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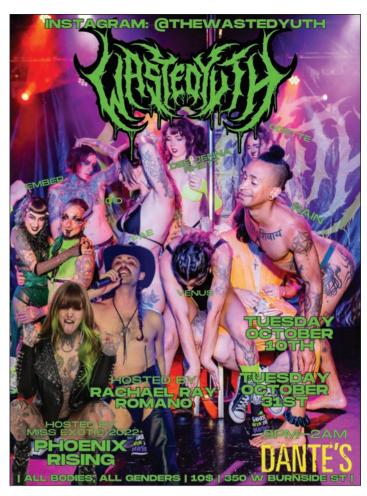
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Starting off on Tuesday, October 10, Wasted Yuth will be at Dante's with their amazing traveling show for misfits, emos, and metalheads. If you don't fit any of those, we guarantee you'll still enjoy their show. It's an inclusive event for all, and if you've never been, you're seriously missing out. They'll be back at Dante's for a very special Halloween edition on Tuesday, October

Before we get lost in all the Halloween festivities, let's take a moment to recognize industry anniversaries and birthdays! On Thursday, October 19, Club Rouge in Beaverton will celebrate its first anniversary with a special appearance by Playboy Playmate and podcast host CJ Sparxx! Happy Anniversary! And we have 2-for-1 on birthdays this month...Bunni and Carmelita will have their "On Cloud 9 Birthday Party" on Friday, October 20, at Hawthorne Strip. Happy Birthday Bunni & Carmelita!

Ready to kick off some Halloween fun early? Stars Cabaret (Salem) will throw their Electric Jack-o'-lantern EDM Party on Saturday, October 14, featuring dance music, spooky games, and prizes! Fast forward a few weeks later, on Friday, October 27, Starts Cabaret (Bridgeport) will have its annual Halloween Costume Contest. You might as well keep the costume on because the very next night—Saturday, October 28—Club Rouge in Beaverton will also have a Halloween Costume Contest! We'll let you take the costume off for a breather, but have it ready for Cabaret's Halloween Party on Tuesday, October 31!

Actually, we take that back...you'll need that costume for Portland's biggest Halloween Party—the Portland Erotic Ball! After 23 years and still going strong, the industry's favorite Halloween Party will be at the Crystal Ballroom on Saturday, October 28. But pace yourself, folks, because the fun doesn't stop there! You won't want to miss the official after-party at the Jack London Revue. See the left-hand page for all the details and ticket information. See you there!

Halloween wouldn't be complete without the industry's rendition of a haunted house! Exotic presents Dick & Scott's Haunted Strip Club Arcade—an adult Halloween video game experience for the ages! Check out all the details on page 2, and get your tickets at xmag.com/haunt. You don't want to miss this very unique industry experience!

As if all the aforementioned wasn't enough, it's also time for the industry's largest event of the year—Miss Exotic Oregon 2024. It all kicks off on Friday, October 6, at Kit Kat Club! Come support your favorite industry entertainers! Please see all the October dates to the right, in red—we expect your perfect attendance!

Let's go, October!

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# It's time artists start doing Halloween Albums!!!

Think about it. Since the beginning of recorded music, the concept of "Christmas Music" has been pretty widely accepted in America, to the point that it has become its own genre of music. "Holiday," I think, is the tag on iTunes. Isn't that a little exclusive, though? That's not the only goddamn holiday that banks get off in this shithole country. It's not even the only Christian holiday if that's what the excuse is. And by Christian, I mean co-opted pagan holiday. What gives? You could make the argument that Christmas is the biggest holiday in America and has this whole cringey "vibe" attached to it, but other American holidays have started to cultivate their own cringey vibe as well. You could argue that "Christmas music" even has some distinctive chord changes and specific instrumentation (sleigh

bells), but we're almost there with Hallow-

een. Think organs and low tremolo wails—

the devil's tritone. There's enough there that

we can almost make it a thing.

There have been some false starts, like with "Monster Mash," but nothing ever caught on. I suppose you could consider a majority of Danny Elfman soundtracks or the entirety of the Misfits discography as a series of Halloween holiday carols, but that would be a boring article to read. If I was going to waste pages in a nudie mag with an article about Glenn Danzig, it would be something along the lines of thirteen things to do instead of knocking him the fuck out with one punch when his five-foot-three ass shoves you. Spoiler alert, the proper thing to do is punch him the fuck out and hopefully have someone film it, so that article would also be a waste of time.

Still, Misfits aside, why is Halloween music not a thing? It is probably the second most popular holiday in America, if not creeping up on the first. Why can't everyone's actual favorite holiday enjoy some cash-in camp from our favorite artists trying to sell out in the saddest way possible? There was a goddamn Twisted Sister Christmas album. Anything is possible in this timeline.

Here are some suggestions for the folks out there who want to make this under-employed columnist's dreams come true.

My Chemical Romance – Happy Halloween (or Something Equally Stupid)

I'm not trying to put down Gerard and Co.,

# By Blazer Sparrow

but I think now is the time for them to pull something like this off. They had that absolute banger of a song last year and then followed up with zilch. Be it writer's block or label pressure, the audience is awaiting some other product. They can't return to the Hot Topic, unironic angst of yore, and I'm not sure the general public is ready to accept them in their hearts as the serious rock band they are. So why not just piss everyone off with a campy collection of "holiday" hits. Dunno what this entails since we still haven't established what exactly a Halloween song is, but they could conjure up something between some Misfits covers, a few tracks off A Nightmare Before Christmas, and maybe a retooled, guitarofied version of John Carpenter's Halloween theme. And then lunno, write their own smash hit. Halloween-themed answer to Wham!'s "Last Christmas." Come on, Jersey Boys. If anyone can do it, it's you!



Gravediggaz – A Comeback With Prince Paul and RZA

You can argue they didn't invent horrorcore, but they sure as hell popularized it. I'm not trying to pretend they're going to recapture the magic of 1994's 6 Feet Deep. This isn't about quality, it's about camp. Horrorcore, in general, hasn't had the courage to sell out



completely as some holiday cash-in. A fully reunited Gravediggaz, with Mr. Diggs and Mr. Huston, could pull this off. It would have to be brutally self-aware and include samples of the literal fucking "Monster Mash," but I think there's something here, and that something is money. Cash hasn't ruled anything around RZA for some time, so might as well go full sellout.



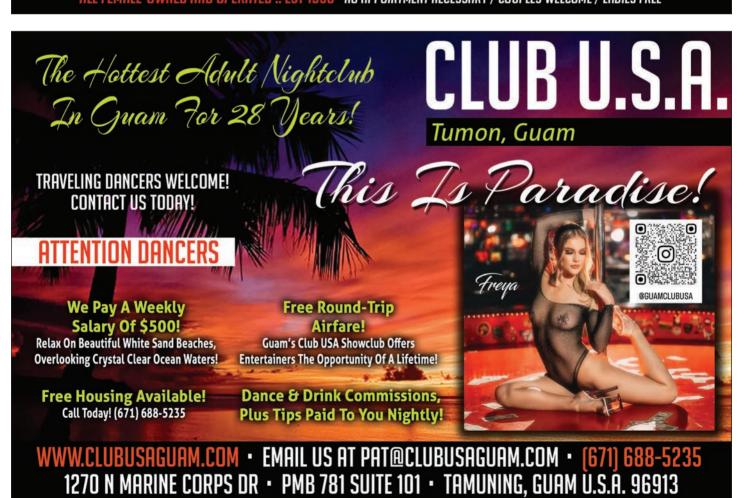
Rodrigo y Gabriela – A Dia De Los Muertos Ofrenda for You (or Something Equally Tone-Deaf)

Dia De Los Muertos is already starting to creep into surpassing Halloween as the cultural center of the spooky season. Once the NPR neolibs start touting it, it's all over. I am still holding out for Samhain, the true reason for the season, but I won't be mad if Dia De Los Muertos eclipses Halloween as the vibe for late October. With Disney's "Coco," I feel like we already have a starter plant for this holiday's "carols," and who better to cash in and sell out on this new wave of bastardization than Mexico City's very own acoustic metal duo? It's not racist since they're Mexican, so they could get away with something so hideously campy. They could even cover some songs off of "Coco!"

# Mariah Carey – The Best-Selling Halloween Song of All Time

Doesn't matter what it is. Just as her unquenchable thirst for chart positions steamrolls over every other Xmas classic in December, so too shall this juggernaut of pop music dominate the Halloween music market shortly after it becomes a thing. There is no stopping this. It is inevitable. Once the Halloween genre of music becomes established, Miss Carey will not rest until she has crafted a diddy that will be piped into every Spirit Halloween Store and blast away during commercials of every horror movie rerun marathon. You cannot prevent Mariah from taking over the entire month of October with whatever billboard-smashing bop she conjures, thus doubling her annual income from all the dollars to double all the dollars...all Hail Mariah, The New Whistle-Tone Oueen of Halloween.





# WHAT ANIMAL ACTUALLY SUITS YOUR ZODIAC SIGN - PART 2



Leos, where to begin with this one. Lions are the animal chosen to reign over this sign. In the zodiac, Leos are seen as having a zest for life. Their likes are...being liked or admired, the theater (probably because they are lead roles), vacations, and fancy, expensive things. My partner is a Leo (Lucky me, I'm a Capricorn. Do what you want with that information...). Leos absolutely do not like not being paid attention to or being treated like a king or queen. Honestly, to me, the best representation of this in animal form is a French bulldog. Frenchies are little assholes that are constantly needing your undivided attention, detest when another dog is the center of attention, and don't generally play well with others that take the spotlight away from them. They're also expensive. If your partner is also a Leo, expect expensive dates even when finances are tight and to be giving a lot of head-pets saying "you're great," with as much enthusiasm as you can muster after the 100th time that day.



Virgo

Out of all the zodiac signs, this is actually one I come into contact with the least for some reason and know very little about. The Virgo is actually represented by a virgin for reasons. They like animals (specific animals), nature, and cleanliness. They do not like asking anyone for help or rudeness. House cat. House cats are tidy, poop and pee in a box (so long as they aren't being dicks), are constantly grooming themselves, and every time you show them that stringyfeather toy you've had for years, they act like it's the first time they've seen it and go nuts. House cat = Virgo. House cats are also usually fixed, meaning... unless they already had babies earlier, they're probably also virgins.



Libra

Libras are another one of those signs not represented by a creature per se but an object. Two scales, due to their "fair nature." Libras love fairness and equality. They are supposedly very diplomatic in nature and hate injustice, violence, or conformity. However, Libras also have a huge tendency to be super indecisive. So...I'm not actually sure how long it takes them to come up with their opinion on what seems fair or not. Let's go

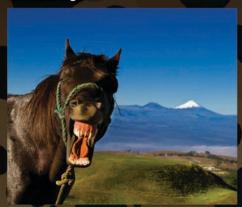
with a panda. Libras are panda-people. Pandas are gentle and always strive to keep the relationships they have intact and those around them happy—or at least content. Pandas are goofy and also don't seem to understand that the bamboo that they eat has little to no nutritional value. I honestly think pandas eat bamboo because no other creature is actively trying to eat bamboo as much as them, so they're trying to give the other living creatures more to live off of. How amazingly kind and how incredibly detrimental to their species' future. Panda-people.



Scorpio

Scorpios are scorpions in the traditional astrological calendar. Easy enough to remember for a tattoo if you're one of those kinds of people. Scorpios have some traits I wouldn't necessarily call great, per se. But...maybe if you were a lawyer or a politician, they might work to your benefit. Because they love truth, being right (meaning that the "truth" is always going to be their opinion), and teasing people. Scorpios do not like dishonesty, superficiality, or small talk. So, I kind of picture a city coyote here. City coyotes (or just coyotes, if you haven't ever seen them in the city roaming the streets for cats, as I have) are a lot like Scorpios in that they are good in a pack but function exceedingly well on their own. Just out there looking for cats so

they can feed their babies or something. Coyotes are also extremely playful with each other, but the pack head honcho is never afraid to tell you to "Step the fuck back; you are absolutely wrong. I'm correct, and I'm the leader!" So, have fun with that one. Just be cautious not to try starting an argument with them. Start with a prank first, and see how it goes.



**Sagittarius** 

This is the weird centaur/archer dude. Sags (that's what I'm calling them because I'm lazy) like traveling, freedom, and being outdoors. They don't like clingy people, theories that have no logical sense, or listening to the details of a story. They're known for needing to travel, trying to get to the bottom line of things, and being overly honest due to their moral compass being without any shade of grey. Horses. Much like a Sag person, horses love being wild and free. They are curious enough to see what would happen if they just happened to try to bite your finger off while feeding them an apple (I saw it on a YouTube video once) and then run away gleefully afterward, thinking it was a fun game they just played. Loyal, curious, and sometimes assholes. A Sag in a nutshell. You crazy horse, you—run wild and be free.

# Capricorn

We've come to my sign—a goat person. I've never liked this creature representing my zodiac sign because it's so goddamn accurate it's infuriating. As a Capricorn, I can speak from first-hand expe-



rience that we enjoy silence, set plans, family/loyalty, and animals. Our dislikes will include literally anything at some point in our life. It depends on the time of day, year, temperature outside, and if the sun is out. There isn't a lot of wiggle room in our sense of logic, and it takes a strong personality to tell us otherwise. Arctic penguins. Only Arctic. Loyal to their family and completely sure of where the fucking fish are when they have to swim all that way to get food for the dead-beat, stay-at-home dad and starving child. No one can tell them any different because mom made this trip, and so did her grandma...icy, toothfilled, flightless, strong-willed birds.



**Aguarius** 

Represented by three squiggly lines because someone got lazy. Aquarius people enjoy fighting for causes, having fun with friends (when they want to), and risky business, apparently. They do not like being lonely or having boring conversations with people. Known to be extremely curious about things in general and great at problem-solving, I would say an aye-aye is a wonderful suitor here. Aye-ayes have figured out

how to live in trees almost all day, eating fruit and using their long fingers as a tool to pick for bugs inside trees. Ingenious and usually surrounded by folks they know. Usually, with a tail attached. Er...l guess only if you were an actual aye-aye...but you're a human...so...



**Pisces** 

Two fish, symbolizing something to do with Zeus throwing out his pet fish and those two fish being lovers—or something. Pisces love being alone; they also love...love and romance, music, and sleeping. They don't like know-it-alls or being criticized. This sounds like a great person to work with if they didn't sleep in. Pisces peeps are friendly and always want to help others. I'm just not sure if they love that more than sleep, so honestly...the sloth. The sloth fits great because they love sleeping (a solid 8-10 hours a day) and are extremely mellow, down-to-earth creatures. Although they only go down to earth to poop, they're your buddy you can say anything to, even if they are asleep. Talk their ear off; they won't wake up until they have to poop.

Alright, all you beautiful people...that's it. I'm already over my budget on words. I hope you enjoyed my opinion on the animals you all represent to me. And yes, what a twist, no spooky animals made this list. I'm gonna go back to explaining the correct way to fish to my dog and tell people to stop drinking pumpkin beer. It's disgusting—peace out.









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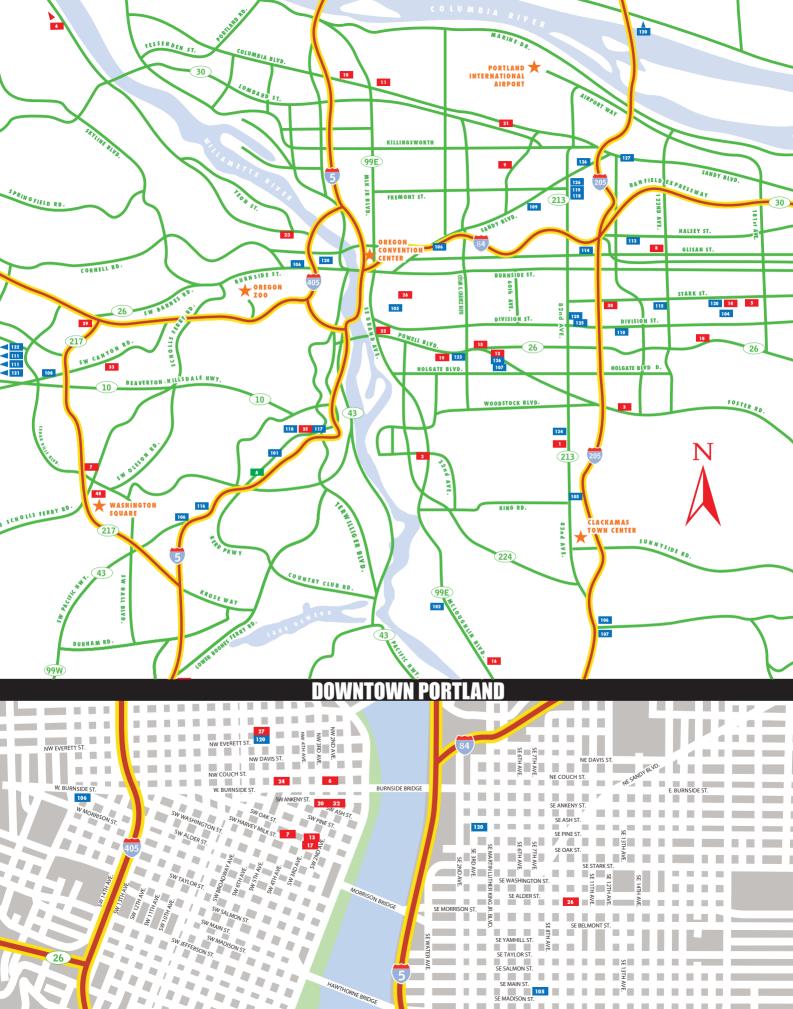








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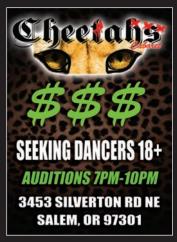
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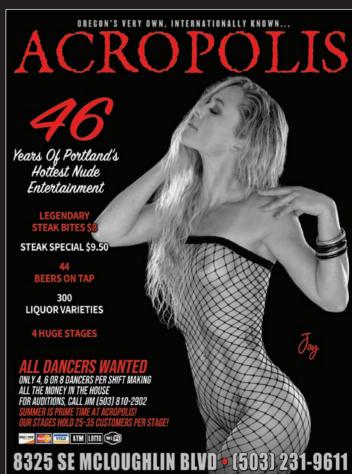
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I've had my fair share of crazy people cross my path. I use the term "crazy" very carefully. I understand that some behavior can be due to unfortunate circumstances that are often not in the victim's control. But I'm using the label crazy just as Webster's Dictionary defines it: "not mentally sound; marked by thought or action that lacks reason; insane, demented." This is a very fitting description for what is now seen as a degrading and offensive label. I never intend for any of my interpretations to be degrading to those struggling, having struggled myself.

Porn stores are enigmas that seem to attract many different types of people. I don't quite understand why they seem to draw some of the most deranged people I've ever met in my life, but they do. Among many of the wonderfully weird people I've met, I've also met some weird ones that were—quite frankly—crazy.

Last February, on a typical dull Sunday afternoon, my arcade was empty, and I was alone in the store behind the sales counter, doing typical dull Sunday tasks, when a disheveled and hysterical woman burst through the door and collapsed onto the floor. She huddled up against the wall, wildeyed, sobbing and screaming illegibly. She had many bruises and small amounts of blood on her arms and head. Concerned, I approached her but kept my distance and asked if she could tell me what happened. In between sobs, she said some guy was trying to rob her. I immediately ran to lock the front door and returned to the inconsolable woman on the ground. Moments later, I heard someone pounding on the locked door. I cautiously made my way to the door and found a man looking back at me and yelling,

"I didn't touch her! She stole my \$60!!" he said.

Not knowing who to believe, I told him to get lost. He ran off, and I grabbed the

phone and called 911.

I gave the dispatcher the store address and tried my best to explain what had happened. After reassuring me that help was on the way, the dispatcher encouraged me to try and get a name out of this unhinged woman, who was now rolling around on my sales floor. As she rolled, I noticed a bunch of M&M's falling out of the pockets of her dirty and tattered clothes and being crushed into the carpet with her body weight.



"Sweety, what is your name?" I asked.

She mumbled something, but I couldn't understand it.

"Can you give me your name?" I tried a second time.

That time, I heard her say, "Nina." I repeated this to the dispatcher.

I heard many, many sirens in the distance, and they were getting closer. They had sent a whole cavalry of emergency vehicles my way. Two police officers approached the locked door, and I let them in. They went over to where Nina was, and after talking to her for a few minutes, they persuaded her out of the store and outside, as numerous vehicles showed up expecting an emergency.

I stayed at the door for a little bit, anxious

to hear the conclusion. I'm not a patient person, so after a few moments of waiting, I stuck my head outside to see Nina casually sauntering down the sidewalk as if nothing had happened. Dumbfounded, I looked at the two officers who were calmly talking to each other—most of the emergency vehicles had already departed. The one officer saw me and probably the confusion on my face.



He walked over to me and asked, "Have you ever met Nina?"

He told me that Nina is notoriously known for starting fights with people and stealing their money or drugs. And when her victims try to defend themselves, she overplays the victim by putting on an Oscarworthy performance to get away with it. They reassured me that I had not been the only person to fall for Nina's antics, and I surely wouldn't be the last.

A couple of days later, I saw that same guy who had been pounding on the door, trying to defend himself. I told him I was sorry about what had happened, as well as my undeserved rudeness towards him. All was forgiven, and he continues to be a customer of mine to this very day. Not once has he ever caused me a problem.

Things tend to return to normal very quickly here, but I had crushed M&Ms in the carpet for days as a subtle reminder never to be fooled by Nina again.











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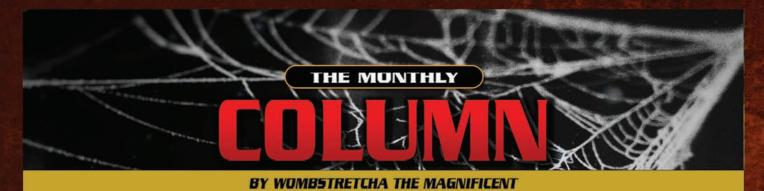


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### **2023 COSTUME ROUNDUP**

It's that time of year once more. People who might normally seem somewhat buttoned-up get a chance to let loose, and people who are always somewhat loose get to dive in face-first. For those over the age of 10, Halloween is fairly similar to what it was when you were under 10...a night of indulgence, socializing, and, of course, costumes! You can't come to the party if you don't play by the rules, and the rules always say you have to have the right apparel. I think that might be the *only* rule.

From some stuff taped to a garbage can, which is used for gaining entry at a college frat party, to the expensive finery worn at anything calling itself a "masquerade ball," some kind of dress-up is perfunctory. We're all familiar with this concept, but what about those people who want to do *topical* costumes? Well, it's 2023, and there are lots of foolish things to lampoon or endorse in costume form. Let's take a look.

Listed in no particular order, but I did check a lot of Amazon sales rankings for shits and/or giggles.



**Pumpkin Spice** 

Pumpkin spice is...Halloween-adjacent. People

are dressing up in plump, orange costumes, celebrating the world's favorite gourd and the smells that accompany it. While actual pumpkin spice contains no pumpkin and is mostly just nutmeg, you can no longer uncouple those items. Watch your party for potpourriscented people in oversized costumes—they're the ones who are gonna get drunk and knock shit over first.



### BAD ORANGE MAN

#### **Bad Orange Man Themes**

Another in our series of orange costumes, the motherfucker hasn't been in office for years, but people still think it's the height of social critique to take the piss out of the guy. Well, since his infamous "scowling mugshot" got released, expect a spate of fake tans and blond wigs, perhaps behind a little tableau of PVC prison bars or with an inmate number or some such thing. I'd honestly be surprised if the good people at Spirit Halloween (AKA, wait, wasn't that just a hot tub store last month?) didn't get one on the shelf by "go time." They already have 16 other kinds of costumes with the man's likeness, so what's one more?



Lizzo

Everyone's favorite pop hip-hop diva has her own costume. Now, this costume is really more of a DIY affair, but directions are readily available online if you want to dip your hoof in Lizzo's notorious personal sense of glamour. In most instances, it features a spraypainted Hefty bag full of lunchmeat, which you affix to your body with festive, rhinestone-encrusted straps of various sorts. It is easier on the pocketbook if you use Carl Buddig pressed meat products instead of the good stuff, but that's up to you. Not to be confused with the abovementioned pumpkin spice costume, as this one has a far different aroma and is quite a bit less orange.



**Barbie (Possibly With Ken)** 

Having had quite an odd sense of depth breathed into the characters due to this sum-

mer's blockbuster Barbie movie, your favorite dolls-turned-movie-stars can be had for the cost of a pink outfit or pair of board shorts. Margot Robbie's perky breasts and Ryan Gosling's cheesegrater abs not included, though Will Ferrell may show up randomly, as he did in the film, just because that's his thing.



**Bud Light Can** 

Celebrate what may have been the largest backlash over a corporate product since New Coke by dressing as the forsaken Bud Light can. Nobody really understands why this anti-Bud Light trend got the legs it has, but when folks are turning down free beer, you know your marketing people fucked up big time. As you tool around Halloween parties in your can outfit, you'll either be the most popular or most lonely costume out there. Also, beware of those who are intoxicated and might mistake you for an actual oversized can of beer. Don't get your top popped.



**Grimace** 

If you've been anywhere near the Internet over the last several months, you'll likely have

noted the surprising and mildly upsetting return of the McDonald's advertising character Grimace. You know, the big purple guy who looks like a gumdrop (or butt plug) and acts like he has brain damage. Well, he's back in style and appears in a series of ads touting a frothy purple milkshake. This apparently took social media by storm, and Zoomers everywhere flocked to make memes about the properties of this concoction, then hyped up its fat, fuzzy namesake as well. I think we're all waiting for a gritty reboot of McDonaldland, but for now, we'll have to settle for a pimpedout version of Grimace. You'll be a hit, and all you have to do is wear the outfit and say "Duh, Ronald" with irritating frequency. Outfits are available everywhere, and some of them are absolutely terrifying.



**Chinese Spy Balloon** 

Capturing our attention and our data for some time in early 2023, the dubiously fear-some Chinese spy balloon wafted over much of the country for a while, prompting confusion and inaction among our politicians. That, of course, is business as usual for politicians, but there was some modest outcry from the citizenry, who did not want China watching them take a dump in their neighbor's garden. Rile people up once again by dressing as the dreaded specter of airborne espionage, but beware of people carrying forks or fighter jets. Also, I'm not sure why so many of these costumes happen to be inflatable monstrosities, though I guess that's the spirit of 2023.



**Prince Harry's Foreskin** 

After the release of his rather bitter-seeming, tell-all book about the royal dumbfuck himself

and his dumbfuck family, the universe became privy to a lot of knowledge it probably never wanted to know. One such tidbit being the status of Harry's Royal Member™ (and if that's not someone's band name, I suggest it should be). We found out that the man is indeed circumcised, so now is your opportunity to dress up as his cast-off, lonely foreskin and then woefully meander around the party. While I've found no "official" Harry foreskin costumes, you can simply buy an onion ring costume and add a little fake blood for the same effect.



**Fishnets** 

Now, this is *not* topical, instead universal, but the season gives an opportunity to ladies who would never wear fishnets to wear them with pride. Heck, everyone can get in on the action, regardless of gender. Dr. Frank-N-Furter costumes are welcome everywhere sweet transvestites from Transsexual, Transylvania are welcome. National Fishnet Day is in full force.

You're sure to be the hit of the party when you show up in any of these ensembles.

Don't eat too much candy corn!\*

-Wombstretcha



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\*Any amount of candy corn is too much, in my humble opinion.







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