Trunk or Treat!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2023 • 4:30PM – 7:00PM • MATER CAMPUS PARKING LOT
REGISTER ONLINE AT ASHROSARY.ORG/EVENTS/TRUNK-OR-TREAT

it’s time for...

what is it?

A Halloween party with trick-or-treating among creatively decorated parent and faculty “trunks.” Families can participate alone or in groups by decorating a trunk, or they can join in on the fun without putting together a vehicle. The party will include music, games, costumes, food, soft drinks, water, and a bar for the parents! This year’s overall theme is “Where in the World is Cardinal San Diego?” Everyone is encouraged to decorate their trunks and choose their costumes based on the theme. This could mean places around the actual world… or whatever world you can dream up! The possibilities are endless! Costumes and themes must be sensitive to all cultures.

what’s involved in putting together a trunk?

See the reverse side of this handout for all the information!

how much does it cost?

Individual admission is $5 per person (children and adults) paid in advance, or $10 at the gate. Vehicle entrance fee is $25 which includes entrance for up to three families. Admission is open to ASH families and their guests only.

* The deadline to register a trunk or purchase discounted individual tickets is October 13. *

will there be bragging rights?

Awards will be given for “Best Overall Trunk,” “Best Treats,” “Best Game/Activity,” “Best Child Costume,” and “Best Adult Costume

anything else?

• To keep things running as smoothly as possible, we will be taking credit payments for food, drinks and “day of” entry.
• In case of inclement weather, the event will be cancelled, and pre-paid tickets and registrations will be considered a donation to the school.

questions or want to volunteer/donate?

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**So what’s involved in putting together a trunk?**

Putting together a trunk is a fantastic way to get creative and have some fun!

Trunks should have an overall theme of your choosing, but we are encouraging everyone to choose something “Around the World” in order to have a cohesive theme among the event. To ensure that we have multiple cars for the children to trick-or-treat from, we ask that no more than three families join per trunk. Large group themes are great! If you would like to participate with more than three families, we can place multiple trunks together.

Each trunk should have two things:
1. Candy or trinkets to hand out to children. Even better when it matches your theme! PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL CANDY IS NUT FREE!
2. A game or activity that goes along with your trunk. This makes it take a little longer for the children to make it around and adds more excitement. Again, even better when it matches your theme!

To keep all the children safe, trunks must park between 3:00PM-3:30PM the day of the event. 3:30PM-4:30 PM is allocated for preparations. Cars will not be allowed to exit the parking lot until 7:30PM.

We estimate over 1,000 people will attend the event, with about half being children. We do plan to supplement the candy to prevent us from running out, but please be prepared. Please bring your own bowl and instructions for your game if you do not plan on having someone man your trunk for the duration of the event.

Cars will be spaced approximately 10 feet apart to accommodate for chairs, decorations, etc.

There is no electricity on site, but cars are welcome to bring generators or portable power.