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## Carson Valley's Harvest Events and Activities Are a Welcomed Dose of Autumn Unwind



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**CARSON VALLEY (Oct 1, 2018)** – Amid the hustle of back-to-school, the anticipation of winter holidays, and a longing for summer's long days lies Carson Valley, Nevada - an autumn season remedy for the entire family. Carson Valley serves up a healthy dose of themed events, refreshing outdoor adventure, and inspiring wildlife excursions.

### Fall Events

#### *Main Street Fall Fest - Oct. 6*

The community of Gardnerville hosts a bounty of harvest events on October 6, including the Main Street Fall Fest, the Heritage Park Gardens Harvest Festival, and the Scarecrow Festival. The Main Street Fall Fest is sure to light up the entire family with coffin races, zombie stretcher races, scarecrow building, face painting and a local marketplace. Activities are hosted from 9am - 3pm. More information can be found [online](#).

#### *Aviation Roundup Airshow - Oct. 13 & 14*

Carson Valley's premier airshow, the 2018 Aviation Roundup will host the U.S. Navy Blue Angels, the Red Bull Air Force Team, and more at the Minden-Tahoe Airport in Minden, Nevada. The event, now in its fifth year, is an action-packed, family friendly event featuring airshow performers, aerobatic planes, military aircraft, hands-on displays, and a vendor village. Tickets and information are available at [AviationRoundup.com](http://AviationRoundup.com).

*A Hocus Pocus Halloween - Oct. 19, 20 & 21*

The Eddy Street Vintage Market in Gardnerville, Nevada, is a monthly vintage pop-up shop. October marks a Hocus Pocus-themed experience where visitors are sure to find one-of-a-kind spooktacular treasures. More information can be found [online](#).

*Corley Ranch - month of October*

Each October, the Corley Ranch celebrates fall with its Harvest Festival, featuring a cornfield maze, pig races, petting zoo, pick-your-own pumpkins, and other fun activities. More information can be found [online](#).



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**Outdoor Activities**

In Carson Valley, fall's moderate temperatures, bluebird skies, and golden landscape is a prescription for outdoor fun. Refresh your spirit with a hike among Carson Valley's extensive trail systems, let it flow on your mountain bike over thrilling switchbacks, and tee off with the backdrop of snow-kissed Carson Range. For more on biking in Carson Valley, visit [online](#). For more on Carson Valley's legendary golf courses, visit [online](#).

**Wildlife Viewing**

The wildlife in Carson Valley are equally busy in the fall season, gathering and bustling in preparation for the winter months. Slow down, take a breath and look around. Carson Valley offers opportunities to get up close and sight birds of prey, wild horses, bear, turtles, lynx and many more in the wide-open outdoors. Enjoy a wildlife tour in the Pine Nut Mountains, paddle on the glassy surface of Topaz Lake or stroll through the Nature Conservancy's River Fork Ranch Preserve - whatever the pace, visitors are

certain to enjoy wildlife in various ecosystems and natural habitat. For more on wildlife viewing Carson Valley, visit [online](#).

For more information on what to do in Carson Valley, please visit [here](#). For more information on where to stay in Carson Valley, visit [here](#). The Carson Valley media kit, including images, can be found [here](#).

**About Carson Valley:**

Nestled at the base of the Sierra Nevada, Carson Valley begs visitors to not just drive through it, but to it. Located 45 minutes south of Reno-Tahoe International Airport and 12 miles east of South Lake Tahoe, the region's natural beauty is legendary: wide-open farms, ranches, bands of wild horses and birds of prey dot the landscape. Outdoor recreation enthusiasts follow all points of the compass with more than 50+ miles of hiking, mountain biking or walking trails along with world class road biking. The valley's museums, arts, antiquing, Basque dining, historic watering holes and more add to the destination's authentic culture. The region includes the communities of Minden, Gardnerville, Topaz Lake and Genoa, Nevada's first settlement dating back to 1851. Explore the land of everyday legends at [VisitCarsonValley.org](http://VisitCarsonValley.org).

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