

SCARECROWS in the PARK - 2024

Guideline & Registration Form

Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce



We are excited that our 100 Scarecrows will visit Plymouth's Kellogg Park again this year!! Members of the Chamber of Commerce, non-profit organizations and community residents will have the opportunity to enter a drawing for a Scarecrow space, pole and bale of straw in the Park. We will have two separate Scarecrow drawings, one for Members of the Chamber and one for community groups and residents. We will begin taking registration forms (located at the bottom of this sheet) starting on **Monday, August 5th**, and we will hold the Scarecrow **drawings on Tuesday, September 3rd**.

Decorating your Scarecrow is left to your imagination, creativity and ingenuity; however, the following includes some guidelines we encourage you follow when planning your Scarecrow:

- 1. Decorations may be purchased or made. Decorations made of cardboard or paper are discouraged unless protected by plastic spray or lamination.**
- 2. We ask that decorations designed to feed wildlife not be used.**
- 3. Decorations should be tied or wired securely to your Scarecrow to resist high winds and vandalism.**
- 4. Items especially attractive to theft or that are personally valuable should not be used.**
- 5. Your company name/group name will be on the sign we provide. No promotional handouts, business cards or other loose items for the public to take are permitted.**
- 6. The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to remove any item on or about the Scarecrow, or the entire Scarecrow if it is deemed by our discretion to be inappropriate.**

Cost: **\$80** for Chamber members, community groups and residents; and **\$70** for non-profit organizations (this cost includes proper environmental disposal fees). Payments are to **be made within one week of notification**. To register, you must complete this form which can be emailed to sheri@plymouthmich.org, faxed to (734) 404-6026 or brought to the Chamber at 850 W. Ann Arbor Trail. We will notify all applicants as to whether or not your application was chosen for a Scarecrow.

Winning participants may decorate their Scarecrows beginning **Friday, September 20th**. Decorating must be completed **by Friday, September 27th**. Please let us know if you cannot have your Scarecrow completed by that date.

Participants must retrieve decorations by **November 4th**, as the City will begin cleaning up the area on November 6th. Please direct questions to the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce at (734) 453-1540 or sheri@plymouthmich.org.

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce thanks you for participating in our annual "**Scarecrows in the Park.**"

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Your group name – the way it will appear on your Scarecrow's sign (limit 5 words):

Contact Name, email and phone:

Please check **only one** to indicate which drawing: Chamber Members Only Drawing ___ or Community Group/Resident ___

Drawing is September 3rd. Payment: cash, check or credit card, due within one week following drawing notification.