Marietta Parks,
Recreation & Facilities

Scarecrows in the Square

Scarecrows are invading Marietta!

This is a great opportunity for your school or booster club to let your creativity take hold and have some fun! This event is part of the

39th Annual HarvestFest on the Historic Marietta Square on October 17

Scarecrows will be judged on originality, construction, and presentation. You are urged to use a theme and name that fits your school or group's personality or celebrate Marietta's history with a historic Marietta figure!

Tips on Construction:

Give your scarecrow a sturdy "skeleton" so it will retain it's position. Use waterproof paint on the face and/or spray with waterproofing or a polyurethane coating. We prefer that your scarecrow be freestanding and/or attached to a tree or post with zip ties or cord. Do not put stakes in the ground. This could cause damage to the irrigation system. Do not use tape on the poles or fencing! Do not to place scarecrows with large bases on the grassy areas. Be sure to make a sign with your school or business information and your scarecrow's biography.

$25.00 Registration Fee
(no charge for school groups)
Make checks payable to **City of Marietta**
Schools set up by September 24 for **Marietta Reads!**
Scarecrows must all be set up between September 21 & October 2.
Call our office if you need assistance setting up.

Application deadline September 18

Judging on October 9. Awards announced at 1:45 PM before the Halloween Happenings Costume Contest, October 17

Scarecrows must be removed by November 2nd

MPRFD not responsible for items used to make scarecrows.

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Scarecrow bio: