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to educate, entertain
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Come One, Come All to the Halloween Ball!

Northwest Children's Theater's *Halloween Ball* returns to The Judy for its fourth consecutive year October 10-25, running Saturdays and Sundays at 10am, 12:30pm and 3pm. The fun kicks off with a costume parade, followed by an interactive Halloween-themed show and splendiferous dance party. Don't forget to save room for scary delicious Halloween treats at concessions!

Halloween Ball is a popular fall event that sells out every year. The immersive theatrical experience has become a favorite seasonal event for many families who have come in the past:

"All three generations had a blast!"

"A very fun activity for kids during the holiday season."

"Wonderful show with excellent performers who really paid attention to the children and made an effort to involve everyone without being overbearing."

To kick off the event, kids and parents will be announced at the top of The Grand Staircase

before descending into the lobby, all the while showing off their costumes to boisterous applause. Families will then make their way into The Black Box and settle into oversized bean bag chairs to enjoy an interactive Halloween-themed show. Finally, put on your dancing shoes and join the cast for a dance party with all of your favorite Halloween tunes!

The *Halloween Ball* runs approximately one hour. Come early and stay after to enjoy Halloween-themed treats at concessions!

Tickets are \$16 and seating is general admission.

The *Halloween Ball* is a family-friendly event most enjoyed by ages 4 and up.

For information on purchasing tickets please visit nwcts.org/shows/halloween-ball or call 503-222-2190.

Halloween Ball is produced in part through the support of the Oregon Arts Commission, Kafoury McDougal: Lawyers for the People, and NWCT's donor families; plus media sponsors PDX Parent and NW Kids.

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October 25, 2026

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VENUE: NWCT'S Home, THE JUDY:

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\$5 Arts for All tickets are available for Oregon Trail/SNAP card holders.

Please see nwcts.org/faqs for details.