

It's Fall Y'all Festival Pumpkin Carving Contest Rules and Registration

Show off your skills at the Noble Chamber of Commerce It's Fall Y'all Festival.

Drop off your already carved or painted pumpkins between 9:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. at the Noble Chamber Office at 114 S. Main St.

Judging will take place at 1:00 p.m.

Pumpkins will be judged according to age groups: 12 and under, teens (13-20), adults (21+), with prizes awarded within each group for: cutest, funniest, scariest, and most creative.

Rules:

1. All pumpkins must be carved/decorated and completed upon arrival at the Noble Chamber of Commerce building at 114 S. Main St, Noble, OK. No carving will take place at the It's Fall Y'all Festival on September 22, 2018. You must use a real pumpkin.
2. Each entry must have your name, category and phone number attached securely to the back of the pumpkin on an index card or piece of paper.
3. Free hand designs, as well as carving kits and patterns may be used. Objects, paper and materials of any kind (including glitter, paint, markers, yarn, etc.) may be used, pinned or glued to the pumpkins. Participants may also draw or paint on their entries, cut designs into their pumpkins or dress them up. No electrical device may be used as part of the entry.
4. Participants are encouraged to have a title/name for each entry.
5. Entries will be judged on overall appearance, originality, and creativity.
6. Finished entries need to be free standing or attached to a foam core or plywood base enabling it to be free standing.
7. No flame candles allowed – battery operated or snap light only if a light is used; however, lights are not required.
8. We reserve the right to refuse any pumpkins that are deemed inappropriate.

Penny War Rules: Each participating carved/decorated pumpkin will be placed on the judging table alongside a clear container. Penny Wars start as soon as your pumpkin is delivered. The containers next to each pumpkin will be used to collect "votes". The type of money donated into the jars next to each pumpkin indicates how many "votes" a pumpkin will receive. All coins are accepted and will be counted as follows:

One penny = 1 vote

One nickel = 5 votes

One dime = 10 votes

One dollar = 100 votes

At 1:30 pm the jars will be removed and the money will be counted and votes will be tallied. The winner will be announced at 2:00 pm. **If we have an overwhelming response of "votes", due to time constrictions, we will notify the winner after the event via the winner's primary contact information. Winner of the Penny Wars will split the pot 50/50 with the Noble Chamber of Commerce. By entering the contest, participants accept and agree to these rules and the prize judging process, which shall be final. Participants also agree that Noble Chamber of Commerce, and its agents, contractors, and any other persons or entities acting on its behalf, may use any photographs, videos, recordings and any other record of It's Fall Y'all Festival, participant, or pumpkins for any legitimate promotional purpose. The Noble Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to change the rules to better serve the goals of the contest and the well-being of our visitors.

Register onsite when you drop off your pumpkin. There is no registration fee for this event.

Waiver: By signing this form, entrants agree that Noble Chamber of Commerce has the right to use pictures of the entries and entrants on their website. You also understand that the judge's decision is final and all rules need to be followed.

Name: _____ Age: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Signature of Participant: _____

Parent Signature for Participants under 18: _____