



2018 Pawtoberfest Costume Contest

Join the fun by entering your dog in our first annual Pawtoberfest Costume Contest! Funny and creative costumes are highly encouraged to add some excitement and to capture the attention of the viewing audience and judges!

CONTEST DETAILS

- * There will be a maximum of 30 participants.
- * Pre-registration is preferred. Limited on-site registration may be available at the Pawtoberfest tent.
- * No fee to participate, but donations welcome. Proceeds will go to the Richardson Animal Shelter.
- * The contest will begin promptly at 12:30 PM.
- * Participants will be given a number which must be worn and visible for judging.
- * Participant's will take one lap around the demonstration area to show off their costume.
- * Winners will be announced as soon as the contest is complete.
- * A King/Queen, second, and third place winner will be chosen.
- * Participants will be judged on creativity, uniqueness and humor. Judges decisions will be final.
- * No participant will be eligible for more than one award.

CONTEST RULES

- * All dogs must remain leashed and with an adult at all times.
- * Each dog must have his/her own adult walker.
- * Participants must gather at the Pawtoberfest tent by 12:15 PM.
- * Participant's number must be pinned to the owner and visible to the judges.
- * No puppies under 4 months or without proof of vaccinations.
- * No dogs in heat.
- * No aggressive dogs.
- * Please pick up after your dog - bags will be provided.
- * Costumes must be safe and comfortable for dogs.