



# GPC

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## **The Great Pumpkin Commonwealth (GPC) is proud to announce the awarding of the first educational grant to Big Pumpkins.com.**

The grant provision entails the purchase and supply of back up power equipment and materials for the web site server to further enhance the sites capabilities during power interruptions.

This first grant award begins the inaugural award segment of the benefits provided to the GPC from its current fund raising campaign of seed auction sales. The GPC, is raising funds to help educate and recognize grower achievements, while building the new GPC web site, and donating to charity (Orange Angel Foundation - coats for kids). The GPC strives to better help all clubs and growers by fostering a stronger unified Commonwealth. Directly involved in the 2008 Niagara Convention (IGVGC) and organizing guest speakers while aiding financially with the annual event. The GPC is always looking for ways to better educate growers and recognize outstanding achievements by growers and clubs.

### **About the Great Pumpkin Commonwealth (GPC)**

The GPC is the major organizer and sanctioning body overseeing Giant Pumpkin and vegetable growing in the United States of America, Canada and Europe. Now with fifty eight weigh-off locations throughout the world the GPC and it's sponsored sites are attended by hundreds of thousands to the ever popular annually run festivals and weekend events held each summer and fall. For sponsorship information and more information please contact President Dave Stelts by email to [buckipoln8r@yahoo.com](mailto:buckipoln8r@yahoo.com)  
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### **About BigPumpkins.com**

The mission of BigPumpkins.com is to provide an interactive web site to the giant pumpkin growing community! We would also like to promote the exciting sport/hobby of giant pumpkin and giant squash growing by helping new comers get started.

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