SCARE UP YOUR BEST COSTUME TO PARTICIPATE IN NAVY PIER’S REALLY BIG COSTUME CONTEST

Three Age Groups Compete for Great Prizes, including American Airlines Tickets!

WHAT:    Navy Pier’s Really Big Halloween Party presents the Really Big Costume Contest for children, teens, and adults during the final two Saturdays of October, and featuring great prizes, including American Airlines tickets.

WHERE:   Navy Pier’s Family Pavilion
          600 E. Grand Avenue, Chicago

WHEN:    Saturday, October 22 and October 29

Children (ages 12 and under):  Costume Contest at 3 p.m.
Teens (ages 13 - 17):           Costume Contest at 3 p.m.
Adults (ages 18 and over):      Costume Contest at 7 p.m.

DETAILS: Dress in your best Halloween costume and register for our Really Big Costume Contest every Saturday in the Family Pavilion. Nothing scary about the prizes! First, second, and third place prizes will be awarded in the child, teen, and adult categories. Judges include representatives from Cue the Lights, Litwin Talent Management, Chicago Spirit Brigade, The Revelettes, and stage actors Elijah Barker and Broadway’s Mark Page, and film actors Jack Foley and Torey Adkins.

Costume Contest Participant Information:

1. The Navy Pier Costume Contests are free and open to anyone who wishes to participate dressed in a costume. Employees and families of Navy Pier, Inc., their sponsors or affiliates are not eligible to win.
2. Registration will take place in the Family Pavilion and will open at 2 p.m. for the Children’s and Teen’s Divisions and 6 p.m. for the Adult’s division on each contest day (October 16, 23, and 30).
3. Registration will close fifteen (15) minutes prior to the start of each contest.
4. The Adult's Division shall be limited to the first 100 people to register.
5. The Children's and Teen's Divisions combined shall be limited to the first 100 registered. Provided once 60 participants from either the Children's or Teen's Division have registered, additional registrants shall be given "Standby Participant" status. Once the registration period is closed and if less than 100 participants combined have been registered in the Children's and Teen's Divisions, Standby Participants shall be added as participants in the order of registration until a 100 combined participant level is reached.
6. Contestants must be present to win.
7. Winners are chosen on the basis of originality, overall appearance and presentation. Judges will select three contestants for each contest day in each Division - adult, teen and child. The decision of the judges is final. Navy Pier, its management and affiliates have no control over the judges' decision.
8. Costume contest winners are not eligible to re-enter and win another Navy Pier-sponsored costume contest.
9. The contest is intended for entertainment purposes only.

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