#### Scarecrow Contest no attendance required!

Fall Festiva

### It's a fun way to participate in a Verde Valley tradition

We provide the loan of a frame, your muslin head and straw. Entrants are welcome to pick up their supplies ahead of time and display their decorated 'crow at their home or business until the event (turn the page for dates, times and entry information)

## 2024 Fall Festival at the Verde Valley Fairgrounds Friday & Saturday, Oct 25 & 26

craft sale - antique engines - yummy food -12square show - quilt show - art & photography - family acitivities - silent auction and more!

#### Verde Valley Fall Festival – Scarecrow Contest Entry Form

Fall Festival at the Verde Valley Fairgrounds - Friday & Saturday, Oct. 25 & 26, 2024

Business Name:	Business Phone:
Contact Name:	Phone:
Mailing Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Email:	

Type of Business:

Each entry will have a 10' x 10' space to create a backdrop for their scarecrow. You may decorate your area just for fun or use it to promote your business. You may hand out brochures, coupons, free gifts and similar items with approval of the Fair. You may also set appointments; however, no sales of any items are allowed in the contest area. Space is unfurnished, bring your ez-up, table and chairs as you will be outdoors.

This is a family event, all entries, displays and materials should be appropriate for the event. Verde Valley Fair reserves the right to refuse entry of inappropriate materials.

Participants <u>are not required</u> to staff their space during festival hours, however; any materials or items in the contest space will be the responsibility of the entrant. Verde Valley Fair will not accept responsibility for lost, damaged or stolen items.

You may pick up your frame and create your scarecrow for display at your premises prior to the event. Contact Coleen or Trish 928-634-3290 to make arrangements. Supplies will be available on Oct. 4th.

# Scarecrow frames will remain the property of the Verde Valley Fair Assoc. and may not be removed from the premises after the event without prior authorization. Frames may be purchased for an additional \$75.00.

All Scarecrows must be on-site and completed before 9:00 am on Friday, Oct. 25. Event hours are 9am to 4pm - Completed Scarecrows can be delivered Thursday, Oct. 24, between 10am and 6pm or Friday, Oct. 25 between 7:30 and 8:30 am. Scarecrows can be assembled on-site on Thurs. between 9am and 6pm or Fri. between 7:30 and 9:00am. ALL VEHICLES MUST BE OFF PREMISES BY 8:30AM on event days. Verde Valley Fair assumes no responsibility for scarecrows left overnight.

Festival attendees will have the opportunity to vote beginning at 9:00 am Friday and ending at 2:00 pm Saturday. Winners will be announced in the Craft Sale area during the Raffle Drawing between 3 and 4pm Saturday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>. Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place winners.

After the event, scarecrow 'dressing' must be picked up by Friday, Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>. Items left after Nov. 1 will be disposed of at the Fair's discretion.

**Sponsorship is \$25 per scarecrow**. Please remit your sponsorship fee with your application, cash or check only please. Entrant's signature below indicates agreement to above terms and conditions. <u>Please enter early!</u> Entries received after Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> cannot be guaranteed supplies.

Signature

Date \_

Please print your name and title

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