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# A Horrifyingly Fun Halloween Themed Hens Party



## Halloween Costumes are a MUST!

- The funny option (how about a pumpkin, a box of wine or even a giant condom?!)
- The scary option (from zombies and witches to spiders and skeletons, there are plenty of ways to get your creep on)
- The sexy option (creepy nurse, anyone?)
- The group option (the Spice Girls, witches, crayons, Monsters Inc, a deck of cards... the list goes on of wicked ways you can dress to impress as a group!)

## Halloween Inspired Food & Drinks

- Label food as cauliflower 'brains', sultana 'bat droppings', red grape 'eyeballs', lolly snake 'rat tails', noodle 'worms' etc.
- Put a couple of spooky signs on your food table (think 'terrifying treats – eat at your own risk' next to the sweet section, 'sickly spread' next to a platter of assorted food)
- Combine hideous labels with creative food layouts/construction. They could be cute (for example, biscuits decorated as smiling pumpkins) to the downright creepy (such as biscuits made to look like witch fingers)
- Label red drinks as 'vampire blood', clear as 'spider venom', green as 'witches brew', brown as 'swamp water', black as 'poison', dark green as 'zombie virus', etc.
- Set out a sign that says 'Magic Potions' next to your drinks



## Make Your Venue Creepy

- Candlelight, cobwebs, sheets hung to make the shape of ghosts in mid air, large sticks/leaves painted black placed in vases - covered in 'spider webs', carved pumpkins, etc.
- Check out your local op shops for furniture and other products that are IDEAL for such a theme (and if the furniture isn't really your style, it can be taken to another op shop after the party for someone else to enjoy)!
- Create 'webs' with cotton balls and put them on EVERYTHING! Instant scare factor. Then place into your compost bin after use

## Play Spooky Games

- Best dressed competition
- Ghost stories (played just like 'Chinese whispers')
- Halloween feel box - filled with gross feeling items, the guest who guesses the most objects right wins
- Horror movie trivia
- Mummy wrap - create a bunch of 'mummies' with toilet paper!
- Photo booth full of creepy props. DIY the backdrop with a black sheet and splattered red paint
- Pumpkin carving competition
- Trick or treat - guests pick a drink, some are alcohol some are water



## Get Out and About

- Haunted house tour
- Lighten the mood with some fun activities (anything from wine tours and laser tag to booking a caricature artist to capture your crazy costumes in cartoon form!)
- Murder mystery party
- Thriller/monster mash dance class



## Find more themed party inspiration

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