Pumpkin Decorating & Carving Contest

On October 24th, enter your pumpkin masterpiece to win!

Get your own pumpkin and carve or paint it any way you like.

Make sure it’s finished before 2:45 PM on Saturday, October 24th, and bring it to the Market Barn between 1:00 PM - 2:45 PM to enter it in the competition. **Judging will take place at 3:00 PM**, and the judges will pick a Spookiest, Funniest, and Judge’s Choice winner! Each winner will receive a $25 Amana Colonies Gift Certificate! You do not need to be present to win if your contact information is with your pumpkin!

Only one pumpkin can be entered per person, and you must provide your own pumpkin. Please visit us at the Visitors Center with questions!

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Margie Jane’s

Looking for a local business to buy your pumpkin from? Come get your pumpkin for the Pumpkin Carving Contest, or for home, from us! We grow our own pumpkins to sell here in our family business, & we donate the profits to a cause close to home for our family!

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Pumpkin Scavenger Hunt 10am - 4pm Saturday

Visit 10 listed businesses & search for a pumpkin they've hidden inside! Once you have 10 checked off, turn in this completed form at the Visitors Center for a chance to win an Amana Colonies Gift Basket, filled with gifts from our businesses in Amana! Drawing will be at 4:30pm on Saturday. *Gift basket cannot be shipped – you must be able to pick it up at the Visitors Center (open 10am-5pm every day) if you win!*

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Name: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________

- Ackerman Winery
- Amana Colonies Bakery & Café
- Amana Meat Shop & Smokehouse
- Catiri’s Art Oasis
- The Chocolate Haus
- Fireside Winery in the Village
- Heritage Designs Quilting & Needlework
- High Amana General Store (High Amana)
- Hotel Millwright
- The Noble Stone
- Ox Yoke Inn
- Prosit Wines
- Ronneburg Restaurant
- Schanz Furniture (South Amana)
- White Cross Cellars

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At the First Amana Colonies Pumpkinfest, you'll find a pumpkin carving & decorating contest, special pumpkin foods and drinks, and our pumpkin scavenger hunt!
**Specials & Activities**

**Ackerman:** October 24-25, 10am-5pm, we will be celebrating Pumpkinfest, with WINE, Pumpkin, & Pastries Pairing Flights! Just $10 for this fall flavor TREAT!

**Ackerman Winery:** Pumpkin Toss Competition, Sat., Oct. 24, at 3:00 pm. Check out your mad gourd chuckin’ skills and see how far you can toss a mini pumpkin! The contestant with the farthest toss wins a bottle of Ackerman Wine! (Kids prizes also available!)

**Amana Colonies Bakery & Café:** We have house made from scratch pumpkin scones, pumpkin bars, pumpkin strusel bread, pumpkin decorated cookies and pumpkin pie, along with our large variety of other fresh baked goods!

**Amana Colonies General Store:** We will be featuring Pumpkin Punch made with Millstream Cream Soda for Pumpkinfest! We will also be featuring Pumpkin Coffees, Roasted Pumpkin Seeds, Pumpkin Butter, Pumpkin Taffy.

**Amana Heritage Museum:** Visit our gift shop to purchase a Wooden Disc Pumpkin Craft Kit to take home for the kids or yourself to celebrate fall! $5 while supplies last.

**Amana Woolen Mill:** 9am-5pm Sat.: Name our carved pumpkins, then watch for a social media blast with the winning names!

**Amana Woolen Mill:** 9am-5pm Sat.: Guess the number of pumpkin seeds in the jar! Winner gets to pick a cotton scarf.

**Amazing Grace Antiques & Gifts:** Come in and register to win a Fall Scents Gift Bag, filled with 6 bars of our handmade soap, and a fall candle & 12 oz. pump lotion from Hannah Bee’s Candles and Lotions!

**Chocolate Haus:** All weekend we will feature our pumpkin fudge and pumpkin spice caramel apples, while supplies last! On Saturday, enjoy specials on pumpkin cheesecake truffles! On Sunday, enjoy specials on pumpkin lattes!

**Fern Hill Gifts & Antiques, 103 220th Trail, South Amana:** To celebrate Pumpkinfest, we will have 2 delicious Pumpkin fudge flavors available to sample and purchase!

**Fireside Winery in the Village:** Stop by and enjoy our Pumpkinit fest Charcuterie Bite with a paid tasting flight!

**Hotel Millwright:** Do you love all things pumpkin? Come to our Pumpkin Walk. As the sun goes down, vote on your favorite Jack-o-Lantern, decorated & carved by Hotel Millwright Employees!

**Indigo Room & Electric Thread:** Come try our Pumpkin Themed Dessert to celebrate all things pumpkin with us in our NEW restaurant, and whiskey bar!

**The Noble Stone:** Come in to guess how many candy pumpkins in the jar! Guess the closest to win a fabulous mineral specimen! Voting will take place both in store & online - check out our Facebook to see what you could win!

**Ox Yoke Inn:** Come enjoy Pumpkin Praline Pie Baked Fresh Daily in our Bakery, and a Bourbon Pumpkin Smash and a Pumpkin Spice Margarita from our Mixologists!

**Renate’s:** Come visit us and receive 20% off any of our Halloween items & black or orange items over $20.00!

**Ronneburg Restaurant:** We’ll be offering special pumpkin or squash soup with our meal entrees on Friday and Saturday!