

# Scarecrow Contest - Salisbury Fall Festival 2025

The Scarecrows are returning to Main Street! Join the Salisbury/Lakeville community for this beloved Fall tradition - The Annual Scarecrow Contest! Registration (found below) is free and open to all businesses, individuals, and small groups. Scarecrows will be displayed along Main St. and voted on during the Salisbury Fall Festival (October 10-12). Votes will be counted and prizes will be awarded!

**\*\*Registration ends Thursday, October 2nd!\*\***

## Scarecrow Rules

Be creative! There are many ways to make a Scarecrow!

Participants are responsible for all construction and materials needed to execute their Scarecrow - including secure frames, bases, and hardware.

Scarecrows should be durable and mounted to a frame with a stand alone base. 2x2 pine works well, as do PVC pipes.

Scarecrows should be approximately 5' tall by 4' wide.



No food or other perishable material should be used - we don't want to attract critters!

Please remember that this event is enjoyed by all ages - all themes, material and images should be appropriate.

Participants are responsible for setting up and breaking down their Scarecrow, as follows:

- All installments should be erected by Thursday, October 9th
- All installments should be removed by Saturday, November 1st

Organizers reserve the right to refuse/remove any unsuitable entries.

Organizers are not responsible for loss or damage which may occur.

### **Voting**

All attendees of the Salisbury Fall Festival (October 10-12) will be eligible to vote for their favorite Scarecrow in each of the two categories - (1) Business and (2) Individual/Group.

Ballots and Ballot Boxes for voting will be made available beginning Friday, October 10th. Votes should be marked on ballots, and ballots should be placed in ballot boxes (locations TBD).

Votes will be counted on Sunday, October 12th, and winners will be announced on Monday, October 13th.

### **Prizes**

Prizes will be awarded in each of the two categories as follows:



(1) Best Business Scarecrow: One-Year possession of the coveted Trophy, Free Advertising, Bragging Rights!

(2) Best Individual/Group Scarecrows: 1st place - \$100; 2nd place - \$75; 3rd place - \$50

### **Scarecrow Locations**

If your Business/Residence is located on Main St. in Salisbury/Lakeville, you should install your Scarecrow in front of that property. To be included in the contest, please register below and include the exact address in the comments section. Additionally, if you have space to "host" a Scarecrow (or two!) on your property, please indicate that as well.

If you do not have a Business/Residence located on Main St in Salisbury/Lakeville, organizers will assign you a location on or before Friday October 3rd.

### **More Info**

Any other questions? Please contact Elizabeth at [elizmcniff@gmail.com](mailto:elizmcniff@gmail.com)

[danielgheck@gmail.com](mailto:danielgheck@gmail.com) [Switch account](#)



\* Indicates required question



Email \*

Your email

I/we are a \*

Choose



Business/Family Name (displayed on ballot) \*

Your answer

Scarecrow Name/Theme (displayed on ballot - optional!)

Your answer



Do you have a location on Main St. to install your Scarecrow? \*

- Yes, our business/residence is located on Main St. in Salisbury/Lakeville (please indicate address in comments section, below)
- No, please assign our Scarecrow to a location on Main St. in Salisbury/Lakeville

Contact Name \*

Your answer

Contact Phone \*

Your answer

Contact Email \*

Your answer



Comments (including location address, if applicable)

Your answer

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