

2021 Pumpkin Decoration Contest

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

- To engage youth with a fun and hands-on visual arts project at home.
- To have youth demonstrate their creativity and design.
- To decide on what category and sub-category they will enter their pumpkin for the contest.
- To encourage Giant Pumpkin Contest Program participants to participate in an extended activity.
- To involve youth both in 4-H and outside of 4-H who are ages 5-19 years old to participate in this contest.

CATEGORIES:

- Carved Pumpkin (Giant or large pumpkins only)
- Decorated Pumpkin (all sizes)

SUB-CATEGORIES:

- Most Creative
- Funniest
- Scariest

PARTICIPANTS:

All participants must submit an entry form for each pumpkin. Each participant can submit one pumpkin in either the Carved Pumpkin or Decorated Pumpkin Category or both. *They are unable to submit two pumpkins in one category.*

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

DEADLINE: October 18, 2021 by 8:00 pm

Submit the following Forms for each pumpkin:

- Oahu Pumpkin Decoration Contest Individual Entry Form and Score Sheet (9-19 years old or 4th-12th grade)
- Cloverbud Entry Form and Score Sheet (5-8 years old or Kindergarten to 3rd grade)

Submit 2 photos (JPG or PNG formats)—1) your pumpkin and 2) yourself and the pumpkin

Go to <http://go.hawaii.edu/J52> to view and download forms.

Email to oahu4h@gmail.com

AWARDS:

Ribbon Award	100-80: Blue	79-60: Red	59-1: White	Cloverbud Participation: Green
	Each pumpkin entry will receive a colored ribbon based on their points.			
Grand Champion Purple Ribbon	The pumpkin entry with the highest number of points in the contest will receive the title as "Grand Champion" or the "Favorite Pumpkin"			
Sub-Category Award	The pumpkin entry with the highest number of points in each sub-category will receive this award.			

- Voting on Facebook and Instagram will be from 10/20-10/27, ending at 8:00 pm. Total number of likes for each social media will fit in the rubric to receive points. See the Score Sheet for the 9-19 year old youth.
- Awards will be announced on Friday, October 29th either by email or social media.