

Press Release
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Re: Pumpkinfest 2023 Children's Costume Contest and Parade
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As promised, we had Pumpkinfest 2022. Guess what?! "The show" will go on in 2023, so get those costumes ready and come and enjoy the children's walking parade.

The costume contest and parade will be held on Saturday, October 14, 2023. Please come to the Patee Hall parking lot at 10:00 am to register for the costume contest. The parade begins at 11 am, with a rain time of 3 pm.

We will award prizes after the parade ends at Pumpkin Mountain, typically around 11:45. Many thanks to our parade sponsor, St. Joseph Hy-Vee, for once again donating the grand prize and family category prizes. We also send thanks to Midwest Central Outdoor for once again providing 1ST, 2nd, and 3rd prizes to each age category: infant to 3 years; 4 to 7 years; and 8 to 12 years.

You will find parade forms at: www.ponyexpress.org/events/pumpkinfest2023/paradeentryform or www.ponyexpresspumpkinfest.com.

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