

BOO CREW NEWS

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Barbecue Info

Please join us on Sunday, Sept. 28, from 1 to 3 pm as we celebrate last year's Haunted House successes and present awards to Boo Crew members. In addition to a feast of burgers and dogs we will be unveiling the 2014 theme and parade information. Even if you can't help this year please come. Also, if you know someone who might be interested in volunteering bring them along. We are always looking for volunteers.



Bellevue Haunted House 2013

RECORD BREAKING SCREAMS!

Last year was a cliff hanger! Having our wedding on Oct. 4, 2013 we weren't completely sure we could pull off the haunted house. But with the help of family, friends and the Boo Crew not only did we host a record breaking number of trick-or-treaters but we also participated in the Rutland Halloween Parade! I still scratch my head when I think about all we did last year including setting some records.

Halloween 2013 was a rain filled evening and that may have helped with the record number of people who braved our haunted house. The rain and all the free publicity we received created the perfect storm for the nearly 500 visitors who screamed their way through the house! The Rutland Herald ran our float as the lead story in its article about the parade; and our float was seen by nearly 10,000 parade watchers the Saturday before Halloween, as well as on PEG TV.

As always we worry all year about how we are going to top last years' experience. It has been challenging trying to keep the haunted house new, exciting and unpredictable. But I have a plan and it will be revealed at the Boo Crew Barbecue being held this year on Sunday, Sept. 28, from 1 to 3 pm. Scare you there!

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Boo Crew on the Web

Last year Gary put together a website detailing the Bellevue Avenue Haunted House. The website explains how the haunted house started and even has videos of past year's haunts. If you haven't already, please check it out at www.boocrewhauntedhouse.com. There is also a Facebook page so “like” us at Boo Crew Haunted House and tell your friends about it! It would be great to reach 500 likes!



2013 Parade float "Til Death do Us Part"

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PARADE INFO

Rutland's 55th Annual Halloween Parade will be held on Saturday, Oct. 25 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. The change to hold the Downtown parade greatly impacts our Haunted House. Many decisions need to be made on how to structure the Haunted House without the parade interruption, as well as, our participation in the parade!

THANK YOU BOO CREW!

We can never thank the Boo Crew enough! The Bellevue Avenue Haunted House, and now our participation in the Halloween Parade, could never happen without the many volunteers who give up their time, Halloween and hobbies to help build sets, give out candy, ride the float and scare trick or treaters.

To know that over these past 11 years, our haunted house has become a treasured tradition for many Rutlanders and their families makes all the work worthwile. We hope you truly know how appreciated you are, not just by Gary and myself but by everyone who experiences the Haunted House.

See you soon! Thank you.

BELLEVUE AVENUE HAUNTED HOUSE

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