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HARRISBURG'S SESQUICENTENNIAL SCARECROW CONTEST

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM, AND SUBMIT IT TO CITY HALL BY FRIDAY, OCT 21ST, AT 5:00PM. ALTHOUGH DISCOURAGED, LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON SITE SATURDAY, OCT 22ND WITH DELIVERY OF YOUR SCARECROW. NO ENTRIES AFTER 1:00 PM ON SATURDAY WILL BE ACCEPTED!

Please do not bring your scarecrow to City Hall! Scarecrows must be delivered to the celebration site on the west side of the Museum, located at 490 Smith St on Saturday, Oct 22nd, between 12:00 noon and 1:00pm.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Division: Kids, Age 6 to 13 Adults/Families: Teens age 14 and up

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Title of Entry: _____

I/We agree to deliver and setup my/our scarecrow by Saturday, Oct 22nd between 12:00 noon and 1:00 pm, and will leave it setup through Sunday, Oct 23rd until 3:30 pm. I/We agree to remove our scarecrow on Sunday, Oct 23rd between 3:30 and 5:00 pm. I/We understand that any scarecrows left on site will be disposed of by Public Works.

Signature (Required)

Date:

Signature of Parent or Guardian (for youth under 18 years of age)

Date:

For questions, please call Michele at 541-995-6655 or email meldridge@ci.harrisburg.or.us

SESQUICENTENNIAL SCARECROW CONTEST

RULES & GUIDELINES

TIMELINE: BRING YOUR SCARECROWS TO THE GRAVEL LOT LOCATED TO THE WEST OF THE MUSEUM (490 SMITH ST.). ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22ND, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 12:00 NOON AND 1:00 PM. SCARECROWS WILL BE ON DISPLAY DURING THE TWO DAY EVENT, WITH JUDGING ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23RD, AT 3:00 PM. RIBBONS WILL BE AWARDED!

THEME: HARRISBURG 150 YEARS – PAST AND PRESENT.

CONSTRUCTION GUIDELINES:

SCARECROWS WILL BE ATTACHED TO A CHAIN LINK FENCE WITH ZIP TIES. YOU MUST BUILD YOUR SCARECROW STRONG ENOUGH TO BE SUSPENDED. ZIP TIES WILL BE PROVIDED FOR HANGING YOUR SCARECROW.



SIZE LIMITATIONS: MAXIMUM HEIGHT: 6 FEET. MAXIMUM WIDTH: 6 FEET.

MATERIALS: PLEASE CONSTRUCT YOUR SCARECROW FOR DURABILITY. IT WILL BE HUNG OUTDOORS WITH NO COVER, AND WILL BE EXPOSED TO RAIN AND WIND. SOME SUGGESTED MATERIALS TO USE: CHICKEN WIRE, STRAW, CORN HUSKS AND STALKS AND RUBBER FOAM. STUFFING CAN BE MADE FROM PLASTIC BAGS OR BUBBLE WRAP. NO KINETIC SCARECROWS PLEASE; THERE IS NO POWER TO THIS LOCATION.

DIVISIONS:

KIDS AGE 6 TO 14

ADULTS/FAMILIES: TEENS AGE 14 AND UP AND SCARECROWS BUILT BY A FAMILY.

SET UP: A VOLUNTEER WILL BE AT THE SITE TO ASSIST YOU IN HANGING UP THE SCARECROW. ALL SCARECROWS WILL BE AFFIXED TO A CHAIN LINK FENCE. ZIP TIES WILL BE PROVIDED.

AFTER THE CONTEST: PLEASE PICK UP YOUR SCARECROW BETWEEN 3:30 AND 5:00 PM ON SUNDAY. ANY SCARECROWS LEFT BEHIND WILL BE DISPOSED OF BY PUBLIC WORKS.

DISCLAIMERS: THE CITY OF HARRISBURG AND ITS AGENTS MAY USE PHOTOGRAPHS OF AND STORIES ABOUT THE SCARECROWS AS WELL AS INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS ENTRY FOR PUBLICITY AND PROMOTION OF THIS EVENT. WE SUGGEST YOU DO NOT PUT ANYTHING OF VALUE ON THE SCARECROW AS THEY WILL BE OUTDOORS AND UNATTENDED OVERNIGHT. ALL PARTS MUST BE SECURELY FASTENED. THE CITY OF HARRISBURG ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SCARECROW OR ITS PIECES.