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## Raise the Future and Eagle Quest Host 2025 Spooktacular Harvest Fest for Foster and Adoptive Families

**Las Vegas, NV – (Nov 18, 2025)** — Raise the Future and Eagle Quest hosted the Spooktacular Harvest Fest on Friday, Oct. 17, bringing together more than 400 foster, adoptive, kinship, and reunified biological family members, staff, and volunteers for a day of celebration and community support at Mountain Crest Park. Activities, such as trunk-or-treat, bounce houses, face painting, games, and Eagle Quest’s popular Cake Walk, promoted friendships and a sense of belonging. Free costumes were provided to children, enabling every child to participate fully and experience the joy of the festivities.

Seeing over 300 children laughing, choosing costumes, and simply being kids makes events like Spooktacular powerful,” said Jessica Roe, vice president of programs at Raise the Future. “Moments like this create belonging and hope, reminding families they are not alone.”

This year’s event highlighted the strength of community collaboration, made possible through the partnership between Raise the Future and Eagle Quest, allowing both organizations to expand their reach and directly support more families with resources, connections, and shared experiences than ever before.

Spooktacular is more than a holiday event; it’s a testament to our community’s commitment to youth and families who need support most,” said Bruce Walker, youth and family services supervisor at Eagle Quest. “Our partnership with Raise the Future guarantees that families feel recognized and genuinely supported.”

The event was supported by community partners and sponsors, including Whiskful Thinking Cakes, Hot Dog on a Stick, and In-N-Out Burger. Hosted trunk-or-treat spots were provided by 12 organizations and individuals: Project 150, Changing Smiles Dentistry, Boys and Girls Club, City of Las Vegas Neighborhood Services Department, UNLV’s OGCE, Barber School, Anthem, Joy Hoover, Celebrate Kids, Inspire, New Beginning Society, and Flashy Image. Additional support came from sponsors, including Gene Haas Foundation, Boyd Gaming, and Anthem, with donated items from Trader Joe’s, The Industrial, and Spy Ninja.

### **About Raise the Future**

*Connect Youth. Support Families. Create Hope.*

At Raise the Future, we believe every young person deserves to go through life knowing they have a caring adult by their side. Through innovative programs and partnerships, we connect youth in foster care with stable, supportive families and provide the tools and resources they need to thrive. With a focus on finding every child a forever home and building long-term connections, Raise the Future works every day to change the journey for youth in foster care, one meaningful relationship at a time. To learn more, visit [www.raisethefuture.org](http://www.raisethefuture.org).

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## **About Eagle Quest**

Eagle Quest is proud to be one of Nevada’s most trusted and comprehensive providers of foster care, behavioral health, and family support services. For more than 20 years, Eagle Quest has been helping children, youth, and families overcome challenges and achieve lasting success through compassion, education, and evidence-based care.

At Eagle Quest, our mission is simple but powerful:

“To help members of our community reach new heights through quality behavioral healthcare and unmatched customer service.”

Eagle Quest’s programs serve youth and families across Clark County and beyond, offering a full spectrum of support that includes:

- Foster Care Services – recruiting, licensing, and supporting foster parents to provide safe, nurturing homes for children in need, with a strong emphasis on keeping siblings together.
- Safe@Home Program – a preventative, family preservation service designed to help families remain safely intact by addressing behavioral, emotional, and environmental challenges before they escalate.
- Youth Residential and Group Homes – structured, therapeutic living environments for youth who require additional support to develop life skills, emotional stability, and accountability.
- Therapeutic and Behavioral Health Services – individualized treatment plans delivered by qualified professionals, providing youth and families with the tools to manage mental health challenges and build resilience.
- Community Engagement and Enrichment Activities – from annual celebrations such as the Spooktacular Harvest Fest to summer camps, Eagle Quest fosters positive connections that build confidence and belonging among foster youth and families.

Through these programs, Eagle Quest continues to build a legacy of empowerment, healing, and transformation—one child, one family, and one community at a time. We are always looking for loving homes willing to open their doors to help serve children in need. If you are ever interested in becoming a foster parent, please contact 702-646-KIDS(5437).

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