

## The pumpkins are bewitched

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The Evans family lived in a village, dedicated to the harvesting of pumpkins. In that town there were very naughty children who robbed them and this caused the Evans family to suffer shortages, they were fed up with this happening and they couldn't find a way to solve it.

Mr. Evans sent his three children, Paola, Freddy and Alejandra to the basement for some things he needed for the pumpkin harvest. Freddy found a chest while searching for the things.

-“Look at this, guys”- said Freddy.

-“Should we open it?” - Asked Alejandra.

And Paola answered, "Sure!"

When Paola opened the chest they were surprised, because there was a book called "Hocus Pocus". They decided to take it away without telling their father.

When the night came, they decided to open the book to see what it was about, there they found the perfect solution to end the shortage of pumpkins since a spell called "trick or pumpkin" was coming, which consisted of bewitching them so that the children would never go near the fields again.

They had everything to do the spell, they only needed a red moon and the book said that they only spent the night of Halloween every 6 years at 2 am, where the moon was at its point!

They closed the book and realized that it was only 2 weeks away from Halloween and that year it was the red moon. They immediately gathered all the ingredients they needed and waited for the red moon to appear on Halloween night...

The day arrived and they left their house quietly without anyone noticing, went to the field and waited for the time to cast the spell.

They took with them a cauldron where they put frogs legs, some plants and other things. But the last and most important ingredient, a pumpkin, they cooked it and just when it started to evaporate the moonlight reflected on the spell... They waited all night for something to happen but nothing really happened.

-“Nothing happened, let's go home,” said Freddy.

As they walked towards the house they looked at the field and saw how the pumpkins were growing to an unexplainable size, with legs and a large mouth.

They got scared and decided to run inside to tell their parents what they had done but they didn't believe them. Suddenly, they saw how they got up from the field and started chasing the children who were always stealing the pumpkins.

They quickly started looking in the book for ways to dispose of the pumpkins and the only way to do this was to burn the book.

-“Paola, quickly throw the book into the fireplace,” said Alejandra.

It burned down and after that everything went back to normal, the kids never stole pumpkins again and Freddy, Paola and Alejandra learned not to play with magic...

THE END.