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TRICK OR TREAT AT THE BOO-TANICAL GARDENS RETURNS OCT.26-27
This fall tradition is the last weekend to see Harvest Blooms

Columbus, Ohio– Families are invited to enjoy two days of trick-or-treating at Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens 10am-5pm Oct. 26-27. This annual tradition is included with regular admission to the Conservatory and is free for members.

This year’s trick-or-treat festivities (designed for ages 13 and younger) expand outside into the Scotts Miracle-Gro Foundation Children’s Garden, which will be awash in fall color for the final weekend of Harvest Blooms. Presented by Fahlgren Mortine, Harvest Blooms features not one but two pumpkin houses this year, as well as cascading displays of colorful mums and heirloom gourds. Trick-or-treat stations will take families through an indoor exploration of the Conservatory’s various biomes, from tropical rainforests to deserts and more. Admission during trick-or-treat weekend also includes access to Chihuly: Celebrating Nature, presented by Nationwide and the Davis Foundation, and the annual bonsai show.

Trick-or-treaters are also welcome to upgrade their daytime tickets to include admission to Pumpkin Nights* from 5-9pm. An all-new after dark experience, Pumpkin Nights features hundreds of carved pumpkin displays throughout the Children’s Garden as well as a variety of live performances on select evenings. The performances scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 26 include high-flying aerials and fire shows by the Cincinnati Circus and professional pumpkin carving demonstrations by Rock On Ice. On Sunday, Oct. 27, Rock On Ice professionals will host Q&A sessions throughout the night while displaying their finished pumpkin sculpture masterpieces.

Trick Or Treat Guide:
- Bring your own bag for collecting treats.
- Costumes should be weather-appropriate and family-friendly (no masks or depictions of weapons). Children and their guardians are encouraged to dress up.
- Treat stations will include a variety of packaged candy.
- Event is included in the cost of admission to the Conservatory; no registration is required.

*Special engagement admission is required to attend Pumpkin Nights, open 5-9pm Oct. 17-20 & 24-27. Tickets to Pumpkin Nights include day-of admission to the Conservatory during the regular business hours of 10am-5pm.

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