



4rd Annual Costume Contest

In celebration of Halloween, Baycel Federal Credit Union hosted a costume contest on October 31st. The Bay City and Palacios branches handed out goodies to all that participated and prizes were given out for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd.

Posing for us in Bay City were:

Minnie Mouse Emily
Black Kitty Krysta
Jeannie Madaline
20's Flapper Morghan
Seth the Dark Knight Evan
The Black Power Ranger James
Ninja Warrior of the Panther Clan Roger
Raggedy Ann & Andy Danielle and Dustin
A clown Danyelle
Horse and Rider Danelle
Angel Frankie

Posing for us in Palacios were:

Jordan and Kade Sanchez
Mr. & Mrs. Verduzco
Kevin & Brooke Carpenter
Reagan, Megan, Lacey, and Josh Ramirez

Thank you to all that participated. We enjoyed seeing all of your creative costumes and hope you all had a Happy Halloween!



1st Annual Pumpkin Contest



During the month of October Baycel Federal Credit Union sponsored a pumpkin decorating contest for Eastside Intermediate and Central Elementary schools in Palacios and E. Rudd Intermediate in Van Vleck. Eastside was given a total of 25 pumpkins and Central 23 and E. Rudd with 10 pumpkins. Each school was awarded a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prize. 1st place won a class pizza party, 2nd place won free ice cream vouchers donated by Sonic Drive-In of Palacios, and 3rd place won goodie bags for the class. The winners are as follows.....

Palacios Eastside-

1st and 2nd place was a tie with Mrs. Whitwell's 5 & 6th grade class for their "Drug Free" pumpkin and Mrs. Seaman's 6th grade class with "Garfield"
3rd place- Mrs. Brown's 6th grade class with "Black Spider"

Palacios Central-

1st place- Mrs. Zamarripa's 1st grade class with "Dumbo"
2nd place- Mrs. Possell's Kindergarten class with their "Witch"
3rd place- Mrs. Tran's 2nd grade class with their "Lady Bug"

Van Vleck E. Rudd Intermediate-

1st place- Mrs. Dybala's 4th grade class with "The Goofy Pumpkin"
2nd place- Mrs. Lantelme's 4th grade class with "The Monster Pumpkin"
3rd place- Mrs. West's 5th Grade class with "Mrs. 2006 Scarecrow Pumpkin"



Here's a BIG thank you to all the classes for their participation. Everyone showed a lot of imagination and creativity on their pumpkin. GREAT JOB! Thank you to Richard Rhoades, owner of Sonic Drive-In of Palacios, for donating the ice cream vouchers and Super S for all the help in obtaining enough pumpkins for the contest. We would also like to thank the following people for taking time out of their busy schedules to judge the pumpkins.....

From Palacios; Judge Jerry Purvis, Sandy Llanes with the Boys and Girls Club of Palacios, Marcus Torres with Super S, Atty. Isidro Castanon, Virginia Chipman with Chipman Construction.

From Van Vleck; Wayne Massey on the VVISD School Board, Kristi Champion from the VVISD Business office, and Cindy Lowry from the Matagorda County Water District.

Thank You all so much! We enjoyed this contest greatly!