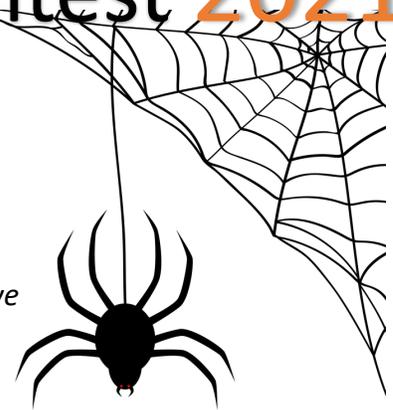


Spooky Short Story Contest 2021

Contest Details

We want to hear your best spooky story! If you live in Clark County and are a child between the ages of 6 and 18 submit your best, most original scary story, for a chance to win prizes AND the opportunity to have your recorded, winning story, shared online!*

** if 18 must still be in high school*



Guidelines – Submissions must be turned in no later than 11:59 p.m. on Monday, October 11th, 2021

The contest is open to all children in Clark County, ages 6-18*. Stories will be judged on originality, creativity and spookiness (not violent content). Original stories only (use of copyrighted material is prohibited). Stories will become the property of Clark County Public Library and will not be returned. Incomplete submission will not be accepted. *Employees and their families/members of household are not eligible to win.*



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- **Story MUST be written by a child**
- Must be an original story & submitted to the email address spookystories@ccploho.org by 11:59 p.m. on Monday, October 11th, 2021
- Story must be sent as a Word document or PDF
- Stories should run between 100 and 250 words in length
- Submissions must include the child's first and last name, age/grade, address, phone number, and the parent or guardian signature stating that they give permission*
**entries omitting this information will not be accepted*
- Limit of one (1) entry per person
- There will be two (2) winners in each age group:

Ages 6-8	Ages 9-12	Ages 13-18* <i>*if 18 must still be in high school</i>
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- **Must** be able to come to the Main Library to read the story or be present while library staff reads their story on October 27th, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.
- **IF** (due to COVID restrictions) we cannot have it in-person, we would like the winners to be able to submit an audio recording of them reading their original story, with permission from their parent/guardian to post it online (only the first name of child will be given). If not possible, that is fine. We will still post their first name and title of their story
- Awards may be picked up at the Main Library

Spooky Story Contest Entry Form

(Submission must be returned by Monday, October 11th, 2021. Please make sure to email either a scanned PDF or jpg version of this entry form with your submission to spookystories@ccploho.org.)

Please fill out the form completely and legibly. This form must accompany your submission. The below information will be used for contest purposes only and will not be shared.



Your Name: _____ Age/Grade: _____/_____

Address (please include ZIP): _____

Phone Number: () _____ Email (optional): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

By signing this form I acknowledge that this story was created by the child listed above and that it is original. I understand that once submitted the story becomes the property of the Clark County Public Library and will not be returned.

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