



2nd Annual Goods in the Woods SCARECROW DECORATING CONTEST



Contest is open to all ages, businesses, organizations, groups, individuals, and families!

- Categories: Traditional, Most Creative, Scariest, and People’s Choice.
- \$50 cash prize for each category plus bragging rights.
- No cost to enter the contest.
- All participants must pre-register.
- **Registration deadline is Noon, Tuesday, October 17th.**
- Scarecrows must be delivered at the entrance of Goods in the Woods by Friday, October 20th by 4 p.m. unless special arrangements are made ahead of time.
- Scarecrows will be displayed during Goods in the Woods on October 21st & 22nd.
- **Winners will be announced on Sunday, October 22nd at 3:15 p.m. at the stage.**
- Contestants can opt to take their scarecrows after 4 p.m. on Sunday or have their scarecrows displayed in downtown Willard until after Trick or Treat and the Halloween Costume judging on October 31st at 6:30 p.m. (Nov. 1 rain date). Scarecrows displayed downtown will need to be picked up after the costume judging.
- Scarecrows will be displayed outdoors and must be durable. All scarecrows must be handmade (not purchased). Minimum size is 4’ with maximum size 6’. All decorations must be firmly attached to your scarecrow and then to the post/stake (provided by participant) to drive into ground for displaying. Scarecrows must be secured in a manner that they will not blow away and will not otherwise be a danger to or possibly cause injury to anyone. Owners are held solely responsible for the safety and security of their scarecrows. As a part of your display, be sure to make a sign with the name of your entry, and your name, group, business, or organization. The signs will help identify displays for people’s choice award.

GOODS IN THE WOODS SCARECROW CONTEST

BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION/FAMILY NAME: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

SCARECROW NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____ **PHONE #:** _____

_____ Please display my scarecrow in downtown Willard after Goods in the Woods

_____ I will pick up my scarecrow on Sunday, October 22nd at 4 p.m.

Entry forms are due by Noon on Tuesday, October 17th. Email entry forms to cknapp@willardohio.gov or mail/drop off to Willard City Hall, 631 Myrtle Ave., Willard. Contact Carol Knapp at 419-933-2581 ext. 1250 or cknapp@willardohio.gov for more information.