

**2023 Sandhills Superheroes Celebration
Cosplay Contest Entry Form**

Name: _____ Age: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Character: _____

Source Material (e.g., Marvel/DC/TV Series/Book):

Anything else you'd like to tell us about your costume? _____

RULES

- Obscene or graphic content, or other elements deemed inappropriate to the spirit of the competition will disqualify contestants. Cosplays must be appropriate to be viewed by all ages (**G-rated**), no excessive gore, no profane language or symbols, no nudity or near nudity. The judges and library staff reserve the right to disqualify cosplays they determine to be inappropriate.
- Participants must be age 13 or older at the time of the contest, participants under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian sign this form with them. Cosplay contest is limited to the first 50 contestants who complete and return this form with \$10 entry fee.
- **Non-refundable \$10 Entry Fee and this form MUST BE RETURNED to the North Platte Public Library by 5:00 p.m. on Friday May 26th, 2023, to qualify for entry.** Grand Prize for the first-place winner will be half the entry fees collected (up to \$250), additional funds collected will go to the North Platte Public Library Foundation. For more information please visit: <https://www.npplfoundation.org/>
- Entry into the contest constitutes permission for the North Platte Public Library to show your cosplay photo in the Library, and on the Library's website/social media platforms, and on any future promotional materials.

JUDGING & AWARDS

- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will be determined by a panel of independent cosplay judges and library staff as needed for tie breaking.
- Grand Prize for the first-place winner will be half the entry fees collected (up to \$250)
- Second Place Prize will be two 3-day passes to OCon Expo (theoconexpo.com) July 21- 23, 2023.
- Third Place Prize will be a \$20 gift card to Game On Games (gameongames.com).
- Contestants will be judged on the presentation of their costume, craftsmanship skills, and creativity!

Contestant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Guardian Signature if under 18: _____ Date: _____

Guardian Printed Name: _____