

# HAPPY THANKSGIVING

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## Turkey Traditions

### Parades in Ohio

- Bowling Green Holiday Parade
- Holiday Horse Parade, Greenville
- Holiday Parade, Akron
- Holidazzle Illuminated Parade & Festival, Wilmington
- Price Hill Thanksgiving Day Parade, Cincinnati

### Turkey Trots

- **43** Turkey Trots in the state!  
[Find your perfect race!](#)

### Football

- Watch “The Game” between THE Ohio State University and the University of Michigan on November 30, 2024!

## Poultry Industry

### Annual 2023

	Establishments	Employment	Average Weekly Wages
Poultry & Egg Production	119	2,555	\$1,190
Poultry Processing	16	2,161	\$926
Poultry Product Merchant Wholesalers	25	849	\$1,039

## Feasts & Foliage

### In 2023, in Ohio there were:

- **1,787** supermarkets
- **248** warehouse clubs and supercenters
- **54** baked goods stores
- **95** fruit and vegetable markets

### Ohio State Park Lodges

- **9** Great Ohio Lodges  
[Make a Thanksgiving dinner reservation!](#)
- Over 1,000 miles of forest trails

### Ohio Food Banks

- **13** Feeding America Foodbanks  
Serving all **88** counties

## Harvest Time

Wild turkey hunters across Ohio harvested **15,535** birds during the spring 2024 season.

## Sounds Like Thanksgiving in Ohio

Place	County	County Population
Turkeyfoot Lake	Summit	540,428
Turkey Creek	Adams	27,521
Cranberry Township	Crawford	42,025

Sources: \*Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, \*U.S. Census, \*findarace.com/us/running/turkey-trots/Ohio, \*akronohio.gov, \*ohiotraveler.com, \*greatohiolodges.com, \*ohiodnr.gov, \*feedingamerica.org

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