

The delicious aroma of simmering apples and spices mingles with the scent of wood smoke to tinge the air. Follow your nose and the tendrils of wood smoke down the country lane, and you will find nearly a dozen copper kettles bubbling over open fires. Scores of volunteers are in constant motion, stirring the kettles, adding wood to the fires, testing the apple butter's consistency. You have arrived at the production site of *Burlington's Famous Apple Butter*.

Nearly 1,200 bushels of West Virginia apples, more than two tons of sugar, a secret blend of spices, and a huge measure of love go into the preparation of the 2,000 plus gallons of apple butter expected to be sold during the *34th Annual Burlington Old-Fashioned Apple Harvest Festival*.



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 P.O. Box 69  
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# Burlington Old-Fashioned Apple Harvest Festival



### Driving times to nearby cities

- Baltimore/Washington, DC.....2.5 hrs.
- Pittsburgh, PA.....3 hrs.
- Charleston, WV.....4 hrs.
- Morgantown, WV .....1.5 hrs.
- Winchester, VA..... 1 hr.
- Cumberland, MD ..... 45 min.

*Reaping the Harvest...*

**October 6-7, 2007**

On the Children's Home Campus of  
 Burlington United Methodist Family Services, Inc.

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 304-289-6010 ext.221 or 304-788-1953



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Take a stroll beneath the towering walnut trees; listen to the sounds of the meandering brook; browse the 3-acre flea market; visit the country-style “shopping mall”. Instead of acres of asphalt, fast food and piped in music, wander leisurely through three huge tents filled with unique, handmade, one-of-a-kind items. The “food court” features yummy apple delights, country ham sandwiches, funnel cakes, and many other country fair goodies—no cardboard burgers and soggy fries here! The music isn’t artificial—it’s live on the festival stage, just yards away from the shopping! Listen—you can hear the sounds of the banjo player warming up now!



Antique autos and tractors, the intricate stitching and beautiful color schemes lovingly combined into the many heritage quilts on display, a rousing parade, a toe-tappin’ fiddle/banjo/mandolin contest, games, pony rides, and a variety of other family oriented activities are showcased at the festival.

Admission to the two-day event is free of charge, as is the live country, bluegrass, and southern gospel music performed on-stage throughout the weekend. The festival’s signature attraction, **Burlington’s Famous Apple Butter**, made the old-fashioned way—outdoors in open-air kettles is the world’s best tasting apple butter—honest!

## Reaping the Harvest...

The festival is located on U.S. Routes 50/220 in Burlington, WV, and is easily reached by taking U.S. Route 50 west from I-81 or U.S. 220 south from I-68.

For information, contact: Apple Harvest Festival Headquarters, P.O. Box 69, Burlington, WV 26710 or telephone (304)-788-1953.

Visit our website at [www.bumfs.org](http://www.bumfs.org) and follow the links to the Apple Harvest page.

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2007

**A Bids for Kids Charity Auction to benefit Burlington Family Services’ ministry will be held on the festival stage from 2 pm - 6 pm. Everyone is invited to a tailgate BBQ & Auction Preview from Noon - 2 pm on the Burlington Campus. Food, drinks & tailgate goodies for purchase with proceeds to Burlington United Methodist Family Services.**

Festival grounds are open from 10:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. both days, with parking and shuttle bus services available nearby.

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2007

All Day Old-Fashioned Apple Butter Making  
 11:00 am Fiddle, Banjo, Mandolin – Youth Div.  
 4:00 pm Grand Feature Parade  
 Fireworks begin at nightfall

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2007

10:00 am Antique Auto, Tractor, and Small Engine Show  
 11:00 am Chicken Barbeque  
 12:00 pm Fiddle, Banjo, Mandolin – Adult and Senior Divisions  
 4:30 pm Baby Apple Dumpling

### CONTINUOUS WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

Free On-Stage Entertainment  
 Quilt Show  
 All Day Flea Market  
 (150 Vendors)  
 All Day Arts & Crafts Show  
 (100+ Vendors)

**ABSOLUTELY NO PETS**

(Service animals permitted)



Burlington Apple Harvest Festival is a smoke-free environment.