

2020 Creston Downtown District Scarecrow Decorating Contest & Fall Celebration Form

The Fall Celebration is on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31ST. and is a family-friendly celebration that will begin at 5pm. and end at 8pm. with Trick or Treating downtown and in residential neighborhoods from 5pm. – 7pm. Costume judging at the Creston Community Center @7pm. and Scarecrow judging @ 7:30pm.

BUSINESSES, FAMILIES AND ORGANIZATIONS that would like to take part in the 2020 Creston Scarecrow Decorating Contest have until SEPTEMBER 11TH. to sign up for a slot to secure a downtown flowerpot.

Participants will be assigned a flowerpot by the Creston Garden Club on a first-come, first-served basis. To secure a flowerpot for decorating call Toni Phillips at 330-435-4126.

All scarecrows and decorations must be completed and in place by OCTOBER 4TH.

The top 10 winning scarecrows will be announced from the front porch of the Municipal Building during the Creston Fall Celebration on Saturday, October 31ST.

Prizes are sponsored by The Village of Creston and include:

1st. Prize - \$75.00

4th. Prize - \$30.00

2nd. Prize - \$50.00

Six Honorable Mentions - \$10.00 each

3rd. Prize - \$40.00

Here are the rules:

- Do not move flowerpots.
- No Halloween or scary figures.
- Designs must be family friendly and of appropriate content.
- Scarecrows and decorations must be secured firmly in the pots to withstand the elements, but without damaging the flowerpots.
- Scarecrows must be in or attached to the pot assigned.
- The Village will remove summer flowers from the pots beginning September 16th. The flowerpots will be available for decorating September 19th.
- Scarecrows must be in place by October 4th.
- All entries must be removed between November 1 – 6. Entries not removed by November 6th. will be disposed of.
- Do not remove any soil from the pots.
- To secure a flowerpot for decorating call Toni Phillips @ 330-435-4126.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO WEAR A MASK AND PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING