



Fall 2008 News  
www.PumpkinCountry.com

*Ganyard Hill Farm's 14th season  
and wonderful fun is just ahead!*



### A Short Note from Farmer Ganyard

Well, I'm busy again this summer producing home grown pumpkins. For a change, it's been a fairly average summer for growing crops, with no really long, hot, dry spells. **Pumpkins** were planted a little later than normal due to the fields being wet at the usual planting time. Now, the plants look great and are busy making thousands of pumpkins for me to share with you.

The **cotton patch** is on schedule; there'll be cotton bolls for you to pick this Fall. The corn field is tall and the maze trail long – don't get lost! We'll have lots of corn for you to pick and shell to feed our farm animals.

### School Field Trip Reservations

They have been pouring in the past few weeks. If you haven't already made your reservations, now is a good time -- especially if you have a large group. I'm seeing all the old visitors and a lot of new classes signing up as well! Our new, faster system for schools to check in is a hit.

### Old-Fashioned Fun on the Farm



You know all about our corn field maze! Well, hay! We have a giant **hay mountain and hay maze**, too. We have a great barnyard of **farm animals** who love visitors (and that shelled corn). **Bring a picnic** – we've got a perfect spot for it in a shady grove of trees. Take a bumpity **hayride** around the farm with family and friends, and see our **wildlife feeding refuge**. Poke around the **pumpkin patch**, choosing that pumpkin that is perfect for YOU!

What's new? You'll have to come see! Parents, teachers and leaders, gather those kids up and bring them to a real working farm! We've missed you! It seems forever since last Fall when you were here.

### Ganyard Hill Farm on the Web

People tell us they love our website! It's user-friendly and chock full of information about the great time you'll have when you get here!

HennyPenny says: Be sure to check out "What's Clucking," our barnyard blog. We have teacher resources, as well as info of interest to parents and children. Let us know what you think! Email us with comments or suggestions -- we love to hear from you!



### Season opening Friday, September 26, 2008

The farm is open Monday through Saturday 9:00am-6:00pm, Sundays 10:00am - 6:00pm. **Farm admission includes every activity on the farm and a pumpkin.** Special rates for field trips are \$10.00 per student and \$10.00 per parent. Teachers on field trips are free in a ratio of 1 teacher per 10 students

*See you soon ... at Ganyard Hill Farm!*

**Farm location:** 319 Sherron Rd., Durham, NC 27703 **Phone:** (919)596-8728  
**Mailing address:** 1104 Dominion Hill Drive, Cary, NC 27519  
**Email:** Info@GanyardHillFarm.com