

17th Annual Muir College Pumpkin Drop and Halloween Carnival, Oct. 31 at **Muir Quad**

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MEDIA ADVISORY

EVENT: 17th Annual Muir College Pumpkin Drop and Halloween Carnival

DATE: Oct. 31, 1994

TIME: 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Muir Quad between Tioga Hall and Tenaya Hall at the University of California, San Diego

REMARKS: UCSD's Muir College will hold its annual Halloween Festival, which includes a barbecue, game booths and a rock band. At 12:30 p.m., the mid-point of the festival, a huge (100-150 pound) carved-out pumpkin that has been filled with Halloween treats will be dropped from the top (11th) floor of Tioga Hall, the highest building on Muir campus. After the drop, students can retrieve the candy that has spilled out of the smashed pumpkin. Photographers are welcome to attend the pumpkin carving the night before the festival.

Photographers are welcome at the festival. Suggestions on special vantage points for shooting the pumpkin drop are available by calling Blue Robbins, assistant resident dean, at 619/534-4200.

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