

prologue

WE HOPE THE IMAGES YOU'RE ABOUT TO SEE WILL ENTICE YOU TO PLAY! THAT THEY HELP YOU FEEL A CERTAIN QUALITY, MOOD, OR VIBE. CONSIDER THEM SERVANTS TO YOUR IMAGINATION, SPLENDID MUSES TO INSPIRE YOUR CHOICE OF GARMENTS.

EMBRACE THE THEME:

CHANNEL THE SPIRIT OF THE EVENING BY FANTASIZING ABOUT CHARACTERS AND SETTINGS, ABOUT ALL THE SIGHTS, SOUNDS, AND SMELLS ONE MIGHT EXPERIENCE. LET THEM SPARK YOUR IMAGINATION AND GUIDE YOUR COSTUME CHOICES.

NOTICE YOUR BREADTH AND DEPTHS:

THE THEMATIC TONES WITHIN THE FOLLOWING
INSPIRATIONAL SLIDES ARE BUT TINY THREADS IN A
GIANT TAPESTRY OF CURIOUS INTERPRETATION.
DISCOVER THE THREADWORK WITHIN YOUR
CONCEPTUALIZATION OF THE STORY.

GIVE YOURSELF PERMISSION TO CONJURE:
FOLLOW ONE OR MANY THREADS, SEE WHERE THEY
LEAD, AND CREATE YOUR OWN UNIQUE TRANSLATION.

THERE ARE NO RULES. HAVE FUN:
MIX AND MATCH ELEMENTS, ADD YOUR PERSONAL

TOUCH, AND LET YOUR IMAGINATION RUN WILD!

IF YOUR MUSE LEAVES YOU LOST OR YOU FEEL THERE'S A SPLASH OF "SOMETHING" MISSING, WE'LL HAVE STYLE MAVENS AND ADDITIONAL COSTUMES ON HAND TO HELP YOU ZHUZH YOURSELF INTO FABULOUSNESS.

HAPPY DREAMING!

AUGUST 1ST

COSTUME PARTY

Here Be Dragons!
Scales & Sequins
Fire & Flare
Saurian, Serpents & Sirens
Neptune & Netting

AUGUST 3RD

GOLD & WHITE BIRTHDAY PARTY

A Golden Jubilee
White Hot
Gold Fever
Collars, Cuffs & Crowns

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HERE BE DRAGONS!

Hic sunt dracones.

Those words — Latin for "Here be dragons" — were carved into ornate globes of copper and ostrich egg many hundreds of years ago, hinting at what lurked in the unknown parts of the world. Likewise, maps and atlases of the time were illustrated with sea monsters, mermaids, and other mythical creatures that were said to populate those distant latitudes. For most, this was a dire warning. But for a fearless few, it was a calling.

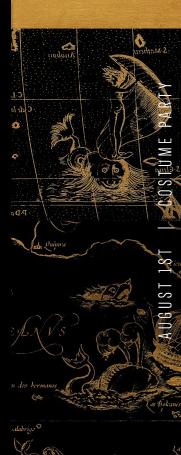
Like those intrepid explorers of old, Fabrice has fearlessly and joyously carved a unique path throughout his life. His journey has been one of discovery, drawing his own maps and venturing into uncharted territories. An adventurer in every sense, he has never settled for the mundane, always daring to dream without boundaries — and then transforming those dreams into reality.

So we think dragons are a rather appropriate theme for celebrating Fabrice. For he has never been daunted by challenges; he's embraced them.

We invite you to pack your most inspired costumes and join us for an extraordinary evening of revelry. (We'll have limited costuming on hand, just in case.) Step out of yourself and into a realm of adventure and pure imagination, where fantastical beasts roam. Play with us in a world aswirl with mystery and potential.

Will there be dragons? Quite possibly.

We invite you to use the following pages as inspiration.





scales & sequins

D R A G O N S



fire & flare

saurian, serpents & sirens





A GOLDEN JUBILEE

For our second night of revelry, we're mixing two classic events into a singularly epic birthday party for our dear friend.

Originally it was to be a White Party, signifying a sense of rejuvenation and new beginnings in the spirit of Forever Young.

But what's a party for Fabrice without a little innovation and imagination? So we're blending in some major bling to make this party a Golden Jubilee as well! Inspired by the traditional 50th birthday celebration for kings and queens, we'll be feting our own royal Renaissance man with a gilded gala that would make even Midas blush.

We can't wait to see how you'll shine! Have a peek at the following pages if you want some pre-party inspo. Once again, we encourage you to bring as many costumes as you like. (We'll have a limited number on hand, just in case.)



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white hot

gold fever







epilogue

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