

Pick up your contest entry form on the day of the contest and be sure to submit it at the Cosplay Judges Booth (138-140, MAIN LEVEL) at least 1 hour prior to the Stagewalk + Awards downstairs on the Main Stage.

<u>General Cosplay Contest</u> | Saturday, October 11th: Return your completed contest entry form to the cosplay judges by 3:30PM and get ready for an epic stagewalk & awards ceremony at 4:30PM on our Main Stage (downstairs). Line up at the stage at 4:15PM.

Categories for the General Cosplay Contest

All places awarded include a trophy + merchandise prize

## **CRAFTSMANSHIP**

**OPEN** 

3 places awarded + Judge's Choice

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1st place: \$300 cash prize & 2x RGC '26 VIP Vouchers

2nd place: \$150 cash prize 3rd place: \$50 cash prize

Important: In order to qualify for the CRAFTSMANSHIP category, contestants must have majority homemade costumes/props and be prepared to describe their creative process.

<u>Kids Cosplay Contest</u> | Sunday, October 12th: Kids Contest (Age 12 and under) is on our Main Stage at 1:30PM. Completed contest entry forms are due at the cosplay judges' booth by 12:45PM. Line up at 1:15PM. 3 places awarded + 2 Judge's Choice awards, with trophy and merch prizes. <u>All entrants</u> will receive a prize, courtesy of <u>Andrews McMeel Publishing</u>.

Costume specifications & prop rules can be found in our CONVENTION FAQ.

Special Cosplay Events (Located in the Side Quest Room, Main Level Next to Expo Hall)

## Fan Meetups (Side Quest Room)

Friday 2:30PM: Valve (Portal, TF2, Half-Life)

Friday 6PM: Undertale + Deltarune

Friday 7PM: Neopets

Saturday 12PM: Kpop Demon Hunters

Saturday 3PM: Nintendoverse

## Workshops/Panels

Friday 3:30PM Cosplay Makerspace Sunday 11:30AM Cosplay Speedrun

**Cosplay Lounge:** Looking for a place to take a break? The Cosplay Lounge is located downstairs in the Lower Hall and features cold water stations and anime playing all weekend.

## **NEW FOR 2025!**

Join us in the Cosplay Lounge for our Cosplayer Meet N' Greet & Trinket Trade! Friday 2:30PM Saturday 6:30PM

End the con in style! Join our **COSPLAY PARADE** Sunday at 3:30PM (meet in the lobby).

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