



DOWNTOWN FORSYTH SCARECROW SHOWCASE

Official Rules

Scarecrows will be displayed in the Downtown Forsyth district from Monday, September 21st through Saturday, October 17th. Entry forms must be submitted and approved before the scarecrow is placed downtown, **all entry forms are due no later than Friday, September 18th at 4:00pm.**

The contest is open to families, schools, businesses, organizations, clubs, and individuals. There is no entry fee.

All scarecrows must be in place by Friday, September 25th. The construction should be durable as they may be subjected to severe weather conditions. Scarecrow entry sponsors are required to monitor the state of their scarecrow for the duration of the exhibit.

Scarecrows must be in good taste and appropriate for viewing by the public and families. Must be absent of adult, offensive political or religious themes. No frightening, scary, violent, gruesome, or bloody entries will be allowed.

The display location of the scarecrows on the courthouse lawn will be determined by the Main Street director. Business owners/residents wishing to display their entry in front of THEIR location in the downtown may do so; however, a registration form is still required for judging purposes.

Voting on scarecrows will begin on Saturday, September 26th and continue through Friday, October 17th at 7pm. Voting is open to anyone. Voting can be done in person at Forsyth City Hall (23 East Main Street), or via QR code on the entry. Winners will be announced/recognized on October 20th.

ALL scarecrows must be reclaimed by their sponsors no later than Monday, October 19th.

ALL SCARECROWS LEFT AFTER THIS DATE WILL BE REMOVED AND DISCARDED.