

Guidelines for Participation

General

- Businesses, small groups, and individuals are welcome to participate in the Scarecrow Stroll.
- All entries are to be displayed from October 16th-November 1st.
- Entry Fee \$25 (this covers the PVC frame work and display space).
- PVC frames will be provided (Height 8ft, Width 3ft). Please call Danielle Hough at 704-636-2889 ext. 237 or email danielle.hough@nctrans.org for pick up information.
- All entries will be assigned an outside location on the museum grounds to display scarecrow.
 - Each entry will receive a 4ft x 6ft outdoor space to decorate.
 - This space can be used for props/displays.
- Each entry will receive two free admission tickets to the museum during the Scarecrow Stroll.
- Security is not provided.
- NC Transportation Museum is not liable for any damage or loss.
- Prizes will be given to People's Choice 1st and 2nd place
 - Each museum visitor will receive a ballot for voting. Votes will be tallied up on November 2nd and the winners will be announced.

Theme

- Scarecrow displays must be family friendly and acceptable for all audiences.
- Entries that are deemed tasteless, promote any sort of political partisanship, or promote slander will not be accepted by the NC Transportation Museum Scarecrow Stroll Committee.
- The NC Transportation Museum reserves the right to reject any entry.
- Scarecrows may have themes and/or promote a business or non-profit.
- Materials should be able to withstand the elements.
- If a display deteriorates beyond acceptable condition, it will be removed. However, groups will have the opportunity to make small fixes to their displays if needed. Groups will be notified if their display is not withstanding the elements.
- Signage will be provided with display name and company/group/individual.

Setup/Tear Down

- PVC framework pick up will be scheduled October 6th-10th from, 9am-5pm.
- Scarecrows are to be assembled offsite and delivered to NCTM fully assembled and ready to setup without need for electricity or power tools.
- Setup will be from October 12th-15th from, 9am-5pm.

- Time slots will be assigned to setup/tear down. Please call or email Danielle Hough for a time slot.
 - Maps will be emailed with each group's scarecrow display location.
- Groups must follow COVID-19 guidelines set by the Governor's Executive Order 163
 - Cloth masks are required for all employees and visitors, including those who are onsite for scarecrow setup, repair or tear down.
 - Social distancing of at least six feet is recommended.
 - In entering a museum building, comply with capacity limitations (posted near entryways).
- Scarecrow display spots will be prepped prior to group's arrival.
- Tear down will be from November 2nd -4th 9am-5pm.
- If displays are not removed by November 4th at 5pm, they will be discarded.