. Feel free to decorate your ride in the Halloween Spirit and bring plenty of candy for the kiddos. We will have a scary good time and look good doing it. Let's go Cruisin'!



## CHARITY CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT!

**Saturday October 15th at 2pm!**

- 12 set progressive game play . NO PARTNERS NEEDED
- 11 rounds of condensed play. (Must have a minimum of 12 players and a maximum of 48 so bring all of your friends!)
- Will be in increments of 12 players. (12,24,36,48)
- Grudge Matches and tie breakers if needed.
- 50/50 drawing and awards for top 3 players.

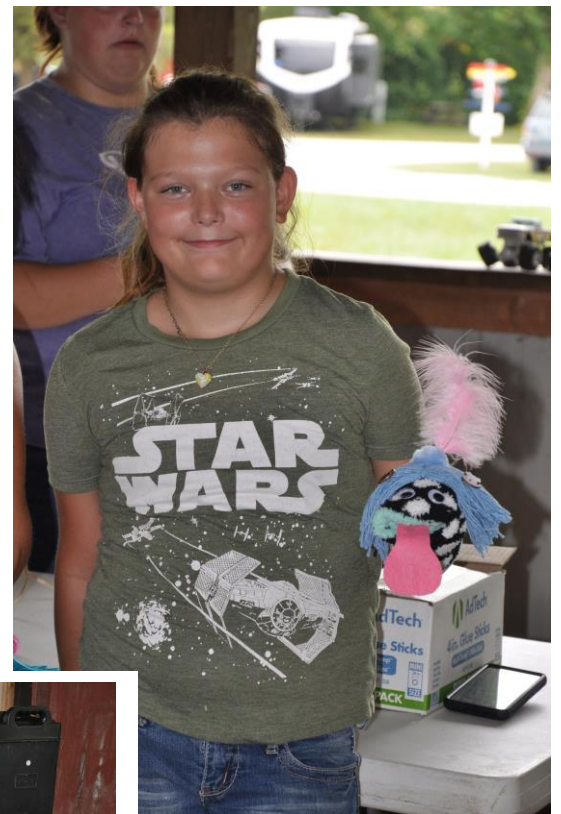
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**ENTRY FEE**

**All proceeds will go the Stephanie Speilman Breast Center at the James Cancer Center in Columbus via the Jill Vanuch Endowment Fund.**



**BONUS for 4 bags in a row!**



### **Pictures from top to bottom:**

- Angela's Labor Day Cornhole Tourney
- Christie's Sock Puppet Craft
- Cornhole Winners
- Thanks to Boston Stoker's Julie Whetstone for donating coffee for our Shriner's Breakfast.
- Ken Bailey catching a flapjack and staying on his feet.
- Mike and Shane fighting the smoke to bring you some delicious steaks.

# POOR FARMER'S RV

SALES, SERVICE & CAMPGROUND INC.

September 30<sup>th</sup> Opening night!  
*Haunted House*  
SEPT. 30 & OCT. 1 / 7 & 8



\$10 pre-sale  
\$15 at the door



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# Site of the Month

Site of the Month for October belongs to Deb Allender and Gino Tackett. These two do a wonderful job of landscaping their campsite. Deb and Gino first came to Poor Farmer's last year and started the 2021 season off with Site of the Month for May of 2021. Deb and Gino... your two for two. Thank you for all of your hard work in keeping your campsite up to the standard of Site of the Month. We love having you as part of the Poor Farmer's family. For your efforts you will receive free dumps for the month of October. Remember you must sign up for those dumps for Ricky to get you emptied out.



## Most improved site of 2022

We would like to thank John Mote for being the most improved campsite of 2022. When John started the year, he had a bit of a mess. Wood cluttered the site and there was quite a bit of debris left over from the 2021 season.

I asked John to spruce up his site and boy did he. I am really proud of how John's site looks now. He even had the gravel resurfaced to give it a nice clean look. Thank you, John Mote for your hard work in getting your campsite back to where it needs to be. Just a little more work in 2023 and you may earn yourself a Site of the Month.

## As the Cold Sets In

Make sure you are watching the forecast closely. As temperatures drop, our schedule gets filled up and if you call us to schedule a winterization the day before a freeze sets in... it may be too late.

Here are some tips if you do get behind:

- Drain your fresh, black and grey tanks.
- Drain your water heater.
- Open your low-lying drains.
- Open all faucets in kitchen and bath.
- Dump anti-freeze into your P-traps and toilet.

These steps won't guarantee that you won't experience any problems. The remaining water in the little plastic valves of your faucets, bypasses, and water pump can still cause a danger of expansion and breakage. These steps will give us a fighting chance to winterize after the freeze. If you bring your camper to us frozen... there is nothing we can do for it but thaw it out to discover what broke.

## THANK YOU FOR BEING PATIENT

The 2022 camping season has had it's share of obstacles. With our campground we had an electrical upgrade that devoured August and a reservation system that brought a bunch of new campers along with it's share of bugs to work out. Our Service department was the victim of The Great Resignation. As with other business across America, we suffered from an employee shortage; couple that with increased parts and shipping costs and you have yourself a tidal wave of customers who "Just want their RV fixed now and why does it cost so much!"

With all these issues, our campers have been very patient and supportive. They understand what the electrical upgrades are for. They know that the reservation system is new and a work in progress. They see the issues with our country as a whole and understand that Poor Farmer's is not immune to them. As a small business, it seems we are affected even more by national issues. Fact of the matter is that we are very appreciative of our friends and family that are camping with us. A business should not expect its customers to be okay with any inconvenience, but when they support you through it, we like to acknowledge that and say Thank You! Here is to a great 2022 camping season. Our time is short before Jack Frost comes to town, so relax, enjoy and for as long as you can... Let's Go Campin'!



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Comedy night at Poor Farmer's was a great time despite the first act. We had about fifty people in the audience and almost everyone laughed at some point. We started the night off with the rookie, me. I stayed alive for fifteen minutes and pulled some laughs out of the audience. It doesn't matter that my last joke was 13 minutes long.

Once my set was over, I introduced Mr. Ray Jackson. Ray has been doing stand-up for 20 years. He totally killed the audience and is no stranger to being the only black guy in the room. He said as soon as he heard the names "Poor Farmer's" and "Fletcher" he started getting his white people jokes together. Remember folks, this was an adult only show.

Once finished, Ray introduced our headliner, Jeff "Banger" Bang to the stage. Jeff dazzled the crowd with his guitar, his cotton candy facial hair and stories of his numerous ex-wives. As Henny Youngman once said, "The secret to a happy marriage, is still a secret."

Thank you everyone for joining us. The most criticism that I received is that I didn't write enough jokes about the campground. I told them that I don't have campground jokes; I have jokes about my campers, and I really don't want to offend the campers that pay my salary.

## Guess the Year

- Apple Inc CEO Steve Jobs announces the iPhone
- "Transformers", directed by Michael Bay and starring Shia LaBeouf and Megan Fox premieres
- San Francisco Giants slugger Barry Bonds hits his 756th career home run to break Hank Aaron's long-standing MLB record
- Hashtag invented and first used in a tweet by US product designer Chris Messina
- "The Big Bang Theory" starring Jim Parsons and Kaley Cuoco premieres on CBS
- The 110th United States Congress convenes and elects Nancy Pelosi as the 1st female Speaker of the House