

Ridgefield 2020 Giant Pumpkin Drive Thru Weigh off

Date: Sunday, September 20, 2020

Location: The Lounsbury House (Alternate location for 2020)
316 Main St., Ridgefield, Ct. 06877

Event: Weighing will take place between 11:30 am to 1:30 pm

No spectators; Growers may have up to 3 people join him/her in their vehicle.

Only vehicles carrying competitive fruits will be permitted to enter.

Pre-registration: Mandatory and ideally paperless; **Deadline is September 12**

How: Return the attached form completed and signed by email to
Ctpumpkins@gmail.com

Entry Fee: \$25 – pay in advance by PayPal at Ctpumpkins@gmail.com

Arrival and weighing:

Participants will arrive at 316 Main St. and follow signs or directions toward the scale

Fruits must be clean and free of pesticide/fungicide and on a pallet.

If you have a lifting ring and the pumpkins can be ringed on arrival it would help move the process along.

Fruits will be unloaded, taped, weighed and reloaded.

You can have a photo with your fruit.

You will be directed to the exit.

Covid 19 requirements:

Mask required during Registration, Unloading, Weighing, Loading

Maintain social distancing of at least 6 feet away from others during your stay on the grounds.

Check Connecticut state corona virus update <https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus>

Weighoff:

GPC sanctioned event following established GPC rules

Prize Money: Giant Pumpkins \$1000, \$500, \$300, \$200, \$100 Green Squash \$200, \$100

Pumpkins, Squash, Watermelons, Bushel Gourds, Field pumpkins, tomatoes can be weighed for official weights

Long Gourds will be measured for an official length

GPC plaques and ribbons will be awarded for all categories and be mailed to the recipients

If you have any questions, please email the CTGPGC at Ctpumpkins@gmail.com