

Halloween Safety Tips

Trick or Treating hours for Urbana are 6 pm – 8 pm,
Tuesday, October 31, 2017

- Always travel in groups when Trick or Treating.
- If you are an older kid or young teen, and going out with friends, make sure that your parents know where you are and who you are with.
- Be careful when you cross a street. If you have a little brother or sister with you, take their hand and help them get across the street, too.
- NEVER go into a stranger's house or approach a strange vehicle. Vandalism is never cool! Throwing eggs at cars and houses is not cool.
- Someone has to clean it up and it could be you, if you get caught. You can also be arrested and punished as a juvenile.
- If you can drive and are driving with friends, **DRIVE SAFELY**. Follow traffic laws and watch for young children. Turn your music down, put your cell phone away, and **DON'T DRIVE DISTRACTED**. Children are unpredictable and it is important to **STAY ALERT**, especially on Halloween when there are many children out in the streets after dark. That could be your younger brother or sister out Trick or Treating, so **BE CAREFUL**.
- Underage drinking is illegal in all 50 states, even on Halloween. Drinking and driving is illegal and dangerous. NEVER get into a vehicle if the driver has been drinking and NEVER try to drive if you have been drinking.

Be safe! And have a fun Halloween!