

PLEASE JOIN US FOR:

HALLOWEEN IN HERCULES

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25 • 6PM

FEATURING:

PUMPKATAAZ (OUR PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST)



AND

TRUNK OR TREAT (OUR ALTERNATIVE TO TRADITIONAL TRICK OR TREAT)

FREE
event for our Hercules
Community. Put on your
best costume, and trunk
or treat with us, OR...



Enter PUMPKATAAZ/
TRUNK OR TREAT
by completing the
registration form on the
other side.

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The 2024 Trunk or Treat and PUMPKATAAZ events will be held on the last Friday of October, at the Hercules Community Swim Center. What is Trunk or Treat? What is PUMPKATAAZ? Simply put...

- **Trunk or Treat** is an alternative to the traditional Halloween Trick or Treat activity.
- **PUMPKATAAZ** (pronounced Pump-Ka-tah's), is our version of a good old fashion pumpkin carving contest.

Trunk or Treat and PUMPKATAAZ have become a community favorite here in Hercules. Both events are run by Hercules Parks and Recreation in conjunction with City Recognized Nonprofit groups, as well as many other businesses, partners, and stakeholders in the community. If you would like to be a sponsor, please contact Hercules Park and Recreation.

REGISTRATION: **Trunk or Treat** **PUMPKATAAZ** **Both**

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



How to participate for Trunk or Treat: vehicles are accepted on first come first serve basis. Prizes awarded by the participants at the event. Prizes for the top 3 include a unique medal & gift card - 3rd Place = CASPER-esque; 2nd = SPOOK-Tacular; 1st = Fab-BOO-lous (Best in Show).

- Register & decorate your vehicle trunk, provide pre-wrapped candy at event
- Vehicle (make/model/Plate#) _____
- Theme (inspiration for your decorated trunk) _____



How to participate for PUMPKATAAZ: must pre-register for the event. Carve, sculpt, decorate your pumpkin, and bring to the Swim Center before the event. Top 3 will be awarded a unique medal & gift card... 3rd Place = Jack O'Lantern; 2nd = Headless Horseman; 1st = The Great PUMPKIN (Best in Show).

- Register & decorate a Pumpkin
- Theme (name of your pumpkin) _____

Other ways to be involved with the event...

- Volunteer to work the event (must submit parental permission slip)
- Donate candy (for Trunk or Treat)
- Donate Pumpkins (for PUMPKATAAZ – pumpkins must be dropped off 2 weeks prior to event)
- Become an Event Sponsor



Rules for Trunk or Treat

- Must complete and submit registration form.
- Arrive at Hercules CSC between 4:30-5:00pm on Friday 10/25/24
- Be completely ready by 6:00pm
- Provide pre-packaged candy for estimated 1,200 kids
- Stay until the end of the event
- Trunk inspections (Photo of you and entry before event)

Rules for PUMPKATAAZ

- Must complete and submit registration form.
- Deliver entry to CSC in advance of the event.
- If carved, may bring Friday 10/25/24, between 12-5pm
- All others bring Thursday 10/24/24, between 8:30am-6pm
- Name your design
- No electricity, NO open flames

Hercules Trunk or Treat and PUMPKATAAZ events are FUN & FREE, and done in a safe environment. For more information, please contact the Hercules Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 441-4FUN (4386)! Or scan the QR code.