



CARVED PUMPKIN CONTEST

Do you have a talent for carving pumpkins?

We are inviting Teachers, Staff, Parents and Students to show us what you've got!

Bring your PRE-CARVED pumpkins to Harvest Festival and let your peers be the judge!

After judging, winning pumpkins will be displayed on the Harvest Festival stage.

Carved Pumpkin Contest Rules and Information:

1. Let us know if you are planning to carve a pumpkin by emailing Harvest Festival Committee at harvest@liveoakpta.net
2. Pumpkins MUST be carved at home. There will be NO carving at the festival.
3. Pumpkins must be checked in at the Live Oak MPR between 10:30 am-11:30 am on the day of the festival.
4. Pumpkins will be on display in the MPR from 11:30 am-12:00 pm.
5. Judging will be completed no later than 12:30 pm and winners will be announced at the stage at 1:50 pm.
6. After the winners are announced, you MUST take your pumpkin home or it will be placed in the compost bin. Pumpkins must be picked up by 1:30 pm from MPR.
7. Parents and teachers/staff can participate in category (a). Kids participate in category (b). You may carve more than one pumpkin. All categories will be judged on appearance, originality and complexity of the design.
 - a. Adult Category: Best Carved Pumpkin
 - b. Kid-Made: Best Carved Pumpkin
8. Pumpkins MUST stand upright without any props, artificial base or other external support.
9. Pumpkins cannot be painted or have any decorations attached to the pumpkin. Pumpkins MUST be carved.
10. Pumpkins must be less than 18 inches in diameter and weigh less than 15 lbs.
11. Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners in each of two categories.



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ENTRY FORM

1. CATEGORY FOR JUDGING. (circle one)

(A) **Adult** : Best Carved Pumpkin

(B) **Kids**: Best Carved Pimpkin

2. NAME OF CARVER/ENTRANT (First and Last) : _____

3. GRADE AND TEACHER (If Kid made) : _____

4. NAME OF PUMPKIN : _____

5. E-MAIL ADDRESS : _____

6. PHOTO RELEASE PERMISSION (PLEASE CHECK ONE AND SIGN) :

_____ I grant permission for Live Oak PTA to use a photo of my child/myself with the cake in the yearbook and on social media (incl., website, newsletter, facebook, twitter).

_____ Do NOT post the photo of my child/myself with the cake on any social media. (Only photos of the cake along with the participants first name and last initial will be posted).

Signature: _____

Date: _____