

PUMPKIN CARVING & PAINTING COMPETITION

Sponsored by Whitcomb's Land of Pumpkins, Williston, Vermont

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Division D- Pumpkin Art

This division is open to children, youth and adult exhibitors. Carved and painted pumpkins will be judged on Monday, August 26th at 6:00pm in the Expo North – Garden Center. Ribbons will be awarded.

Pre-Registration

Please call the Garden Center Superintendent, Michelle Perry @ 879-0900 by Wednesday, August 25th to reserve a carving/painting table for Monday, August 26th. At this time, arrangements will be made for you to enter the Fair with your pumpkins.

Judges: Justin Gordon, Gregory Grady Professional Artists; Sculptors & Pumpkin Carvers.

Contest Categories

Children & youth painted pumpkins- Brushes and paints will be provided for children & youth

D1- Ages 7-10 (painting only)

D2- Ages 11-15(painting only)
Adult painted & carved pumpkins

D3- Adult painted pumpkin- Ages 16+. Adults need to bring their own paints

D4- Carved pumpkin. Adults need to bring their own carving tools.

Rules

Pumpkins will be carved/painted on site in Expo North Garden Center between 10:00am-5:00pm, August 26th

A free pumpkin will be provided to the first twenty competitors for carving or painting, by Whitcomb's Land of Pumpkins.

Each exhibitor will bring their own pumpkin to paint/ carve. No pumpkins will be available at the Fair. Mini pumpkin gourds may not be used for painting or carving.

Limit- one painted and one carved pumpkin per exhibitor. Limit of 10 youth and 20 adult pumpkins.

Carved pumpkins must be free hand carving, no template tracing & carving.

Adult pumpkins will be judged on overall appearance, attention to details, workmanship, creativity and "WOW" factor.

Youth pumpkins will be judged on overall appearance, creativity, representation of your theme (title of your entry)

Include the title of your entry on your exhibitor tag.

Each exhibitor will need to complete an exhibitor sheet when they arrive to register. Each pumpkin will need to have an exhibitor tag attached.

Division D – Prizes

| Lot # | Description | 1 st | 2 nd | 3 rd |
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| 1 & 2 | Youth Painted Pumpkin..... | \$5 | \$3 | \$1 |
| 3 | Adult Painted Pumpkin..... | \$25 | \$15 | \$10 |
| 4 | Adult Carved Pumpkin | \$25 | \$15 | \$10 |