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Halloween

Events

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Family

Fun

Veda Roser, 9, enjoys a visit to the Pumpkin Patch on Sauvie Island where families get into the harvest season with several fall attractions, including hay rides, a fresh produce market, and a popular cornfield maze. **See inside for coverage of Halloween and harvest festival events plus a calendar of special activities on page 8.**

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