

FRIGHT AT THE MUSEUM

NEW COVID MEASURES - AS OF OCTOBER 5

GENERAL INFO

Dates/Times: October 22 & 23, 2021 (5:00pm-10:00pm)

Cost: \$5.00/person (4 and under are free, and do not require a ticket)

Location: Fort la Reine Museum (2652 Saskatchewan Ave E, Portage la Prairie, Manitoba)

Tickets: **Visitors must purchase tickets in advance** at either the front desk of the Museum during open hours, or online through Eventbrite (link on website).

Theme: This year, we will be featuring aspects of historic spiritualism and ghost stories from Manitoba

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. **Do I need to be fully vaccinated to attend?** *Yes. As of October 5, all seasonal/festive outdoor events are limited to fully vaccinated patrons (aged 12+)*
2. **Do I need to wear a mask?** *Yes, for certain indoor spaces masks are required (please bring one).*
3. **How do I present my tickets?** *Bring your mobile/printed or physical tickets with you to the front entrance. Your tickets will be processed upon arrival.*
4. **Do I get a discount if I am a Museum member?** *Yes! Museum members (with active and valid membership cards) are eligible for a 50% discount on special events. You may present your membership card when purchasing tickets to receive the discount. Only 1 discounted ticket per Individual Membership, and up to 4 discounted tickets per Family Membership (2 adults, 2 children).*
5. **How are you keeping the event Covid-19 safe?** *We are implementing a one-way directional pathway that visitors must follow (outdoors). Groups will be separated along the path by volunteers. More volunteers will be stationed to sanitize high-traffic areas. The event will have a separate entrance and exit to ensure traffic flow*
6. **Is this event appropriate for young kids?** *Yes! During our Family-Friendly hours (5:00pm-7:00pm), the Museum will still be decorated for Halloween, but no scare tactics will be implemented until after 7:00pm. All of the interactive activities will be fun for all ages, but you know your kids best. If they are scared of ghosts or mild spooky elements, this event may not be fun for them.*
7. **What kind of activities are going to be offered?** *We are offering spooky ghost stories around the fire, ghost-themed games and crafts, a hot drink station, interactive living-history actors, and a large-scale Corn Maze quest. Some specialized food vendors will be present for more food options (not free with admission).*
8. **When should I arrive?** *We recommend arriving no later than 9:00pm to make sure that you experience all of the activities during the event. Depending on your pace, the entire experience should last between 1-2 hours.*
9. **Is the event wheelchair accessible?** *Unfortunately as the event takes place outside, we cannot guarantee a smooth path for wheelchairs.*
10. **Will washrooms be available?** *Yes, but access is limited. We recommend using the washroom beforehand.*
11. **Where do I park?** *The Museum has two large parking lots available for use. The first parking lot is located to the left when you enter the main gate, and the overflow parking lot is on the right.*

