



KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS

STATE COUNCIL SERVICE PROGRAM AWARDS

ENTRY FORM

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CATEGORY (MARK ONE):

CHURCH
COMMUNITY
COUNCIL

FAMILY
CULTURE OF LIFE
YOUTH

Project Title: Trunk R Treat - A Safe Place to Trick or Treat

Date Project Conducted: October 29, 2016

Purpose of Activity: (In the space provided below, describe in one sentence the purpose of this activity. This section must be completed.)

Provide a SAFE place for the Children of our Parish to Trick or Treat

Number of council members participating in project:	<u>60</u>	
Percentage of council members participating in project:	<u>30.00</u>	<u>%</u>
Number of man hours expended in project:	<u>750</u>	

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Trunk or Treat.

A Safe place for our Youth to celebrate Halloween with their Parish Family.

Decorate car trunks, add candy to the mix, line up in the parking lot, and let the kids visit each car like they would houses in a neighborhood. Sounds easy and fun. It was definitely a fun event and was actually pretty easy, once you got 60 Knights and the Parish involved.

The planning process started about a 3 months before Halloween. We needed cars, candy, food, and help. The youth wanted to get involved with a haunted hay ride. We planned a bonfire, marshmallows, hot dogs, popcorn, cotton candy, drinks, and a lot of little kids to come to our event. Fliers were made and distributed at the Parish Daycare. Announcements were made at all masses. The Parishioners started to get excited and things started coming together.

Two nights before Halloween which fell on Saturday this past year. We started the lineup around 4:00 P.M with about 60 cars. There were lights, stringers, cobwebs, castles, ghosts, pumpkin patches.. just about anything you could imagine. The hay ride was a huge hit and we also put up a large movie screen and put hay bales out for the smaller kids to watch cartoons. Once 5:30 mass let out, the people came in droves.

For over 4 hours the kids were in awe. Adults were in costumes, manning the booths and handing out candy. The cartoons were going on the movie screen. Hot Dogs and drinks were being served out of the kitchen. Games were being played. Groans and moans and scream and a lot of smiles were seen as well. We estimated at least 400 people came through. And as always the adults had more fun than the kids. We accomplished what we set out to do. We provided our youth and their parents a fun, safe atmosphere for Halloween.

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