

## YOUR GUIDE TO FALL DECOR



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# SPICE UP your style

From wire reports

As the glorious days of summer slip into crisp evenings, the changing colors trigger a transition in seasonal décor. A seasonal home makeover doesn't need to cost a fortune or be difficult to execute. Quick, easy and innovative ideas can give your home the fall flair needed to celebrate the season.

"Seasonal décor updates should jive with your home's style, while also adding something extra to the mix," said Eric Cohler, who has been listed as a top international designer by House Beautiful and Elle Décor magazines. "Keep it easy though, so that when the season is over, you won't end up with a lack of motivation to refresh and a space that feels passé."

If you're looking to update your home decor this fall, you'll find new furniture profiles, accents and textures galore, in everything from rugs to wall coverings to ceramics and bedding.

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The trend toward mixing things up continues, from rustic to contemporary with a dash of traditional.

"What's interesting is the warm breath of traditional style that infuses the season's midcentury influence: Furniture, textiles and accessories, no matter how sleek-lined, are warm, inviting and touchable," said New York designer Elaine Griffin.

**A DESIRE FOR AUTHENTICITY:** Also coming on is the handmade or "collected" vibe.



Pottery Barn

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## Get ready for the midstate's first Pretzel Week

Midstate residents loves pretzels. From doughy, oversized, pretzel appetizers to pretzel-roll sandwiches and even sweet, chocolate-covered pretzels, it is hard to avoid the snack.

To celebrate the favorite food, PennLive/The Patriot-News will host the midstate's first Pretzel Week from Monday to Oct. 4 with features and recipes online and in print. Meanwhile, 10 midstate restaurants will highlight pretzel dishes.

Collect stickers from each restaurant as you eat your way through the week, add them to your Pretzel Week Passport and you could be eligible for prizes, including Visa cards. Passports will be available for download starting Saturday.



### PARTICIPATING RESTAURANTS

- » York City Pretzel Co.
- » Duke's Riverside Bar & Grille
- » Appalachian Brewing Co.
- » Philly Pretzel Factory
- » Intercourse Pretzel Co.
- » Smittie's Soft Pretzels
- » Stocks on 2nd
- » Dockside Willies Grill
- » Rock Bass Grill
- » Julius Sturgis Pretzel Bakery

Find more details at [www.thepamediagroup.com/pretzel-week-is-coming](http://www.thepamediagroup.com/pretzel-week-is-coming). Check back for updates on Pretzel Week, including the full list of pretzel menu items.

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## Old haunts offer fresh scares

Harrisburg's Asylum Run and Kim's Krypt Haunted Mill in Spring Grove open Friday; here's what's new.

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Two area haunted attractions will open for the Halloween season Friday.

Asylum Run in Harrisburg is boasting three new attractions, according to man-

### ONLINE

See what's new at Field of Screams, Shocktoberfest, Jason's Woods and Halloween Park at [pennlive.com/entertainment](http://pennlive.com/entertainment).

ager Raelee Shafer Hockenberry. "We've changed our themes a bit," Hockenberry said. "We've changed it from the 'Doctor Lazarus' theme to a funhouse theme — sideshow rejects."

The theme has turned the haunted house into a creepy funhouse, the barn into a freak show and the field has become

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