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Hudson Loves a Parade

Hudson, NY – Following the success of last year's parade we are announcing the 2nd annual Hudson Halloween Parade scheduled for October 29th 2011. In celebration of the festive parading spirit of Hudson this year will another spirited affair. This year the parade route and trick or treat time will be extended.

Picking up on the wonderful tradition that was the "witches walk" Hudson will host a day of fun activities for young and old alike on October 29th. The timeline of events is as follows

- 3-5 Picking up free Halloween totes at 7th Street and trick or treating at participating Warren St businesses (they will display above logo in their windows)
- 5:15 Meet back at 7th Street park
- 5:30 - 6 pm Parades down to Coarc
- 6pm All ages costume contest in front of Coarc
- 6pm till 8pm Operation Pumpkin at Coarc (all ages haunted house!)

Several local businesses and organizations are planning their participation. Ghost Walk Tour will march, along with the Family Resource Center of Columbia County, Hudson Pride and Mexican Radio.

Parade organizer Shaina Marron says "In my dreams I envision Hudson becoming a major Halloween destination, evolving year after year. Puppets, people of all ages, ghost tours, riverboat cruises, the whole deal. This town has such a wonderful and lurid history it's a perfect venue for Halloweenies of all ages to come to"