The Training Post-Fall 2021

**Question Corner:** What is your favorite fall activity or hobby?

Pumpkin lattes  
Kris Chichester  
LPS  

Leaf Peeping!  
Amy Dixon  
DOBI  

Garden clean up and bulbs planting for colorful spring.  
Biljana Abbud  
Treasury  

Preparing and drinking hot apple cider  
Mohammad Aminul Islam  
DOT  

Hayrides  
Stephanie Gee  
DOH  

Camping and hiking  
Sharon Crist  
DCF-DCP&P  

Walking and looking on colorful leaves. Breath fresh air.  
Mary Ann Elivera  
DOH  

Apple picking  
Ellis Jones  
NJSDA  

Hiking  
Cheryl Boknosi  
DOH  

Cycling  
Tomothy Witteman  
DCA  

Hiking  
Jennifer Gardner  
DEP  

Exploring Fall Foliage  
Rhonda Stuckey  
DCF  

I love picking apples with my family at a local farm.  
Gwen Tyler  
NJEDA  

Apple picking!  
Honey Barry  
OPD  

Hiking  
Kathleen Burkhard  
DEP  

Hiking  
Anne Pushkal  
DCP&P-Ocean North  

Pumpkin picking  
Jessica Fitzpatrick  
DOT  

Catchball, its similar to volleyball  
Erlisa Levin  
Agriculture  

Painting pumpkins with the kids in the family.  
Jade Ortiz  
Treasury  

Going apple picking with my family  
Tricia Giordano  
DOH  

Pumpkin picking  
Leatrice Addison  
DOL  

Fall foliage mountain photography  
Karn Hansen  
OIT  

Definitely hiking and enjoying the fall colors  
Jackie Chadwick  
DOH  

Camping in Belleplain State Forest  
Lynne Dewitt  
DOc
Walking in the woods

Pamela Kelly

DOH

Fallball-Watching my son play fall baseball

Alesha Lipsett

DOL

Long country drives, stopping along the way to explore new trails, parks and other outdoor activities. There’s always someplace new to explore!

Joanne Hughes

DOT

Hiking, it’s good exercise, weather is cooler, and the colors are beautiful.

Denise Sawitsch

DMAVA

My favorite activity is the immersion in experiencing the changes a new season brings. On a cool, crisp morning I find myself engaged using the senses to experience the fall season. I enjoy walking around the local park, or even a farm to see creamy white stalks of maize, and various hues of pumpkins being picked. Ahh, the crunch of the sour Granny Smith Apple, and the added sweetness of the caramel dip. The smell of cider in the air, and seeing the red, orange, and yellow leaves of the foliage. Experiencing a change of season, moving from one stage to another, all the while staying in touch with the world around us.

Karl Miller

MVC

Walking in the woods, in the solitude and coolness of mornings, taking in the beauty of the season and its beautiful colors, with its own unique earthy scent, hearing the crunching of leaves under your feet, feeling the cool air on your face and if you close your eyes, you may even taste the warmth of pumpkin flavored coffee.

Katiusca McEntee

DOH

Do I have to choose only one? :) Cooking, decorating, and spending time with family/friends!

Virginia Wheatley

DOH

I like driving along the Delaware coast from the beginning of Route 9 to the end and seeing the migratory birds such as snow geese, farmers working on their fields, and seeing an occasional bald eagle in the fields.

Dale Chiacchio

DOT

Going to the Sunflower farm for fresh flowers and family pictures.

Shannon Lain

DCF

Taking a hike through our state parks and seeing the colors change during this time.

Jocelyn Tarn

DMAVA

Nature walk and driving into the suburbs and admiring the change of the colors of the leaves

Evelyn Ngwa

DOH

Visiting a farm and finding my way through a corn maze especially at night with a flashlight!

Kimberly Martin

DOL

Going to the pumpkin patch for the day to enjoy hay rides, corn mazes, farmer’s market, apple picking, and the petting zoo.

Shakirah Gardner

DOL
Sitting around the fire pit and drinking hot chocolate... love that smell.
Danni Scholl
Treasury

I enjoy going for a pre-breakfast run followed by pumpkin pancakes at a local diner.
Kimberly Strong
DOH

I enjoy going to craft fairs/shows. It gives me the chance to do some early Christmas shopping and to purchase one of a kind items!
Dina Leach
DOC

Outdoor Yoga
Charlene Cusack
DOC