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*Harvest* presented by JPMorgan Chase opens at Newfields October 2

*Tickets are now on sale*

**INDIANAPOLIS**, September 10, 2021—*Harvest* presented by JPMorgan Chase, returns to Newfields with both a daytime and nighttime experience like no other. *Harvest Days* and *Harvest Nights* will run from Oct. 2 through Oct. 31 with member preview days happening Sept. 30 and Oct. 1. “*Harvest* is one of the special ways we blend art and nature for our community to enjoy,” said Jonathan Berger, Deputy Director of Marketing and External Affairs at Newfields. “We hope to especially welcome those who haven’t yet visited Newfields and, inspired by *Harvest*, come back to experience even more.”

"JPMorgan Chase & Co. is proud to sponsor and support Newfields for the third year of *Harvest*,” said Jason Noyan, Executive Director at J.P.Morgan Private Bank, and member of the Board of Trustees and Board of Governors at Newfields. “We are grateful for the opportunity to give back to our community through this engaging event. Particularly after the last 18 months, being able to gather is something we don’t take for granted. *Harvest* is a wonderful way for Hoosiers to come together safely and celebrate all the best parts of Indiana fall in one unique event.”

**Harvest Nights:**

Newfields will come to life under the harvest moon with a nighttime ticketed experience beginning at 7:30 p.m. After a sellout in 2020, we have added an additional week of Harvest Nights tickets for guests to enjoy Newfields after dark. Harvest Nights is a 90-minute, spooky (not scary!) experience where guests will stroll down a long path tucked away in the woods on Newfields’ campus. This trail will be filled with thousands of illuminated pumpkins. Guests will travel through the woods, over the historic Interurban Bridge and past the Tanner Orchard that will be scattered with scarecrows. Young and old will be in awe of the walk lit with pumpkins of all shapes and sizes, a mystical ghost train and a grand finale at Mischief Manor. A ghost story of Lilly House past will be projected onto the historic home, giving guests a glimpse into history.

**Harvest Days (weekends only):**

Enjoy the bounty and beauty of fall in *The Garden* at Newfields during Harvest Days each weekend in October. Harvest Days is a wonderful opportunity to see *The Garden* in the late autumn sun, to find inspiration for your home garden, and is a picture-perfect backdrop for the most Instagramable spot in Indianapolis this season. Each October weekend will be filled with pumpkin-themed activities for the whole family including pumpkin painting and a pumpkin treasure hunt. Art by Fitz has created a Harvest themed, life size coloring page that guests will be able to help paint each weekend. Guests will also be able to shop the Movers, Shakers & Growers Market featuring local artisans, farmers and community organizations. Each weekend Harvest goers will be able to shop with local vendors like Lapis Lily Market and Royal River Vintage, listen to musicians like Christopher Pitts and learn from organizations like Latina’s Welding Guild and Go Vote Indy. For a full list of Harvest Days activities please visit [https://discovernewfields.org/harvest](https://discovernewfields.org/harvest).

**Culinary:**

Each weekend will feature a curated beverage passport that guests may purchase which features a curated selection of beers or cider from Germany, Indianapolis and a few additional regions (check weekend details for more information on pricing and the featured beer or cider scheduled each weekend) – all right here in *The Garden* during your Harvest Days visit. Beverage passport or not, be sure to visit *The Beer Garden* for draft pours of Oktoberfest beers from Germany and seasonal local favorites- including the Harvest Hefeweizen from Sun King Brewing Co. and Autumn Tide Spiced Apple Cider from Ash and Elm Cider Co. Grab a Bavarian style pretzel made by Half Liter with some spicy mustard or a cheese and charcuterie board to go with your beer. Non-alcoholic options including local apple cider, lemonade and berries and kombucha will also be available. For Harvest Nights, we will be serving up a signature cocktail, The Indiana Applejack from West Fork Whiskey Co., seasonal Sun King Brewing Co. beers, and a selection of fall favorite snacks, including Just Pop In caramel corn and giant pretzels from Half Liter.
At The Crossroads:
For the second year in a row, Newfields has again directed funds to organizations that partnered with us on At the Crossroads: A Community Meal in 2019. This Social Practice artwork was conceived to engage several partners - including service organizations, artists, poets, and chefs - to collaboratively address the food insecurity that many continue to experience due to the lasting impact of discriminatory housing and environmental policies that have created food deserts within our communities. Support has been awarded to; Groundwork Indy, Growing Places Indy, Lawrence Community Gardens, Mother Love’s Garden and Riverside Park, to further their efforts to improve the quality of life in Indianapolis through educational initiatives, intergenerational skill sharing and lowering the barrier of access to fresh nutritious food. For more information on the projects please visit the At the Crossroads webpage. Newfields will also be distributing 5,000 free Harvest Nights tickets to 27 Community Access Partners.

Harvest Nights Tickets:
Public Adults $25 / Public Youth (ages 6-17) $17 / Free for children 5 and under
Member Adults $20 / Member Youth (6-17) $13 / Free for children 5 and under
Tickets will be available every half hour starting at 7:30 p.m.
Access Pass holders will be able to purchase Harvest Nights tickets for $2 Admission. Advanced tickets are required and can be purchased at discovernewfields.org.

Harvest Days Tickets:
Public Adults $18 / Public Youth (ages 6-17) $10 / Free for children 5 and under
Member tickets are free
Access Pass holders will be able to purchase Harvest Days tickets for $2 Admission. Advanced tickets are required and can be purchased at discovernewfields.org. Please note that general admission tickets will be available on weekdays but only Harvest Days tickets will be available on the weekends (this ticket will include general admission to Newfields).

Masks are required for all guest at Newfields when inside and outdoors when social distancing is not possible. For the latest updates, safety protocols regarding COVID-19 and its variants, visit discovernewfields.org.

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THE LUME Indianapolis will continue to operate during Harvest Days and will be closed during Harvest Nights. THE LUME Indianapolis will require a separate ticket from Harvest Days. Guests can purchase THE LUME Indianapolis tickets at https://discovernewfields.org/lume.

About Newfields
Newfields: A Place for Nature & the Arts, offers dynamic experiences for guests of all ages. The 152-acre cultural campus features art galleries, lush gardens, a historic mansion, performance spaces, a nature preserve and sculpture park. From inspiring exhibitions in the Indianapolis Museum of Art Galleries, to concerts in The Toby, and a stroll through The Garden with a glass of cheer, guests are invited to interact with art and nature in exciting new ways. Newfields is home to the Indianapolis Museum of Art, among the ten largest and oldest general art museums in the nation; the Lilly House, a National Historic Landmark; The Garden, featuring 30 acres of contemporary and historic gardens, a working greenhouse and an orchard; and The Virginia B. Fairbanks Art & Nature Park, one of the largest art and nature parks in the country. The Newfields campus extends outside of Indianapolis with Miller House and Garden in Columbus, Ind.—one of the nation’s most highly regarded examples of mid-century Modernist architecture. For more information visit www.discovernewfields.org.

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