



## Go MINTURN HALLOWEEN DECORATING CONTEST GUIDELINES

**Entry Application Period: 10/17/16 to 10/28/16**

**Judging Period: 10/28/16 – 11/1/16**

**Winners Announced: 11/2/16**

**Please read the guidelines, and if you have any questions contact Michelle at 970-827-5645 x2.**

- Participation is open to all businesses and residents of Minturn.
- Contest entry is free.
- Town employees & Minturn Community Fund Board members are not eligible to win any prizes.
- Contest is for exterior decoration only, including decorations in windows that are visible from the exterior. Judging will be done from outside the property only.
- Judging will be based on curb appeal as viewed from the street, therefore only those decorations located on the street side of the property will be judged. Corner lots will be judged from both streets. Judges will not enter the property to view back or side yards.
- Participants agree to have one or more photos of their decorated property exterior posted on the go MINTURN website at [www.gominturn.com](http://www.gominturn.com), newsletter and/or published in the Vail Daily. Participant agrees there will be no compensation of any kind for said posting or publication.
- Judging criteria will include: [a] unique design and creative use of lights and decorations; [b] storyline or theme; [c] display and placement of decorations, animated objects, etc.; [d] overall presentation.
- Judging will begin on Friday 10/28/16, and depending on the number of entries, judging may continue thru 11/1/16.
- Participants should make sure all lights, animations and decorations are in place by 10/28/16.
- An entry number card will be provided to each participant. This card must be affixed to the exterior of the property in a conspicuous place, easily viewable by the judges from the street.
- Three prizes will be awarded: one (1) first prize with minimum value of \$100; one (1) second prize with minimum value of \$75; and one (1) third prize with minimum value of \$50.
- Winners will be announced at the Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> Town Council meeting.
- Be creative, be festive and have fun!

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**ENTRY INFORMATION TO SUBMIT TO THE FRONT DESK @ THE MINTURN TOWN HALL OFFICE:**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHYSICAL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_