Get your fill of chills and thrills, pumpkin patches and trick-or-treating at area events.

Halloween falls on Wednesday, but why wait? Start your celebrations early with family-friendly fun and less-friendly haunts. Pumpkin Town Farms 6060 S. Garnett Road The Great Pumpkin Smash is set Saturday, Nov. 3. Bash and smash pumpkins at three smashing stations and watch pumpkins get demolished by a mini monster truck. Bring your leftovers, too. The activity slate will include games, a pie-eating contest and a candy cannon. HallowMarine 6:30-9 p.m. Sunday-Wednesday, Oct. 28-31 Oklahoma Aquarium, 300 Aquarium Drive, Jenks; 918-296-3474; Once a year the Oklahoma Aquarium opens its doors to trick-or-treaters of all ages. Highlights include a giant pirate ship bounce house, a pee wee pirate zone and a trick-or-treat trail.

the aquarium's creatures while loading up on treats. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$7 for kids age 3-12. Special pricing for members. HallowZOOeen Through Oct. 31. Starts at 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 28; lasts from 6-9 p.m. on other days. Last tickets will be sold at 8:30 p.m. Tulsa Zoo, 6421 E. 36th St. North;

HallowZOOeen is a spooky (but not-too-scary) Halloween trick-or-treat event. Tickets are \$9 for nonmembers and \$8 for members. Haunted Train tickets are \$5 and the Scary-Go-Round is \$1, both optional. Tickets can be purchased online or at the Tulsa Zoo. Pleasant Valley

Farms 22350 W. 71st St. South, Sand Springs; 918-248-5647; Pleasant Valley Farms is open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily in October. Admission is free for the

festival, which includes live bluegrass and country music, vendors, pumpkin patch fun, tractor-pulled hayrides, a 15-acre corn maze and more. Halloween Night at the Museum 6-8 p.m. Wednesday,

Oct. 31 Will Rogers Memorial Museum, 1720 W. Will Rogers Blvd., Claremore Celebrated since 2014, Halloween Night at the Museum is a free event that has brought hundreds, if not thousands, of costumed characters to the Will Rogers Museum. Trick-or-treating will be combined with an opportunity to visit the museum. A costume contest has been added

this year. Sand Springs Pumpkin Patch Festival Open daily in October from 10 a.m.

to 7 p.m. Monday-Wednesday 17516 W. Eighth St., Sand Springs; 918-640-1869; Activities include taking pictures with pumpkins, pony rides, a games tent and the opportunity to pet farm animals. Though the patch is free, an activity pass is \$8 per child and includes unlimited activities for the day. Pony rides come with an additional charge. Festival at Shepherd's Cross Festival runs through Nov. 3. Closed Sundays. Hours are 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. for drop-in visitors and pre-scheduled groups. Mondays are by appointment only, except Oct. 29, when the facility will open for all visitors 16792 E. 450 Road, Claremore; Admission to the farm is free, but visits are donation-based. Donation-based activities include a pumpkin patch, petting zoo area, farm museum, pumpkin stroll, hay maze, story time and fall games. Pay-for-use activities include wagon rides (\$6.50) and outdoor scarecrow making (\$4). Packaged pricing combinations are available. First United Methodist Church of Owasso Pumpkin Patch 13800 E. 106th St. North, Owasso; The church's pumpkin patch will be open through Wednesday, Oct. 31. Trunk or treat will be held from 6-8 p.m. on Halloween. Carmichael's Pumpkin Patch 171st Street and Mingo Road, Bixby; 918-366-4728; Families visit each year to pick out pumpkins. Visitors can look forward to an animal farm, a wagon ride, a cane maze and a house of hay. St. Stephens United Methodist Church Pumpkin Patch 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday-Wednesday 400 W. New Orleans St., Broken Arrow; 918-455-4202 The pumpkin patch runs through Halloween. Trick-or-Treat at The Farm 4:30-6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 31 51st Street and Sheridan Road The Farm Shopping Center will play host to trick-or-treaters on Halloween. Haunted attractions Hex House and Westside Grim, 5610 W. Skelly Drive: Two extreme attractions are housed in one location. The Hex House is inspired by a true story from Tulsa's past. The Hex House and Westside Grim are billed as intense, multi-element, dark attractions. They are not recommended for children younger than 13, pregnant women or people with back, neck or heart problems or any other medical condition. Remaining dates are Wednesday-Saturday, Oct. 31-Nov. 3. Doors open at 7

p.m., hours are from 7:30-11 p.m. Combo passes are \$25, and VIP speed pass

combo tickets are \$30. tulsahexhouse.com Greenwood Haunted, 624 Archer St.: Black Wall Street Arts and the Oklahoma Eagle will host the first haunted house in the Greenwood District as a fundraiser to benefit Black Wall Street Theatre. "Greenwood Haunted― is open Wednesday, Oct. 31. Admission is \$5.