

## Amherstburg Uncommon Costume Contest Guidelines



- Contest Categories: Child (Ages 0-12) and Adults (13+)
- First, second and third place prizes will be awarded in each Category for costumes that display the most outstanding Quality, Accuracy, Effort, and Presentation.
- Judges will be looking for Steampunk and Wizard themed costumes with the most colorful, craziest, well crafted and creative ideas. Costumes may be homemade or store bought but judges will be awarding more points for homemade.
- Register in person beginning Friday September 20th at 5pm through Sunday September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 4pm at the Information Station at the corner of Richmond St. and Dalhousie Street.
  - Registration will close at 4pm on Saturday for the Saturday contest and 4pm Sunday for the Sunday contest
- Registered participants must meet at the corner of Ramsey Street and Murray Street at 4:30pm to assemble for the parade
  - The parade will start at 5pm sharp.
  - Judging begins at 5:10pm starting with Youth (Ages 0-12) group. Adult contest judging will begin immediately following the youth contest. Prizes will be awarded after each category is judged.
  - Must be present to win.
- Contestants who place first, second, or third on Saturday are not eligible to win a prize on Sunday, even if they are wearing a different costume.
- All contestants consent to The Town of Amherstburg using photos or videos taken at the Uncommon Festival for promotional and advertising purposes. These images may appear in various media formats and agree that they will not receive compensation.