



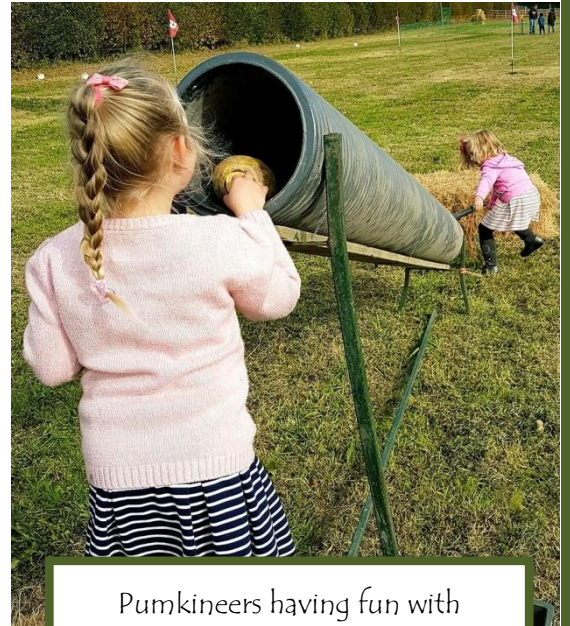
Ansty PYO & Farm Shop

Autumn 2018



Pumpkin Olympics – back due to popular demand!

It's been a staggering 5 years but we have brought back Pumpkin Olympics this half term! With over 20 different fun games, with a pumpkin/Halloween theme it is hilarious, silly fun for the whole family! We opened on Tuesday and our Pumpkineers have had a brilliant time already! Pumpkin and spade races, pumpkin running track, pumpkin bullseye and pumpkin croquet are just a snippet of fun to be had. One that gets everyone is "Guess how many seeds are in the pumpkin"! A big thank you to Alan – our wonderful toy maker – for actually counting them! Come and join in the pumpkin madness! We have had some wonderful comments all ready and people are loving the silly simplicity of good old fashioned out door fun! We are open now until Sunday 4th November. 10am – 4pm. £5 per pumpkineer. Closed Monday.



Pumkineers having fun with "Splat the pumpkin"!



The amazing colours of the Crown Prince

Picking News

It's pumpkin and squash season! We still have a great selection of all sizes of pumpkins. From the tiny munchkins to the massive ones. Our biggest one this year was bought by a lovely lady who's grandson was going to have his picture taken whilst sitting inside of it! We've already seen the pics and they are brilliant!! It's been a great season for the squash too. The butternuts have an amazing flavour this year and we are really enjoying the green round gem store squash. Such an easy and delicious veg. Chop in half, add a teaspoon of butter, pinch of salt and pepper and bake for 20 mins ish @ 160°C. Yum! The crown prince squash is excellent roasted or fantastic for making soup. Other veg in season at the mo are beetroot, curly kale & cabbages. We have just started picking a small amount of petits posy and purple sprouting. Also we now have 12.5kg sacks of spuds bagged up!

October Opening Times:

Tuesday – Saturday 9.30am – 5.30pm Sunday: 10am – 4pm

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Ansty Kitchens - Cooking News

Apples galore! What a fantastic year for apples! We have been baking all sorts of apple delights! Apple cake, apple pies, apple chutney. We've also been baking lots of squash and pumpkin dishes. Pumpkin pie is a real tasty treat at this time of year! Crown prince squash soup and butternut and mushroom tarts.

Behind the scenes @ the Farm - early morning interviews on BBC Wiltshire!



Newsletter withdrawal symptoms!

Huge apologise to our loyal followers of our quirky newsletter! You may have noticed a slackness of late. We have been so busy in the shop I just haven't had time to put fingers to keyboard. A great situation to be in but a poor effort on my part for keeping you updated! I will try to improve!!!!

Date for the Diary! Saturday 1st December
10am - 12noon'ish

Ansty Farm Shops mini festive Fayre

We have invited about 6- 8 local people/businesses to show off their wares! Candles, chocolates, Church Farm Dairy, etc. More info to follow next month - but a great gift grabbing morning! Come and have a browse and a coffee!!

A little Christmas heads up!

We've got some great foody gifts in the shop. Plus Lilley's Cider Gift packs. The Salisbury Hospice cards are in. The Kimbers meat order forms are ready to hand out. We've got some great baskets and a great selection of yummy treats to make your own bespoke Christmas Hampers.

The tiny ones planted this week!



Dare we mention the "C" word and the "CT" word!!

Paul, my brother has leapt into his role of chief Christmas Tree grower! We planted a new patch last Spring and the poor saplings went from being severely water logged to completely thirsty in a very short space of time. A lot of time this summer was spent looking after them and now they are flourishing. This week we have just planted 450 more! Christmas tree orders are now coming in steadily! If you would like to order yours please phone or ask when you are next in!

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