



Ugly Holiday Sweater Contest

To be eligible as a Contestant you must...

- Register for the Annual Holiday Celebration
- Opt into the Ugly Holiday Sweater Contest
- Wear a Holiday and/or Winter-themed Sweater, Sweatshirt, Sweater Vest, or Jacket to the Holiday Celebration on Thursday, December 16!

Acceptable Ugly Holiday Sweater Attire...

- Sweaters
- Sweatshirts
- Sweater Vests
- Jackets

**Turtlenecks and long or short-sleeved t-shirts can only be worn underneath your Ugly Sweater attire, not in place of.*

You may add to or alter your sweater however you like, have fun, and get creative. To be eligible as part of the sweater all accessories must be attached to the sweater. Additional items such as hats, jewelry, pants, or other festive attire will not be considered when voting, but we encourage you to wear them for entertainment purposes.

If you are interested in participating in this year's contest, or just want to join in the fun, please indicate during the online registration process!

Complete event and contest details can be found online.

Questions?

Contact ESSAE at 518-463-1755
or vanessa@essae.org

How will the Ugliest Sweater Winners be determined?

Everyone who registers to be part of the Ugly Holiday Sweater Contest will receive a number. Attendees will be able to vote by dropping their favorite sweater by number into a box for volunteers to collect and count. Prizes will be given for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.

What prizes will be awarded?

The Winners will receive the coveted Ugliest Sweater Title(s), Bragging Rights, and a prize donated by one of our sponsors.

Where do I get an Ugly Sweater?

Store, friend, family, homemade, thrift shop, garbage can, etc. If you spend more than \$20 on the sweater, you've likely spent too much! Holiday sweaters were born to be bought from Salvation Army or Good Will and decorated at home!

Remember...

This is NOT a Zoom meeting. Please wear pants - if you are only wearing the sweater you will be disqualified!

