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THE FANS HAVE SPOKEN: FANG FAVORITE FINALISTS

Eight products, chosen in a vote by Halloween fans and consumers, are the finalists for the 2026 Spooky Awards Fang Favorite.

FINALISTS

**8 products · 8
categories**

From 3 manufacturers

SELECTED BY

Fan vote

Halloween fans and
consumers

WINNER ANNOUNCED

January 11, 2027

Mardi Gras World, New Orleans

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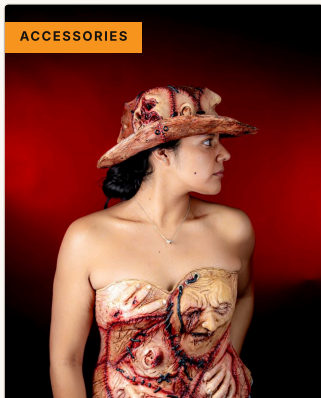
**Halloween &
Party Expo**

January 11-13, 2027

2026 FANG FAVORITE FINALISTS

Listed by award category. Each card links to the manufacturer's website.

ACCESSORIES



Skin Corset

Ghoulish Productions

ghoulishproductions.com

ADULT COSTUME



Sasquatch Costume

Ghoulish Productions

ghoulishproductions.com

CHILD COSTUME



Stranger Things: Tales from '85 Gourde Horde Official Kids Zentai Halloween Costume

Jazwares, LLC

jazwares.com

LICENSED COSTUME



Adult's STAR WARS Darth Maul Official Zentai Suit

Jazwares, LLC

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MOST UNIQUE COSTUME



Prestige Ursula Costume for Women

Disguise

disguise.com

DÉCOR



Rusty the Clown

Ghoulish Productions

ghoulishproductions.com

MASKS



Big Horns Devil

Ghoulish Productions

ghoulishproductions.com

MOST INNOVATIVE PRODUCT



Futakuchi Onna

Ghoulish Productions

ghoulishproductions.com

The Fans Have Spoken! HCA Announces 2026 Spooky Awards “Fang Favorite” Finalists

MT. LAUREL, NJ – (October 16, 2026) – The Halloween & Costume Association (HCA) is pleased to announce the 2026 Spooky Awards “Fang Favorite” finalists, selected through a vote of Halloween fans and consumers.

From imaginative costumes and frightening masks to elaborate décor and innovative products, this year’s finalists showcase the creativity, craftsmanship, and originality that make the Halloween industry so unique.

The annual Fang Favorite competition gives Halloween enthusiasts, cosplayers, and fans of all ages the opportunity to recognize their favorite products from among the Spooky Awards finalists.

2026 Fang Favorite Finalists by Category

Accessories	Ghoulis Productions – Skin Corset
Adult Costume	Ghoulis Productions – Sasquatch Costume
Child Costume	Jazwares, LLC – Stranger Things: Tales from ‘85 Gourde Horde Official Kids Zentai Halloween Costume
Licensed Costume	Jazwares, LLC – Adult’s STAR WARS Darth Maul Official Zentai Suit
Most Unique Costume	Disguise – Prestige Ursula Costume for Women
Décor	Ghoulis Productions – Rusty the Clown
Masks	Ghoulis Productions – Big Horns Devil
Most Innovative Product	Ghoulis Productions – Futakuchi Onna

These eight finalists represent the products that captured the attention of Halloween fans, highlighting the imagination and innovation of manufacturers across the industry.

The 2026 Fang Favorite winner will be announced on January 11, 2027, during the HCA Spooky Awards ceremony at Mardi Gras World in New Orleans, held in conjunction with the Halloween & Party Expo.

About the Halloween & Costume Association (HCA)

Known as the industry source for Halloween, HCA represents member companies with cumulative sales of \$4.3 billion. The association has earned its reputation as an expert on all things costume-related and serves as a nonprofit voice for the industry. For more information, visit www.hiaonline.org.

About the Halloween & Party Expo (HPE)

Co-owned by the Halloween & Costume Association and Clarion Events, the Halloween & Party Expo is North America’s premier trade-only event for Halloween and party products. The 2027 Expo will be held January 11–13 at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center in New Orleans, bringing together established industry professionals, emerging creators and the latest products. For more information, visit www.halloweenpartyexpo.com or call 203.242.8712.

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KEY DATES

JAN 11 **Spooky Awards ceremony**
Fang Favorite winner announced · Mardi Gras World, New Orleans

JAN 11–13 **Halloween & Party Expo**
Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, New Orleans

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