

Casa Loma gets into the spirit of Halloween



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Casa Loma's Legends of Horror is on until Oct. 31.

Years ago, I remember reading the deliciously scary books by author Shirley Jackson, our generation's Stephen King.

Her books — *We Have Always Lived In The Castle*, *The Lottery and Other Stories*, *Come Along with Me* and the famous *Haunting of Hill House*, considered one of the best ghost stories ever written. This is a must read for Halloween! As is a visit to Casa Loma, always full of magic and recently transformed into one of the spookiest places to visit this month.

Captain Morgan Presents Legends of Horror at Casa Loma — an amazing, interactive experience that promises to outspook everything you've ever experienced about Halloween. You'll see sophisticated animatronics, live actors, themed areas and 3D visual effects — all wrapped in suspense the moment you enter the 18-foot skeletal entrance gate.

The whole event covers the grounds of the five-acre property, and timing is perfect, as it marks the 200th anniversary of the birth of Frankenstein, says Nadia DiDonato, Liberty Entertainment Group's v-p and creative director.

“What better time and place to introduce something like this?”

“We came up with the idea because we believed there isn't a single standout haunting event in Toronto. Now there will be,” said DiDonato in an earlier interview.

This ain't your regular haunted house — every scene, from the entrance gate to the final destination, has been meticulously planned.

Oooohhhh! Spooky stuff!

- LEGENDS OF HORROR, CASA LOMA, on until Oct. 31, from 5 p.m. to midnight. Advance tickets are \$40 online or at the door for \$45. For more info, visit Casaloma.ca or contact info@casaloma.ca for group bookings. Adult accompaniment is required for children under 13.