



**NEWS RELEASE**

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**Parks and Recreation Halloween events in The Woodlands**

THE WOODLANDS, TEXAS (September 26, 2016) – This year, The Woodlands Township Parks and Recreation Department will host three events for those looking to celebrate Halloween.

**The Wicked Wonderland Family Carnival**

The Halloween season kicks off with The Wicked Wonderland Family Carnival from 4 to 8 p.m. on October 14, 2016, at Rob Fleming Park, 6055 Creekside Forest Drive, The Woodlands, 77389. The whole family is welcome and children are encouraged to bring treat bags out to the park for a spooktacular evening of live performances, photo zones, games, inflatables and more. The evening wraps up with a movie in the park that begins at 8 p.m. Stage performances and movie are appropriate for all age groups and are free. Games and concessions are available for a fee.

**The Haunted Trail**

Also, an annual tradition for the last 13 years, The Haunted Trail takes place again at Bear Branch Park, 5310 Research Forest Drive, The Woodlands 77381, from 8 to 10 p.m. on Fridays, October 21 and 28, and Saturdays, October 15, 22 and 29, 2016. This year's theme is *Trail of Treachery: The Cursed Wood*. Come experience *The Cursed Wood* and see if you can make it out of the bone-chilling *Trail of Treachery*. The Haunted Trail is recommended for children ages 9 and older. Admission is \$8 per person and entry ticket sales stop at 9:30 p.m.

**Trick or Treat Trail**

On Sunday, October 23, 2016, families are invited to bring their princesses, pirates, ghosts and goblins to Town Green Park from 3 to 6 p.m. for the annual Trick or Treat Trail, presented by Wells Fargo. More than 30 local vendors will be handing out goodies to trick-or-treaters, and attendees will also enjoy the great strolling entertainment, inflatables, games, costume contests and more that are featured at this free event.

For more information on The Woodlands Township's Halloween events, please call 281-210-3950, visit [www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/halloween](http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/halloween) or email The Woodlands Township Recreation Center at [recreation@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov](mailto:recreation@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov). Volunteers are also needed, and those interested in being a trail actor, survey taker, tour guide for the trail or assistant with games and concessions at the carnival can visit [www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/volunteer](http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/volunteer) to sign up.



*The Wicked Wonderland Family Carnival offers fun Halloween activities for the whole family from 4 to 8 p.m. on October 14, 2016, at Rob Fleming Park.*



*A favorite of Halloween fans in The Woodlands, The Trail of Treachery once again transforms Bear Branch Park into a spooktacular event for those 9 years and older.*