

# TRICK OR TREAT IN FOREST PARK

We are happy to announce that Forest Park will have Trick-or-Treating on Saturday 10/31/2020 between the hours of 2:00 PM until 6:00 PM. We encourage all participants to adhere to State of Illinois and CDC guidelines. This link details all guidance:

[IDPH Issues COVID-19 Halloween Festivities Guidance](#)

All residents who wish to participate in the festivities should make sure trick-or-treaters can tell easily that you want a visit. This can be accomplished by signage or family members on the sidewalk to distribute the treats. **All treats should be distributed from the front lawn or bottom of the steps leading to the porch. Do not go door to door and ring random doorbells. Any homes not expressly displaying welcome trick-or-treaters signage should be avoided.**

- Anyone participating in trick-or-treating, including those passing out candy, should maintain 6-feet of social distance and wear proper face coverings.
- A Halloween costume mask is not a substitute for a cloth mask. Ensure that breathing is not impaired if a cloth mask is worn under a costume mask. If so, discard the costume mask.
  - Trick-or-treat in groups with household members only.
  - Adhere to Social Distancing from other groups or trick-or-treaters
- Candy collected during trick-or-treating should not be eaten until after handwashing.

Please enjoy the many events occurring within Forest Park in the days and weeks leading up to Halloween. Be sure and check out the Library and the frightening events they have planned. The Park is planning multiple outdoor events along Scarrison Street all through October. The schools have virtual events planned as does the Forest Park Community Center. The Chamber will have many of the flower pots decorated on Madison Street so please plan on a walk down Madison. The Village, Park, Library, Schools and Community Center are working together to ensure that the residents of Forest Park enjoy a safe and scary Halloween.

**PLEASE NOTE: IF COVID NUMBERS SHOW AN INCREASE IN ILLINOIS OR COOK COUNTY THIS EVENT COULD BE MODIFIED OR CANCELLED.**

