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Safe Halloween options FISHERMAN'S WHARF in Monterey will hold its inaugural Halloween on the Wharf: Trick or Treat by the Bay, and the City of Seaside will offer holiday fun at Oldemeyer Center, providing a couple more safe activities for kids on Oct. 31. At the wharf from 4 to 7 p.m., kids and families in costume can go hunting for treats at various shops — especially at Carousel Candies, which will give away homemade chocolates all day and have a surprise Halloween guest in costume, and at Candy World, which will have a witch in the house and will hand out special Halloween treats. The Wharf Theatre will show a family-friendly film at 5:30 p.m., and there will be other surprises, too. Seaside's free Halloween Bonanza 2018 will take place at the center at 986 Hilby Ave. from 6 to 9 p.m., for kids 10 and younger. A haunted house, costume contest, free glow necklaces for the first 500 children, carnival games and prizes, crafts, face painting and treat bags will keep them all busy. The City of Seaside, B.J. Dolan Youth Education and Resource Center, and Avenue of Flags are sponsoring the event.