

## Psychics, ghouls, gourds accompany the chill fall air

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Inns and hotels across the country are getting ready for Halloween, with events throughout October and beyond.

■ Five inns in the Sunapee, N.H., region are offering Halloween events Oct. 24-26.

A Psychic Medium Spiritual Weekend will be held at the Inn at Pleasant Lake in New London with rooms starting at \$155 and events from \$35. Visit [innatpleasantlake.com](http://innatpleasantlake.com) or call 800-626-4907.

At the Blue Acorn Inn in Sunapee, families can decorate a trick-or-treat bag, carve a pumpkin, bob for apples, and join a pumpkin lighting. Rooms start at \$100, and the cost is \$25 for all activities. Visit [blueacorninn.com](http://blueacorninn.com) or call 603-863-1144.

The Candlelite Inn in Bradford will feature psychic Catherine Gibson for tarot card readings and ghoulishly good desserts and other treats throughout the weekend. Prices begin at \$343. Visit [candleliteinn.com](http://candleliteinn.com) or call 888-812-5571.

At the Rosewood Country Inn in Bradford, the accent will be on scary stories by a professional tale teller, along with a buffet. Room prices start at \$129 a night, and the Chilling Tales for an Autumn Evening buffet and story session costs \$39 a person. Visit [rosewoodcountryinn.com](http://rosewoodcountryinn.com) or call 800-938-5273.

Things will be milder at the Inn at Danbury, which will celebrate autumn's bounty with a Local Harvest Breakfast & Craft event on Oct. 25. The breakfast will be freshly made from area products, and

the handicraft session will draw its inspiration from the season. Rooms begin at \$102 with snacks included, with the price for the breakfast/craft session to be announced. That Sunday, a five-course Oktoberfest Wine Dinner will be \$69 a person. Visit [innatdanbury.com](http://innatdanbury.com) or call 866-DANBURY.

■ The **Luxe** Hotel Rodeo Drive calls its package the One-Way Ticket to Hell, but some might consider it heavenly.

The one-night package includes accommodation and transportation to the Halloween Carnival costume party in West Hollywood on Oct. 31, where you can don a costume and party with 300,000 celebrants. Also included are a Halloween amenity, a glass of wine or cappuccino, and continental breakfast for two. Prices start at \$329 per night on Oct. 31, with additional nights starting at \$229. The offer is available Oct. 31-Nov. 2.

Visit [luxehotelrodeodrive.com](http://luxehotelrodeodrive.com) or call 310-273-0300 and mention code ONE-WAY. For Carnival information, go to [visitwesthollywood.com/things-to-do/halloween](http://visitwesthollywood.com/things-to-do/halloween).

■ Two nights in New York add up to a Wicked Weekend, according to NYCtrip.com. The package for Oct. 24-26, which begins at \$880, includes a stay at the Sheraton New York Hotel & Towers, orchestra or front mezzanine seats to the musical "Wicked," admission to the cast party after the show, and other amenities. Visit [nyctrip.com](http://nyctrip.com) or call 877-692-8747.

*When not included, hotel taxes, airport fees, and port charges can add*



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*significantly to the price of a trip. Most prices quoted are for double occupancy; solo travelers will usually pay more. Offers are subject to availability and there may be blackout dates. Richard P. Carpenter can be reached at [carpenter@globe.com](mailto:carpenter@globe.com).*

