

Cosplay Contest Rules

Information:

What are you wearing?

-Cosplay - short for "costume play", is a type of performance art in which participants hand make and create costumes and accessories to represent a specific character of fiction based on books, comics, TV shows, movies etc. In this case all costumes should relate to Anime, Cartoon, or Video Game characters. Please remember to bring full body reference pictures of your character.

-Judging will be based on overall craftsmanship. Purchased costumes will not be qualified for Experienced, Professional, or Craftsmanship type awards. Purchased costumes will be up for Novice awards as well as best portrayal of character in terms of attention to detail with alterations to the cosplay as well as props built/wigs styled/etc.

Rules:

- You must have a pass to Puchi Con to enter.
- You must follow all the general rules of Puchi Con.
- Please wear clothing, your birthday suit is not a costume.
- All costumes and props must be self-contained. We cannot plug you in for electricity or get you up the stairs or through the door if your costume is too big to move in.
- NO REAL WEAPONS! It doesn't matter if it is a dull blade on a sword or knife or if the bullets or cartridges have been taken out of the gun.
- No Realistic looking projectiles, firearms, or Guns!
- You may NOT enter the same cosplay into both the Masquerade and Hall Cosplay Contest. You will be disqualified.