

## Guidelines for the RE-Open Saskatchewan Plan Fall Activity Guidelines

### Trick-or-Treating

Trick-or-Treating is permitted with the following measures in place:

#### Neighbourhood Trick-or-Treating

- Two metres distance must be maintained between individuals who are not in the same household/extended household at all times.
- No direct physical contact should occur between trick-or-treaters and people distributing Halloween treats.
- Participants should consider using tools (e.g. tongs) to distribute candy at a distance.
- Physical distancing must be used when approaching houses (i.e. wait until group ahead is gone, take turns). For houses or neighbourhoods anticipating a high volume of trick-or-treaters, people distributing candy are encouraged to place tape markers every two metres between doorways and sidewalk/driveways to promote physical distancing.
- Due to the number of people potentially touching the treats prior to being handed out, consider cleaning candy wrappers with disinfectant wipes.
- Only wrapped, store-bought treats should be distributed.
- Common touch areas (e.g. handrails, doorbells, doorknobs, etc.) should be frequently cleaned and disinfected while distributing candy.

- Trick-or-Treaters should practise frequent hand hygiene by carrying portable hand sanitizer approved by Health Canada.
- People distributing candy should practise frequent hand hygiene while handing out Halloween treats.
- Trick-or-treaters should consider incorporating non-medical masks (e.g. cloth or other materials) into their costumes, while ensuring their eyes are not covered for safety reasons.
- Individuals handing out candy should consider wearing non-medical masks where two metres of physical distance cannot be maintained.
- Where possible, only one household member should hand out candy.

You can find more information on COVID-19 and Halloween:

<https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/health-care-administration-and-provider-resources/treatment-procedures-and-guidelines/emerging-public-health-issues/2019-novel-coronavirus/re-open-saskatchewan-plan/guidelines/fall-activity-guidelines#trick-or-treating>



# 2020 St. Walburg and Community COVID-19 Update

## Trick-or-Treating

To help ensure everyone has a safe and fun Halloween we have put together recommendations for those who decide to participate. It's important to note that all Public Health Orders and safety guidelines are still in effect and must be followed. Halloween in St. Walburg will be a little different this year. The suggested hours are 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. for trick-or-treating.

## Participating Houses

Those that wish to participate in handing out treats should:

- Clearly identify their house as accepting trick-or-treaters.
- If you are not accepting trick-or-treaters, please turn off your lights. Consider posting a sign on your door.
- Wear a mask when handing out treats.
- Sanitize frequently throughout the evening.
- Consider the use of pre-bagged treats.
- Count the number of children at your door and place the bagged treats for them to pick-up.

## Trick-or-Treaters

- Partake at your own risk.
- Go to houses that are well-lit and/or clearly indicate that they are welcoming trick-or-treaters.
- Sanitize your hands often.
- Practice physical distancing.
- Only trick-or treat with those in your household or cohort.

## Parents

- Travel with Children to ensure physical distancing, sanitization, etc.
- Try to incorporate a mask into the costume.
- Consider cleaning candy wrappers with disinfectant wipes
- Discard any candy that is not prepackaged or store bought.



## Remembrance Day—November 11

Remembrance Day is a memorial day observed since the end of the First World War to remember the members of armed forces who have died in the line of duty.

Remembrance Day 2020 will be unlike any other. COVID-19 has cast its influence on the Remembrance Day Services for November 11, 2020.

The alternations to this year's Remembrance Day are unhappy ones, yet Saskatchewan's regulations are essential to follow.

For the 2020 Remembrance Ceremony, all wreaths will be pre-placed at the St. Walburg Cenotaph. The St. Walburg 2020 Remembrance Ceremony will be held at the cenotaph, with attendance limited to Legion members only.

Regardless of the 2020 pandemic, Canadians shouldn't forget to show their respect for our veterans this year on November 11 as in times past, but public safety must be kept in mind too.

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