 **Scarecrow Land – Scarecrow Contest 2025**

**Our MAIN GOAL is to make our streetscapes alive and fun for the season!**

PARTICIPANTS

Anyone can participate. To be eligible for prizes, please provide information shown at bottom of page.

Highlight your business, showcase your band, group, friends & family, or anything you can imagine.

LOCATION

Any parcel within the Village can be used (with the owner’s permission). We are encouraging use along Main Street and Huron Avenue so people driving through can appreciate the creativity and effort.

TIME

Set up starts any time after 9/22 (1st day of Fall). Judging on 10/17. Scarecrows stay up until Halloween.

SCARECROW DESIGN GUIDELINES

Keep it decent. Remember there are children around. Be creative.

Consider the elements, especially wind; and make it as sturdy as possible.

JUDGING & PRIZES

A panel of 5 Judges will determine the winners. Criteria includes (but not limited to) Durability, Cleverness, WOW-factor. Cash prizes -- but most importantly your effort will make the Fall season fun. 1st place $250, 2nd place $100, 3rd place $50, people’s choice $100.

Winners will be announced on 10/25 and featured on the Village Website.

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ENTRANT INFORMATION – Village of Lexington Scarecrow Land – Scarecrow Contest 2025

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E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION OF SCARECROW – CHECK APPLICABLE BOXES

[ ] My parcel on Side Street. Include address for judges \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

[ ] My parcel on Main Street or Huron Ave. Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

[ ] I’d love to use a light pole, bench, or other spot in town (there are restrictions). Please let me know what is available. [ ] I would be willing to donate $20 toward prize money for allowing me to adopt a light pole or bench or other public space to use for my scarecrow (optional – don’t feel obligated).

**Drop this form off at the Village Office, addressed to “DDA” or contact Mike McGovern, he is organizing this event. His phone is 586-484-5337.**