

Helicopter Information

The Helicopter flies on Saturdays and Sundays in late September and all weekends in October plus Columbus Day Monday – Weather permitting. Please note: Helicopter will not fly if there are high winds or rain.

1. How much does it cost?

Rides are \$40 a person.

2. How long is the ride?

The ride is approximately 8 minutes long and covers about 8 miles.

3. Where does it fly?

There is a set pattern. Up the valley, around the mountain and then back over Pumpkinville.

4. What time does it fly?

Depending on the weather, i.e. fog, wind, etc., helicopter arrives approximately 10 AM and leaves before dark in order to fly home in the light. (approximately 6PM) All of this is totally weather dependent.

5. Is there a weight limit?

The total weight of the 3 passengers will not exceed 450 lbs. Each seat is tested for a maximum of 300 lbs. per seat. Please do not misrepresent your weight. Keep in mind that clothes/boots can add an extra 10 lbs.

6. How many people can it take?

The helicopter will take 3 passengers. Total weight of passengers will not exceed 450 lbs.

7. Any age limit?

There is no age limit but any child under twelve must be accompanied by an adult and every passenger must have their own seat. No child can sit on a lap.

8. Do we need reservations?

The operation is a first come first serve basis. You will be given a ride ticket when purchased and if the wait is excessive, we encourage people to enjoy other activities and we will get you up ASAP when you return.

9. Do they take credit cards?

Credit cards are acceptable.

10. Where are the helicopter rides located?

Helicopter rides are located in the field in back of the hayride area. Look for the hayride loading area and then walk out back to the loading area.