

# Morris Arboretum 8<sup>th</sup> Annual SCARECROW Design Contest

*Participation in the Morris Arboretum Scarecrow Design contest is limited to 30 entries.  
Entrants will be accepted on a first-in basis, by application.*

## PAYMENT

Number of entries \_\_\_\_ @ \$30.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ total\*

I'd like to make a donation in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed (payable to Morris Arboretum)

## \*EARLY-BIRD DISCOUNT

*Register by September 11 and receive a \$5 discount per entry!*

## CONTACT INFO

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization/Business/Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Scarecrow: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## REGISTRATION DEADLINE: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24<sup>TH</sup>

You will receive an email confirmation of your entry. After the September 24 deadline, check availability by emailing [mmercald@upenn.edu](mailto:mmercald@upenn.edu); Subject line: *Scarecrow Design Contest*.

## PICK UP DATES FOR SUPPLIES

Sat/Sun September 19 and 20, and Sat/Sun September 26 and 27. Pick up your scarecrow frame, straw, burlap and twine at a truck parked at the entrance kiosk. You must bring a print-out of your email confirmation.

## DROP OFF DATE AT ARBORETUM

Tuesday, September 29, 5:00-6:30pm  
and Wednesday, September 30, 5:00-6:30pm

## PICK UP DATE FOR SCARECROWS AT ARBORETUM

Sunday, October 25, 5:30 - 6:30pm  
OR Monday, October 26, 5:30 - 6:30pm

**Register Online at:  
[bit.ly/MAcrows](http://bit.ly/MAcrows)**

**Or mail your application  
and entry fee to:**

Marie Mercaldo Ingegneri  
Morris Arboretum  
100 E. Northwestern Ave  
Philadelphia, PA 19118

## FINE PRINT

All scarecrows will be displayed outdoors for 24 days, so design materials must be as weatherproof as possible. The Arboretum reserves the right to remove any scarecrow that has deteriorated to an unacceptable level during that period. Scarecrows must be designed as family friendly, or they will not be accepted for display. All scarecrows will be returned to their creators on October 25 and 26. After this date, any remaining scarecrows will be disposed of.

The Arboretum will provide signage identifying participant name/organization and the name of each scarecrow. The Arboretum will determine the location of all scarecrows and install them. Please do not include any signage or flyers with your scarecrow. The Morris Arboretum reserves the right to use photographs, contact names, and scarecrow names for publicity purposes.

▶ **Straw *MUST* be the primary material used to construct your scarecrow.**

I have read all of the stipulations of the Scarecrow Design Contest and understand its rules and policies.

**SIGN** \_\_\_\_\_



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