

PUMPKINS FOR PARKINSON'S DAY



OCTOBER 9, 2024



Thanks to all of you who came out on Wednesday, October 9 to celebrate with us. It was a great day! Not only did we have two spectacular super giant pumpkins on display (compliments of Brian Bassett, a local competition grower), but the generous folks at Belmont Pumpkins - Danny and Jodi Carlson - donated a large amount of medium, small and tiny pumpkins that we were able to make available to our guests with an optional free-will offering. We also appreciate our die-hard growers who didn't have the best luck this year. Denise and Curt Knutson and Connie and Tyler Finnie gave us some beauties, but the rest did not quite make it. Thanks to Diana Tveit, Mackenzie Derry, Wade Stadstad, Travis Riedemann, Joanna Pearson, Suzanne Berry, Garth Duncan, Joie Boe, and Julie Tennison who gave it a try again this year. A special thank you goes out to Julie Tennison who brought in several beautiful gourds and tiny pumpkins to help us decorate and give away.

Al's Pumpkin Dessert Contest was a big hit again this year! Our dessert makers really came through with many outstanding dishes! Thank you to our dessert makers: Ruth Roos, Mae LaBelle, Brenda Kovar, Chad Peterson (Best Tasting), Maxine Uhlir, Tammy Horner (Best Presentation), Jan Bjork, Sandy Rios, Anne Putbrese, and Susan Larson.

If you would enjoy helping us out next year, contact Patti McEnroe: pmcenroe@gfymca.org / 701.775.2586