Ploughman Cider continues statewide 10th anniversary tour, building to CIDERNALIA X

Six December events across the Commonwealth, from a tap takeover with piano-bar requests to an oyster pop-up, all lead up to the tenth annual all-day CIDERNALIA celebration at the National Apple Museum



Gettysburg, Pennsylvania Nov 24, 2026 (Issuewire.com**)** - Ploughman Cider's tenth-anniversary season, which began in September, is about to hit full stride. Throughout December, the Adams County-based cidery will host a run of celebrations across Pennsylvania, building to CIDERNALIA X, the tenth annual all-day anniversary party, on **Saturday, December 12** at the National Apple Museum in Biglerville, PA.

Reflecting on the cornerstone anniversary event, Ben Wenk, seventh-generation farmer and Ploughman Cider Owner said:

“CIDERNALIA has always been our way of thanking all the folks who have made Ploughman Cider what it is. From the community who has stood with us to our incredible team and all the great accounts who have supported us, we're grateful for all of them.

This year's celebration is extra special as we pass the 10 year milestone. We've got a lot to celebrate despite the bad frost year here in Adams County. And we invite everyone to join us in Biglerville for

great music, great food, and great cider in exemplary company. We're also proud to support South Mountain Partnership with a portion of the proceeds from the event."

As previously announced, Ploughman is marking a decade in business and a year since opening their second taproom, Pip's in Philadelphia's Fishtown, by choosing celebration in a year when a spring freeze devastated the region's fruit crop. The events below bring that celebration to the community that has supported the cidery since its first bottling in 2016.

The cornerstone: CIDERNALIA X

Saturday, December 12, 2026 | 12—11 PM

National Apple Museum, Biglerville, PA

CIDERNALIA is Ploughman's signature annual party, and its tenth edition is the centerpiece of the anniversary season. Set in the heart of Adams County's Fruit Belt, just minutes from the family-run orchard, **Three Springs Fruit Farm**, where every Ploughman cider begins, the National Apple Museum will serve as the backdrop for a full day celebrating Ploughman ciders and perries, plus local food and a full lineup of live music. With each ticket, guests will receive a commemorative glass and the first cider free. Youth under 12 are free, and a portion of the event proceeds will benefit the **South Mountain Partnership**.

Performing artists will include: The Herd of Main Street, SüperMütt, For Us and You, The Clark Mclane band, Cumberland Honey, Chuck Darwin and the Knuckeldraggers, The Sway, and more to be announced. More details and tickets are available at **ploughmancider.com/cidernalia-x.**

Anniversary events bookending CIDERNALIA X:

Tenth Anniversary Celebration at Monk's Café

Wednesday, December 2, 2026 | 11:30 AM — 11:30 PM

Monk's Café, Philadelphia

The anniversary date itself, ten years to the day since Ploughman bottled its first cider, will be marked at one of Philadelphia's best-known craft beverage destinations. Special pours will be available all day, and the Ploughman crew will join the celebration in person by 6PM.

Thursday Jam Night Revival: Ploughman Turns 10

Thursday, December 3, 2026 | 5—8 PM

Garryowen Irish Pub, Gettysburg, PA

A Ploughman tap takeover, with Ben Wenk fielding song requests piano-bar style outside the pub's back bar.

Surf & Turf Sunday: Anniversary Party

Sunday, December 6,2026 | 2 PM — 2 AM

Pip's | Philadelphia, PA

Pip's, Ploughman's Fishtown cider bar, celebrates its own first anniversary alongside Ploughman's tenth. Sweet Amalia will host an oyster pop-up (time TBD) for a high-brow / low-brow surf-and-turf pairing with Pip's house hot dogs. It's a come-as-you-are, pay-as-you-go event.

CIDERNALIA X

Saturday, December 12, 2026 | 12—11 PM

National Apple Museum | Biglerville, PA

(See above)

Ploughman 10 Yrs: Rare Cider Celebration

Thursday, December 17, 2026 | 6—8 PM

Bulls Head Public House | Lititz, PA

A tap takeover event plus exclusive bottled pours from the Ploughman vault, including: Rising Sun (cider with ginger), Spiced Sangria CIDERNALIA '24 (spiced anniversary '24 blend) and Hemiola (still, barrel-aged crabapple blend).

Diamond Anniversary Jam

Sunday, December 20, 2026 | ~4 PM

Spirit | Pittsburgh, PA

The celebration season closes in Pittsburgh's Lawrenceville neighborhood with live music from Chuck Darwin & The Knuckle Draggers and Third Set Jerry after the Steelers game wraps around 4 PM. Tickets available at ploughmancider.ticketspice.com/diamond-anniversary-jam

About Ploughman Cider
Located in the renowned "Fruit Belt" of Adams County, Pennsylvania, Ploughman Cider crafts ciders and perries from its own family-owned and -operated fruit orchard, where the Wenk family has tended the land for more than 200 years. Ploughman's lineup is directly tied to the rhythms of the farm, with apple varieties cultivated specifically for cidermaking alongside other specialty crops, resulting in a product range as rich, dynamic, and abundant as the farm itself. Ploughman balances cutting-edge innovation with a commitment to tradition, authenticity, and quality—never cutting corners or using engineered essences, flavors, or artificial nonsense—and that passion comes through in every product it makes. Learn more at ***ploughmancider.com****.*







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