

ACTIVITY BOOTH INFO AND GUIDELINES

We are so excited about Pumpkin Fest happening this year on **Wednesday**, **October 30**! It's a great opportunity for our Lakewood families to have a safe and fun evening together while also blessing our community and being a light for Christ. Very soon, our campus will be filled with children all decked out in their costumes, ready to have fun with their friends and family. You can play a HUGE role in this incredible event by volunteering to host an Activity Booth. An Activity Booth can be hosted by a Sunday School class, small group, ministry team, family or just a group of friends. Every group will be assigned a specific location on the rec field. Please read over the guidelines below and let us know if you have any questions.

- 1. Begin discussing Activity Booth ideas with your class, group, team, friends, or family as soon as possible. Think creatively and make plans for an Activity Booth that is both safe and fun for children of all ages. Here are some examples of activities that have been done in the past: Ring Toss, Pumpkin Bowling, Fishing Booth, Nerf Gun shoot, Face Painting and Cornhole. You can also Google "Fall Festival Activity Booth Ideas." We love to have booths decorated for the Fall season, but please do not use ghosts, bats, goblins, witches, or other scary décor (or clowns).
- 2. You and your volunteer team will need to provide everything for your Activity Booth at Pumpkin Fest. However, we do have tables (6-foot/8-foot long or round) and chairs if you would like these for your booth. Please request this from us no later than a week in advance and we will have them ready for you in your assigned area on the field. We will not be allowing any vehicles to drive on the field, so please plan accordingly.
- 3. Go ahead and begin recruiting volunteers from your class, group, team, or family to oversee your Activity Booth. Groups will need to be set up and ready to go by **5:00 PM** sharp on Wednesday, October 30 then have people scheduled to work in shifts from **5:30-8:00 PM**. Volunteers should check-in at the volunteer booth upon arrival (please email us a list of volunteer names for your booth the week of the event so we have an accurate count and list of names).
- 4. Please begin collecting individually wrapped candy (or other small prizes) to give away at your Activity Booth (no peanuts). Last year we had around 1000 kids and are hoping for even more this year! We will have some extra candy if you run out. You can find some candy and prizes at Walmart, Target, Party City or on Amazon. We will provide some candy for kids with allergies.
- 5. Please make sure to let us know as soon as possible what activity you are doing at your booth. We try to keep our booths from having the same games. If you already know the activity, you can indicate this on the form. If not, please email Dylan Evans or Kaleb Mitchell.

CLICK HERE to register your class/group/team/family for hosting an activity booth.

FOR QUESTIONS: Contact <u>Dylan Evans</u> or <u>Kaleb Mitchell</u>.