

# ***PUMPKIN DECORATING - YOUTH***

## **DEPARTMENT YL5**

**Sponsored by: MONTGOMERY COUNTY FARMERS  
FEDERATION WOMEN'S COMMITTEE**

**Alabama National Fair – Creative Living Center**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00 pm**

### **OVERALL PRIZES BY DIVISION**

First Place: \$20 and Ribbon  
Second Place: \$10 and Ribbon  
Third Place: \$5 and Ribbon



### **DIVISION 1 – Ages 11 and under**

### **DIVISION 2 – Ages 12 – 17**

### **RULES:**

- Competitors must comply with all CLC Official Rules ([www.alnationalfair.org](http://www.alnationalfair.org)).
- Contest is open to residents 17 years of age and younger.
- Competitors may purchase a “Competitors Pass”. See the Official Rules for more details.
- For your convenience, you may register online at our website, [www.alnationalfair.org](http://www.alnationalfair.org), under the competition link. Follow the instructions on “How to make an entry”. Deadline for online entries is Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>.
- Sign-in for contest participation will begin 30 minutes prior to the scheduled time of the contest.
- How creative can you be decorating a pumpkin without cutting it! Come and let's find out!
- Decorations must be original work of competitor; parents may not decorate for their child.
- The Alabama National Fair will supply the pumpkins. You must bring your own supplies to decorate your pumpkin. We will only be decorating; competitors **are not allowed to paint the overall pumpkin.**
- Contestants will be allowed 40 minutes to decorate their pumpkin.
- Judges will observe as you decorate and judge only on the decorations.
- The Judge's decision is FINAL.
- Prizewinners will be displayed through the end of the Fair.
- Pumpkins become the property of the Alabama National Fair and will be disposed of at the end of the Fair.

### **Judging Criteria**

Originality – 40%

Creativity – 40%

Overall Appearance – 20%