2013 Halloween Contests Rules

Costume Contest

Join in the fun! Student Alliance will be hosting a Halloween Costume Contest. Even if you don’t plan on entering, please vote for your favorite student costume by liking the photo of it on the Student Alliance Facebook page. A photo album will be set up labeled Halloween Costume Contest. Choose your favorite costume between 2:00 and 4:00 pm. See more rules and info below.

Timeline

- **10 am – 1 pm**: Costumed entrants photographed in the East End
- **2 – 4 pm**: Voting begins on the Student Alliance Facebook page or in-person at the Wall of Fame
- **4 pm**: Winners of Costume and Pumpkin Carving contests announced

Prizes

Winners for the contest will receive Amazon gift cards in the amounts listed below:
- 1st Place $200
- 2nd Place $100
- 3rd Place $50

Costume Contest Rules:

- Contestants must stop by the East End on Thursday, October 31st, between 10 am – 1 pm to be photographed. Those who show up too late to get a photo taken cannot enter the contest.
- If you enter as a group, the prize will be divided evenly amongst the group.
- No inappropriate costumes (racist, sexist, homophobic, too revealing, etc.).
- No realistic looking weapons (hyper-realistic looking guns, swords or weaponry).
- No messy costume attire that cannot be easily cleaned up, will cause damage to the facility, or may drip on floors and cause injury by slipping. This includes blood, slime, or other make-up that drips.
- Voting will take place via [http://www.facebook.com/expressionstudentalliance](http://www.facebook.com/expressionstudentalliance) or at the Wall of Fame from 2 to 4 pm.
- Winners will be announced at 4 pm from the ex'Radio booth.
- If there is a tie, those present at the time of announcing the winners will vote for a tiebreaker.
Pumpkin Carving Contest

You may email studentaffairs@expression.edu to reserve a pumpkin to carve over the weekend or show up to the East End on Monday to carve a pumpkin on site. **Reserved pumpkins may be picked up starting Thursday, October 24th at 2 pm** from the Office of Student Affairs (South Wing Student Services area) during usual office hours until Wednesday, October 30th at 5 pm.

Even if you don’t plan on entering the contest, we encourage you to **vote for your favorite on the Student Alliance Facebook page**. An album labeled Halloween Pumpkin Carving Contest will be created. Like your favorite pumpkin photo to cast your vote! Carved pumpkins will also be on display at the Wall of Fame for voting in person.

**Timeline of Events**

- **10 am – 1 pm** Come to the East End to carve/drop off your pumpkin by the deadline
- **2 – 4 pm** Voting begins on the Student Alliance Facebook page or in-person at the Wall of Fame
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**Pumpkin Carving Contest Rules:**

- To be included in the contest, drop off your pumpkin to the East End for judging on Thursday, October 31st, no later than 1:00 pm.
- You may carve/design your pumpkin beforehand, or carve/design it the day of. You may use any media to design your pumpkin.
- If carving the day of, tables and tools will be available in the East End starting at 10 am that day.
- You may use your own pumpkin, but a limited number of free pumpkins will be provided to students who RSVP.
- Only 1 pumpkin per student, so please do not drop, damage or misplace your pumpkin.
- Additional pumpkins and tools will be provided the day of for carving/designing in the East End near the Staff Kitchen for those who do request a pumpkin in advance.
- Please make sure to leave your finished pumpkin with a Student Affairs rep or Student Alliance member, leaving your name and contact info.
- Voting will take place via Facebook or at the Wall of Fame from 2 to 4 pm.
- Winners will be announced at 4 pm from the ex’Radio booth.
- If there is a tie, those present at the time of announcing the winners will vote for a tiebreaker.
- Carved pumpkins must be picked up no later than 5 pm on 10/31 or risk being thrown away.