



Thank you for your interest in the 2025 Downtown Danville Scarecrow Festival!

All entries will be on display to the public from
October 3-November 8. The Scarecrows will be located
around the Hendricks County Courthouse.

SCARECROW RULES:

- Scarecrows must be decorated between Sept. 30 & Oct 3. You will be assigned a number for your location.
- All entries must be handmade. Prefabricated scarecrows are ineligible for prize money.
- Scarecrows must be durable and able to stand *independently*. There will be a stake at your space on the Courthouse lawn for your scarecrow.
- You are encouraged to visit your scarecrow during the display dates to keep it in good presentable condition. The Partnership reserves the right to modify or remove any entries that do not maintain their ability to be displayed.
- The scarecrow contest exhibit area is **family-friendly**. Entries may be *creepy*, but not gruesome or bloody. The Partnership reserves the right to remove entries they feel to be distasteful or not family-friendly.
- No political statements please.
- As part of your display, be sure to include a sign with your scarecrow that includes the title of your scarecrow and your name or group. This will help your friends and family find your scarecrow.

Winners will be announced at Scares on the Square, October 31!

1st Place - \$300

2nd Place - \$200

3rd Place - \$100

PICK UP:

PLEASE pick up entries by **Saturday, November 8**. After this time, any entries remaining will become property of the Downtown Danville Partnership and disposed of accordingly. *If you are unavailable, please arrange other means of pick-up during the Saturday pick-up hours.*

Questions: Email DanvillePartnership@gmail.com

Want to donate to the Scarecrow prize fund? Contact the Downtown Danville Partnership at DanvillePartnership@gmail.com