



# Frightfully Fun Scarecrow Contest!

Dear Community Member:

The Darien Fall Fest committee is seeking creative souls to participate in the 4th Annual Scarecrow Decorating Contest! A wonderful member of our community mentioned this activity and thought it would be a great way to get everyone in the festive mood! What better way to show off our beautiful town in the fall than with festive decorations and what is more fall festive than a scarecrow....let me tell you how to get started!

## Contest Guidelines

- Any Business, Service Organization, or Individual may participate (limited number available).
- The cost to enter is \$10.00 per scarecrow, plus the cost of materials needed to decorate your scarecrow. Entry fee includes the scarecrow frame only.
- You may decorate your scarecrow however you like. Be creative, but please keep them tasteful! The committee reserves the right to eliminate a scarecrow from the contest if it is deemed inappropriate.
- Scarecrows must be decorated to withstand outdoor elements (rain, wind, sun, etc...).
- Decorations should be permanently attached to the scarecrow frame.
- The committee will not be held responsible for materials or items used to decorate the scarecrows.
- The committee will not be held liable for any damage; theft or vandalism to scarecrows at any time.
- By submitting an entry form, participants certify they have read and agree to these guidelines.
- Scarecrow frames can be picked up at Waterfront Wine and Gourmet on Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m..
- In order to be included in the contest, scarecrows must be checked in at Waterfront Wine and Gourmet 437-3410 or displayed at your business by Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2011.
- Scarecrows dropped off at Waterfront Wine and Gourmet will be displayed in Downtown Darien beginning at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2011 and judging will continue until noon Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2011.
- The scarecrow with the most votes will be recognized as “Darien Fall Fest’s Finest Scarecrow” through local media and other events and will be awarded \$100.00.
- Winners will be announced at or around 5:00 p.m. on November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2011.  
Registration forms need to be completed and returned with payment to: Waterfront Wine and Gourmet, P.O. Box 2047, Darien, Ga 31305.
- Scarecrow frames can be picked up at the conclusion of the event or no later than Monday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2011 or they will become property of Darien Fall Fest.



## Scarecrow Decorating Contest Registration Form

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ # of scarecrow frames: \_\_\_\_\_

Completed registration form and payment must be returned to:

Drop off to: Waterfront Wine and Gourmet

Or Mail: Kelly McClellan

P.O. Box 1392

Darien, Ga 31305

**Application deadline is 4:00 p.m. October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2011.**

Checks should be made payable to Historic Darien, Inc.

For more information:

Speak with Kelly at 912-337-4575 or email [mcclellan42530@yahoo.com](mailto:mcclellan42530@yahoo.com)