



Capital City Comic Con

Cosplay Contest - Rules & Regulations

General Information

Time: 3:30pm on Sunday, March 18, 2018

Place: Lecture Hall in the Victoria Conference Centre

Type of Contest: Catwalk style with brief time to show off your costume and character to the audience

Categories: Kids Category (12 & under) & Adult Category (13 & over)

Prizing

Prizes	Kids Category (12 & under)	Adult Category (13 & over)
1 st place	\$250	\$750
2 nd place	\$100	\$500
3 rd place	\$50 Cherry Bomb Toys Gift Certificate	Gift Basket of Awesomeness (\$250 value)

Cosplayers must pre-register by filling out the Capital City Comic Con Cosplay Entry Form. If you have any questions regarding this process please email capcitycomic@gmail.com.

The deadline for entries is **March 1, 2018 at 11:59PM PST**. All entries will be pre-judged and semi-finalists will be contacted shortly after the deadline by email.

Judging

- The final pre-judging will take place on Sunday at the Victoria Conference Centre before the contest.
- Semi-finalists will have a chance to check in and be pre-judged in person by our Cosplay Contest Judges.
- Semi-Finalists must appear and line up 15 minutes before the start of the judging.
- The Judges will then pick their top 10 Finalists who will be announced at 3pm in the Lecture Hall.
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- Finalists will be called up one by one to do a quick catwalk and engage the audience.
- The Judges will then pick the top 3 from each category.
- Finalists are asked to stick around for photo opportunities.

Additional Rules & Details

- ALL costumes must adhere to our Code of Conduct and Weapons Policy.
- ALL contestants must have purchased either a Sunday Pass or 3 Day Pass.
- Contestants that have not attended pre-judging will not be eligible to compete in contest.
- All costumes must be at least 50% created and not rented or store purchased.
- Costumes must be at least 60% complete by time of entry into contest.
- Contestants can sign up in either two categories- Kids or Adults.
- Adults may not compete in Kid's contest but may walk on and assist with a child's presentation.
- Judging will be based on creativity, time involved, overall design and stage presentation.
- Pre-judging will analyze the costume's materials, creation process, craftsmanship and cosplayer's details.
- ALL cosplay MUST be family friendly. No crude behaviors, illegal activities, running, climbing, or being offensive.
- Only enter the stage and exit the stage at the designated entry/exit points.
- There will be first, second and third place winners in each category – kids and adults.
- Prizes will be given out after the contest and pictures will be taken. An adult must be there to sign for the children's prizes.
- All contestants MUST appear and line up 15 minutes BEFORE the start of the contest. Any contestants missing during the lineup/pre-contest setup time will be forfeited from the contest.
- Large elaborate costumes must be handled by the contestant and/or assistants the contestant brings to help.
- No projectiles, glitter, ooze, wet paint, pyrotechnics, etc. The stage must remain in the same condition it started with.
- Judges decisions are final.
- By submitting your application, you agree to abide by the contest rules and regulations.
- *Limitations of Liability: Capital City Comic Con is not responsible for any incorrect or inaccurate information, printing errors, technical or human error which may occur in the administration of the Contest or the processing of entries. Capital City Comic Con is not responsible for any injury or damage to persons or property which may be caused, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, from entrant's participation in the Contest or receipt or use or misuse of any prize.*

Capital City Comic Con's Cosplay Contest is meant to be a fun and interactive event! We want to celebrate cosplay and all the hard work that goes into it. Big thank you to each and every participant!