



# Harvest Moon: Home Sweet Home Special Edition is Available for Digital Pre-order on Switch, PlayStation 5, and Xbox Series X

Receive the Welcome Care Package as a Pre-Order Bonus

Burlingame, CA. – September 25, 2025 – Natsume Inc., a worldwide developer and publisher of family-oriented video games, today announced that *Harvest Moon: Home Sweet Home Special Edition* is available now for digital pre-order on Nintendo Switch, PlayStation 5, and Xbox Series X worldwide. This latest entry in the *Harvest Moon* series releases on October 30, 2025.

Pre-order now to get the Welcome Care Package (digital content), the head start that any good farmer needs! The Welcome Care Package includes:

- An extra \$3000 to start your farming adventure!
- 10 Turnip Seeds, 10 Onion Seeds, and 10 Cabbage Seeds!
- 10 Daisy Seeds and 10 Marguerite Seeds!



#### **Return To Your Roots!**

Harvest Moon: Home Sweet Home Special Edition invites you to leave behind the hustle and bustle of city life for the charm and simplicity of Alba Village — your childhood hometown. Nestled among lush greenery and sparkling rivers, Alba is known for its freshcaught fish, delicious homegrown veggies, and warm-hearted community.

But Alba has seen better days. With a dwindling population and an aging community, the village is in need of a fresh start. It's up to you to breathe new life into Alba and transform it into a thriving, welcoming place once again. Reconnect with old friends, meet new faces, and help turn this quiet village into a lively haven for tourists and future residents alike!

Are you up for the challenge?

# **Key Features:**

**Build Meaningful Relationships** - Meet a cast of lovable bachelors and bachelorettes—including two fan favorites, Ella and Nikolai from *Harvest Moon: The Winds of Anthos!* Fall in love and marry whoever your heart desires. Deepen friendships through daily interactions, thoughtful gifts, and story-driven heart events that reveal more about each character's life and dreams.

**Farm, Fish, and Forge a New Life** - Grow a variety of seasonal crops, care for adorable animals like cows, chickens, and sheep, and unlock upgrades to expand your farm. Go fishing in serene rivers, explore hidden caves to mine rare ores, and complete requests from villagers to earn rewards and improve your reputation.

**Grow Alba with Happiness** - Gather and spread Happiness, a unique resource that reflects your positive impact on the village. The more Happiness you collect, the more Alba transforms—unlocking new buildings, businesses, special events, and even encouraging old residents to return or new ones to move in.

**Celebrate Community** - Participate in exciting seasonal festivals, fun contests, and local traditions that showcase Alba's unique culture. Horse racing, fishing tournaments, flower festivals, and more await—each offering mini-games, prizes, and deeper connections with the community.

**Explore Faster Than Ever** - Zip through town with Doc Jr.'s Hoverbike 5000, a handy hover scooter perfect for completing daily chores, making deliveries, or simply taking in the scenic beauty of Alba. Travel faster, do more, and enjoy new levels of convenience!

The Natsume Store is offering an exclusive pre-order bonus – an acrylic standee featuring the upcoming game's box art. The box art shows off the Hoverbike 5000, a new Doc Jr. invention only available in *Harvest Moon: Home Sweet Home Special Edition*. Pre-order a physical copy for Nintendo Switch and PlayStation 5 <a href="here">here</a> to receive the exclusive pre-order bonus.

### **ABOUT HARVEST MOON:**

The first game in the series was released in North America in 1997 and has continued to see a steady rise of popularity and players, making it one of today's most beloved franchises. *Harvest Moon* is revered for being a non-violent, family-oriented game for everyone, and there have been more than 30 games released in the series.

Players can follow the latest news for all of the beloved Natsume franchises at <a href="www.natsume.com">www.natsume.com</a> and get a scoop on all of the latest Natsume updates, contests, screen shots and more at:

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#### **About Natsume Inc.**

Natsume Inc. is a worldwide developer and publisher that specialize in unique and family-oriented interactive entertainment software for a variety of platforms. Most known for publishing Reel Fishing and Harvest Moon, Natsume is dedicated to producing quality video games. For more information about Natsume Inc. visit <a href="https://www.natsume.com">www.natsume.com</a>

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