

October 2020

SAUSALITO SHORELINE

Fall edition

GET IN THE SPIRIT



Coronavirus making your October too spooky? Here comes the Sausalito Shores Halloween parade! Get ready for spooky fun and candy coming your way starting at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 30 with our **HALLOWEEN PARADE!**

Take a look at Sausalitoshores.com for updates!

Sign up for our e-newsletter to get neighborhood updates and event info by going to sausalitoshores.com

GARAGE SALE

Looking to get rid of some unwanted clutter and make some money at the same time? It's the annual Sausalito Shores Community Garage Sale from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 13-14. Contact Judy at 321-277-7734 to sign up!



Socially distanced scares

SAUSALITO SHORES has a special place in our hearts for Halloween. It's fun for the sake of fun, and a chance for kids (and adults) to let their imaginations run wild. We all need that to look forward to, especially during this pandemic.

This Halloween has the potential to be epic: the holiday falls on a Saturday (which means we get an entire day of candy, costumes, and crafts) and there will even be a full moon (so spooky!). That said, there are a few things that will set Halloween 2020 apart from all other years — most notably, the coronavirus pandemic and everything that comes with it. But just because we need to remain socially distanced this year doesn't mean Halloween is canceled — it just means we need to brainstorm creative quarantine Halloween ideas.

Ahead, we've compiled a list of the best ways to safely celebrate Halloween in 2020. From setting up a few festive Halloween games to cooking a spread of yummy fall foods, these ideas will help you have

the best Halloween yet. Forget everything you know about how October 31 is traditionally celebrated; these quarantine Halloween ideas will help you have a spooky socially distanced celebration right at home. All you need to do is put on your costume, eat some candy, and get ready for a haunting Halloween house party.

7 Ways to Celebrate Halloween during COVID-19, Even in Quarantine

1. Go big on DIY decorations. Get your child started on crafty sessions now. Think: Paper chains around the mailbox, lights over the door and construction paper silhouettes in the windows.

2. Learn a Halloween dance. This could be the big finale for your home video or play – or just a great way to get some exercise and laugh together as a family. Search YouTube for “monster mash dance,”



Put on your own spooky fashion show (and enter the Sausalito Shores costume contest) to liven up Halloween this year.

3. Camp out under the blue moon. In case you hadn't heard, there will be a full moon on Oct. 31, 2020 – something that happens just once every 18 or 19 years.

It's also a “blue moon,” aka the second full moon of the month. So set up a tent, and enjoy the show. Howl if you want to.



Feeling adventurous? Camp out under the full moon on Halloween weekend.

Halloween at home



Get creative with your kids with creepy treats at home this year!

4. Make Halloween treats. From cookies frosted to look like witch hats to tangerines peeled and garnished with mint to look like pumpkins, the options are endless. Whatever you decide, you'll be spending time with your child building kitchen skills and having fun.

5. Host a video chat costume party. Use a video chat app like Zoom, FaceTime, Google Hangouts or Skype to host a virtual event. Invite your child's friends to participate in a spooky singalong, dance party or group chat.

6. Create a Quarantine-O-Ween scavenger hunt. Instead of your child trick-or-treating around the neighborhood, they can trick-or-treat around the home or yard. Hide treats, create clues, and send your child on a spooky scavenger hunt.

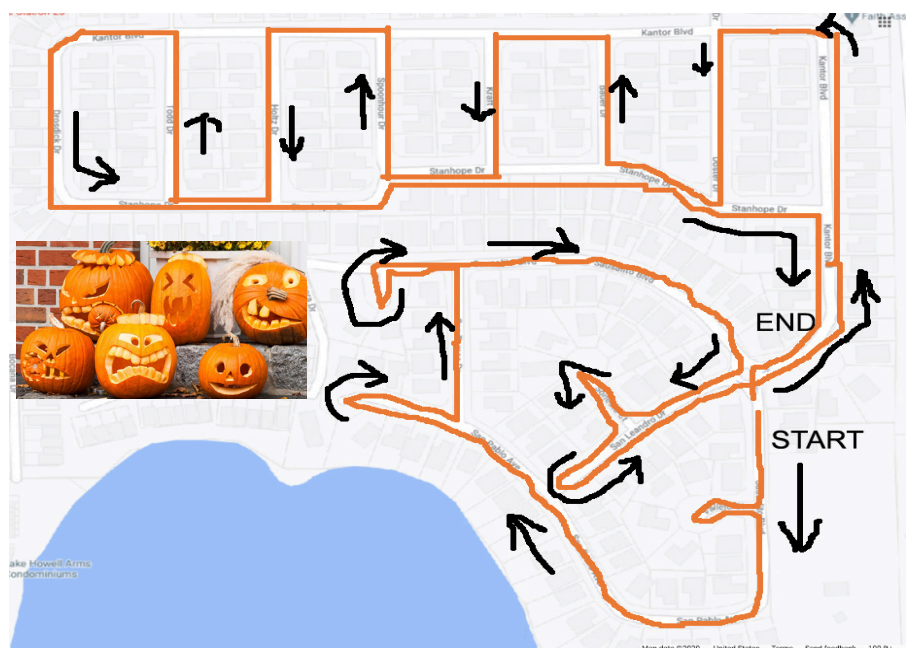
7. Create a Halloween home gallery. Have fun going through old photos of your child and other family members in costume over the years. Display your favorites in a corner of your home with description cards – the year, age and costume inspiration, for example

When the coronavirus pandemic ends, you and your child can return to the trick-or-treating, haunted houses and other Halloween celebrations you love. But until then, have fun trying out new traditions – you may find some to bring back next year.

***For those that would like to still have the traditional trick-or-treating around our wonderful neighborhood, we would like to recommend to safely follow the cdc guidelines set forth by county/state regulations.**

Halloween parade route

Sausalito Shores is having a Halloween parade on Friday, Oct. 30! It starts near the basketball courts and heads south along Sausalito Boulevard before winding its way west then north. Listen for Halloween music and candy coming your way starting at 6:30 p.m. We're having a **COSTUME CONTEST!** Come out to see the parade and when we stop, we'll take a look at your costumes! Winner will be announced on our website, sausalitoshores.com!



WHO YOU GONNA CALL?

**Problem in your corner of
the neighborhood?
You'll get help the fastest by
calling these numbers first.**

Call 911 for all emergencies

Casselberry Code Enforcement
407-262-7766

Casselberry Police
(non-emergency)
407-262-7616

Seminole County Sheriff
(non-emergency)
407-665-6650

Animal Control 407-665-5201

Dept. of Elder Affairs (Report
Abuse) 800-962-2873

Senior Legal Helpline
1-888-895-7873

Report Crime Tips
800-423-8477

Report Suspicious Drug Activity
407-665-1705

Victim Service Center of CFL
407-500-4325
victimservicecenter.org

Holiday festivities are on their way!



The holiday season is just around the corner! Despite the pandemic we're still throwing the best Christmas boat parade in Casselberry! Come out and join the fun with thousands of watts of holiday cheer cruising along the shores of Lake Howell in December.

Look out for a flyer heading your way when we get closer to Christmas-time, and get your boats ready to launch (and maybe win some prizes!) in our boat parade. It's fun, it's festive, and it's outdoors on the dock and on the water so social distancing is easier! Members only!

Join the SSHA today!

Did you know? The Sausalito Shores neighborhood requires money and volunteers to keep up landscaping and facilities that improve your home's resale value! With your help, we can keep this place going. To our existing members (who enjoy our basketball, tennis, dog park, playground and lakeside dock included with their \$10 per month fee!) thank you for being a part of this and helping make this neighborhood what it is. Renew your dues or join today at sausalitoshores.com