

HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST



READY FOR SOME SPOOKTACULAR FUN?

- Looking for some fun-filled spookiness?
- Ready to break out your fashions from the late 1900s (i.e. 80s & 90s)?
- Family & Pets are welcome to participate too!

Winona State University's Human Resources Team is proud to sponsor our annual Employee Halloween Costume Contest on **Monday, October 31, 2022**. Show us your creativity by rocking out your own costume or teaming up with your friends, co-workers, family and/or pets to bring your costumes together! Pictures will be uploaded to [WSU's Facebook Page](#) and voting will be open to all employees.

Prizes will be awarded for *Best Individual Costume* and *Best Group/Department Themed Costumes*.

Who Can Participate:

All employees of Winona State University, family and pets are welcome to participate. Please remember that participation in the contest is consent to have your photo(s) placed online.

Photo Submission:

- Email your photo to humanresources@winona.edu

- Email must include your name, department and description and/or name of your costume
- If submitting a group photo, ensure you are providing the above information for each person in the picture as well as your group's theme
- Photos must be submitted by **9:00am on Tuesday, November 1st**

How a winner is chosen:

- All submissions will be posted to [WSU's Facebook page](#)
- Voting opens as soon as pictures are posted. Employees may vote for their favorites through **noon on Thursday, November 3rd**
- To vote, simply 'Like' or comment on a photo
- If you do not have a Facebook account, you are welcome to email your votes to humanresources@winona.edu
- Regardless of your method of voting, please only vote for each submission once
- Votes will be tallied according to the combination of 'Likes,' comments and emails
- The winners for 'Best Individual Costume' and 'Best Group/Department Themed Costumes' will be announced on **Thursday, November 3rd** via email and on the Facebook page

Things to consider:

- Keep in mind that your submission will be viewed by a diverse audience so please ensure costumes and photos are considerate and appropriate
- Be mindful of your costume selection. Ask yourself...is this costume mocking or offensive? If unsure, please reconsider or ask questions
- If you're having your family and/or pets participate, ensure you have their consent. If your pet runs away or looks at you like their life is over, they probably don't want to take part in the fun...
- By submitting content to this contest, you authorize Winona State to use photos within the WSU website as well as on the university's social media sites
- Contest sponsors reserve the right to not include submissions

This Year for Halloween,
Please Stay Safe | Stay Silly | Stay Spooky

