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Haunted Fort headed for its last weekend at Fort Abraham Lincoln State Park

With Halloween coming up this week, Haunted Fort will bring its final week of terror to Fort Abraham Lincoln State Park. Haunted Fort will be open on Halloween night, as well as Friday and Saturday, Nov. 1 and 2, from 7:30-11 p.m.

Creative Director for the Haunted Fort, Matt Schanandore says, “this season has been a very big success for North Dakota Parks and Recreation and Fort Abraham Lincoln State Park. We have three more nights to prove that Haunted Fort is truly the number one haunted attraction in the state.”

So far, for the last three weekends, Haunted Fort has ushered in over 6,000 people through its dark gates. “As Halloween approaches the spirits will be out in mass this Thursday, Friday and Saturday night,” Schanandore says.

Haunted Fort is open from 7:30 to 11 p.m. on Halloween night. It is very important to note that visitors to the Haunted Fort on Halloween night and the nights to follow can wear Halloween costumes, although, for the safety of staff and anyone attending, all face masks, full head coverings and any costume that is extreme in size or has extra parts will have to be removed before entry. Any costume inhibiting a person’s ability to move through the event is not allowed. “We want everyone to have fun at the event and we want to make sure our actors are doing the scaring. In the end it all comes down to safety, we want everyone to have a fun and safe time at Fort Abraham Lincoln State Park,” Schanandore says.

The Haunted Fort is put on by the North Dakota Parks and Recreation Department, Mandan Progress Organization, and Party America. Concessions and Haunted Fort Merchandise will also be available. Cost is \$12 per person at the gate. VIP (skip the line) tickets are \$32.

For the complete list of final dates and times, visit www.hauntedfort.com. You can also find Haunted Fort on Facebook (www.facebook.com/HauntedFort)