

## **GLOWING PUMPKIN FREAKS OUT ORLEANS RESIDENTS**

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On Voyageur Dr. on April 1, 2018, Jakub Smith, 11, was on his nightly walk with his puppy named Violet. It all was going great until a glowing light in the



neighbor's window caught Jakub Smith's eye. He got closer to investigate if it was a misplaced jack o` lantern.

Smith said, "My first thought was why a jack o` lantern in April?" But it wasn't a jack o` lantern he saw, it was a whole pumpkin glowing green. "My dog was acting crazy. She was barking, running in circles and looking in all directions. I wondered if the pumpkin was doing this to her?"

Jakub Smith tried to calm the dog while the pumpkin glowed steadily. He called the police who arrived within 15 minutes. Police were given details of the glowing pumpkin. When they looked at the window the pumpkin had stopped glowing and the dog fell asleep.

Police questioned Smith for several minutes. They were about to leave, thinking it was all a lie when the dog jumped up and began to bark. Glancing at the window, everyone saw the pumpkin glowing again.

Office Agenaj confirmed, "It was definitely a green glowing pumpkin. We will be investigating the homeowners. Until then pet owners are cautioned to keep pets inside. The pumpkin will definitely be confiscated and studied by scientists."

All pumpkins are asked to be returned to where they came from or terminated until the police and scientists find out what is causing this.

***Picture Source: 'The Mysteries of Harris Burdick' by Chris Van Allsburg***