

Spring Hope Pumpkin Festival 2025 Seed Auction

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Rules, Terms, and Conditions

- **Minimum bid of \$20 (USD) per lot.** This allows for our weigh-off to cover all costs associated with gathering seeds (shipping & receiving postage, bubble envelopes, bubble wrap etc.)

- **All bidding will be in \$5 increments.** All bids will be in U.S. Dollars only. There will be no “underbidding” accepted on multiple set lots.

- **No Proxy Bidding:** To avoid any confusion during our “live auction”, there will be no proxy bidding permitted.

- **Please keep all “chat” to a minimum** during our “live” auction. This will enable us to finish all lots at a reasonable time; we have a lot of lots to get through.

- **Our “Live Auction” offers several lots with more than one set.** The highest bidder will have the first option to purchase all sets. The second highest bidder will have the option to purchase all remaining sets at the second bidders high bid and so on.

- **Immediately after winning a lot,** all winning bidders are asked to send a winning confirmation e-mail to ethan.vester@gmail.com with the following information:

1. BigPumpkin.com Screen Name

2. Real Name and phone number

3. Lot(s) # Won

4. Winning Bid Amount(s)

5. Shipping Address (entire address, formatted as it should appear on the bubble)
6. Payment Method

7. Please put the lot number(s) in the subject line of the e-mail

Auction:

- We cannot guarantee germination of seeds offered in our auction. However, all seeds appear to be sound and we do “ABSOLUTELY” guarantee the authenticity of the seeds provided in our auctions.
 - Payment Information – for Auction Night
 - We will be accepting payments (U.S. dollars only) by personal checks, money orders, and PayPal. **Our preferred method of payment is PayPal.**
 - **Please use our PayPal address: ethan.vester@gmail.com**
- Please include the lot number(s) you are paying for within the PayPal comment box.

Checks & Money Orders are to be made payable to: Danny Vester and should designate lot number(s) and mailed to:

Spring Hope Chamber of Commerce
c/o Danny Vester
2336 Macedonia Rd
Spring Hope, NC 27882

All personal checks will be held for bank clearing and your seeds will not be shipped to you until your personal check clears the bank. Therefore, PayPal and Money Orders are recommended.

Spring Hope Pumpkin Festival 2025 Seed Auction BigPumpkins.com Should be used for immediate shipping of your seeds. If the winning bidder wants special shipping of their seeds other than regular USPS domestic, the extra shipping costs will be paid by the winning bidder.

All International shipping will be at the actual cost. We will contact you with a dollar for international shipping using your mailing address.

Shipments will be combined for economy.

Spring Hope National Pumpkin Festival GPC Seed Auction 2025

SPRING HOPE, NORTH CAROLINA, USA

Lot # 1 Bushel Gourds (2 sets)

266.5 Harrington (384.5 Terry x self) 2 seeds
294.5 Neptune (343 Kaminski x self) 2 seeds
309 Burchette (384 terry x self) 4% 4 seeds
281 Burchette (384 Terry x open) 3% 4 seeds

Lot #2 Bushel Gourds (2 sets)

414 Trombley (313 Trombley x self) 8% 6 seeds
313 Trombley (384 Terry x 470 Connolly) 4 seeds
450.5 Werner (323 Steiner x sibb) 16% 5 seeds

Lot #3 Long Gourd (2 sets)

151.75 Courson (159 Jutras x self) 3 seeds
145.25 Courson (159 Jutras x self) 3 seeds
144.88 Courson (159 Jutras x self) 3 seeds

Lot #4 Long Gourd (2 sets)

149.19 Jutras (121 Eaton x 135 LeBlanc) 3 seeds
145.88 Jutras (115 Eaton x 121 Eaton) 3 seeds
135.19 Jutras (120 Eaton x 159 Jutras) 3 seeds

Lot #5 Mixed Garden (2 sets)

Giant Zucchini: Harrington 3 seeds
Giant Sunflower head: 24" Zappa 6 seeds
Wide sunflower head seeds 4 seeds
Cantaloupe: Former WR 65.9 Vester 5 seeds

Lot #6 Squash (2 sets)

1415 Jolivette (1109 Jutras x 1264 Pierpoint) 14% 1 seed
988.5 Jolivette (1264 Pierpoint x self) 8% 1 seed
1778 Jutras (1109 Jutras x self) 1 seed

Lot #7 Tomato (2 sets)

7.91 Trombley (6.48 Young x open) 4 seeds
5.28 Ramey (6.21 Gross x open) 5 seeds
4.68 Ramey (6.55 Rodebaugh x open) 6 seeds
4.0 Ramey (9.44 Sutherland x open) 6 seeds
Ramey test no official weight (8.07 Daho cross) 5 seeds

Lot #7B 2022 WR Cantaloupe (2 sets)

76.12 Prochaska Cantaloupe 2022 WR (66.9 Bright x open) 2 seeds
74.28 Prochaska Cantaloupe (59.6 Prochaska x open) 2 seeds

Lot #8 Tomato (2 sets)

5.74 Menting (6.74 Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
5.54 Menting (10.46 LaRue x open) 3 seeds
5.52 Menting (xx Menting x open) 3 seeds
5.50 Menting (6.47 Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
5.41 Menting (8.51 LaRue x open) 3 seeds
5.25 Menting (7.94 LaRue x open) 3 seeds
5.18 Menting (7.44 Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
5.16 Menting (xx Menting 23') 3 seeds
5.10 Menting (11.65 Faust W.R.) 3 seeds
5.00 Menting (7.35 Brown x open) 3 seeds
XX Menting '23 (unknown, grew the 6.62, 5.9, 5.52, 5.16 Menting) 2 seeds

Lot #9 Tomato (2 sets)

6.97 Faust (8.32 Faust x open) 5 seeds
6.72 Faust (7.94 LaRue x open) 5 seeds
6.49 Faust (7.94 LaRue x open) 5 seeds
6.44 Faust (7.92 Faust x open) 5 seeds
5.93 Faust (5.93 LaRue x open) 5 seeds

Lot #10 Tomato (3 sets)

7.74 Menting (5.36 Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
7.02 Menting (7.44 Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
6.62 Menting (XX Menting 23 x open) 3 seeds
6.62 Menting (7.44 Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
6.58 Menting (Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
5.93 Menting (7.44 Jolivette x open) 3 seeds
5.90 Menting (xx Menting x open) 3 seeds

Lot #11 Tomato (2 sets)

9.5 Clayton (6.25 Clayton dmg x open) 2 seeds
8.68 Clayton (5.04 Clayton x open) 4 seeds
7.69 Clayton (6.48 Young x Young) 3 seeds
6.25 Clayton DMG 3 seeds
5.0 Clayton 6 seeds

Lot #12 Tomato (2 sets)

10.2 Jolivette (7.83 Sjodin x open) 4 seeds
6.34 Jolivette (7.83 Sjodin x open) 5 seeds
6.16 Jolivette (7.28 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
6.1 Jolivette DMG (7.06 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
5.97 Jolivette (7.44 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
5.92 Jolivette (7.06 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
5.5 Jolivette (7.28 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
5.36 Jolivette (7.28 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
5.32 Jolivette (7.28 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
5.13 Jolivette (7.06 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
4.59 Jolivette (7.28 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds
4.33 Jolivette (7.28 Jolivette x open) 5 seeds

Lot #13 Tomato (2 sets)

8.17 Yohe (4.62 Meisner x open) 3 seeds
6.51 Yohe (4.62 Meisner x open) 3 seeds
6.44 Yohe (7.40 Johnson x open) 5 seeds
5.09 Yohe (9.06 Brown x open) 4 seeds

Lot #14 Field Pumpkins (2 sets)

180 Gebert (126 Gebert x sib) 6 seeds
126 Gebert (211 MacKinnon x self) 6 seeds
103 Toboyek (268 Baggs x 177 Paul) 2 seeds

Lot #15 Field Pumpkins (2 sets)

177.5 Gould (191 Kapelari x 235 Razo) 8% 1
seed 154 Gould (235 Razo x 191 Kapelari) 1
seed
104.5 Gould (235 Razo x 191 Kapelari/101.5 Radich) 1
seed 166 Yohe (75 Yohe x Sib) 2 seeds
75 Yohe (268 Baggs x self) 3 seeds

Lot # 16 Watermelons (2 sets)

235 Huber (276 Houston x open) 5 seeds
223.1 Huber (276 Houston x open) 4 seeds
217 Huber (267.8 Vial x open) 4 seeds
233.5 Morgan (341 Vial x open) 4 seeds
236.6 Morgan (272 Vial x open) 4 seeds
233 Kent (238 Holloway x open) 2 seeds
274 Rogers (308 Kent x Self) 4 seeds

Lot # 17 Watermelons (2 sets)

253.5 Greenwell (341 Mudd x open) 3 seeds
221 Greenwell (341 Mudd x open) 5 seeds
232 Harrington (210.5 Zappa x 299.4 Dawson) 4 seeds
219.5 Harrington (294 Dawson x 341 Vial) 4 seeds
198 Harrington (146.5 Young x 210.5 Zappa) 4 seeds

Lot #18 Watermelons (2 sets)

268 Bratcher (276.5 Miller x 302 Kent) Oklahoma State Record 2 seeds
224.6 Bratcher (316 Mudd x self) 2 seeds
207 Bratcher (341 Vial x self) 2 seeds
199.7 Bratcher (341.5 Vial x self) 2 seeds

Lot #19 Watermelons (2 sets)

242 Williams (276 Houston x 197 Williams) 4 seeds
273.7 HC Williams (123 Cantrell x self) 4 seeds
249.5 HC Williams (140 Cantrell x self) 2 seeds
249 HC Williams (140 Cantrell x self) 4 seeds

Lot #20 Watermelons (2 sets)

262.7 Crawford (276.8 Miller x 341.5 Vial) Missouri State record 4 seeds
243 Crawford (316 Kent x self) 4 seeds
224.5 Crawford (301.5 McCaslin x self) 4 seeds

Lot #21 Watermelons (2 sets)

289.4 Neptune (341 Vial x 272.5 Neptune) 4 seeds
245 Neptune (291 Kent x 272.5 Neptune) 4 seeds
242.6 Rodebaugh (267.8 Vial x self) West Virginia State record 5 seeds
274 Rogers (308 Kent x self) Mississippi State record 4 seeds
204.6 Rogers (220 Vaughn x self) 4 seeds
255.4 Terry (276.8 Miller x 308 Kent) 4 seeds
270.8 Vaughn (341 Vial x self) 4 seeds

Lot #22 Pumpkins "Goodness Grows in NC" (2 sets)

1709 Allen (1005 Clementz x 558 Ruthruff) 4 seeds
1700 Vester (1665.5 Harrington x 2222 Gienger) 11% 2 seeds

Lot #23 Pumpkins (2 sets)

1844.5 Caspers HDAW (2025.7 Rodebaugh x 2501 Bernstrom) 6% 1 seed
1933.5 Caspers (2501 Bernstrom x 1707.5 Caspers) 2% 1 seed
1286 Caspers (1959.5 Anderson x 2025.7 Rodebaugh) 12% 1 seed

Lot #24 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2048 Ford (2042 Kisamore x 1727 Jacobus) 9% 1 seed
1977 Ford (1727 Jacobus x 2177 Ford) 12% 1 seed
1872 Gebert (2287 Sadiq x self) 10% 3 seeds

Lot #24B Pumpkins

2234 Noel 22 (2183 Mendi x 2096.5 Barron) 19% 1 seed 2144.5
Rodebaugh C (1965.5 Rodebaugh x 1707.5 Caspers) 23% 1 seed
2237.5 Sperry (2198 Sperry x 2465 Sperry) 2 seeds
1864 Sperry (2447 Cutrupi x 2465 Sperry) 2 seeds

Lot #25 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2085 Toboyek (839 Sandercock x 2023 Andrusz) 6% 2
seeds 2062 Swarts (2035 Platte x 1605 Swarts) 15% 1 seed
1490 Swarts (1605 Swarts x 2035 Platte) 8% 1 seed
1397.5 Swarts (1605 Swarts x 2035 Platte) 9% 1 seed

Lot #25B Pumpkins (2 sets)

1655.5 Harrington (1217.5 Vester x 2287 Sadiq) 26% 1 seed 1246
Seelow (839 Sandercock x 2144.5 Rodebaugh) 2 seeds 1139.5
Seelow HDAW (2144.5 Rodebaugh x 2266 Kisamore) 2 seeds 1671
Jutras (2501 Bernstrom x 2465 Sperry) 1 seed

Lot # 26 Pumpkins (2 sets)

1976.5 New HDAW (1783 New x 2006 Wolf) 8% 1
seed 1480 New (1931 Turner x 2006 Wolf) 1% 1 seed
1853 Rouse (1832.5 Graham x 1686.5 Stelts) 1 seed 1396
Rouse DMG (1686.5 Stelts x 1832.5 Graham) 6.5% 1 seed

Lot # 27 Pumpkins

2036.5 King (2006 Wolf x self) 2% 1 seed
2018 Hazeltine (2365 Wolf x 839 Sandercock) 1 seed 1904
Sexton (2501 Bernstrom x 2501 Bernstrom sib) 4% 2 seeds 1886
Sexton HDAW (2388.5 Liggett x 2501 Bernstrom) 3% 1 seed 585
Sexton dmg (1893 Urena x 1783 New) 2 seeds

Lot 27B Pumpkins

2190.5 Kaczenski (1885 Werner x 102 Kaczenski) 5% 1 seed
1556 Kaczenski (2560 Gienger x 1885 Werner) 1 seed 956
Kaczenski (1580.5 Kaczenski x 1885 Werner) 1 seed 412
Kaczenski (102 Kaczenski x 848 MacKenzie*) 1 seed

Lot # 28 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2197.8 Nelson (2266 Kisamore x 1917 Wolf) 9% 1 seed
1818 Nelson (1686 Stelts x 2404 Barron) 13% 1 seed
1727 Nelson HD (1917 Wolf x 2266 Kisamore) 2 seeds
1512 Nelson (2404 Barron x 1917 Wolf) 6% 1 seed

Lot #29 Pumpkins (2 sets)

1947 Sherwood (2365 Wolf x 2243 Stelts) 1 seed
1864 Sperry (2447 Cutrupi x 2465.5 Sperry) 10% 2 seeds
2237.5 Sperry (2198 Sperry x 2465.5 Sperry) 3% 2 seeds

Lot #30 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2196 Zappa (839 Sandercock x 2144 Barron) 5% 2 seeds
1692.5 Zappa (2315 Zappa x 1321 Sandercock) 3% 2 seeds
2315 Zappa DMG 2023 (2144 Barron x 2405 Gunstrom) 2 seeds

Lot #31 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2201 Trombley (2042 Kisamore x 2501 Bernstrom) 8% 2 seeds
1978 Trombley (2424 Caspers x 2501 Bernstrom) 4% 2 seeds
1677 Trombley (2283 Trombley x 2424 Caspers) 3% 2 seeds

Lot # 32 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2206.1 Rodebaugh C (1965.5 Rodebaugh x 2365 Wolf) 12% 1 seed
2144.5 Rodebaugh C (1965.5 Rodebaugh x 1707.5 Caspers) 23% 1 seed
764 Rodebaugh C (2025.7 Rodebaugh x 2365 Wolf) 6% 2 seeds

Lot #33 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2190 Bledsoe (2560 Gienger x 2560 Gienger sib) 1 seed
2083 Bledsoe (2560 Gienger x 2287 Sadiq) 1 seed
1955 Bledsoe (2287 Sadiq x 2365 Wolf) 11% 1 seed

Lot #34 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2141 Arruda (2154 Sperry x 2464 Sperry) 7% 3 seeds
2084.5 Bassett (2610.3 Petrelli x 2480 Graham) 1% 1 seed
1762 Bassett (2480 Graham x 2610.3 Petrelli) 9% 1 seed
1683 Bassett (2501 Bernstrom x 2610.3 Petrelli) 6% 1 seed

Lot # 35 Pumpkins "Father & son"

1461 Rodebaugh C "Ruby" (2350 Gienger x 2350 Gienger) 1% 1 seed
1858.5 Rodebaugh AI NCSF HDAW (1620 Pritchard x self) 1 seed

Lot #36 "RUBY"

1461 Rodebaugh C "Ruby" (2350 Gienger x 2350 Gienger) 1% 1 seed

Lot #37 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2144.5 Rodebaugh C (1965.5 Rodebaugh x 1707.5 Caspers) 23% 1 seed
889 Ramey (2194.4 Cyrus x 1965 Rodebaugh) 1 seed
1526 Burchette 21 (2118 Barron 19 x 1342 Burchette17) 26% 2 seeds

Lot #38 (2 sets)

2147 Marshall (2183.7 Mendi x 2365 Wolf) 10% 1 seed
2035 Marshall (2023.5 Marshall x 2147 Marshall) 12% 2 seeds
2023.5 Marshall (2147 Marshall x 1885.5 Werner) 8% 2 seeds

Lot #39 (4 sets)

2226.5 Hornstra (2365 Wolf x 2560 Gienger) 3% 1 seed
2021 Hornstra (2560 Gienger x 2365 Wolf) 5% 1 seed

Lot #40 (2 sets)

2260 Isabelle (1683 Geddes x self) 6% 1 seed
2289 Laub (900 Corbin x 1940 Urena) 12% 2 seeds
2189 Laub (2222Gienger x 1940 Urena) 1% 1 seed
1838 Laub (1940 Urena x 900 Corbin) 4% 2 seeds

Butternut Squash Lot #41 (2 sets)

2023 World Record Butternut squash 131.4 (103 Jarosh x 131.4 Loris) 2 seeds

Lot #41B LIFTING TARP

Strapless GZ Lifter:

A made to order strapless lifting tarp for growers, designed by a grower. This extremely durable material will not rip or stretch, allowing many years of use. Waterproof and cleans with a wipe, this lifter securely rolls up for easy storage. At 38x 54 inches the strapless lifter comes in a multitude of colors and can be ordered as a strapped or strapless lifter. The lifter tonight is a green strapless lifter. If you don't win this at auction visit: www.amazon.com/BeOrganics for more information. Minimum bid is \$75



Lot #42 Watermelons (2 sets)

- 272 Mudd 2024 (325.4 Mudd x self) 2 seeds
- 341 Mudd 2019 (302 Kent x self) 2 seeds
- 333.5 Mudd 2019 (305 Mudd x self) 2 seeds
- 316 Mudd 2019 (199.5 Mudd x self) 2 seeds
- 293.5 Mudd 2019 (305 Mudd x self) 2 seeds

Lot # 43 Watermelons (2 sets)

- 211 Kent (308 Kent x 249 Kent) 2 seeds
- 233 Kent (238 Holloway x open) 2 seeds
- 247 Kent (287 Kent x 218.5 Vial) 8% 2 seeds
- 308 Kent 23 (302 Kent x 274 Kent) 2 seeds
- 315.5 Kent 17 (302 Kent x sibb) 2 seeds
- 316 Kent 17 (302 Kent x sibb) 2 seeds
- 318.5 Kent 16 (302 Kent x 242 Kent) 2 seeds

Lot #44 Watermelons (2 sets)

341 Vial (330.5 Vial x 316 Edwards) 2 seeds
330.5 Vial (302 Kent x 302 Kent) 2 seeds
267.8 Vial (255 Mitchell x sib) 2 seeds
258.6 Vial (308 Kent x 299 Dawson) 2 seeds
235 Vial (330.5 Vial x sib) 2 seeds

Lot # 45 Watermelons (2 sets)

309.5 McCaslin (242 Wolf x self) 3% 4 seeds
276.2 McCaslin (276.8 Miller x self) 11% 4 seeds
262.2 McCaslin (308 Kent x 299 Dawson) 10% 4 seeds
256 McCaslin (146.5 Young x self) 6% 4 seeds

Lot #46 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2464 Stelts (2365 Wolf x 2376 Stelts) 5% 1 seed
2381 Stelts (2266 Kisamore x 2143 Stelts) 10% 1 seed
1791 Stelts (2227 Stelts x 2144 Barron) 9% 1 seed

Lot #47 Pumpkins

2245 Andrusz 23 (2365 Wolf x 2554 Andrusz) 1 seed
2023 Andrusz 23 (2554 Andrusz x 2365) 2% 1 seed
613.5 Andrusz (2551 Andrusz x 2554 Andrusz) 1 seed

Lot #48 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2342.5 Andrusz HDAW (2554 Andrusz x 1975 Fleiser) 15% 1 seed
2251 Andrusz 23 (2405 Gunstrom x 2365 Wolf) 11% 1 seed

Lot # 49 Pumpkins

2424 Caspers (1707.5 Caspers x 2702.9 Cutrupi) 5% 1 seed

Lot #50 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2207 Wallace (2344.5Wallace x 2365 Wolf) 1% 1 seed
2125.5 Wallace (2365 Wolf x 2344.5 Wallace) 2% 1 seed

Lot #51 Pumpkins

2369.5 Werner HDAW (1865 Werner x 2447.1 Cutrupi) 22% 1 seed
2297 Werner (1885.5 Werner x 2560 Gienger) 6% 1 seed

Lot #52 Pumpkins

2453 Sherwood HDAW (2069 Stelts x 1620 Pritchard) 9% 1 seed
1997 Sherwood (1953 Daletas x2365 Wolf) 1 seed
1807.5 Sherwood (2425 Daletas x 2243 Stelts) 1 seed

Lot #53 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2465 Dawson (2560 Gienger x 2006 Wolf) 5% 1
seed 610 Dawson (2266 Kisamore x 2006 wolf) 1
seed

Lot #54 Pumpkins

2501 Bernstrom (2560 Gienger x 1989 Conway) 1 seed

Lot #55 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2457 LeBlanc (2147 Marshall x 2222 Gienger) 19% 1 seed

Lot #56 Pumpkins

2471 Gienger (2365 Wolf x 2222 Gienger) 5% 1 seed
1783 Gienger DMG (2222 Gienger x 2560 Gienger) 1
seed

Lot #57 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2297 Werner (1885.5 Werner x 2560 Gienger) 6% 1 seed
2250 Schmidt (2501 Bernstorm x 2520 Schmidt) 9% 1
seed

Lot # 58 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2471 Noel DMG (2198 Sperry x 2234 Noel) 20% 2
seeds 1925.5 Noel (1468 Urena x 2234 Noel) 12% 2
seeds 1921 Noel (2234 Noel x 2198 Sperry) 26% 1 seed

Lot #59 Pumpkins

2465.5 Sperry (2365 Wolf x 1832 Graham) 13% 1 seed

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Lot #60 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2551 Ford (2177 Ford x 2042 Kisamore) 26% 1 seed

Lot #61 Pumpkins (2 sets)

2670 Thompson (2465.5 Sperry x 2560 Gienger) 13% 1 seed

Lot #62 "Grower of the Year" (2 sets)

2731.5 Stelts (2144 Barron x 2143 Stelts) 18% 1 seed

2531 Stelts (2376 Stelts x 2344 Wallace) 8% 1 seed