



# PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

**Decorate your pumpkin to look like a book character! This year the Pumpkin Decorating Contest is open to all ages!**

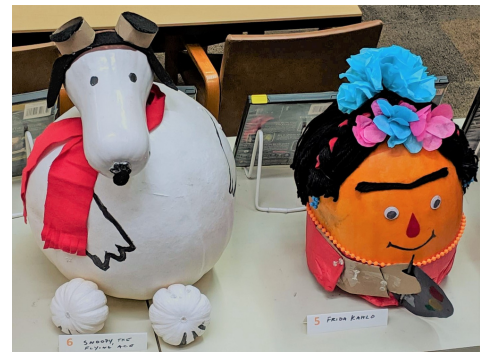
## Rules:

1. Buy or pick up a real pumpkin from the library. (1 per contestant)
2. Decorate & dress your pumpkin to look like a book character. Use permanent markers, acrylic paint, yarn, paper, fabric, tape, etc. attached with paste, glue or tape.
3. NO CARVED PUMPKINS, PLEASE. Pumpkins with carving or any holes through the rind will not be accepted.
4. No giant pumpkins, please. Keep them medium to small.
5. Pumpkins should be decorated by the person in the contest. Young children or pumpkins decorated as a group should enter the 'family' category.
6. DO NOT WRITE YOUR NAME on your pumpkin.
7. Pumpkin must have a completed entry form.
8. One entry per person.
9. Entries should be family-friendly (even those in the adult category, as they will be on display in the library).
10. Voting will take place online at <https://carbondalepubliclibrary.org>.



## Categories:

- Family
- Age 5-8
- Age 9-12
- Teen
- Adult



## IMPORTANT DATES

**Pumpkins available to be picked up from the library..... Oct. 9th**  
**Pumpkins due at the library (decorated)..... Oct. 19th**  
**Voting will take place..... Oct. 20th - Oct. 26th**  
**Winners announced..... Oct. 28th**

CUT OFF AND TURN IN WITH ENTRY

NAME(S): \_\_\_\_\_  
 CATEGORY: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 BOOK CHARACTER: \_\_\_\_\_  
 BOOK TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ BOOK AUTHOR: \_\_\_\_\_

