

COSPLAY COMMUNITY KENYA
TOURNAMENT

#COSCOMKE #MJXDEC2018

— **MJX DECEMBER 2018 RULE BOOK** —

Disclaimer

Please **read**, and **save this document** somewhere easily accessible for **continuous reference** as a contestant. Your entry will be rejected/accepted/evaluated based on the guidelines made available.

We as event organizers and our partners, will not be held responsible for any assumptions or forgetfulness on your end. This Rule Book is your Bible. Keep it close.

Yours truly,
Movie Jabber Team 😊



What is Cosplay?

Cosplay is a shortened form of two words – **costume** and **roleplay**.

It's the art or practice of wearing costumes to portray characters from fiction, especially from movies, manga, comic books, animations, and science fiction stories.

People who cosplay are known as 'cosplayers'.

About Cosplay Community Kenya Tournament (CosComKE)

- **CosComKE Tournament (CosComKE)** is the 1st cosplay competition category at December's MJX on Saturday December 15TH at Garden City Mall, Thika Road Highway, from 11am onwards. The 2nd competition is the more advanced **Cosplay Runway Tournament**.
- This competition category is open to all people, to express their love for favorite iconic characters from the world of fandom by dressing up as them! You can dress up in the most realistic get-up possible of characters from the world of movies, comic books, TV shows, animations, anime, and manga.
- You do not have to take part in this specific event category if you do not want to. If you want to come and cosplay just for fun, no competition or any fuss, you are welcome too! Please note that the perks extended to competitors will not apply to you.

Please head back to our website

WWW.MOVIEJABBER.CO.KE

for more information on the other cosplay tournament.

CosComKE Tournament at MJX Dec 2018

Winnings

1st Place: 10,000Kshs.

2nd Place: 8,000Kshs.

3rd Place: 5,000Kshs.

IMPORTANT

PLEASE READ, UNDERSTAND AND ALWAYS REFER TO THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES. THEY WILL BE USED TO REJECT OR ACCEPT, AND LATER JUDGE YOUR SUBMISSION. MOVIE JABBER RETAINS THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT AND REJECT SUBMISSIONS BASED ON THESE GUIDELINES, AND ALSO TO REVISE THE GUIDELINES WHERE AND WHEN NECESSARY.

CosComKE Tournament Dec 2018 Guidelines

- 1. Registration:** You must register correctly, supplying all information and content required in the form, by the deadline date.
- 2. Registration Deadline:** Sunday December 2nd 11.59pm.
- 3. Early Check-In & Final Confirmation:** You will have to check-in early, in costume between 10AM and 11AM Saturday April 28th.
 - a) Interview with Judges:** This early check-in slots you in for a one-on-one interview with the judges which will happen between 11AM and 12NOON. This will of course determine your score with the Judges. This is your all important chance to show off the attention to detail that went into your costume, do not be late!
 - b) No interview with judges means you do not get graded and thus do not compete.**
 - c) Cosplay competition, starting with CosComKE Tournament is tentatively scheduled to kick off around 2pm or 3pm.**
 - d) Keep tabs on our website and social media handles for confirmed schedule closer to event day.**

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- 4. Event Ticket Price: Only confirmed registered cosplayers will pay a discounted (600Kshs.) event ticket price. You must arrive and check-in while already in costume, sit in with the judges and compete on stage, for this to apply to you.**
- 5. As a competitor, you will be paying a discounted event ticket price and be in the running to win cool cash, these perks aren't extended to the rest of the event attendees.**
- 6. All contestants will be in the same screening of Aquaman, on the same day. Schedule to be confirmed.**
- 7. Outfits deemed not family friendly that express extreme nudity such as characters in really short skirts, bikinis etc OR contain weapons made of metal or sharp objects that can harm people will not be permitted. Please keep in mind this is a family friendly environment and event.**

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- 8. Commitment: A deposit of 300Kshs. (three hundred Kenya Shillings only) commitment fee must be paid by registration deadline of Sunday December 2nd. This amount will be topped up on event day to add up to the special discount ticket rate only registered cosplayers will pay.**
- 9. Commitment Fee Platform: Send to Movie Jabber's Buy Goods Till Number: 977573. As soon as payment is made, send a follow up email with details to jotham@moviejabber.co.ke.**
- 10. Why the commitment fee? This is to regulate any drop-offs between registration and event day, to weed out the non-serious and non-committed people. A lot of work and costs go into making the competition category what it is, and it makes the planning process difficult and needlessly expensive when we have a lot of sign-ups than actual cosplayers turning up on event day. This commitment fee is non-refundable.**
- 11. Email Communication: Always check your email (inbox, spam) on a daily basis. This will be our primary source of communication. We will not be held responsible for any email you fail to notice and act upon in time.**
- 12. ****IMPORTANT** Complete Registration & Participation: Your participation is only deemed 100% confirmed and sure when you have (1) registered properly with correct info and content, (2) paid the commitment fee within the stipulated time period****

CosComKE Dec 2018 Points System

Your outfit will be evaluated and awarded points from 0 (lowest score) to 5 (highest score) based on the below key aspects:

- 1. Accuracy:** Overall craftsmanship and final look of the outfit in comparison to the actual item.
- 2. Material Improvisation:** For characters with metal based outfits example Iron Man, how were you able to craft your outfit without using metal yet achieving a near accurate look?
- 3. Presence:** Does the person wearing the outfit embody the character when on stage? Or are they shy? Do they speak out boldly or mutter?
- 4. Accessories:** Final look of the accessories in comparison to the actual item. Remember, no metal or creation of actual functioning weapons.

**CLICK HERE TO SIGN
UP TO COMPETE**

Submission Deadline

11.59PM SUNDAY DECEMBER 2ND 2018

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If you are interested in being an Event Partner or Exhibitor, kindly contact us. Looking forward to being the talk of the town together!

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