

DIWALI

Grandview students share their favorite things about special Hinduism holiday, Diwali.

"My favorite thing would usually be the fireworks but this year it was probably the food."



Kavin Ramesh, 12

"My favorite part about Diwali is eating all the Indian sweets and spending time with my family."

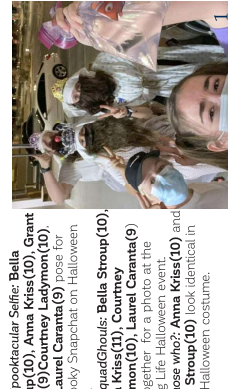


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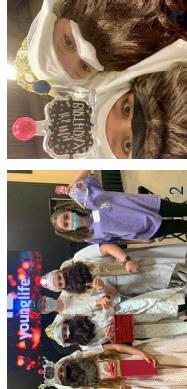
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Vraj Patel, 12



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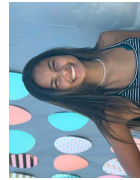
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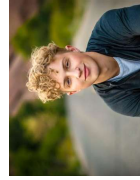
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A Hair-Raising Halloween

A couple of Grandview students safely enjoy a fun Halloween night despite the circumstances.

Halloween has always been a hit holiday among high school students, but this year it was a little different. While things were different this year, Grandview students still found a way to safely celebrate.

"To celebrate Halloween I went to Young Life with my friends and we did a Halloween themed hangout," said **Anna Kriss(11)**

Anna, and her friends, **Bella Stroup(10)** and **Courtney Ladymon(10)**, all dressed up as the three wise men.

They also celebrated with a movie night. "This year for Halloween I hung out with three of my friends and we watched Halloween movies," said Stroup. "I actually preferred this year's Halloween because I had a lot more fun with my friends."

Even though circumstances were a lot different this year, they still had fun however, they did miss the big groups and getting to hang with all of their friends. "I wish I could have hung out with more of my friends," Stroup said, "last year our group was bigger and we weren't restricted by Covid," Kriss added.

Halloween has always been a big hangout and party holiday, but due to Covid, groups had to be restricted and lowered, yet there were still silver linings for Halloween 2020.

"A silver lining to this year was that I was that I was with a small group so it was easier to talk to everyone," said Stroup. Halloween will always be a student hit holiday, and while things were definitely different this year, Grandview students remained positive and still had a fun time.

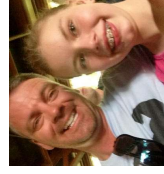


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-Ava Griffiths (10th)

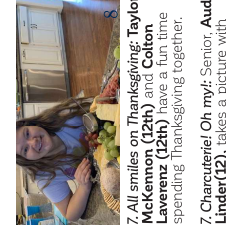


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-Chloe Rodriguez (10th)

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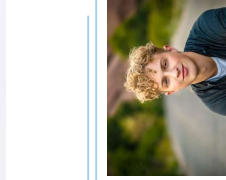
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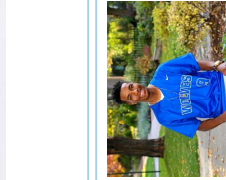
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