

FIELD OF SCREAMS

On Saturday September 12th, 2020, The Haunt Rater kicked off the 2020 season with Field of Screams located in Mountville, PA. What a year 2020 has been so far. It will be interesting to see how haunts handle the obstacle known as Covid-19! FOS in our opinion has handled it quite well. They are sanitizing wagons after each group, disinfecting handrails and other "high-touch" touch areas. FOS also has hand sanitizer stations set up throughout the attraction, and you are encouraged to use them. One of the outstanding precautions they are taking is online only ticket sales. Tickets are sold for a specific date and time. Co-owner Jim Schopf says October will sell out and once tickets are gone, they are gone. FOS is a safe place to get scared so purchase your tickets now while there are still some left! Now onto the review.

Den of Darkness

As usual we started our night at FOS with the Den of Darkness. As we made our way through the house, the creatures of the dark began taunting and torturing us. The rancid smells of the damned flowed throughout the Den. We tried to make our way through the demented house but are greeted by ghosts and monsters that the Den of Darkness provides. As we frantically escaped the Den of Darkness, we were tormented by a chainsaw wielding maniac. The Den of Darkness literally is hell on earth!

Frightmare Asylum

Our 2nd stop of the evening was at the Frightmare Asylum. All hell has broken loose at Frightmare Asylum and the inmates were running the Asylum! When you enter, your true fears are unleashed and no matter which turn you take there is no way of knowing what awaits you. The demons and freaks of this asylum would make the deepest part of Hell look like a wonderland. Frightmare Asylum unleashed its true monstrosities upon us, and we barely made it out alive!

Nocturnal Wasteland

Next, we made our way to *Nocturnal Wasteland* and it looks like someone may have gotten a makeover... *Nocturnal Wasteland* has a slightly different layout this season. We ventured along the twists and turns of terror throughout the Wasteland. The crossover between the Hayride and Wasteland was a sight to see as the pyrotechnics were going off right in front of us as we passed by. *Nocturnal Wasteland* delivers the fears we have been waiting for since last October and is our favorite for the evening!

Haunted Hayride

Our journey ends with the *Haunted Hayride*. What a beautiful night to kickback and relax on a nice Hayride. "I don't think so" *insert evil laugh here* says the creatures, clowns, and hillbillies! The updated hayride certainly has you wondering your life choices as you cruise along the trails. The *Haunted Hayride* is filled with creatures and monster you never knew existed and regret learning of their existence. The *Haunted Hayride* is a terror on wheels.

FOS did an amazing job scaring us and caring about everyone's safety at the same time! Well Done!



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