

HALLOWEEN 2020

HEALTH & SAFETY GUIDELINES



DO THIS

DON'T DO THIS

Wear a proper mask that covers your nose and mouth when you are trick or treating or handing out candy. Make sure the mask stays dry.

Don't wear a costume mask unless you also have a snug-fitting face covering on beneath it and can breathe easily.

Stay at least six feet away from others who do not live in your household.

Don't gather in large groups or host big parties, especially indoors.

Try to limit trick or treating to nearby neighborhoods

Don't travel in vehicles with others who are not part of your household.

Wash or sanitize your hands often when you are handing out candy or filling goody bags. Clean frequently touched surfaces, like the doorbell, throughout the evening.

Don't use a big bowl to distribute candy. Instead, the homeowner should drop treats into each child's bag or line pieces up on the driveway or a table.

Wash or sanitize your hands before you take off your mask and start eating your candy.

Don't trick or treat or hand out candy if you are sick, in isolation or mandatory quarantine, or are considered to be at high risk for developing severe symptoms of COVID-19.

Choose outdoor festivities over indoor festivities and please be respectful of those who choose not to participate.

Don't participate in activities that involve a lot of screaming, shouting or singing within 12 feet of other individuals, especially indoors. And bobbing for apples... is and will always be a bad idea.

Obey all pedestrian safety laws: wait for green lights, walk, never run into the street, look left, right then left again before entering the street traffic. Cross only at street corners and never between parked cars.

Don't allow children to cut across yards. Clotheslines and yard ornaments are invisible in the dark and pose a risk. Do not accept rides from strangers and do not go into homes.

Halloween is a nationally recognized event, not sanctioned by local government. Other than the recommended trick-or-treating hours of 6 PM to 8 PM, the choice to participate in trick-or-treating activities is at the discretion of our citizens. We ask that you enjoy Halloween safely and respect those who choose not to participate.

