Things to Remember

2019 KEY DATES
Registration Deadline: Sept. 13
Scarecrow Drop Off: Friday–Sunday, Sept. 27–29:
   9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Scarecrow Pickup: Nov. 5–6, 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Exhibition Dates: Oct. 1–Oct 31, 2019

DROP OFF & PICK UP INSTRUCTIONS
Bring entries to Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens. Pull into
the drop-off area in front of the Visitor Center. Unload
your scarecrow and bring it to the admissions desk. Staff
will direct you from there. Scarecrows will be available for
pick-up in front of the Visitor Center, November 5–6, from
9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Any scarecrows not picked up by 5 p.m.
on November 6 will be discarded.

VISIT YOUR SCARECROW!
For each registration, you will receive four (4) free
daytime admission tickets to CMBG during the exhibition,
October 1–31. Registrants can pick up tickets at check-in
during the scarecrow drop-off.

RULES FOR ENTRY
Anyone can register! Families, community groups,
businesses, schools, college students and individuals are all
welcome to participate. The Gardens reserves the right to
refuse any entry.

RULES & GUIDELINES
1. Scarecrows must be easily carried by
two people, weigh less than 50 lbs., and
must be freestanding. Scarecrows will be
secured by CMBG staff.

2. You will not be allowed to set up your
scarecrow in the Gardens or choose the
location. You can set up at the drop-off
point to show assembly. It is helpful if a
photograph of the assembled scarecrow is
included with your entry.

3. Bring enough people to unload your
scarecrow at drop-off.

4. Make your entry durable and
weatherproof. Do not include real
pumpkins or perishable goods in your
display.

5. Any scarecrow that deteriorates to an
unacceptable level during the month will
be removed.

6. Entry must be suitable for viewing by
children. Entries in poor taste for family
viewing, depicting controversial subjects,
or overtly commercial or political in nature
will not be accepted.

7. CMBG will create signage for each entry,
including your name/organization and
the name of your scarecrow. There will
be no additional signage, pamphlets or
handouts displayed with your scarecrow.

8. The Gardens is not responsible for loss/
damage. Do not include valuable or
important material.
Entry Form
DEADLINE FOR ENTRY: SEPT. 13

Name
Category: ☐ Amateur ☐ Creative Professional ☐ Business

Company/School/Organization (if applicable)

Address
City
State Zip Code

Phone Number

Email Address (required)

Title of Entry (required)
Description of Entry:

Signature
I understand and agree to the Rules & Guidelines.

Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens reserves the right to photograph any entry and use photos for promotional purposes without compensation.

Categories to Enter
AMATEUR:
Families, schools, service organizations and individuals.

CREATIVE PROFESSIONAL:
For scarecrows created by a person or team who is in any way compensated for art, design, or fabrication services.

BUSINESS:
For-profit and non-profit organizations.

☐ YES—I plan to pick up my scarecrow Nov. 5-6.
☐ NO, I do not plan to pick up my scarecrow.

First place in each category:
15 Gardens Aglow tickets

Runners up in each category:
5 Gardens Aglow tickets.

Winners will be chosen by popular vote by our visitors.

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:
Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens
P.O. Box 234
Boothbay, Maine 04537
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