

ANNOUNCEMENT: New Retail Hours!

Do you have questions about 5Heart Earthworm Farm that you'd love to ask us? Or, perhaps you would like to purchase some Premium Worm Castings straight from the source. Better yet, you want to see our earthworms up close and see what we do at the farm! Well, you're in luck! Our new spring retail hours make it easier for you to drop by and see us!

We now have the following retail hours, where you can stop in without an appointment to buy Premium Worm Castings, take a short tour, or ask us questions:

Tuesdays & Thursdays 12pm - 6pm

10161 S. Beyer Rd. Birch Run, MI 48415

Other days of the week are by appointment only. You can schedule an appointment at www.5heartwormfarm.com!

What We've Been Up To

On top of the various info booths, individual tours, and small-scale workshops 5Heart has hosted this past year, we've been out and about spreading the word about the benefits of composting and using Premium Worm Castings! Take a look below at some of the things we've been up to for the past few months:

October 21

5Heart Earthworm Festival

5Heart Farthworm Farm

Our 2nd Annual Earthworm Festival drew a great crowd with a variety of activities and entertainment! This included tours of the farm and our operations, composting and worm bin workshops, a petting zoo, and so much more. Mark your calendar now to attend the 3rd Annual Earthworm Festival on Saturday, October 19, 2024!

October 29

Halloween Bash Trunk or Treating

Midland Recyclers

Trick-or-treaters could find the 5Heart booth at the Midland Recyclers Halloween Bash fundraising event! We gave out candy for the kids and some free samples of Premium Worm Castings for the adults. It's always a pleasure to take part in each season's local family fun events!





December 15

Employee Holiday Party

5Heart Earthworm Farm

The 5Heart team loves to come together throughout the year to celebrate our achievements! Last year's employee holiday party included a painting class, fun games, delicious food, and a white elephant gift exchange. It was a special time to show our appreciation for each and every member of the team. Keep up the great work, everyone!







Learn with the Worms

Check out upcoming 5Heart events and activities below.

April 27, 2024 9:30am - 11:30am

Composting & Indoor Worm Bin Workshop

5Heart Earthworm Farm

Join Sarah Archer (owner of 5Heart Earthworm Farm) and Amy
Freeman (Organics and Composting Maven, Resource Conservationist) as we host another round of FREE workshops to celebrate Earth Month and the coming of International Compost Awareness Week (May 5-11)! Learn about the process of reducing food waste through backyard composting and setting up, maintaining,

April 30 - May 2, 2024

Michigan Recycling Coalition 42nd Annual Recycling & Organics Conference

Port Huron, MI

The 5Heart Earthworm Farm crew will be setting up another booth at this year's MRC Conference! This annual event provides an amazing opportunity for us to network with like-minded professionals in the waste, recycling and organics (composting) field and spread the word about the services and educational events 5Heart has to offer (and don't forget the Premium Worm Castings!).

and harvesting from your own worm bin.

Please register in advance for this free event. You can register <u>here!</u> Learn more about the conference and this year's panels on the MRC website.



JOIN US FOR A WORM FARM TOUR FOLLOWING THE WORKSHOP!



June 8, 2024 10am - 11am *Castings for Sale on-Site: 11am - 3pm*

Indoor Worm Bin Workshop

Abele Greenhouse & Garden Center 3500 Wadsworth Rd, Saginaw, MI 48601

Worm bins are growing in popularity as a method of reducing the amount of food waste thrown out across America. It even produces a rich source of natural nutrients for your plants! Learn what you can put in a worm bin, how to harvest the castings, and more with Sarah Archer in this FREE educational workshop!

More information regarding this workshop will be released as it grows closer. Keep an eye on our <u>Events page</u> for more info in the coming months!



June 11, 2024 8am - 4pm

Michigan Garden Clubs State Conference

DoubleTree by Hilton Bay City Riverfront

This 93rd annual conference by the Michigan Garden Clubs has the theme of *Smitten with the Mitten: Shore to Shore*. Attendees will learn about landscape design, sustainability, groundwater, and so much more on top of a professional networking experience!

The Michigan Garden Clubs provide leadership and education, resources, and network opportunities for its members to promote the love of gardening, as well as floral and landscape design.



June 24 - October 7, 2024 4pm -7pm *Mondays Only*

Thomas Twp. Farmers Market

Robert's Park 455 S. Miller Rd., Saginaw, MI 48609

Find us among the many vendors, crafters, and farmers at the Thomas Township Farmers Market. We will be selling our Premium Worm Castings in quart jar and 5-gallon bucket sizes. This open-air pavilion even contains live music and a food truck on market days!

Find additional information about the Thomas Township Farmers Market here.



August 7, 2024 8:30am - 4:00pm

Summer Day Camp

5Heart Earthworm Farm

Do you know a child who loves worms and would like to be a worm scientist for a day? Our Summer Day Camp is the perfect opportunity for 8-12 year olds to explore the worm farm, see worms in action and learn how they can make an impact on our environment. After spending a day with us, the day campers will gain a new appreciation for our wiggly friends and playing in the dirt!

This outdoor day camp will be rain or shine - be sure to dress for the weather!

Register a child for this event <u>here</u> or visit our <u>Events page</u> for more information.







Did you know you can also find our upcoming events at the <u>5Heart website</u> on our <u>Events</u> <u>page</u>? Check it out for more details about festivals, workshops and more!

Premium Worm Castings for Sale



Click here to order yours today!

Add 5Heart Premium Worm Castings to your planting area and watch your plants thrive!

The perfect soil-enhancer for your garden, indoor plants, and more, our **Premium Worm Castings** contain organic micronutrients that will benefit and support your soil's natural efficiency. We feed local vegetative food scraps to our earthworms to produce a highquality fertilizer alternative.

Where do these food scraps come from, you ask? Residents and local businesses, of course! If you would like your vegetative food scraps to become a part of the Give A Scrap residential pickup program, click here to learn more!

Quart Jar: \$7 | 5-Gallon Bucket: \$40 Ask us about bulk pricing!

FREE DELIVERY for all orders within 30 miles of Birch Run.

Here are the retail locations where *Premium Worm* Castings are currently sold in-store:

Healthy Habitz

Frankenmuth, MI (Quart Jars Only)

Recycle Livingston

Howell, MI (5-Gallon Buckets Only)

Would you like to see 5Heart Premium Worm Castings sold at your favorite garden supplier? Be sure to let us know! We'd love to add them to our growing list of distributors. Thank you!

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