

Welcome to META CON!

Dear attendees, exhibitors, members of the press, and space-aliens:

I am very excited to welcome you to Meta Con 2013, the Minneapolis Comic, Anime, Sci-Fi, and Gaming Convention! In our second year, we are already expecting 2,000+ fans to join us to celebrate our mutual geekiness. We call it, "Nerd Life" ITM.

Meta Con is our chance to blend together all kinds of fandoms, with more added every year by way of new guest stars and special events. This year we're very excited to welcome Billy West, the voice of Fry, The Professor, Zoidberg, and Zapp Brannigan in Futurama, as well as Eric Roberts, who played The Fourth Master in Dr. Who, and Sal Maroni in The Dark Knight, and is, coincidentally, the brother of Julia Roberts.

We at AnimeCon.org love and understand anime above all else*, so we're also very excited to bring you some epic anime voice actors, including Sonny Strait, Chuck Huber, and Chris Patton. And we have several stars from a show we all watched when growing up, Power Rangers. Stop by one of their panels or get an autograph from them to meet Jason Faunt, Nakia Burrise, Michael Copon, and Erin Cahill.

A lot of panels, events, and our costumes, will be fairly anime and video game oriented, as that's what we know and love. We're always interested in including new fandoms, so we already want to hear from you your suggestions for next year's guests and panels. And while we think of this year, I'd like to send a huge thank-you in advance to all the staff who are volunteering to make this convention weekend possible.

We hope you'll explore our fantastic exhibit hall, and peruse through dozens of vendors and artists in-between events. We expect every year to be bigger than the last, and so we are excited about all the new possibilities our lovely hosts, the Hyatt Regency Minneapolis, have for us. We hope you'll work with us to make sure they find us responsible and respectful.

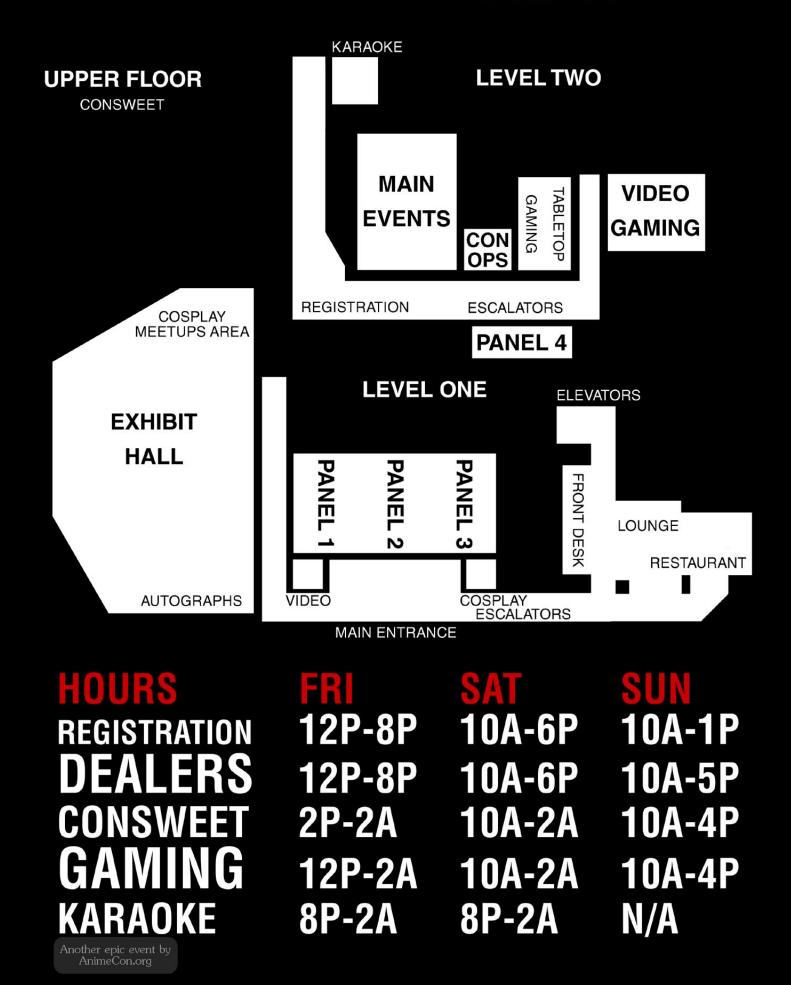
Over the weekend, we encourage you to look after yourself and your friends, and help us make sure that everyone drinks plenty of water, sleeps regularly, and showers daily. This isn't some corporate "Geek Event," meant to sell you on products or new shows. Meta Con is YOUR celebration of nerdiness. We expect everyone to be loud, horseplay (just a little bit), and goof off in costumes... and maybe play Werewolf or Mafia until 6am.

Whatever you do, have fun, don't do anything irresponsible, and help us make Meta Con one of the greatest geek celebrations on Earth.

Sincerely,

Ryan L. Kopf**

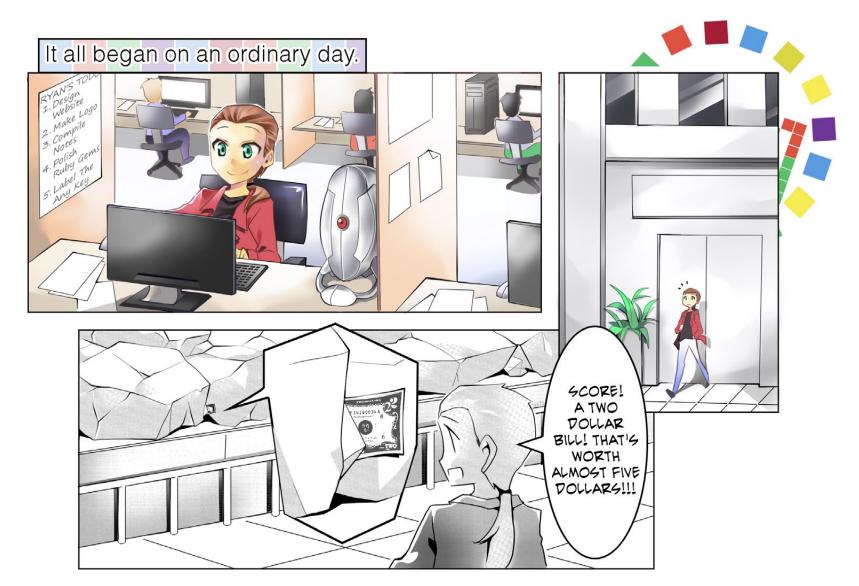
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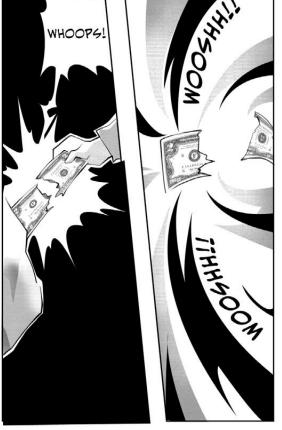
^{*} Although, of course, I've also watched every episode of Buffy, Futurama, and New Dr. Who.

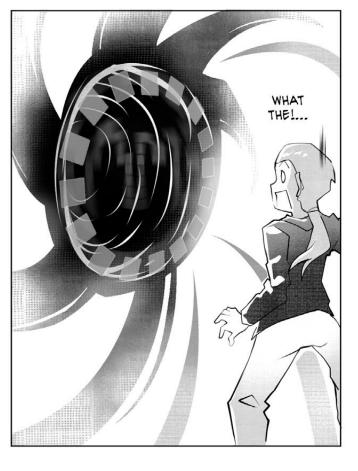
^{**} Spending 60+ hours a week to make this stuff happen... well, and building robots.

^{*** &}quot;Nerd Life"™. is probably actually ™ to YTCracker. If he had time for that sort of thing.









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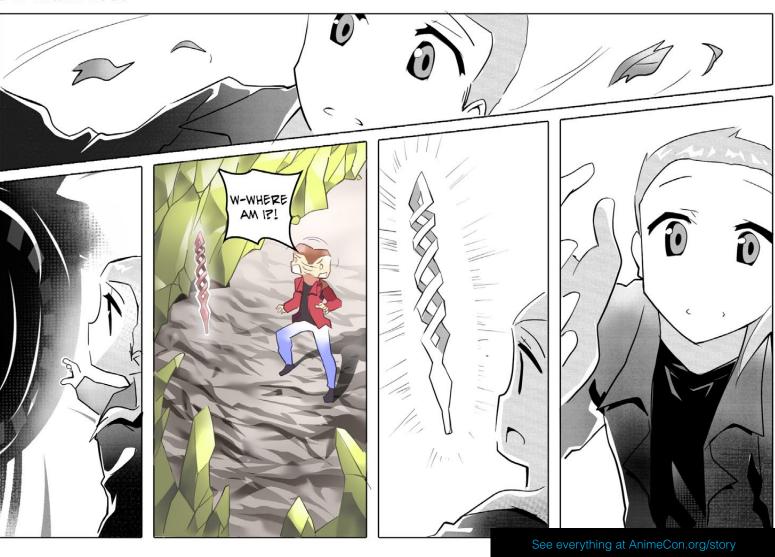
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Convention Operations and Answers

General Rules

Our convention has a number of rules, policies, and regulations that help make the convention run smoothly and be as fun as possible for everyone. We encourage you to read our rules to understand what is expected to help make the best, most successful, and most fun weekend possible. In addition to these general conduct policies, we also have rules and guidelines for cosplay, press, exhibitors, and others. Violations of these rules and responsibilities can result in loss of privileges, up to and including ejection without refund, legal action, or involvement of the authorities.

Rule Number One: Do not do anything that could make the convention less fun for other attendees, the hotel, the staff, or for yourself. If it's dangerous, obnoxious, uncomfortable, or otherwise, do not do it. It is all of our responsibility to let everyone have a safe, respectful, and fun weekend.

If it is illegal outside of the convention, it is illegal here. Excessive or underage alcohol use, drug use, harassment, carrying firearms, and many other things are illegal, and will result in your loss of the privilege to attend our convention. If you have a safety or security concern, bring it to the convention's operations center immediately. In emergencies, dial 911.

If you are hosting a party where alcohol is being served, it is your responsibility as host to ensure that the age of anyone drinking alcohol is checked. You should also designate someone not to drink, so that there is a fully competent person present to deal with any emergencies that might arise.

All attendees must wear their badge at all times throughout the convention, and it must be presented to convention staff on request at any time. Selling anything of any kind at the convention is prohibited unless you are a registered exhibitor with the convention. Pets and animals are not allowed in the convention space or hotel, unless they are working animals (such as seeing eye dogs). Smoking is not allowed in our hotel. Photography and video recording of any kind are strictly prohibited during any AMV contest or show screening. These rules apply to all types of attendees, including exhibitors, press, and other congoers. We may also establish additional policies covering press, exhibitors, and others.

By attending the convention you understand that convention staff may take video footage and photographs throughout the convention which may be used in highlights, marketing endeavors, or other media. You consent to be filmed or photographed by staff, approved industry, or media during the entire convention without compensation to you. Your attendance constitutes a grant of rights to the convention to reproduce, display, distribute, perform, creative derivitive works of, or otherwise use any video or pictures that it obtains and in any manner throughout the world in perpetuity, including online, for broadcast, or other transmissions.

The convention's code of conduct and other rules are subject to change at any time, and without notice, at the discretion of the convention. Violation of the rules is grounds for immediate loss of your convention badge and suspension from the convention.

Weapon and Large Prop Rules

- All weapons and large props must be inspected and approved by our operations or security staff at the convention. We will then "peace mark" them, by affixing a ribbon or mark that indicates we have checked them, and, if necessary "peace bond" them by using ribbon or ties to keep your weapon from being drawn or used (for example, by someone who doesn't know the rules and sneaks up behind you and grabs it).

 Attendees must realize that it is a privilege to bring large props and weapons to the convention, and everyone must take great care to be careful not to damage things, whack people, or otherwise do anything that seems dangerous. We allow certain specific prop weapons and large prop items, but anything not listed below is not allowed. Please understand that due to crowding, space, or safety issues, we may have to change the rules mid-convention at any time.
- **Guns**: Semi-realistic looking guns are only allowed if they have a very bright, obvious orange tip that shows they are non-working and can be obviously seen from a distance. Guns that actually work, or have the potential to work, or might be mistaken by the public as real, are not allowed. Toy or fantasy guns that are "obviously fake" are allowed.
- **Swords**: Swords are allowed if they can be tied shut in their sheath, or if they are made of wood or plastic. Swords must never be waved around or wielded, but they can be used for still posing for photographs.

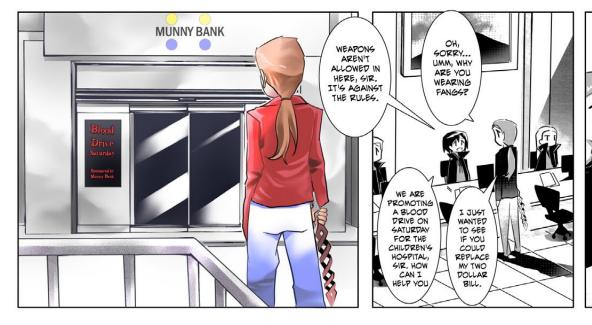
Bows: Toy, or otherwise wooden or plastic bows can sometimes be okay, but professional or compound bows are not. Equipping an arrow to a bow is absolutely never acceptable, even for photos.

Large Props: Large props are generally okay, if you are extremely mindful of them. However if we find that we have large crowds, or if they become a problem, we may ask you to return them to your hotel room or car at any time. We will not store them for you.

Pretend Weapons: Anything that is entirely obviously a play/pretend weapon that can not be mistaken for something that is actually a real weapon.

Any weapons or props may be disallowed at any time at the discretion of management. Please understand that during times of peak attendance we may be forced to limit prop size during the convention.

Any form of harassment, bullying, or stalking will not be tolerated at our family-friendly event. Staff have final say in all matters at the convention, and reserve the right to remove anyone from our event for any reason.





How can I contact convention staff?

Find us in the "Con Ops" operations office, next to Mainstage (check your map). Should you need help, have an emergency, or anything else, Con Ops is a great resource. For general questions, you can ask any staff member you see.

What do I do in an emergency?

Our operations center next to Main Events should be your first stop if you need immediate and urgent assistance. In especially dangerous or life-threatening emergency situations, you should call 911 immediately. If you are unable to safely and quickly make it to Con Ops, please inform the nearest available staff member immediately. If you witness an emergency or need help, please go to Con Ops and ensure the situation is resolved.

Who do I talk to about special needs?

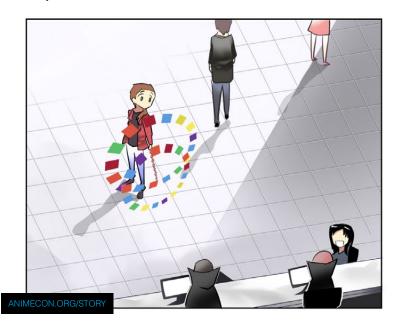
Individuals with special needs who need accomodations are encouraged to attend our programs. If you are an individual with special needs in need of an accomodation, please see us in Con Ops. For hotel related special accomodations, please see the hotel front desk staff.

Where do I submit feedback/suggestions?

Your feedback is extremely important and valuable to us, and we encourage you to share both your negative and positive experiences with us, so that we can use your feedback to make a better convention every year. We collect your email address when you register so that we can email you our feedback survey, which is why it's important that we get a good email address. The feedback from these submissions are reviewed multiple times every year, so your comments will be noticed.

Do you have tips for parents?

We encourage you to plan ahead with your children about where you might meet up if you are seperated in the massive crowds. Write your phone number on the back of the child's badge if possible, and keep a description of what they are wearing. Children 13 and under must be attending the convention with a parent or guardian, and children under 7 must have a guardian with them at all times. Please read all event descriptions, as some events may not be suitable for children.



Can I host a party in my room?

Room parties are up to you, but we have several reminders. If you receive repeated noise complaints, the hotel may and will evict you from your room. If you serve alcohol to minors, the police will give you a court date. If serving drinks or showing adult material, check the government-issued IDs of every last person, and don't even let anyone underage in your room. Violations of these rules can result in removal from the convention, revocation of your convention badge, and possibly involvement of the proper authorities.

Can I join staff or volunteer?

We would love your help! Stop by our Con Operations room and inquire about volunteering. Volunteer perks range from getting pizza with staff to free admission for next year. Staff members must sign up in advance on our website, and we encourage you to think about it for next year if you would like to help out. It's a great experience, filled with awesome people to meet.

Please remember these attendee tips!

Eat Two Meals Each Day

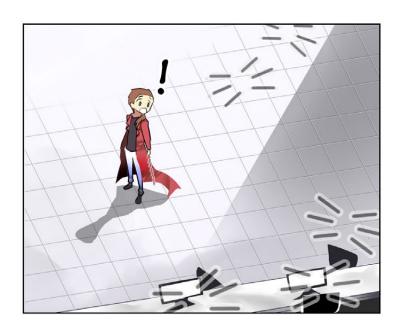
We have a ConSweet filled with free pop and free rice, but you can't live off this stuff, even if you're Kirby! Getting regular meals, complete with protein, vitamin-C, and real nutrients, is important to keep your body from getting worn out. Eat at least two real meals per day. Consider ordering delivery, or getting some friends together to go out somewhere.

Sleep Each Night

You need to get at least six hours of sleep each night to fully enjoy the convention. While staying up is fun and exciting, most events end by 2am, and you won't have as much fun if you stay awake all night. Get some sleep and enjoy the next day rested!

Shower Daily

Whenever you are having a ton of fun, sometimes it can be hard to remember to stop and think about others. Please, as a courtesy to other attendees who may be standing behind you in the autograph line, shower every day!



Registration Information

Registration handles giving out badges to pre-registered attendees, and selling badges to attendees that have not yet registered. All individuals participating in convention events or watching convention functions are required to have a convention badge, which must be worn at all times.

There will be two lines for registration: pre-registered, and at-the-door registration. Pre-registered attendees, who have already paid for their badge online or by mail, simply need to provide their name and identification to pick up their badge.

You may pay with cash or a check written out to "Meta Con." We can not take credit cards. At the door registration is \$40 for the full weekend for those 13 and older. Children from 7 to 12 must be registered with by a paid adult. Children under 7 can register free with a paid adult. Max two children per adult, and those under 13 should be accompanied by an adult at all times.

UPSTAIRS, LEVEL TWO

Friday 12pm to 8pm Saturday 10am to 6pm Sunday 10am to 1pm

At The Door Pricing

Weekend Pass \$40

Under 13 Weekend \$30

One Day All Day \$30

What age indicators are there?

Badges include an age indicator for people 21+, 18+, or under 18. Attendees need to provide a government-issued photo ID with a birthdate to get any badge 18-20 or 21+ badge, otherwise they will be issued a Youth badge. A photo ID is still required for any 18+ events, and party hosts must check a photo ID in accordance with state law before providing alcohol also.

What do I do if I have lost my badge?

If you have lost your badge, it can be replaced one time only by registration for a fee of \$25. Do not lose your badge, and keep it somewhere where it won't be misplaced. Abusing this priveledge to share badges, or the use of someone's lost badge, can result in expulsion, or even death by heart attack.

When must I wear my badge?

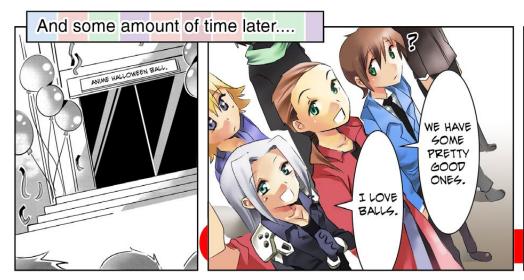
Badges must be worn at all times during the convention, and are required for access to convention events. Badges come with a lanyard to wear around the neck. You may be requested by staff to present your badge at any time.

What do I need to register?

We request that you have a government-issued ID ready and available for our staff. We also need to know your mobile phone number and an email address so that we can reach you in an emergency or for convention feedback. Your email address and phone number are not optional. Our privacy policies specify that we will not give-away your personal information to outside parties except to facilitate the business purposes needed to hold the event.

Cleanest Room Contest!

Want a chance to get your hotel room free for the weekend? Compete in our cleanest room contest! Before you check out (on time!), make sure your room is completely clean, and you will have a chance to have your room refunded for Friday & Saturday nights. The cleanest room wins! Limit 1 winner, and rules apply.





Dealers and Artists

Filled with goodies, our Dealer's Room and Artists Alley has everything a fan could ever want. Whether you need a Kakashi plushie to keep you warm and safe at night, some custom buttons, a Haruhi wallscroll to ogle, Steampunk goggles, or whatever else, you can probably find it in our awesome dealers room!

HYATT EXHIBIT HALL

Friday 12am - 8pm Saturday 10am - 6pm Sunday 10am - 5pm

Dealer S	Spaces	Dealers Room Reminders					
1	Lauren Jankowski	Please avoid taking photos of costumes in the dealers room; ask people to step outside the room instead, or you may find yourself holding up a lot of other people.					
2	The Hooded Hare						
3	David J. Pedersen	Please remember common courtesy in our dealers room, and don't push or shove.					
4	Anime Klub	Shoplifters will not be tolerated, and will be reported to the proper authorities.				proper authorities.	
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6	Games by James		0,	, , , , ,	`		•
7	Henry Cesneros Handcrafted Found Art						
8	Jenny Link designs and illustrations		A 11	· -			
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10	Elysium Armory		F1	PB & J		D6	The Nukleous
11	MP Johnson		F2	Illusions Artwork		D7	Madqueens
12	Visual Novels USA		F3	MapleHouse Creations		C1	Mahieu Studios
13	The Stan Lee Foundation		F4	Xypher		C2	Tentacle Studios
17	TolekaChan		F5	Will Ryan		C3	Lemon
18	Ian Price		F6	Elliment Photography		C4	Ashley Hay
19-20	MagicGirlz/ Misc.Alias Goods		F7	Ring-A-Ding-Ding		C5	Lilly Inverse
21-22	Jedi Master's Toys & Collectibles		E1	Bleb's Corner		C6	Brittany Lynn
23-24	PLAYATTA		E2	VioletIris Productions		C7	Lucid
25-26	TeeTurtle.com		ЕЗ	Jerrod Begora		B1	NiCoral
27-28	Gaming Generations		F4	Oodle Doodle		B2	Matthew Lovecraft

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B3	Reeves Illustration & Design
B4	Sewn Together Reflections
B5	Arc-Onic Studio
36	Honeysuckle Rose Creations
B7	Gogo Matika
47	ArkStudio
46	Ryujin
45	SUPAHHNAN

Featured Guest Spaces

Meet some of our convention's special guests in our exhibit hall

You can find Sonny Strait, Nakia Burrise, Michael Copon, Jason Faunt, and Erin Cahill often at these exhibitor spaces.

Autograph session lineups will be done in the exhibit hall for all our autograph sessions. Come early!

Table Top Gaming - Gnome Games

Gnome Games is Wisconsin's premier non-electronic game store. With two stores in Green Bay, WI Gnome Games hosts in-store gaming events and community outreach events seven days a week. Gnome Games has a long history of supporting conventions, such as Daisho-Con, and hosts Let's Play Green Bay - a three day gaming extravanganza. No one knows games like the Gnomes know games!

MIRAGE ROOM

4pm - 2am Friday Saturday 10am - 2am 10am - 5pm Sunday

Games often played includes: Munchkin, Cosplay Chess, Pokemon, Magic, Yu-Gi-Oh, and many many many others.



Video Gaming - I Play Games

We are excited to present a console video gaming room with over two dozen awesome LCD flatscreens perfect for gaming, thanks to I Play Games. Come participate in tournaments, and maybe even make new friends. We also have to thank Ross of Distorted Arcades for bringing Arcade Gaming to Meta Con 2013. Please take care to protect the video games, controllers, and consoles that we provide. Earn points over the weekend to win the title "Meta Con King of Gamers" and get a free badge for next year!

REGENCY ROOM

4pm - 2am Friday Saturday 10am - 2am 10am - 5pm Sunday

Game Room Rules

- 1. During open gaming, please share game systems when there are people waiting. No 5-hour pre-game "practice" sessions.
- 2. Please be kind to the games. Damage or theft may result in removal from the convention or involvement of the authorities.
- 3. There is no rule #3.
- 4. If you would like to have a tournament not currently scheduled, let us know and we'll see if we can fit it in.
- 5. If a game is defective or malfunctioning, please let us know immediately.
- 6. Convention staff have final say in all judging and other decisions.

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Costume and Cosplay Events

The convention includes numerous costume events designed to let you show off and showcase your wonderful cosplay costumes. The mainstage masquerade is our primary costume contest, with participants competing to be the best in show. There are also numerous photoshoot opportunities and additional contests held throughout the weekend.

Contest Signup

At the convention registration desk. Sign up as early as possible to guarantee your spot!

Masquerade Contest

How To Participate

To participate in Saturday's mainstage cosplay contest, please pre-register by 8pm on Friday. Registration ends Friday night, though it may be open on Saturday morning if enough timeslots are still available. Complete contest rules are available, along with signup forms, at the convention registration desk.

Contest Categories

Participants can choose to be judged in either their costume workmanship, their performance, or both. Workmanship is divided up into judging categories, which include Inexperienced, Experienced, and Master divisions. Workmanship entries will be judged both on overall appearance and the quality of the construction of their costume. Performance entries will be judged on acting, memorizing, performing, and presentation skills. Participants can choose to participate solo or as part of a group. Complete rules and entry forms are available in the cosplay office. Please register as early as possible.

Hall Cosplay Contest

The hall cosplay contest is a small workmanship contest in which you compete on your craftsmanship and costume creation skills. To compete, you must register in advance (at the Registration Desk), and you will be given a time to be judged.

Meetups & Photoshoots

We schedule these times and places for meetups for various fandoms. These are a chance to meet other people interested in the same fandom, and possibly take group photos (we may or may not have an official photographer present). This way it will be easier to know when to dress up and when you may find other characters from your favorite show, video game, or comic.

Blood+

11:00pm - 12:00pm

FRIDAY

Modoka Magica	Hetalia
1:00pm - 2:00pm	7:00pm - 8:00pm
Portal	Fairy Tail
2:00pm - 3:00pm	8:00pm - 9:00pm
Sailor Moon	One Piece
3:00pm - 4:00pm	9:00pm - 10:00pm
Deadman Wonderland	Soul Eater
4:00pm - 5:00pm	10:00pm - 11:00pm
Yu-Gi-Oh	Black Butler
5:00pm - 6:00pm	11:00pm - 12:00am
Homestuck	Hellsing
6:00pm - 7:00pm	12:00am - 1:00am
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SATURDAY

Bleach	Fullmetal Alchemist
10:00am - 11:00am	5:00pm - 6:00pm
Vocaloid	Katekyo Hitman Reborn
11:00am - 12:00pm	6:00pm - 7:00pm
Naruto	Dragon Ball (All)
12:00pm - 1:00pm	7:00pm - 8:00pm
Pokemon	D. Gray-Man
1:00pm - 2:00pm	8:00pm - 9:00pm
Death Note	Kingdom Hearts
2:00pm - 3:00pm	9:00pm - 10:00pm
Scott Pilgrim 3:00pm - 4:00pm	Ouran Host Club
Uta No Prince - Sama	10:00pm - 11:00pm
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Final Fantasy 11:00am - 12:00pm
Hetalia 12:00pm - 1:00pm
MLP 1:00pm - 2:00pm
Homestuck 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Photoshoots are in the Exhibit Hall

After the con, upload pictures to UpcomingCons.com

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ConSweet

The ConSweet is your free Ramen, Rice, and Pop headquarters. Unlimited amounts of Pepsi products and cup ramen noodles can help keep up your energy throughout a long and busy weekend! Please do your best to help keep our ConSweet neat and clean.

UPSTAIRS. TBD

Friday 4pm - 2am Saturday 10am - 2am Sunday 10am - 5pm

ConSweet Rules

- * Remember that the ConSweet does not offer nutritious meals. All attendees must remember that they should eat real meals at least twice each day. ConSweet is only meant for a quick snack between convention events.
- * You must remember to pick up after yourself. Don't leave empty cups of ramen or soda lying around please have courtesy to ConSweet staff and other attendees by putting your empty cups of ramen and soda in the trash can!
- * Sleeping is not allowed in the ConSweet or any place other than your hotel room.

Date Auction & Fantasy Ball

Join us on Friday in the main events room for Dante's fabulous date auction! Stop by the ATM, because you'll have a chance to bid real money on a date to the formal ball. In addition. We are proud to feature formal dance lessons prior to the ball. Sign up at the registration desk if you'd like to be auctioned - but we can only accept a limited number of people due to time limitations.

GREENWAY

Auction 1:00pm - 3:00pm 6:00pm - 6:30pm Ball 6:30pm - 8:00pm

Date Auction Rules

- * We ask those sold to spend at least 15 minutes with their date at the Fantasy Ball, but they do not have to!
- * Dates are absolutely not required to do anything that would make them uncomfortable. If you make your date feel uncomfortable in any way or for any reason, your date will be revoked and your money will not be refunded.
- * We can not refund your money if your date doesn't show up to the events after the date auction. It's important to remember that sometimes people get shy, nervous, or even catch con-plague! Don't bother them about it either.
- * Anybody caught doing something stupid relating to the date auction will be ejected from the convention.
- * Please visit the ATM and get out some extra cash before the date auction begins! It's cash-only, and bidding starts at \$5.



Meta Con Guests of Honor

Billy West

William Richard "Billy" West is best known from numerous voices in Futurama, including Philip J. Fry, Zoidberg, The Professor, and Zapp Brannigan. He has starred in other famous shows including The Ren & Stimpy Show, The Howard Stern Show, Doug, and Jimmy Neutron. He also voiced Bugs Bunny, Elmer Fudd, and Popeye during later renditions of the respective characters. He voices Corky Shumatsu, Poultra and Sam Melnik on Jimmy Neutron.



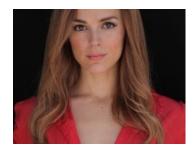
Eric Roberts

One of Hollywood's edgier, more intriguing characters, Eric Anthony Roberts started life in Biloxi, Mississippi, but grew up in Atlanta, Georgia. He is known by comics fans in particular for appearing in The Dark Knight as Sal Maroni, Gotham City Mafia boss. His career began with King of the Gypsies (1978), a role for which he earned a Golden Globe nomination for best actor debut. He starred as the protagonist in the 1980 dramatization of Willa Cather's 1905 short story, Paul's Case. He earned both a Golden Globe and Academy Award nomination for his supporting role in Runaway Train (1985). Through the 1990s and 2000s he maintained numerous dramatic film and TV-movie roles while appearing in TV series. His TV work includes three seasons with the sitcom Less than Perfect and a recurring role on the NBC drama Heroes. His sisters Julia Roberts and Lisa Roberts Gillan, and daughter Emma Roberts, are also actors.



Erin Cahill

Erin Jessica Cahill best known for her roles as Jen Scotts in Power Rangers Time Force, Heather Mosby in How I Met Your Mother, and Kendra Burke in Saving Grace. In 2013, Cahill plays the recurring role of Felicity in ABC's Red Widow. Cahill is also noted to be the first lead female character for the Call of Duty franchise, as Chloe 'Karma' Lynch in Call of Duty: Black Ops II. In March 2013, Cahill was cast as Rachel in Delirium, a pilot based on Lauren Oliver's popular young adult books. She's been a guest star on numerous shows including Chuck, House, Law & Order, CSI, NCIS, Grey's Anatomy, and many others.



Jason Faunt

Jason Faunt, born outside of Chicago, is best known for playing the lead as the Red Ranger on Power Rangers Time Force, playing two different characters, one from both the present and the future. Since Power Rangers Jason co-produced and starred his own film, called 'Pact', that appeared and received festival acclaim in several national festivals. The past year Jason has been working in the motion capture world as the Leon S. Kennedy, lead character in Resident Evil 6. Jason resides in Newport Coast, CA with his wife Stephanie and two daughters Keira and Makayla. Ages 6 and 4.



Nakia Burrise

Actress, singer, dancer, writer, model... When you take a look at Nakia's career, it becomes crystal clear that she is a triple threat and entertainment is her passion! She booked her first role as a series regular on Power Rangers, as Tanya Sloan, the yellow ranger; while simultaneously recording her first pop album with her singing group Divine. She has played an array of characters in such shows as 90210, The Middle, Rules Of Engagement, Melissa and Joey, Bones, Samantha Who, Boston Legal, Nash Bridges, Moesha and even found time to film a sitcom pilot that she wrote, produced and starred in titled, Crazy Daze.

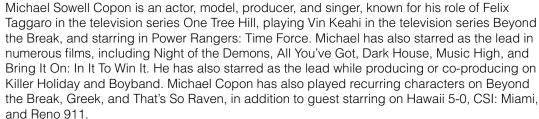


Autograph schedules located in the schedule section.

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Leif Gantvoort

Leif Gantvoort is best known as Uncle Ben's killer in "The Amazing Spider Man." He has also starred in the feature films; "Last Stop," "Dream in American," "Welcome to Dongmakgol," "Black Tar Road," "The Nevsky Project," and "Lunatics Lovers and Poets" for which he received a Best Lead Actor nomination. He has appeared on "Bones" for FOX, "Criminal Minds" and "CSI:NY" for CBS, "Desperate Housewives" and "Revenge" for ABC, "Justified" for FX, "Death Valley" for MTV and "First Years" for NBC. He also writes, directs and performs sketch comedy for the weekly on-line show, "Hollywood Saturday Night." He and his wife, Amy, are the proud parents of Gabrielle, who appeared regularly on the hit web series "The Guild" which Leif also helped launch.



META CON 2013 ANIME VOICE ACTORS

Chris Patton

Chris Patton has been Voice Acting in Anime for thirteen years for ADV Films, FUNimation Entertainment, Sentai Filmworks, and Okratron 5000. Some of his more well-known roles are Sousuke Sagara in all the Full Metal Panic series, Greed in Fullmetal Alchemist and Brotherhood, Asura in Soul Eater, Akuto Sai in Demon King Daimao, Keima in The World God Only Knows, Ikki in Air gear, Sho in Guyver, Fakir in Princess Tutu, Nishi in Gantz, and Turles in Dagonball Z: The Tree of Might. Other Anime credits include: Inu X Boku SS, Phi Brain: Puzzle of God, Hajime in Ghost Stories, Ayato in RahXephon, Daley Wong in Bubblegum Crisis 2040, Ranmaru in The Wallflower, Eiji in Gravion and Gravion Zwei, Haruka in Tactics, Graham Spector in Baccano, Komyo Sanzo in Saiyuki, Gintoki in the Gintama movie, Hiroki in The Place Promised in Our Early Days, and tons and tons more! Chris is also a stage performer, a music freak, a horror film nerd, a roller coaster guru, and a huge fan of Sharon Needles, Freddie Mercury, and Aleister Crowley.



Sonny Strait

Sonny Strait is a prolific voice actor who is best-known for providing the voices of Lt. Maes Hughes in Fullmetal Alchemist, the gentleman thief Lupin the III, and Krillin from Dragon Ball Z. In addition, he is Usopp on One Piece, the original voice of Toonami's Tom, and he also does other roles from literally dozens of shows. Outside of voice acting, he has been a writer/director on DBZ, Case Closed, and Lupin the Third. Sonny is also known as an illustrator for the famous, independently published comic book series "Elfquest."



Chuck Huber

Chuck Huber started acting in Anime in the roles of Garlic Jr. and Android 17 in DBZ. Since then he has voiced hundreds of characters including Hiei in YuYu Hakusho, Stein in Soul Eater, Kululu in Sgt. Frog, Mohji in One Piece, Shou Tucker in Full Metal Alchemist, Han in Blue Gender, Hiro in Shin Chan, Ashe in Black Butler, Reever in D. Gray Man, Hector in Glass Fleet, Yuichi in Initial D., Akai in Oh Edo Rocket, Melt in The Tower of Druaga, Adashino in Mushishi, Eric Nishijima in Darker Than Black, Havel in Trinity Blood, Austria in Hetalia and many more. He has been a writer on Hetalia, Sgt. Frog, Baccano, Spice and Wolf and others. As a filmmaker Chuck has acted, produced, written or directed for Arbor Day - The Musical, The Troubadoors, The Fragility of Seconds, The Mechanical Grave, Odd Man Out among others. He began acting in Chicago at the Goodman Theater, Court Theater, Steppenwolf Theater after graduating from DePaul University and continues to work on stages in the Dallas/Fort Worth area. Most recently he played Hugh Jameison in the movie Parkland, produced by Tom Hanks and starring Billy Bob Thornton and Paul Giamatti.



META CON 2013 FEATURED ARTIST

Terry Pavlet

Terry Pavlet is an award winning RPG/CCG/Comic Book Illustrator who has done work for White Wolf, Wizards of the Coast, Fantasy Flight Games; comic work for DC, Image, Disney; Sketch cards for Unstoppable Cards UK (RPG Fantasy); Cult Stuff Cards (War of the Worlds); book work for publishers like Ballentine Books, Baen Books, and Transfuzion Publishing (Deadworld Sourcebook); designing and illustrating MOTU & TNMT action figures for Astonishing Toys; T-Shirt licensing properties for Warner Brothers (Looney Tunes), Lucasfilms (Star Wars), Hanna Barbera (Flintstones, etc.) and much more. Terry is an Wisconsin native who lives with his wife and two daughters. Terry will made the official Meta Con 2013 program guide cover and will be selling exclusive signed print copies.



META CON 2013 SPECIAL GUESTS

Samurai Dan & Lady Jillian

Samurai Dan and his wife, the beautiful Lady Jillian (also attending), are full-time martial arts instructors, specializing in 16th century Samurai arts. When not teaching at their dojo, the Kojokan, they travel across the country performing and teaching the ancient ways of the most famous warriors in history. Their shows and demonstrations uniquely blend history, combative skill, and humor, in a way that will both educate and entertain audiences both large and small. The dynamic duo also collaborated to write, direct, host, and star in a 12 episode TV series entitled "The Way of the Samurai," and Daniel is also an author with several martial arts articles published, and he is currently working on his second full-length novel.



Lewis "Linkara" Lovhaug has had the misfortune of being cursed to review comic books on the internet. Somehow this has made him popular on the website That Guy With the Glasses, though many suspect it's more so people can stare and laugh at the weirdo. On his show, Atop the Fourth Wall, he regularly contends with the surreal, the stupid, and the senseless books that the comic industry has produced over the last eighty years. If that wasn't sad enough, he also has done a retrospective on Power Rangers (released on the schedule of when a blue moon rises on the 13th hour of the 13th day of the 13th month), actually attempting to grant serious analysis to a series about guys in spandex punching rubber-suited monsters. It's best not to make direct eye contact with him.

Airship O'Reilly

Started back in 2007 as the Brazen Beauty, the Champaign, IL based Airship O'Reilly has since evolved beyond just a group of kids who wanted to make movies and have fun. Bringing together several slightly insane individuals, O'Reilly has become a force of entertainment, hosting events in their hometown, making costumes and accessories, and bringing the madness and chaos with them wherever they go.

FEATURED MUSIC GUESTS

Steam Powered Giraffe

The robots of Steam Powered Giraffe are like nothing you've ever seen. The malfunctioning joke-spewing metal men play a collection of original Vaudeville inspired tunes fused with modern flare and executed in a super-sleek, one-of-a-kind performance. More than just a band, Steam Powered Giraffe is an experience that must be seen and heard by the entire family. The artists behind the robots started street busking as these quirky characters in January 2008 at Balboa Park, California, and instantly drew the attention of Southern California. Since then they've performed at such venues as The San Diego Fair, The San Diego Zoo, The Wild Animal Park, Legoland, Ontario Mills, and numerous Sci-Fi, Fantasy, and Steampunk Conventions.

The act combines the visual of robot pantomime with sketches, pop culture references, improvised comedic dialogue, and of course, original music. From their heartwarming nostalgic melodies to their funky cabaret rock, Steam Powered Giraffe's songs are memorable, infectious, and as unique as the robots themselves.

YTCracker

YTCracker is a rapper, former cracker, and Internet entrepreneur. YTCracker began producing rap music in 1998 in the genre that has since become known as nerdcore hip hop. YTCracker is a self-proclaimed "jack of all trades", also making a name for himself as a professional disc jockey, computer programmer, graphics designer and webmaster. Find him DJing during the rave, as well as rapping during the NerdConcert.

StarF + Mattari 2600

StarF is an amateur hip hop artist from Maple Grove, Minnesota who primarily functions within the nerdcore community. He occasionally yells at a microphone and calls the results music. Once in awhile he likes to go out in public and shout at groups of people much to their confusion, calling it a performance of this aforementioned music. If you've ever wanted to experience the excitement of some guy who likes to LARP as a rockstar yelling words at you in rapid succession over wonderfully bass-laden instrumentals it would be in your best interest to see StarF perform.

Mattari is a nerdcore hip-hop artist who makes music for the love of music. Mattari is proud to stand by making free music that will always be free. Mattari started making music after listening to a bunch of old-school and nerdcore hip-hop for years, and realizing a natural talent for decent writing and hip-hop flow. Mattari will perform anywhere or collaborate with anyone for the love of making music.















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6:00 PM	Formal Dance Lessons	Meet Billy West 6:00pm - 7:00pm	Power Rangers: Ultra Turbo Zeo Time Force 6:00pm - 7:30pm			The Vau 6:00
7:00 PM	The Fantasy Ball 6:30pm - 8:00pm	Meet Eric Roberts		CosFluff: Plus Size Cosplay 7:00pm - 8:00pm	CON	Victorian Dr 7:00
8:00 PM		7:30pm - 8:30pm		Fannon and Shipping 8:00pm - 9:00pm		8:00
9:00 PM	Steam Powered Giraffe Live 9:00pm - 10:00pm	FMA: Through the eyes of Maes Hughes 9:00pm - 10:00pm			-	Breaking 9:00p
10:00 PM		Meet Chuck Huber 10:00pm - 11:00pm	Meet Chris Patton 9:30pm - 11:00pm	Lightstring Workshop 10:00pm - 11:00pm		Pirates Vs.
11:00 PM		Play Oregon Trail WITH ZOM- BIES!	WTF is Ecchi (16+) 11:00pm - 12:00pm	No Sword? No Problem! 11:00pm - 12:15am		Shipping and 11:00
12:00 AM 1:00 AM	Rave Dance 11:00pm - 2:00am	11:30pm - 12:30am WTF is Hentai (18+) 12:30am - 1:30am	Cards Against Humanity With Samu- rai Dan and Jillian (18+) 12:30am - 2:00am	Homestuck Mafia 12:30am - 2:00am		Rule 34 12:00

SATURDAY AT META CON

Saturday	Main Events	Panel Room 1	Panel Room 2	Panel Room 3	
10:00 AM	Ask the Avengers 10:00am - 11:00am	Power Rangers Q&A 10:00am - 11:00am	Everyday Steampunk (13+) 10:00am - 11:00am	Before Page One - World Building Your Story 10:00am - 11:00am	
11:00 AM	History of Samurai Weapons			What Sidekicks Do When They are	
	11:00am - 12:00pm	Eric Roberts Q&A	It Isn't All Spider-Man: The Highs and Lows of an Acting Career	Left Alone? 11:00am - 12:00pm	
12:00 PM	Atop the Fourth Wall: Live!	11:30am - 12:30pm	11:30am - 12:30pm	Cosplay Make Up Tips and Tricks	
	12:00pm - 1:00pm			12:00pm - 1:00pm	
1:00 PM		Billy West: The Man of Many Voices	Anime Q&A with Chuck Huber	Youtubeing 101	
		1:00pm - 2:00pm	1:00pm - 2:00pm	1:00pm - 2:00pm	
2:00 PM	Whose lime is it Anime? (13+) 1:30pm - 3:00pm		Web Comics with THE Sonny Strait	Steampunk 101	
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3:00 PM	The Way Of The Samurai	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Over 649 pokemon!? When did this	Puella Magi Madoka Magica	1100
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4:00 PM			So You Want to Be an Artist?	TF2 Meet the Team	
	Masquerade Setup and Run-Through		4:00pm - 5:00pm	4:00pm - 5:00pm	
5:00 PM	4:00pm - 6:00pm	and Hull-Through			
			5:00pm - 6:00pm		
6:00 PM		What is a Steam Powered Giraffe?	Movie Quote-Along	Improv'd Improv	
	Masquerade 6:00pm - 7:30pm	6:00pm - 7:00pm	6:00pm - 7:00pm	6:00pm - 7:00pm	
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			7:00pm - 8:00pm	7:00pm - 8:00pm	
		The Dark Knight with Eric Roberts 7:30pm - 8:30pm			
8:00 PM		7.00pm - 0.00pm			

	Panel 4 Second Floor	Video Gaming Regency	Video Room	Karaoke Room	Autographs Exhibit Hall
		Open 2:00pm - 2:00am			
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	The Vaudevillian Villains 6:00pm - 7:00pm	5:00pm - 7:00pm	Initial D: First Stage D1		
CON	Victorian Sci-Fi: Living their Dreams (13+) 7:00pm - 8:00pm	Super Smash Bros. Brawl	6:00pm - 8:00pm		Billy West (\$20)
	Nim Vind 8:00pm - 9:00pm	7:00pm - 9:00pm	A Certain Magical Index	Karaoke Krypt 8:00pm - 2:00am	7:30pm - 8:30pm
	Breaking into Webcomics 9:00pm - 10:00pm	Call of Duty Black Ops II Free For All	8:00pm - 10:00pm		Eric Roberts (\$20) 9:00pm - 10:00pm
	Pirates Vs. Ninja: The Ultimate Debate 10:00pm - 11:00pm	9:00pm - 11:00pm	Vampire Princess Miyu 10:00pm - 12:00am		
	Shipping and Gender Swap (18+) 11:00pm - 12:00am				Chris Patton, Chuck Huber, Sonny Strait (Free) 11:00pm - 12:00am
	Rule 34 The Panel (18+) 12:00am - 1:00am	Midnight Horror Game Club Resident Evil 4 12:00am - 2:00am	Gravitation (18+) 12:00am - 2:00am		

Panel Room 4	Video Gaming	Video Room	Karaoke Room	Autographs
Truzart - digital painter	Open 10:00am - 2:00am	Aria		Steam Powered Giraffe (Free)
10:30am - 11:30am		10:00am - 12:00pm		10:30am - 11:30am
Breaking into Podcasting 11:30am - 12:30pm				Power Rangers (\$10ea) 11:30am - 12:30pm
		Revolutionary Girl Utena		
Asian Ball Joint Doll Panel and Meet Up 1:00pm - 2:00pm	Super Smash Bros. Melee	12:00pm - 2:00pm		Chris Patton (Free) 1:00pm - 2:00pm
Webfiction - Writing Stories On-	1:00pm - 3:00pm			
line, One Chapter At A Time. 2:00pm - 3:00pm		Lost Universe	AMV Adventures	Billy West, Eric Roberts (\$20ea)
Young Justice: Don't Stop Till You	Dance Central 3	2:00pm - 4:00pm		2:30pm - 3:30pm
Get Enough! 3:00pm - 4:00pm	3:00pm - 4:00pm		1:00pm - 6:00pm	
Steampunk Music: What is it, where is it, and is it good? 4:00pm - 5:00pm	Ultimate Marvel VS Capcom 3	Panty and Stocking		
Naruto's Ramen Frenzy II 5:00pm - 6:00pm	4:00pm - 6:00pm	00pm - 6:00pm 4:00pm - 6:00pm		Power Rangers (\$10ea) 5:00pm - 6:00pm
BIG, DUMB, ACTION PANEL 6:00pm - 7:00pm		To Heart		Chris Patton, Chuck Huber, Sonny Strait (Free) 6:00pm - 7:00pm
We Are Spartans: A Halo Panel		6:00pm - 8:00pm		
(13+) 7:00pm - 8:00pm	Super Street Fighter 4			
Genre Feminism and Publishing (18+) 8:00pm - 9:00pm	7:00pm - 9:00pm	Baka and Test 8:00pm - 10:00pm	Karaoke Krypt 8:00pm - 2:00am	SPG: Photos Only (Free) 7:30pm - 8:30pm

	Dania Oranani Oranalamanakia		Becoming Philip J. Fry: A Futurama		
9:00 PM	Basic Samurai Swordsmanship 8:30pm - 9:30pm	The Dantes' Guide to Dating (18+)	Panel 8:30pm - 9:30pm	Choose your own MSPA 8:30pm - 10:00pm	
	The Nerdcore Concert Featuring	9:00pm - 10:00pm			
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11:00 PM		Meet the Power Rangers 10:30pm - 12:00am	· ·		
		· ·	Chris Patton Shares Too Much(18+)		
12:00 AM			11:30pm - 1:00am		
	Rave Dance			Werewolf Game	
1:00 AM	11:30pm - 3:00am			12:00am - 2:00am	

SUNDAY AT META CON

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Sunday	Main Events	Panel Room 1	Panel Room 2	Panel Room 3	
10:00 AM	The Morning After Panel 10:00am - 11:00am	Nintendo Jeopardy 10:00am - 11:30am	Becoming an Indie Writer 10:00am - 11:30am	The Basket Parable 10:00am - 11:00am	
11:00 AM					
	Anime Q&A Time - Boxers, or briefs?	Name That Anime! Game Show 11:30am - 12:30pm	Manic Expression: Creative Chaos 11:30am - 12:30pm	Let's Dance to J-POP with Steve! 11:00am - 12:00pm	
12:00 PM	11:30am - 12:45pm			Everyday Steampunk (13+)	
				12:00pm - 1:00pm	
1:00 PM	FMA: Through the eyes of Maes Hughes 1:00pm - 2:00pm	Inuyasha: Down the Rabbit Hole 1:00pm - 2:00pm	Thrifting and Found Objects: Steam- punk on a Budget 1:00pm - 2:00pm	Super Special Awesome Funtime Games 1:00pm - 2:00pm	
2:00 PM	Captain Scarlet's Ship of Shipping 2:00pm - 3:30pm	Film-making with Chuck Huber 2:00pm - 3:00pm	Vocaloid 101 2:00pm - 3:00pm	Lets Play Ninja! 2:00pm - 3:00pm	
3:00 PM	· · ·	Crossplay goes both ways. 3:00pm - 4:00pm	Ask the Hitachiin twins 3:00pm - 4:00pm		
4:00 PM	The Akira - National Treasure of Japan 3:30pm - 5:00pm		MP Johnson and Tyler Hansen Reading 4:00pm - 5:00pm	Animacting 4:00pm - 5:00pm	
5:00 PM	Closing Ceremonies 5:00pm - 6:00pm				

Registration **Friday - 12p-8p** Saturday - 10a-6p Sunday - 10a-1p

Dealers Friday - 12p-8p Saturday - 10a-6p Sunday - 10a-5p

ConSweet Friday - 4p-2a Saturday - 10a-2a Sunday - 10a-5p

Con Ops **Friday - 10a-2a** Saturday - 10a-2a Sunday - 10a-5p

Event Descriptions

Friday Events

Opening Ceremonies

Friday: 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Main Events

Welcome to Meta Con 2013! Come and be introduced to some of our wonderful special guests, learn the rules, and get your first look into all our weekend's events. Join us to get prepared for an awesome weekend!

Official Event

Dante's Fabulous Date Auction (15+)

Friday: 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Want the world's greatest matchmaker to sell you to the highest bidder? Well that's what you'll find here! This is a fun interactive event and your guaranteed to walk away with a date to the Formal Ball (one dance)! Buying or Selling this is THE event to attend! Rated 15+ for strong language and innuendo.

What's a otp ? 9:00pm - 10:00pm		Baka and Test 8:00pm - 10:00pm		
HENTAI! OUT LOUD! (18+) 10:00pm - 11:00pm	Halo 4	El Hazard		
Let's Go On Omegle! (18+) 11:00pm - 12:30am	10:00pm - 12:00pm	10:00pm - 12:00am	Karaoke Krypt 8:00pm - 2:00am	
Greatest/Worst Zombie Movies You've (probably) Never Heard Of (18+) 12:30am - 1:30am	Video Game Rave! 12:00pm - 2:00am	Rose of Versailles 12:00am - 2:00am		

Panel Room 4	Video Gaming	Video Room	Karaoke Room	Autographs
Supernatural Shenanigans 10:00am - 11:00am	Open 10:00am - 5:00pm			
Strong Women: Heroines, Villains, and Everything in Between (18+) 11:00am - 12:00pm	PokemOn meetup 11:00am - 1:00pm	Hetalia 10:00am - 12:00pm		Steam Powered Giraffe (Free) 11:00am - 12:00pm
		Gakuen Alice		
That game was my childhood! 1:00pm - 2:00pm	Tekken Tag 2	12:00pm - 2:00pm		Chris Patton, Chuck Huber (Free) 1:00pm - 2:00pm
An Intro to Webcomics 2:00pm - 3:00pm	1:00pm - 3:00pm			
	Naruto Ultimate Ninja Storm 3 3:00pm - 4:00pm	Heaven's Lost Property: Forte 2:00pm - 5:00pm		

Miss Manner's Guide To Con Etiquette and Safety

Friday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Panel Room 4

Join us for Miss Manner's complete guide to being safe, being respectful, and having fun at conventions. Get advice on your own behaviour, and learn the steps to take when you encounter someone behaving badly or being a creeper. We will share with you stories, advice, and verbal insults as we bond over how to behave and how to defend against con-creeps.

April Choi

Meet Billy West

Friday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Panel Room 1 Come ask Billy West about his career and voices.

Billy West

The Vaudevillian Villains

Friday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Hey! You like kids books? So do we! Especially read in sensual tones. Like asking questions? We enjoy answering them! Do you enjoy prizes? Then test our wits! Its the nonstop action that you expect with none of the family wholesomeness!

Power Rangers: Ultra Turbo Zeo Time Force

Friday: 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Come by and hear from some of the coolest Mighty Morphin' Turbo Zero Ultra Time Heroes in the world - the Power Rangers. Or at least, the stars who play them.

Jason Faunt, Nakia Burrise

The Fantasy Ball

Friday: 6:30pm - 8:00pm

You are hereby cordially invited to Meta Con's Fantasy Ball. The Fantasy Ball is your chance to experience a delightful formal dance in a social setting. Dress nicely and come to meet people, dance, and socialize. Come by 30 minutes early for enthusiastic lessons on the Waltz.

Official Event

CosFluff: Plus Size Cosplay

Friday: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Panel Room 3

Fabulous Costumes come in all shapes and sizes. This panel is about how to be an amazing cosplayer who just happens to have curves.

Liam Lavanodwska **Emily Harms**

Victorian Sci-Fi: Living their Dreams (13+)

Friday: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Panel Room 4

What if the stories of H.G. Wells, Jules Verne, K.W. Jeter, Michael Moorcock and H.P. Lovecraft were true? Here, we try to explain how Victorian Literature inspired Steampunk and how in turn Steampunk has inspired a new generation of books with a Victorian-Era Aesthetic.

Airship O'Reilly

Meet Eric Roberts

Friday: 7:30pm - 8:30pm

This actor has been in TV shows like Heroes, Law and Order, and even a big name comic book movie. (Ever hear of Batman's The Dark Knight?) Come meet Eric Roberts, a talented seasoned actor with plenty of stories to share!

Eric Roberts

Fannon and Shipping

Friday: 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Panel Room 3

Sometimes we don't get what we want, and we have to make our own drawings and stories of faved characters from existing material, and put them in a relationship in our head-cannon. Oh yeah, this includes Slash and FemSlash.

Fes Works

Nim Vind

Friday: 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Panel Room 4

British Columbia recording artist Nim Vind is an epic cross genre guy with underground cult following. Nim Vind has had a massive effect on his culture. Kids dress up as him for Halloween, other bands have covered his songs, fans have made amazing animated videos for his songs to pay homage to him. He has that authentic and eccentric rock icon feel about him.

Lynn Robnett

Steam Powered Giraffe Live

Friday: 9:00pm - 10:00pm

Main Events

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Steam Powered Giraffe

Breaking into Webcomics

Friday: 9:00pm - 10:00pm

Panel Room 4

The landscape for webcomics is ever changing. Prepare yourself. Listen to advice and ask questions of experienced webcartoonists, to help get you started. Things to watch out for. Things to avoid.

Meet Chris Patton

Friday: 9:30pm - 11:00pm

Panel Room 2

Between characters like Souske Sagura from Full Metal Panic to Lavi from D.Gray Man, Chris Patton is here to sit down and entertain you with his humor and witt!

Chris Patton

Lightstring Workshop

Friday: 10:00pm - 11:00pm Panel Room 3

We love our lights at our raves, so let's learn to use them. This

workshop focuses on practice with poi (lights on strings), and you are encouraged to bring your own. If you don't have proper lightson-strings, you're welcome to bring shoestrings and lightsticks - you could even bring socks and tennis balls if you don't have anything else. If you'd rather learn about staff, double staff, or light swords, our instructor will be glad to teach you the effective use of these tools as well. The goal is to find your dance flow.

Pirates Vs. Ninja: The Ultimate Debate

Friday: 10:00pm - 11:00pm

Panel Room 4

Pirates? Or Ninjas? You decide. Well, probably not. Both sides have sharp objects. They'll be doing the deciding.

Emily Harms, Scarlet

Meet Chuck Huber

Friday: 10:00pm - 11:00pm

Panel Room

Meet Chuck Huber, aka Stein in Soul Eater, Austria in Hetalia, or Hiei in Yu Yu Hakisho.

Chuck Huber

WTF is Ecchi (16+)

Friday: 11:00pm - 12:00am

Panel Room 2

There is a fine line between hentai and ecchi, and I'm aim to expose it! Get out the lotion; it's about to get ecchi!

Adurna Nagra

Shipping and Gender Swap (18+)

Friday: 11:00pm - 12:00am

Panel Room 4

Sometimes we REALLY don't get what we want. So we create our our versions of existing characters. Audience encouraged to bring examples.

Fes Works

No Sword? No Problem!

Friday: 11:00pm - 12:15am

This panel is a class effectively teaching self-defense techniques developed centuries earlier by the samurai. Real moves, taught by professional martial artists with twenty years of experience, that provide a fun, safe look at the methods of Japan's ferocious warriors, and how they worked without a sword.

Samurai Dan & Lady Jillian

Play Oregon Trail... WITH ZOMBIES!

Friday: 11:30pm - 12:30am

Panel Room 1

Bloods, brains, and dysentery! Come join us as we cross the zombie wasteland in Organ Trail, the zombie-based parody of Oregon

Sam W.

Rule 34 The Panel (18+)

Saturday: 12:00am - 1:00am

You know the rules! If it exists, we've tainted it. Let us show you the most twisted creative parodies this world has to offer.

Matt Mever

WTF is Hentai (18+)

Saturday: 12:30am - 1:30am

Panel Room 1

Shibari, netorare, yandere, shimapan, and tentacles, all these things and more lie in the world on hentai! Dare ye enter?!?

Cards Against Humanity With Samurai Dan and Jillian (18+)

Saturday: 12:30am - 2:00am Panel Room 2 Join Samurai Dan and Lady Jillian in a game of adults-only Cards Against Humanity. Try to guess what card they will pick... will it be funny? Ironic? Overly true? Good luck!

Samurai Dan & Lady Jillian

Homestuck Mafia

Saturday: 12:30am - 2:00am

Panel Room 3

Mafia, also known as the Werewolf Game, with a decisively Homestuck twist. Who will win? The Agents of Derse or the Session Players and their array of Carapace Exiles?

Alex Mitzel

Before Page One - World Building Your Story

Saturday: 10:00am - 11:00am

Panel Room 3

You may have a great idea for some characters for a new comic or novel, but what good are they without a world to exist in? Save yourself some of the headache of continuity by planning some things ahead.

Fes Works

Power Rangers Q&A

Saturday: 10:00am - 11:00am

Panel Room 1

Come ask questions of some of the stars of Power Rangers.

Jason Faunt, Nakia Burrise

Ask the Avengers

Saturday: 10:00am - 11:00am

Main Events

Ever wonder if Black Widow really eats the people she "fondues" with or if Captain America's birthday is really July 4th? Ask us at Kawaii as Fondue Production's ASK THE AVENGERS panel. Fandom and Canon with be discussed.

Rvnn Lund

Truzart - digital painter

Saturday: 10:30am - 11:30am

Panel Room 4

The panel would be a sketch charcoal concept so the attendees can see a rapid forming idea. And then we take our idea and paint in Photoshop a work based off our quick interactive concept process. I've done demos at high schools and tech schools in Texas. It's great to share what you do with younger artists and those interested in working with Photoshop or painter.

Eric Limas

History of Samurai Weapons

Saturday: 11:00am - 12:00pm

Samurai Dan explains and demonstrates the history and development of the primary weapons used on the battlefields of fuedal Japan. See some stunning visual aids (blades from 1400-1800) and take part in a question and answer session.

Samurai Dan & Lady Jillian

What Sidekicks Do When They are Left Alone?

Saturday: 11:00am - 12:00pm

Panel Room 3

A fun place for comic fans to come play with us sidekicks with the big heroes are off fighting! Come JOIN THE SIDEKICKS!!

Mako Thou

Panel Room 1

Eric Roberts Q&A

Saturday: 11:30am - 12:30pm

How did the actor who portrayed Sal Maroni get his start? An entire hour where Eric Roberts will answer your questions and tell you about his work. Find out all about his career straight from him, from his first roles all the way up until his big projects, like The Dark Knight!

It Isn't All Spider-Man: The Highs and Lows of an Acting Career

Saturday: 11:30am - 12:30pm

Panel Room 2

In this question and answer presentation with actor Leif Gantvoort you will get the chance to gain insight into the struggles facing a professional actor in Hollywood. Leif will share stories from his experiences working on huge multi-million dollar sets ("The Amazing Spider-Man") to stories of being trapped in a desert with a low-budget film crew with no hope of a rescue for a day. He's acted alongside some of Hollywood's biggest stars and he's also worked as a stunt man just to pay the bills. He's been pulled through walls, hung by the neck, hung by the ankles...sometimes making less than minimum wage. It's not all fame and fortune, but it can be fun...and there's always a story.

Lief Gantvoort

Billy West: The Man of Many Voices

Saturday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Panel Room 1

Billy West plays not one, not two, not even just three characters on Futurama alone. Come ask him what it's like doing so many voices, and get tales of being a famous voice actor.

Billy West

Anime Q&A with Chuck Huber

Saturday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Panel Room 2

Ask all! Hetalia, DBZ, Yu Yu, Soul Eater, Shin Chan, Sgt. Frog, etc...

Chuck Huber

Asian Ball Joint Doll Panel and Meet Up

Saturday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Panel Room 4

Come join us for a short informational discussion about BJDs followed by a meet up where doll owners and enthusiasts can meet one and other, show off their dolls and take lots of pictures. No food or drinks please! Children must be supervised.

Youtubeing 101

Saturday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Panel Room 3

Have you ever wanted to start your own youtube channel? Here you are going to learn the basics of starting your own youtube channel, creating the best videos with limited resources, how to start growing and gaining an audience.

dylan "ninjalens" salber

Whose lime is it Anime? (13+)

Saturday: 1:30pm - 3:00pm

Main Events

Don't you love that wacky show "Who's line?" well come meet our expert actors. They'll make you roll on the floor, holding your sides in this silly interactive panel.

Emily Harms with Guest Panelists Dante

Breaking into Podcasting

Saturday: 11:30am - 12:30pm Learn how to start your own internet radio show! Get info on tools

Panel Room 4

and software to use, and how and where to publish it online!

Fes Works

Atop the Fourth Wall: Live!

Saturday: 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Main Events Join Linkara for a live review of a manga! Will it be a terrible manga?

Will it actually be good? Come find out in this hilarious event! Lewis "Linkara" Lovhaug, Linkara

Cosplay Make Up Tips and Tricks

Saturday: 12:00pm - 1:00pm

23 Ever wished you knew how to correctly apply eyeliner? Do you find

it impossible to find the perfect shade of foundation? Come to this informative panel to learn some tips and tricks to help you look and feel your best!

Lindsey M.

Web Comics with THE Sonny Strait

Saturday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Panel Room 2

You WILL believe that a voice actor CAN draw! Sonny Strait is here to tell you how its done and how to have fun doing it.

Sonny Strait

Steampunk 101

Saturday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Panel Room 3

A basic introduction to what Steampunk is, how it came about and what it has evolved into. Covering topics ranging from Literature to Costuming to Accessories to Characters and Lifestyle.

Airship O'Reilly

Webfiction - Writing Stories Online, One Chapter At A

Time.

Saturday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm Panel Room 4

Some people make webcomics, others create novels and short stories. One chapter at a time, these writer share their works as they write them. Sometimes its original. Sometimes its fanfiction. Sometimes its fanfiction that gets so popular that they retool the story to be more original, so they can sell it. (It's a grey area of 50 shades.)

Q&A with Chris Patton

Saturday: 2:30pm - 3:30pm

Have guestions? Well Chris Patton is here for a full hour to answer them! Come in and hear funny stories, advice, and get your questions answered!

Chris Patton

The Way Of The Samurai

Saturday: 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Main Events

Authentic samurai arts brought to life with style and power! The majestic, almost poetic swordsmanship of Japan's mighty warriors displayed with an abundance of precision, skill, and of all things. humor. This fast-paced show climaxes with an exhibition of tameshigiri (test-cutting), with ancient swords.

Samurai Dan & Lady Jillian

Over 649 pokemon!? When did this happen?

Saturday: 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Back from Animinni 2012! It all started in Gen 1 with Kanto, and now we're getting Gen 6. Our games started off as colors, evolved into gems, and then we went back to colors, and now we're left with letters. We're here for you in your time of confusion, frustration, joy, or whatever else you feel in the evolving world of Pokemon.

flummoxedblueberries

Puella Magi Madoka Magica FANDOM

Saturday: 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Panel Room 3

A panel talking about the anime and manga Puella Magi Madoka Magica!

Thomas Nguyen

Young Justice: Don't Stop Till You Get Enough!

Saturday: 3:00pm - 4:00pm Panel Room 4

Friends! Let us gather yet again to nerdgasm over the brilliance of Young Justice. Talk about what things we love, things we dislike, theories, and just try to stay whelmed.

Movie Quote-Along Matt Meyer

So You Want to Be an Artist?

Saturday: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Panel Room 2

Do you draw or love being creative in your free time? Why not turn your side hobby and loves into a paying career? This is a panel about Art School and how to improve your talents and how to make your hobby's pay for your future!

Emily Harms, Dante Ishtar

Steampunk Music: What is it, where is it, and is it good?

Saturday: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Defining Steampunk as a genre of music is a difficult thing to do. Is it based on the lyrics, how Victorian the instruents are, or how the band is dressed? Here, we will attempt to go over what we thinks makes music Steampunk and play you a selection of a few bands that we think fit under the umbrella of Steampunk and why.

Airship O'Reilly

TF2 Meet the Team

Saturday: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Panel Room 3

Ever wanted to meet your favorite class? How about ask them a question or two? Well here's your chance, Mann Co is allowing you as the audience to come in and hang out with the mercenaries from both the red and blu team and watch them perform skits, ask questions and hang out with fellow TF2 players.

Sam Folio

Acting Workshop with Chuck Huber

Saturday: 4:00pm - 5:30pm

Panel Room 1

First twelve people in line get to participate, the rest can ask guestions and will be the audience. Some basic improv/acting games and techniques.

Chuck Huber

We Are Not "Gamer Girls"

Saturday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Are you sick of "stereotypes" about female gamers? So are we! Come talk to a host of real female game fans and help break the stereotype of us chewing on a controller in our underwear.

Emily Harms, Megan Atkins, Amanda Atkins

Naruto's Ramen Frenzy II

Saturday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Panel Room 4

Last time was an overflow of confusion, but this year Sasuke steps in, join us for ramen, games, and discussions with your favorite of NARUTO.

Nancy Brown

What is a Steam Powered Giraffe?

Saturday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Panel Room 1

Have you heard all your friends talking about some kind of steam powered animals lately, and you're wondering what they've been steaming? Come to this panel to learn what a Steam Powered Giraffe really is, and the odd connections they just might have with copper African elephants and singing robots.

Steam Powered Giraffe

Improv'd Improv

Saturday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Panel Room 3

this will be an interactive event where we will play improv games and do improv warmups and activities. this event is meant to show you the true heart of improv, being silly

Daniel Levitt

Are you ready to have that adrenaline rush? DO YOU WANT EX-PLOSIONS IN YOUR FACE?!?! Come discuss the action and manliness in the movies, tv shows, comics, manga, and anime!

Chances are that there is a movie that you know all of the words

to. Chances are that other people do as well. We'll let's play some

movie clips and take the sound out and see if you can put the lip

Adurna Nagra

Panel Room 4

Panel Room 2

Fes Works

Masquerade

Saturday: 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Saturday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

BIG, DUMB, ACTION PANEL

Saturday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

service to the test!

Main Events

The Masquerade is our mainstage costume and cosplay competition, featuring some of the most spectacular costumes. Complete rules and signup information are on another page in this book. Anyone can watch (and everyone should!), but participants must sign up in advance. Have an amazing cosplay? Think it's worthy of a prize or medal? Come and show it off in the Masgurade! Best of luck to all that enter!

Official Event

We Shadows by Sonny Strait

Saturday: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Finally! The long awaited Seguel to A Midsummer Night's Dream. Sorry Shakespeare, we could wait no longer. Come listen to Sonny talk about his Journey in writing this comic that blends elements from The Ugly Duckling, Arthurian legend and A Midsummer Night's Dream into a modern day, wackes out tale of its own with snappy dialogue, dead-on comic timing and trippy visuals.

Sonny Strait

We Are Spartans: A Halo Panel (13+)

Saturday: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Panel Room 4

Anything and Everything Halo! From gameplay, to story, to Fan videos and cosplay. Both a long term Halo fanboy and a newbie, are here to answer your questions about everything from the game structure, to how you can make your own Spartan Armor.

Dante Ishtar, Zion Burger

K-pop Ready or Not

Saturday: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Panel Room 3

Are you Ready or Not? You know the bands, their songs, but how much do you Actually know? Come and show what you know, dance and have fun with us, Shinee, Super Junior, Girls Generation, f.x., and more, and win a prize!!!

The Dark Knight with Eric Roberts

Saturday: 7:30pm - 8:30pm

Are you a big fan of the new Batman Trilogy? Have questions for one of the actor's straight from the second film? Come on in to this pannel! Where actor Eric Roberts will tell you all about his role in Batman's The Dark Knight!

Eric Roberts

Genre Feminism and Publishing (18+)

Saturday: 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Panel Room 4

Genre feminist filmmakers have multiple avenues of support (from Women in Horror Recognition Month to the Viscera Organization). However, there aren't many similar support systems in speculative fiction. Why might this be and how can we change it?

Lauren Jankowski

Choose your own MSPA

Saturday: 8:30pm - 10:00pm

Panel Room 3

Have you ever wanted to submit a command to Homestuck? Join Gamer Grlz Roxy & Latula, as well as our cast of Beta Kids/Trolls for a "totes r4d1c4l" choose your own MS Paint Adventure!

Dezzy Hella

Becoming Philip J. Fry: A Futurama Panel

Saturday: 8:30pm - 9:30pm

Panel Room 2

Did you know Futurama is back on air? Come talk to Billy West about being the lead!

Billy West

Basic Samurai Swordsmanship

Saturday: 8:30pm - 9:30pm

Main Events

A high-energy class, run by professional sword instructors, where real sword techniques and combat moves are taught, supervised, and performed safely. Wooden practice swords provided.

Samurai Dan & Lady Jillian

The Dantes' Guide to Dating (18+)

Saturday: 9:00pm - 10:00pm

Panel Room 1

Do you find yourself faltering with the ladies? Do you just not know how to whoo that special person? Do you have some questions you've been too embarrassed to ask Google? Our trained experts will show you how it's done! Dante will answer all your dating questions (among other ones)!

Dante 1, 2, 3, & 4

What's a otp?

Saturday: 9:00pm - 10:00pm

Panel Room 4

We will be learning what an otp is and what the concept and what some otp's are

Thomas Nguyen

The Nerdcore Concert Featuring YTCracker, StarF, Mattari 2600

Saturday: 9:30pm - 11:00pm

Come to the epic NerdConcert. StarF and Mattari will blow your nerdy mind with nerdy lyrics, and YTCracker will polish you off and send you out the door into the spamworld. What's that all mean? It means that this will be one hell of a rap concert for nerds.

YTCracker, StarF

HENTA!! OUT LOUD! (18+)

Saturday: 10:00pm - 11:00pm

Panel Room 4

It's exactly what the title says, folks! This panel will be, where you the fans and the hosts of the panel, read Hentai Out loud. (18+)

SuperWhoTeenAvengeMerLock

Saturday: 10:00pm - 11:30pm

Panel Room 2

The game is afoot, my wayward son! Come test your knowledge of Supernatural/Dr Who/Teen Wolf/Avengers/Merlin/Sherlock in this jeopardy-esque game of wits! Gather your knights and build your pack to emerge victorious! Candy and prizes for those who participate. Allons-Y! Except for you, Loki... you can't come.

Are you proud to be a brony?

Saturday: 10:00pm - 11:30pm

Panel Room 3

Bronies, the unexpected teenage and older fans of the show "My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic"! We will show videos, improv, and be cool with style, you even get to see a brony DJ! Get up and

Cameron Kilgore

Meet the Power Rangers

Saturday: 10:30pm - 12:00am Panel Room 1

Meet some of the stars of all different seasons of Power Rangers, and hear about what it's like on set fighting putty monsters.

Let's Go On Omegle! (18+)

Saturday: 11:00pm - 12:30am Panel Room 4

OPEN THE DOOR GET ON THE FLOOR EVERYONE WALK THE DINOSAUR! That's right folks, it's time to once again to strut our stuff and surprise the internet!

Matt Meyer

Chris Patton Shares Too Much(18+)

Saturday: 11:30pm - 1:00am

It's an 18+ everything-on-the-table panel, where attendees can ask ANYTHING they want, and your favorite voice actor, Chris Patton, answer with complete honesty!

Chris Patton

Rave Dance

Saturday: 11:30pm - 3:00am

Main Events

Come to our amazing rave dance, featuring DJs such YTCracker, and more. Giant speakers. Lots of wubs, because we wubs you.

Werewolf Game

Sunday: 12:00am - 2:00am

Panel Room 3

Greetings my Midnight moonlighters! The Werewolf Game is back and hosted by your favorite AniMini host Infinity! Come enjoy a MetaCon howling good time even if you don't know how to play (rules are re-explained at every new game)!

Samantha Stiles

Greatest/Worst Zombie Movies You've (probably) Never Heard Of (18+)

Sunday: 12:30am - 1:30am

Do you like zombies? Who doesn't? But there are many MANY terrible zombie films out there, and I'd like to tell you about them!

The Basket Parable

Sunday: 10:00am - 11:00am

Panel Room 3

For years, the entire lives of the Sohma family has been orchestrated by their so called god, But now it's finally your chance. Tell a riveting story using the Furuba crew or just raise some hell! Warning! Contains Improv.

Rainhow Rune

Supernatural Shenanigans

Sunday: 10:00am - 11:00am Panel Room 4

Can Dean ever have TOO much pie? Will Sam ever find his other shoe? Find out at the Supernatural Shenanigans ask panel with Kawaii as Fondue Productions.

Asia Danh

The Morning After Panel

Sunday: 10:00am - 11:00am

This is exactly what you need after a night of rad raving, dirty dancing, prodigious panels, and commodious cosplays. We can all share stories about the con or whatever. Anything to help soothe the crazy before we go our separate ways after the con.

Adurna Nagra

Becoming an Indie Writer

Sunday: 10:00am - 11:30am

step by step guide from start to finish.

Panel Room 2 Why become an indie writer? Who should do it? How to start? A

Nintendo Jeopardy

Sunday: 10:00am - 11:30am

Panel Room 1

This wonderful guiz game is hosted by Kirby, King Dedede, and Magikarp and is played like the classic game show "jeopardy" with a few minor alterations. Teams of five compete to see who has the greatest knowledge of everything Nintendo! Topics include Mario, Pokemon, Zelda, Kirby, Name that Tune, Systems and Consoles, and Misc. Trivia.

Tyler Kirby

Strong Women: Heroines, Villains, and Everything in Between (18+)

Sunday: 11:00am - 12:00pm

Speculative fiction is full of tough women if you know where to look (from Artemis to Eowyn to Mary Mason to Agent Olivia Dunham). Occasionally problematic, but always fascinating, this panel will discuss our favorite tough women, be they heroine or villain or something in between.

Let's Dance to J-POP with Steve!

Sunday: 11:00am - 12:00pm

Panel Room 3

Put on your dancing shoes and those cute shorts, we're dancing! Steve here will teach you how to dance to classics such as "PON-PONPON!" and "Happy Synthesizer"! Please wear clothing comfortable for moving around.

Stephen Jankowski

Manic Expression: Creative Chaos

Sunday: 11:30am - 12:30pm

Panel Room 2

Manic Expression is a thriving community of writers, producers, actors, and musicians all working together to make something spectacular. While providing the traditional blogs and video reviews, Manic Expression has expanded into producing audio dramas and feature length documentaries.

James Walsh

Name That Anime! Game Show

Sunday: 11:30am - 12:30pm

Come in and put your video game and anime knowledge to the test! Compete with fellow con-goers for glory and prizes! Do you have what it takes?

Casey 'redrummiss' Dolezal

Anime Q&A Time - Boxers, or briefs?

Sunday: 11:30am - 12:45pm

Get your burning final-minute questions answered by our anime voice acting stars.

Chuck Huber, Chris Patton, Sonny Strait

Everyday Steampunk (13+)

Sunday: 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Panel Room 3

How to get away with wearing Steampunk at work (and school) and not be fired for it. We will go over what not to wear, and what you can wear and still look like a steampunk without being over the top.

Airship O'Reilly

Super Special Awesome Funtime Games

Sunday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

PATTY-CAKE CHAMPIONSHIP, Rock-Paper-Scissors Tournament, an all new version of everyone's favorite pool game called "Polo! Marco!" and the best of the funnest games of your childhood.

Dante Kaiba

Inuyasha: Down the Rabbit Hole

Sunday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Panel Room 1

SIT BOY! The show that had fans laughing as the half dog demon plummeted into the ground repeatedly. This is a pannel is a discussion all about the popular show Inuyasha.

Emily Harms

FMA: Through the eyes of Maes Hughes

Sunday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Its never easy being backup to an unstable boss. Especially when he plays with fire. Oh! have you seen the latest pics of my daughter! Isn't she adorable?! I will show you those later. I have a story tell. It deals with the factual truth of what really happens in Central Command.

Sonny Strait

Thrifting and Found Objects: Steampunk on a Budget

Sunday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Have almost no money but still want to dress up like a Steampunk? Here, we'll go over some basic tips for thrifting more efficiently and getting the best outfit for the least amount of money as well as some basic costumes that are easily assembled.

Airship O'Reilly

That game was my childhood!

Sunday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Panel Room 4

Remember playing a certain series of video games years ago? In this panel we will discuss all those childhood favorites. from Animal Crossing to Pokemon, at least once you've gotta say "That game was my childhood!"

Dezzy Hella

Film-making with Chuck Huber

Sunday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Panel Room 1

Afraid to make a movie? Don't be after this panel. Q & A with some demonstration of basic film making

Chuck Huber

Panel Room 3

Lets Play Ninja!

Sunday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Protect your hands, mateys! Have an entire hour of fun with some of our mischevious pirate staff in the classic game of "Ninja" where you and your friends (or enemies) Try to swat at eachother's hands to become the ultimate ninja!

Ben Victim

An Intro to Webcomics

Sunday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Panel Room 4

Make the, so scary, jump from narrow and limited "variety" of newspaper comics, to the world wide web of online comics! Yes, a lot of them suck... but let's find the gems that make it all worth the venture.

Fes Works

Vocaloid 101

Sunday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Come and join the vocaloid panel. Meet all your favorite vocaloids! We will do some game and had out prizes!

Captain Scarlet's Ship of Shipping

Sunday: 2:00pm - 3:30pm

Main Events

Do you and your lover want to tie the fake knot?! Our "friendly" resident pirate. Captain Scarlet, would be able to help with that! Come and join with friends, grooms, and maids of honor of your choice. Make it the happiest moment of your con weekend!

Crossplay goes both ways.

Sunday: 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Panel Room 1

Have that favorite character that your dying to cosplay but there's the one issue of gender? Well we'll show you how its done and done properly. The panel also touches on basic cosplaying tips from costumes to wigs, the differences in behaviors between men and women, and the last ten minutes have a wig care tutorial which is a must see for long haired characters!

Dante Kaiha

Ask the Hitachiin twins

Sunday: 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Panel Room 2

Have a question for the Hitachiin twins? Well now you can ask it! Come and do a Q and A with Hikaru and Kaoru Hitachiin of the Ouran High School Host Club!

The Akita - National Treasure of Japan

Sunday: 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Main Events

Come and meet the inspiration for the movie, "Hachiko" in living, breathing, furry, person! The akita, companion to samurai for generations, are here for your enjoyment. Naya and Kuma, pureblood Japanese akita-ken, demonstrate and enlighten congoers. Hosted by their humans, Samurai Dan and Jillian.

Samurai Dan & Lady Jillian

MP Johnson and Tyler Hansen Reading

Sunday: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

fast-paced and outrageous.

Ready to get verbally slimed? Forget what you know about author readings. Authors MP Johnson and Tyler Hansen read horror and bizarro fiction. They are hell-bent on keeping things energetic,

MP Johnson

Animacting

Sunday: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

We will be playing many acting and improv games such as the freeze game, taxi cab, "yes, and..." and many more. We will also be open to some suggestions if you have a game that you enjoy or would like to try out.

Closing Ceremonies

Sunday: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Main Events

Meta Con has come to an end. Join us as we bid you all farewell and meet some of the staff that made this all possible for you! Afterwards, stay for feedback.

Official Event

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New Friends

Autographs

Name	Email, Pho	one, DeviantArt, T	umblr, or Facebook

You can use this section of our program guide to write down the contact information of any new friends you meet at the con-

vention. You can also use our handy activities checklist to make sure you have the best weekend possible.

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Activity Checklist

After Con Checklist (Bonus Points!)

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5pts [] Looked up AniMinneapolis.com

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75pts - 240pts Epic Weekend					

Autograph Reminders

Please do not wait until the last autograph session to get an autograph; you could miss out when we have to limit the number of people per session. Only the first fifty (50) people for each hour of autographs will be allowed to wait in line for the autograph session. After that amount, we can not let more people wait in line as the guests will run out of time. You are limited to up to two (2) items signed per autograph session if there is a full line. The size of items may be limited if required. Some lines for autographs may form very early. If you do not arrive early enough to get a spot in line, be prepared to try a different autograph session.

Guests will only be able to sign official, licensed merchandise - not bootlegs. Our dealers will be held to high standards of copyright compliance.

We reserve the right to choose to implement, or not implement, a lottery system at any time, if more than the maximum number of people are in line before the session begins. If we are required to implement a lottery, then arriving several hours early may not guarantee an autograph for that session.

Photographs and recordings with the guests are available only with the guests' permission and are limited by time. Please be kind to respect the awesome guests we have, and ask nicely. In extremely busy circumstances, photographs may not be allowed, or we may ask that you wait until everyone else is finished.

While we try to have enough sharpies, sometimes we run out or they go missing. If you have something that needs to be autographed in a specific color, then we recommend bringing that color.



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A heartfelt thank you goes out to all attendees for joining us this year. And a very special thanks to all the staff and volunteers who helped make this year yet another awesome success!

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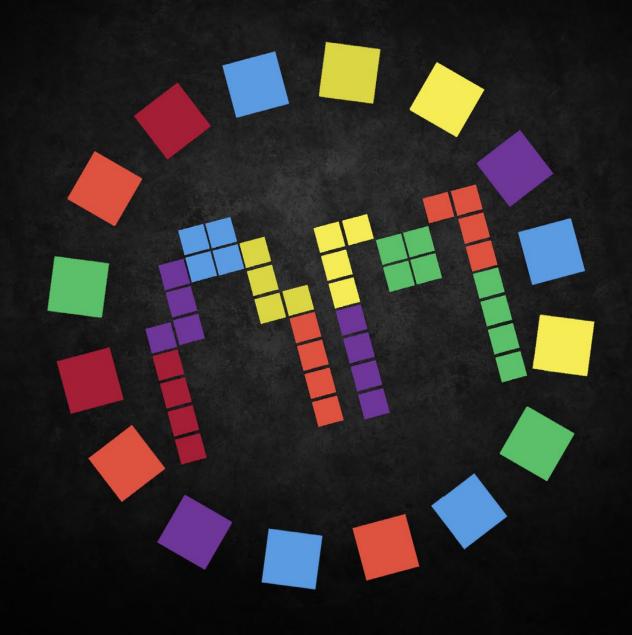
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