South Royalton Trunk and Treat 2020 -The MASKerade Parade Virtual Costume Contest

The Royalton Recreation Commission has created a new twist on the annual Halloween event so that families can come together as a community in Covid friendly fashion. This year, while many traditional Halloween activities are limited due to the ongoing pandemic, Royalton Memorial Library in cooperation with the Royalton Recreation Commission, is offering Trunk and Treaters a safe way to show their Halloween spirit by hosting a Virtual Costume Contest.🎃

The South Royalton Trunk and Treat event will take place on October 31st from 11am-2pm at Hope Field, across from the school on South Windsor Street. This is a free event but you must have a ticket. See the Royalton Recreation Commission's Facebook page for complete event information and a link to sign up and request your ticket(s).🎃

To participate in the Virtual Costume Contest, put on a costume, bring your Trunk and Treat ticket to the event and join the MASKerade Parade. There will be a roving photographer snapping photos of all the best costumes. During the week of November 2nd or before, the photos will be uploaded to the Royalton Memorial Library Facebook page. A panel of anonymous judges will review the photos and choose the winners.🎃

 If you would like to enter the Virtual Costume Contest without attending the Trunk and Treat event. take a selfie or have someone take a photo of you in your costume, any time before 11:59 p.m. on Saturday, October 31, 2020 email the photo to chris@royaltonlibrary.org. Include with the submission the first and last name of the person in the photo. Only one entry can be submitted per person, but multiple entries can be sent in the same email; for example, if there are multiple children in the same family.🎃

Winners will be announced on or before Friday, November 6, 2020 on the Royalton Memorial Library Facebook page. Winners are asked to contact the library to arrange to pick up their prize. Winners may send a message via Facebook Messenger or email directly to pam@royaltonlibrary.org or call 802-763-7094 and leave a message. 🎃

Prizes will be awarded to the winner of the following categories:

Cutest Baby Costume (ages 0 – 3 yrs.) *
Cutest Kids Costume (ages 4 yrs. – 18 yrs.) *
Best Animal Costume (ages 3 yrs. – 18 yrs.) *
Spookiest Costume (ages 3 yrs. – 18 yrs.) *
Coolest Costume (ages 3 yrs. – 18 yrs.) *
Best Storybook Character Costume (all ages) *
Best Adult Costume (ages 19 yrs. & up) *

*Age ranges are intended to be used as an approximate guideline. Ages will be determined by judges "best guess". 🎃

Winners will receive recognition on Royalton Memorial Library's Facebook page and a $15 gift card to a local business.

Note: Photos may appear on Royalton Memorial Library's Facebook page, website and/or other library promotional media. To decline, contact chris@royaltonlibrary.org.