Costume Contest

This year’s costume characters are:
· Boy – Charon

These are the same characters that have been selected by NJCL for the following summer NJCL convention.

Judging Criteria:
· **Authenticity – 50 points**
  o Does the costume accurately portray the character? - 10 points
  o Are the props and footwear appropriate in number and significance to the character? - 10 points
  o Are appropriate colors and adornments used? - 10 points
  o Has the contestant prepared him/herself to explain details about his/her costumes? - 10 points
  o Does the costume demonstrate knowledge of Roman or Greek clothing style? - 10 points

· **Attractiveness – 15 points**
  o Are color combinations, hairstyles, and make-up complementary to the costume? - 5 points
  o Are trims neatly attached and hems, seams, and edges straight? Garments clean and neat - 5 points
  o Are appropriate sewing techniques used (no staples, tape, etc)? - 5 points

· **Craftsmanship – 20 points**
  o How much of the costume was made by the contestant him/herself?
    Handmade/hand-crafted items? - 5 points
  o Originality of costume - 5 points
  o Craftsmanship of props - 5 points
  o Are costume and props durable? - 5 points

· **Creativity of Interpretation – 5 points**
  o Costume NOT oral presentation

· **Overall Effectiveness – 10 points**