Chamber of Commerce & Industrial Foundation

Amesbury Scarecrow Contest

October 2019

Individuals, families, businesses, sports teams, and organizations are invited to participate.

Adopt a downtown light post of your choice for the month of October 2019. First come, first served with \$25.00 donation to the Amesbury Chamber. Must sign up by September 24th.

Build your own unique scarecrow, and affix it to your adopted light post on September 27th & 28th. The Chamber office will have tying materials.

The community is invited to vote on their favorite scarecrows under certain categories. Ballots will be available from October 1st - 15th at select local businesses. Winners will be announced October 16.

\$100 gift certificates to a Chamber business of the winner's choice will be awarded to each winning entry.

> Learn more or sign up by visiting www.AmesburyChamber.com or by contacting the Amesbury Chamber at Phil@AmesburyChamber.com 978-388-3178



Amesbur of Commerce & Industrial Foundation Amesbury Scarecrow Contest 2019 Rules

This contest is open to any individual, business, organization, team, or non profit that would like to contribute to down town Amesbury's spirit of the season.

Participants are encouraged to develop a design that is appropriate for public display, utilizing materials that will withstand elements that may include wind, rain, and/or snow.

In order to participate, please submit a completed application (available at AmesburyChamber.com), along with a \$25.00 donation to the Amesbury Chamber of Commerce no later than September 24, 2019.

The general public is invited to cast their ballots on their preferred scarecrow for each of the following categories:

Most Original Most Amesbury Pride People's Choice

Ballots are available at select Chamber businesses. Voting is limited to one ballot per person, per day.

There is no limit to the number of ballots cast, but they must be submitted at the Chamber Office between October 1st and October 15th.

The creators of each first-place winner will receive a \$100.00 gift card to a Chamber member of their choice.

Scarecrows cannot exceed 6' in height, and cannot be wider than 2.5'.

Displays cannot extend beyond the curb.

Displays cannot obstruct pedestrian traffic on sidewalks and should be angled so as to be visible to both oncoming traffic and pedestrians.

Displays cannot include acts of violence, nudity, or racially insensitive activities.

The Chamber of Commerce is not responsible for the maintenance or care of individual entries. Participants are encouraged to provide upkeep should any materials become detached.

Scarecrows can be removed beginning October 19th. All scarecrows remaining after October 24th will be collected and disposed of by the Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber reserves the right to NOT accept any entry that is deemed inappropriate for general public display.







Name of Applicant:_____

Affiliated Organization/Business:

Phone Number:_____

Email:

Address:_____

Requested Light Post # (list up to 3 in order of preference):_____

Describe Scarecrow Design:_____

By signing the below you agree to abide by the rules as laid out for the 2019 Contest Signature of Applicant:

Must returned completed application and \$25.00 donation by September 24th to the Amesbury Chamber of Commerce at 5 Market Sq. www.AmesburyChamber.com Phil@AmesburyChamber.com 978-388-3178