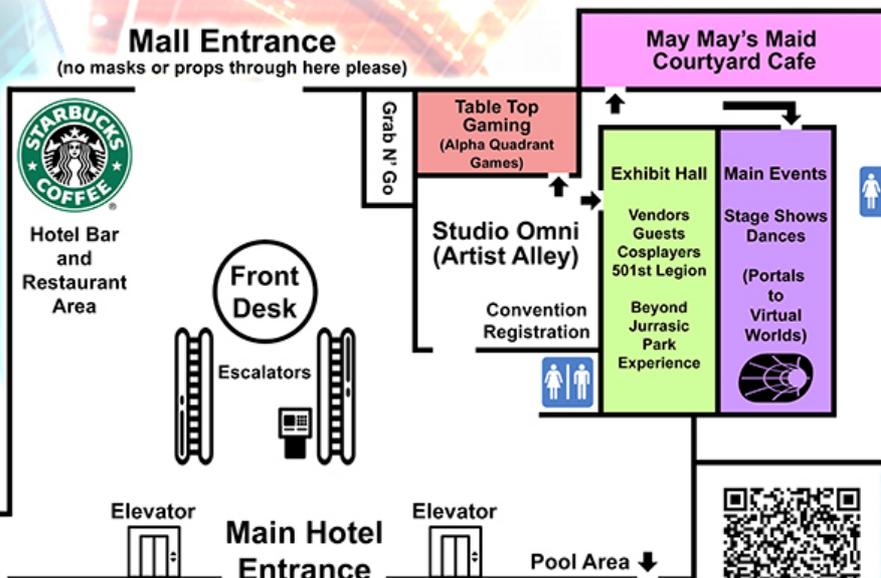
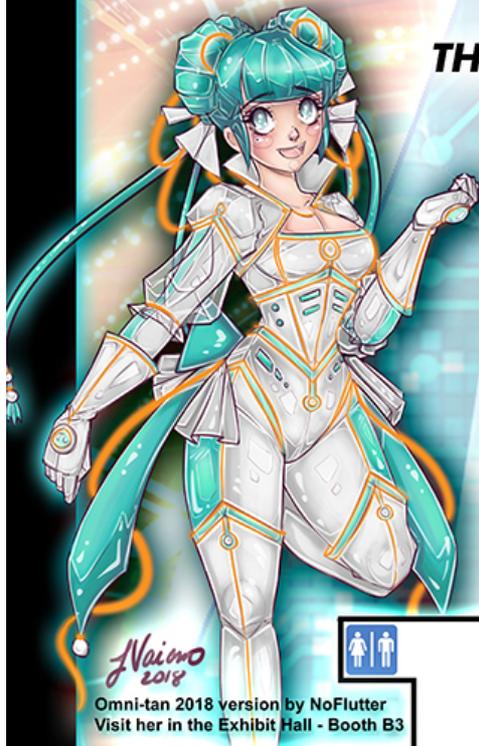


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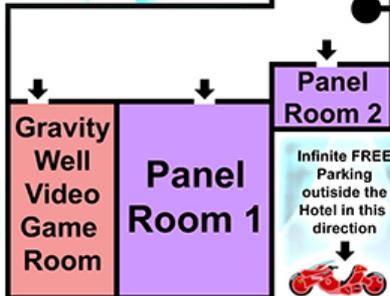
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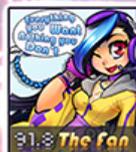
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SAWA

Performer: (Singer / Lyricist - Final Fantasy Type-0 - The World Ends With You)

[APPEARING SATURDAY & SUNDAY ONLY]

Sawa was born as a daughter of a family that has run a traditional Japanese public bath in Nagoya since approximately 1885. She attended NIS (Nagoya International School) from the ages of 4 to 7. Her Father's love of chanson and canzone music piqued her interest from a young age, instilling a love of music in her. From the ages of 16 to 17 she received schooling in Virginia. While she was there, she had her first experience singing for a live audience at a culture festival. Even though the songs were in Japanese, many in the crowd were singing the chorus by the end of a song. At that moment, she got more interested in the power of music.

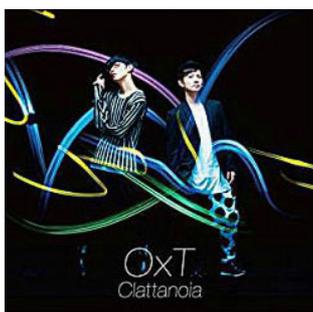
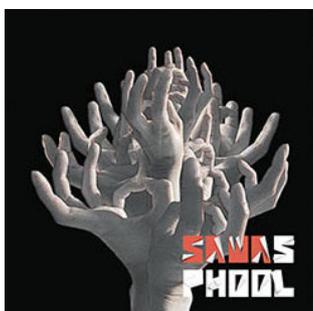
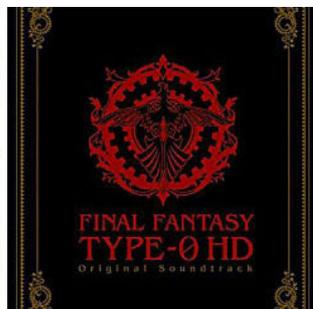
In 2007, SAWA made her debut as a singer and lyricist with the release of the game "The World Ends with You", produced by Square Enix. A few years later, she worked on the soundtrack for the Japanese animation "K-ON! the movie". Her work is not limited to anime and games, as she also sang for the popular Japanese comedians COWCOW in their series called "No Surprise Exercise". In 2013, she succeeded in experimenting with traditional folk songs. As a member of the WA-League, she had a stage in Peru and Ecuador to celebrate the 140th anniversary of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Currently she is a member of the Square Enix produced band project, The Death March, as well as her original band SAWAS PHOOL. The first mini-album release of SAWAS PHOOL was in December 2014!

SAWA is happy to be performing in her first ever US concert, SAWA - THE LIVE! She will be performing her favorite songs solo in an acoustic set on Saturday night! DONT MISS IT!

Interview:

<http://www.j-popworld.com/Interviews/SAWA.php>





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Panel Room 1	
2:00 pm SAWA Q&A	Length: 1 hr
Main Events	
6:30 pm SAWA: The Live	Length: 1 hr
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Panel Room 1	
12:00 pm Composing + Companies: Music Factory w/SAWA	Length: 1 hr
Main Events	
5:00 pm Closing Ceremonies	Length: 1 hr



Joshua Seth

Voice Actor: (Tai - Digimon, Tetsuo - Akira)

Joshua Seth is the voice of some of the most popular Anime characters of all time and has been heard on over 70 animated TV shows and movies as well as hundreds of commercials and literally thousands of promos. Millions of kids grew up listening to Joshua as the starring role of Tai, the leader of the Digimon.

To adult fans of animation, he's best known as the villainous voice of Tetsuo, the starring role in the animated masterpiece, Akira (2001) as well as Hige in Wolfs Rain, 009 in Cyborg Soldier 009, and The Prisoner in The Spongebob Squarepants Movie.

For the past decade Joshua's toured the world with his live stage show as a mentalist. He's performed in over 30 countries, starred in 5 TV specials in Japan and South Korea, and written a book on mental focus.

Currently he's back in the studio, voicing Tai in the new series of Digimon Adventure tri movies.



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Main Events	
1:00 pm Everything Digimon - Voice Actor Q&A	Length: 1 hr
Panel Room 1	
4:00 pm The Magic of Thinking Differently: How to Live a Creative Life w/ Joshua Seth	Length: 1 hr
DAY Sunday - March 11, 2018	
Main Events	
1:30 pm Voice Actor Script Reading	Length: 1 hr
Main Events	
4:00 pm Joshua Seth - Psychological Illusion Show	Length: 1 hr



Derek Stephen Prince

Voice Actor: (Uryu Ishida - Bleach, Guts - Kill la Kill, Shino - Naurto, Digimon Emperor - Digimon)

Derek Stephen Prince (aka Steve) has been in the voiceover industry for 21 years. You may know him from some of his many roles in the Digimon Series (most notably - The Digimon Emperor, Veemon, Impmon, Beelzamon and Piedmon to name a few), Uryu Ishida from Bleach, Guts from Kill la Kill, Keitaro Urashima from Love, Hina, Shino Aburame from Naruto, Marylcian in Aldnoah Zero, a MULTITUDE of female parts in Lucky Star, Vexen from the Kingdom Hearts video game franchise, as well as many others. You can see the full list on imdb.com. Just type in his full name in the search box. You can also like his fan page at <https://www.facebook.com/Derek.Stephen.Prince/> where he updates and announces projects he's currently working on there.

Steve is so excited to be a part of Omni Fandom 2018 and promises that you guys WILL have an awesome time. He can't wait to see all of you!!!!

Autograph Pricing:

- Autographed 8X10 Prints - \$15 (discount on multiple purchases)
- Photo-Ops: \$30
- Voice Recordings: \$40



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Panel Room 1

9:00 pm Jeopardy with Derek Stephen Prince Length: 1 hr

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Main Events

1:00 pm Everything Digimon - Voice Actor Q&A Length: 1 hr

Panel Room 1

9:00 pm Digimon & Friends (18+ ONLY) w/ Derek Stephen Prince Length: 1 hr

Panel Room 1

10:00 pm Cards Against Humanity Length: 1 hr

Sunday - March 11, 2018

Main Events

1:30 pm Voice Actor Script Reading Length: 1 hr

Main Events

5:00 pm Closing Ceremonies Length: 1 hr



Paul St. Peter

Voice Actor: (Xemnas - Kingdom Hearts, Nine Tail Fox - Naruto, Wormmon - Digimon)

Paul St. Peter, twice nominated for BTVA Awards, is a voice actor from Los Angeles, whose many anime and video game credits include KINGDOM HEARTS (Xemnas), NARUTO (Nine Tail Fox), ONE PUNCH MAN (Beast King), DIGIMON (Wormmon, Leomon), ROBOTECH (Zor Prime), BLEACH (Yammy Riyalgo), WORLD OF WARCRAFT (Boden The Imposing), DYNASTY WARRIORS I-IV (Yuan Shao), DIGIMON: THE MOVIE (Kokomon), ZETMAN (Sugito), MAJIN (Majin), TESTIMONY OF THE NEW SHE DEVIL (Valga), BERSERK (Grunbeld), and RESIDENT EVIL 5 (Swahili Zombie). Paul does comical voices too, from WORMMON (Digimon Warriors) to PUNCH (Cowboy Bebop).

Among his other game, anime, and feature anime credits are GURREN LAGAAN (Jorgun), THE COUNT OF MONTE CRISTO, (Mondego), MONSTER (Dr. Reichwein), PAPRIKA (Konakawa), LUPIN III: THE SECRET OF MAMO (Mamo), DURARARA (Higa), X-COM (Dr. Heinrich), BATTLE B-DAMON (Armada), DIABLO III (Demented Spirit), and DEFIANCE (Burgess). Paul's voice can also be heard on such titles as MONSTER STRIKE (Death Panda), DRAKENGARD III (Michael The Dragon), JOJO'S BIZARRE ADVENTURES (Wamuu, Dire, Jack The Ripper), NARUTO 7: ULTIMATE NINJA STORM (Kurama), THE SEVEN DEADLY SINS (Armor Giant), AJIN (Hirasawa), HEARTHSTONE (Igneous Giant), KILLER (Colonel Derick) YS VIII: LACRIMOSA OF DANA (Sahad), ACE COMBAT 7 (various roles), GUNDAM: IRON BLOODED ORPHANS (McMurdo), DRAGON BALL SUPER (Sorbet), HUNTER HUNTER (Razor), and GODEATER II (various roles).

A versatile performer, Paul also sang for four seasons with the San Diego Opera Company, three years with the Civic Light Opera, and appeared in several productions at the Old Globe Theatre. In Los Angeles, Paul has acted at the Globe Playhouse, Richard Basehart Theatre, Palos Verde Shakespeare on The Meadow, performed with the Rogue Artists, and has "gone on the road" for eleven seasons with the Nevada Shakespeare Festival.

As an instructor, Paul has taught speech, accents, dialects, phonetics, vocal production, and Shakespeare at The American Academy of Dramatic Arts, California State University Los Angeles, San Diego State University, Los Angeles Broadcasting School, the Windward School, and is a speech and acting coach for Native Voices at the Autry, a Native American Theatre company, and for the Rogue Artists.

Paul's TV appearances include work on NCIS, LAST MAN STANDING, JESSIE, LEGIT (for FX), RINGER, TIM AND ERIC'S AWESOME SHOW, and the hilarious KEY AND PEELE (Comedy Central.)

Autograph Pricing:

- \$5 per autograph on products (games, posters, DVD's, videos, etc)
- \$8 per personally autographed photo
- \$10 per voicemail recorded in character



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6:00 pm Voice Acting for Business & Pleasure w/ Paul St. Peter Length: 1 hr

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Main Events

1:00 pm Everything Digimon - Voice Actor Q&A Length: 1 hr

Panel Room 1

10:00 pm Cards Against Humanity Length: 1 hr

Sunday - March 11, 2018

Main Events

1:30 pm Voice Actor Script Reading Length: 1 hr

Panel Room 1

3:00 pm From Stage Actor to Voice Actor w/ Paul St. Peter Length: 1 hr

Main Events

5:00 pm Closing Ceremonies Length: 1 hr



Masumi Senpai

Cosplay Guest: (Cosplay Guest - Sponsored by Caliquo Industries, LLC.)

Masumi Senpai is a hardcore cosplayer, lolita, and grad student based out of Orlando. She has been cosplaying since before the turn of the millennium and sewing since her early teen years. Her current focus is on becoming a better costumer and loves the smallest of details when it comes to her costuming. Because of this love for detail it has led her to devote much time to learning everything possible such as molding, beading, armor, wig styling and dying, the use of multiple types of fabrics, props, air brush makeup effects and body paint, and creating patterns. Masumi Senpai does a wide range of panels from cosplay, to dealing with invisible illnesses, lolita, and LGBTQ panels.



DAY Friday - March 09, 2018

Panel Room 1

1:00 pm Cosplay and Consent Length: 1 hr

Panel Room 2

6:00 pm LGBTQ+ Length: 1 hr

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Panel Room 2

10:00 am Masquerade Costume Contest Pre-Judging Length: 5 hrs

Main Events

5:00 pm Masquerade Costume Contest (Cosplay/Costume) Length: 1 hr

DAY Sunday - March 11, 2018

Panel Room 1

1:00 pm Traveling to Japan Length: 1 hr

Hanari Solomon

Cosplay Guest: (Cosplay Guest - Sponsored by Areku Cosplay & Photography)

Hanari Solomon is a national competitive cosplayer with over 50+ costumes under her belt. Florida based, she travels the country competing in cosplay competitions to hone her skills and meet new people along the way. She is very well known for her various Junker cosplays from Overwatch, making specialized prosthetic limbs, and immersive character personification. Her ultimate professional goal is to make a living off of costume creation through competitions, Patreon, or working for a major costuming studio. She has won multiple major awards for her costuming skills, including Best In Show at Anime Expo, and has also judged several contests throughout the Florida convention circuit. Hanari looks forward to adding more feats of costuming excellence to her repertoire in the future!



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Panel Room 1

7:00 pm Beginner's Guide To Foam Armor and Prosthetics

Length: 1 hr

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Panel Room 2

10:00 am Masquerade Costume Contest Pre-Judging

Length: 5 hrs

Main Events

5:00 pm Masquerade Costume Contest (Cosplay/Costume)

Length: 1 hr

Sunday - March 11, 2018

Panel Room 1

11:00 am Posing And Expressionism In Cosplay

Length: 1 hr



ZackAttackCosplay

Cosplay Guest: (Cosplay Guest - Sponsored by Caliquo Industries, LLC.)

ZackAttackCosplay is a Florida-based cosplayer with a huge love for pretty much all things geeky and nerdy. Zack is a 15-year cosplay vet who mostly spends his time as of the past 10 years building superhero cosplays to use for charity events, local events, and visiting children's hospitals to help bring to life the heroes kids look up to. Aside from his love and passion for cosplay he's an avid fitness buff. Spending most of his time outside of work and cosplay honing in his physique to meet new goals for bodybuilding, he also integrates fitness into his cosplay plans for that con season.

He's currently a brand ambassador for FlexComics - gym apparel brand meant to help inspire others in the community to want to try fitness out while flexing their nerdy side. In the Real World Zack is a free-lance voice actor and currently performing as a stunt actor. He's had the chance to work alongside teams such as the Ninja Turtles and Power Rangers. Zack is a pretty chill guy who's honest goal in all of this is to help inspire others out there to be bold and achieve what goals they set in life while understanding we all have struggles we face along the way.

"It's a dark world out there. If we have a chance to do some good in the world, then we should help be a light to those needing it most." - ZackAttackCosplay



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Main Events

3:00 pm Suicide Karaoke

Length: 1 hr



Mur

Cosplay Guest: (Cosplay Guest - Sponsored by Areku Cosplay & Photography)

Mur has been a dedicated craftsman for over half a decade, creating detailed videogame and anime-inspired costumes. He has won over 10 awards for his craftsmanship, including four Best in Show. Mur focuses his craft on using upcycled materials, adding individual flair to each costume, and always striving to learn something new.

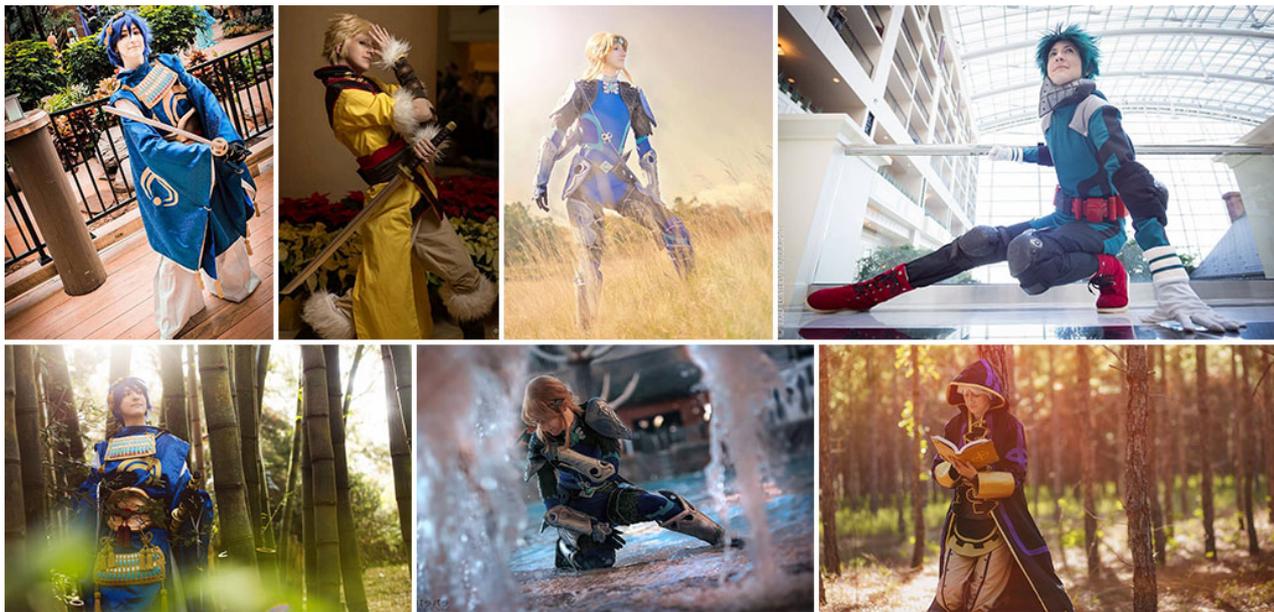


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Panel Room 1

4:00 pm Cosplay Craftsmanship on a Budget! Length: 1 hr

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Panel Room 2

10:00 am Masquerade Costume Contest Pre-Judging Length: 5 hrs

Main Events

5:00 pm Masquerade Costume Contest (Cosplay/Costume) Length: 1 hr

Panel Room 1

7:00 pm Tough Boys Do Cry! - Positive Messages in Shonen Jump Length: 1 hr



Riley Sinpai

Cosplay Guest: (Cosplay Guest - Sponsored by WHERE DA WAIFU)

Riley Sinpai has been cosplaying for a total of almost 11 years now, since finding and watching Naruto when you had to watch it on Youtube in 3 parts. Accordingly, she primarily cosplays from anime and video games. Riley Sinpai is a Tampa based cosplayer, traveling to conventions in and out of state. As of late, she's been improving her makeup and wig skills to capture a character's essence.

Riley usually only cosplays characters she can feel a personal connection to in some way, further inspiring the work required to make the character come to life. Her favorite cosplays are her Queen Zelda (from Hyrule Warriors) in 2014 and her Medieval Samus (original design inspired by Metroid) in 2017. In 2014 her crafting drastically improved, allowing her female Link Armor to win a Judge's Award at Swampcon 2014.

An avid Asuka figurine collector, Riley can talk about Evangelion all day. Riley Sinpai's favorite Pokémon Champion is Cynthia, relating heavily to her love of dragons and raising multiple Hydreigon herself.

[Patreon.com/rileysinpai](https://www.patreon.com/rileysinpai)
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Rob Sims

Cosplay Guest: (Professional Marty McFly Impersonator / VA - Sponsored by Coulombe Enterprises LLC.)

Rob Sims is a Orlando based actor. He has been in the entertainment business for over 25 years. His specialty is voice impersonations his favorite is doing Marty Mcfly. As a young actor Rob has always look onto **Micheal J Fox** as his inspiration from **Alex P. Keaton**, **Teen Wolf** to **Marty Mcfly**. With being an avid supporter of the **Micheal J. Fox foundation** is where he meet Bruce Coulombe at a BTTF event. Rob went to work for Bruce at **Coulombe Enterprises** where they specialize in not only creating **Delorean Time Machines** but all types movie cars. They are the **"Legends for all Occasions"** .

Rob has also done events for **New York Life** and **Microsoft** as well as voiceover work for **iHeartMedia**, **104.1**, and **101 WJRR**. Rob was also a finalist in an impersonation contest on **ABC's LIVE with Kelly and Michael**.

[Check out Rob's Facebook page here!](#)



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Panel Room 1

12:00 pm The Craft of Transformation: Using Makeup in Life and Performance Length: 1 hr

Panel Room 1

11:00 pm Late Night Afterlife With Beetlejuice! Length: 1 hr

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Main Events

1:30 pm Voice Actor Script Reading Length: 1 hr

Main Events

5:00 pm Closing Ceremonies Length: 1 hr



Kyla Swanberg "MisStitched"

Cosplay Guest: (Pro Character Impersonator / Costume Designer / Cosplay Artist - Sponsored by Coulombe Enterprises LLC.)

MisStitched (aka Kyla Swanberg) is a Orlando based actor and costume designer. She has been performing and designing costumes since 2005. She has cosplayed numerous characters for events such as her favorites Betty Boop, Tank Girl, and Harley Quinn. Recently she has taken the afterlife by storm performing as Lydia Deetz with Rob Sims as Beetlejuice at last year's Omni Fandom Expo and Spooky Empire. She continues her work in designing and creating costumes for private clients, stage productions, events, and cruise lines with her company MisStitched LLC.

Awards: BEST COSTUME DESIGN - Heathers the Musical - BroadwayWorld.com

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12:00 pm	The Craft of Transformation: Using Makeup in Life and Performance	Length: 1 hr
Panel Room 1		
11:00 pm	Late Night Afterlife With Beetlejuice!	Length: 1 hr



Bruce Carr "No Ordinary Balloon Man"

Entertainer: (Master Balloon Artist)

Bruce Carr aka No Ordinary Balloon Man is a professional award-winning balloon artist currently living in Clermont, FL serving the Central Florida area and beyond. He has had a life long love of all things in the realm of what he calls "nerd swag" and there is nothing that he enjoys more than making people smile. This professional balloon artist has been making balloons since the age of twelve.

Bruce has entertained and built balloon creations for companies such as Disney, Wal-Mart, Kennedy Space Center, Geico, Build-A-Bear, Dunkin Donuts, Belk and Chick-fil-a. Bruce is also a full time balloon artists for a multitude of restaurants including Chuy's, Joe's Crab Shack and Texas Road House, through the balloon art companies Twisted Artz and Balloon World Orlando. He is also an entertainer for parties and events throughout Florida and the Eastern United States, including Colossalcon in Ohio, Screw Attack Gaming Convention in Texas, Mobicon in Alabama and many more. Bruce combines balloon art, acting, singing and puppetry to construct beautiful lightweight costumes to delight attendees of any large event. Bruce has even won costume awards at the Florida Supercon, Holiday Matsuri, Omni Expo, Ultracon and Chibi Pa, becoming a fan favorite at many fandom conventions. Bruce's work has been recognized in social media and made into countless memes featured on such websites as Kotaku, MTVgames and Know Your Meme (Balloon Solid Snake and Balloon Colossal Titan) Equestria Daily (Balloon Party Favor Pony and Balloon Bridge) and Cartoon Network (Balloon Finn and Jake).

As a performer, Bruce has collaborated with other amazing artists for unique balloon performances with Grammy Nominated punk rock band Green Jelly and with Pecach Pictures "Pony Meets World" as "Human Discord". Bruce has recently had large balloon projects sponsored by Qualatex, the world's leading balloon art company. Bruce encourages individuals with Asperger Syndrome to pursue their goals and dreams via his panel "Twisting Up the Odds", performed at The Hartwick Symposium and other conventions. He also supports terminal kids in need with the Children's Miracle Network via The Grand Brony Gala.

You can find examples of his work through his website!

www.noordinaryballoonman.com

Or Social Media!

www.facebook.com/noordinaryballoonman

www.noordinaryballoonman.deviantart.com

[Instagram @Noordinaryballoonman87](https://www.instagram.com/Noordinaryballoonman87)

[Twitter @BalloonManX](https://twitter.com/BalloonManX)

[Youtube](https://www.youtube.com/)



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Panel Room 1		
3:00 pm	Finishing Touches	Length: 1 hr
Saturday - March 10, 2018		
Panel Room 1		
3:00 pm	Twisting Up the Odds	Length: 1 hr



Jackie Florian "Kanashimi"

Internet Personality: (Jet Setting Radio Personality / Voice Actor)

Jackie "Kanashimi" Florian got her first taste of vocal performance by practicing improv in middle school. She continued studying entertainment and, in 2009, prior to graduating high school, she started in broadcasting when she co-founded online radio station 91.8 The Fan. Since then, her life has been a barrage of conversation with guests ranging from Hollywood talent to Japanese icons. She is known for her popular radio show titled Kana's Korner which airs every weekday between noon and 4 PM PST.

But Jackie's involvement with radio didn't limit her to the airwaves; it began a career of not only on-camera interviews, but leading panels, workshops, and seminars. Her experience in radio has led her to commercial voice over where she's worked for companies such as Taco Bell, Pizza Hut, and many others. Jackie can also be heard as the voice of several universities across the United States and Canada. She's recently made way into video games and animation projects such as Army Of Tentacles (J. Brewer) and Tome: Terrain of Magical Expertise (Anneva). Jackie travels to cons with her team sharing their love of Asian music with the masses and hosting all sorts of panels to amuse and entertain attendees far and wide.



THURSDAY Saturday - March 10, 2018		
Panel Room 1		
2:00 pm	SAWA Q&A	Length: 1 hr
Panel Room 1		
8:00 pm	Anime Music Trivia	Length: 1 hr
FRIDAY Sunday - March 11, 2018		
Panel Room 1		
10:00 am	My Life As A 91.8 The Fan DJ	Length: 1 hr
Panel Room 1		
12:00 pm	Composing + Companies: Music Factory w/SAWA	Length: 1 hr
Main Events		
1:30 pm	Voice Actor Script Reading	Length: 1 hr



Tiffany Ciper "Hihoshi" - Epicycle Studios

Artist: (Creator of the Alien Spike webcomic)

Omni Fandom Expo featured guest webcomic artist!

Tiffany Ciper is a co-founder of **Epicycle Studios**. Also known as **Hihoshi**, Tiffany has been selling her art at cons for 10 years becoming a professional two years ago. **Alien Spike** is Tiffany's first original series. **Epicycle Studios** has three series to its name: **Alien Spike** (In progress), **Evil FTW** (Complete) and **DimensioNoir** (In progress), with a fourth soon to come.

Alien Spike is a Sci Fi Fantasy that takes place in a distant future. Humanity has nearly finished recovering after nearly being wiped out. Four teens are forced into an adventure they never expected when an Alien and a Robot drop into their lives and an ancient threat re-emerges.



DAY Friday - March 09, 2018		
Panel Room 2		
8:00 pm	Creating Goodguys	Length: 1 hr
Panel Room 2		
10:00 pm	Creating Badguys	Length: 1 hr
DAY Saturday - March 10, 2018		
Panel Room 2		
8:00 pm	Planning your Story	Length: 1 hr



NoFlutter

Artist: (Guest Artist)

Floridian artist NoFlutter is best known for her unique and stylized concepts and characters. NoFlutter found her own artistic vision by spending time studying under artists, such as Tommy Castillo, and apprenticing for Pierre Matisse.

After finishing her degree in design at Orlando IADT, NoFlutter made waves nation wide with her unique original designs for Rebel Toons, which were used for costumes for Party City. Along with creating her own art, NoFlutter is a concept artist for indie graphic novel, My So Called Secret Identity. NoFlutter's art has struck a cord in the cosplay community for many years. First being featured on the Syfy's 'Heroes of Cosplay,' for Monica Lee's cosplay of her Alternative Victorian Ivy, her fantastical drawings have been brought to life by many talented cosplayers. Ivydoomkitty, Jessica Nigri, Its Raining Neon, Rei Doll and Ryoko (R&R Cosplay) are just a few names of talented artist who have brought her beautiful creations from paper to walking art.

With features on Moviepilot, GeekGirls and many more, the only limit of NoFlutter's artistic odyssey is how many gradients she can fit onto a single piece.



91.8 The Fan

Industry Guest: (24hr Online Anime Music Radio)

91.8 The Fan exists to provide anime and manga fans with contemporary-style radio, showcasing the hottest tunes from Japan, Korea, and China. 91.8 is not an automated playlist, but instead functions as a 24/7 live radio station with DJs, interviews, and contests. It promotes legal ways to consume the media via free releases, online streaming, and more.

91.8 has featured some of the most popular voice actors in the industry. With over 850 interviews with the hottest names in voice acting, music, and geekdom in their archives, 91.8 The Fan is sure to have an interview just for you. On 91.8 The Fan you will also find a wide range of writers who put out weekly and monthly articles detailing a myriad of topics, from music to anime to games. You can also see a news show every weekday highlighting the latest news, as well as convention footage from around the world, including panels, interviews, and cosplayers. Head over to 91.8 The Fan today to chat live with live DJs or your fellow fans!

Saturday - March 10, 2018		
Panel Room 1		
8:00 pm	Anime Music Trivia	Length: 1 hr
Sunday - March 11, 2018		
Panel Room 1		
10:00 am	My Life As A 91.8 The Fan DJ	Length: 1 hr



501st Legion

Industry Guest: (The World's Definitive Imperial Costuming Organization!)

"...The Legion is an all-volunteer organization formed for the express purpose of bringing together costume enthusiasts under a collective identity within which to operate. The Legion seeks to promote interest in Star Wars through the building and wearing of quality costumes, and to facilitate the use of these costumes for Star Wars-related events as well as contributions to the local community through costumed charity and volunteer work..."

To Promote Interest in Star Wars

While a growing number of people are experiencing a reawakening of their Star Wars fandom, new generations are seeking ways to celebrate their passion for George Lucas's modern mythology. The 501st Legion brings these fans together, reinforcing the enduring longevity of the Star Wars saga.

To Facilitate the Use of Costumes

Some fans are content to collect action figures...other fans want to be action figures. Nothing professes your passion quite like building your own detailed costume replica of a classic Star Wars villain, and there's nothing quite like the feeling that comes from bringing the characters of Star Wars into the real world and sharing the magic with others.

To Contribute

While our organization was founded to simply provide a collective identity for costuming fans with similar interests, the 501st is proud to put its resources to good use through fundraising, charity work, and volunteerism.



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Vehicle: (Movie Themed Vehicles, Robots, Sets and Props)

Coulombe Enterprises is an engineering, product development and prototype Facility focusing on entertainment. We are professionals in providing iconic vehicles, robots and more for that which are typically used in high-end show settings, displays, trade shows, special events, film, TV, theatre, commercials, videos & many other industries focusing on entertainment.

We strive to recreate in exact details, a distinctive category of some of the most sought-after & iconic replica's from the Classic television & Film.

Delorean Time Machines - We build Time machines out of a DeLorean and we do it with "STYLE"!

Our Back to the Future reproduction of the iconic DeLorean Time machine is instantly the most recognizable movie vehicle of all time. Our screen accurate reproduction with its many audio and visual special effects makes each event the most spectacular, mesmerizing, unforgettable, jaw dropping experience of all time.





CRH - (Crazy Random Happenstance)

Performers: (Shadowcasting and Performance Group)

CRH (Crazy Random Happenstance) is a spirited young group that love everything related to shadowcasting. They have shadowcasted Dr. Horrible's Sing-A-Long Blog, Clue, The Princess Bride, The Room, Beetlejuice, and Buffy the Vampire Slayer: Once More with Feeling. They have also performed a variety of small interactive events themed around Doctor Who and Sherlock.

Once again, CRH will be teaming with Shinobi School to show their skills and bring other fun surprises along the way for everyone at Omni Fandom Expo!

Friday - March 09, 2018

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4:00 pm Retro City Warfare: VCC Valor Combat Championship! Length: 1 hr

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7:00 pm The Crystal Carnevale: The Beacon Dance - Formal Ball Length: 2 hrs

Saturday - March 10, 2018

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Shinobi School

Performers: (Parkour, Circus & Aerial Arts)

Welcome to Shinobi School. Your premiere ninja academy for: Parkour, Circus & Aerial Arts, Movement, Choreography, Entertainment, and American Ninja Warrior training in the Tampa Bay Area.

At Shinobi School we firmly believe that athletic skill, combined with courage and altruism, will help our students make themselves and the world around them a better place to live in. We are consistently working to bring you the best and newest obstacles and training tools seen in the world of Movement, Parkour, and American Ninja Warrior. This includes our custom made Quintuple Step Vault Boxes to help build your agility, improve strides, tic tacs, cat hangs, advanced vaults, and our new Salmon Ladder and Lache bars to help develop and tone your upper body, explosive power, and bar work. With training, learn to safely and efficiently help yourself and others overcome obstacles in your environment by embracing the idea of "Be strong to be useful".

Whether it's taking your training to the next level or taking the first step in your journey, our instructors will help safely guide you every step of the way to reaching your health and fitness goals.

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Speakeasy Sirens

Entertainers: (Burlesque Troop)

The Speakeasy Sirens is a cosplay performance troupe based in Orlando, Florida. Founded in 2016 they've performed at multiple comic book shops, private events, a convention or two and even a haunted house! Having an array of performers skilled in poi, fan work, lyra, silks, gymnastics and more, they incorporate these skills into making their burlesque shows unique and something fresh.

You can find information on upcoming and past shows, auditions and booking on [Facebook.com/speakeasysirens](https://www.facebook.com/speakeasysirens)

Friday - March 09, 2018

Main Events

9:30 pm SPEAKEASY SIRENS: STREET FIGHTER X BURLESQUE CHAMPIONSHIP EDITION Length: 1.5 hrs



Shadowfax

DJ: (DJ / Purveyor of Awesome Sounds)

Shadowfax is probably most recognized by convention attendees for his famous Saturday night **BLACKOUT: Rave** parties but he and his crew of Tech Ninjas are also responsible for bringing the stage, sound and lighting to life at many conventions across the state.

His background includes over twenty five years in the entertainment industry in a career that encompasses many roles from technical writer to fire-breather. In 2004 he introduced technical theater staging to the fan-based convention scene and has been raising the bar higher every year. His company has since helped nearly a dozen fan-based conventions to get their start and continues to provide technical services for many of them, including several of the largest in the state. When not working the convention scene, Shadowfax is a professional event DJ and also the owner and lead graphic artist for [Outlaw Custom Designs](#) where he can typically be found creating decals and T-shirts for clients around the world.

Shadowfax is best known for his massive room-filling Raves. More than a dance, they are a sensory experience where he blends Vocal, Anthem and Uplifting Trance with lights, video and glowsticks to create his own flavor of sensory-overloading EDM euphoria.

DAY Friday - March 09, 2018		
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11:30 pm	CLUB OMNI: NEON OVERDRIVE	Length: 1 hr
DAY Saturday - March 10, 2018		
Main Events		
12:00 am	CLUB OMNI: NEON OVERDRIVE	Length: 2 hrs
Main Events		
9:00 am	Saturday Supercade	Length: 3 hrs
Main Events		
11:30 pm	THE END OF LINE CLUB: DEREZZED	Length: 1 hr
DAY Sunday - March 11, 2018		
Main Events		
12:00 am	THE END OF LINE CLUB: DEREZZED	Length: 2 hrs
Main Events		
3:00 pm	Suicide Karaoke	Length: 1 hr
Main Events		
5:00 pm	Closing Ceremonies	Length: 1 hr



DJ Wildfire

DJ: (Guest DJ)

DJ Wildfire started his DJ career in 2005 and was the resident DJ for MechaCon from 2005 through 2015. While, living in Orlando Florida in 2011, he attended Full Sail and started working with Ignition/EDM and played at several of their events. After returning to New Orleans in 2011, he worked with groups like Fly-By-Night and Dohm Collective. After taking time off in 2015 to take care of his children, he has returned to the scene to get back into the groove!



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4:00 pm Retro City Warfare: VCC Valor Combat Championship!

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Guests: CRH - (Crazy Random Happenstance)

Attention Citizens of Retro City!

"Guzma of Team Skull has highjacked Candela of Valor Combat Championship time slot at this year's Omni Fandom Expo 2k18! He has replaced her show with his & created a show specifically of gimmick matches, fantasy match-ups, & pure pandemonium! So come out & enjoy the SKULL BASH AT THE OMNI DOME! Friday March 9, 2018! 4pm in Main Events. Omni Fandom Expo at The Florida Hotel!"

Gandela — CEO of Valor Combat Championship will be hosting another VCC sanctioned fighting event in the Omni District's annual Expo gathering. The Valor Combat Cup Tournament will be returning to crown another tournament Cup Champion for the 2k18 year! Alex, the previous year's VCC Cup Champion, will have the opportunity to fight for VCC's newly created title, the VCC World Champion!

So, come out and witness as new crop of fighters join the Valor Combat Championship to prove who is the best in their war against rival league, Blind Tiger Fight Club!

7:00 pm The Crystal Carnevale: The Beacon Dance - Formal Ball

Length: 2 hrs

The Vytal Festival is coming up and Beacon Academy is hosting their annual Beacon Dance.

Journey to the Kingdom of Vale and join the cast of RWBY as they present an exciting night of romance, intrigue, and dance!

As this is a Formal Ball, formal dress code with masquerade-style masks will be enforced.

Please note that this is a separately ticketed event and is therefore not included in a standard ticket entry (ie.. Standard Weekend Pass, Standard Single Day Pass). Entry with a VIP pass is free.

[\[Click here for information on The Crystal Carnivale \]](#)

[\[Click to purchase tickets for The Crystal Carnivale \]](#)

9:30 pm SPEAKEASY SIRENS: STREET FIGHTER X BURLESQUE CHAMPIONSHIP EDITION

Length: 1.5 hrs

Guests: Speakeasy Sirens

Prepare yourselves for **Omni Fandom Expo 2018** as the **Speakeasy Sirens** return with an all new show. Bringing retro back with a hot new twist, join the **Sirens** as they take on **STREET FIGHTER!**

When **M. Bison** hosts a new competition, succubi sisters **Morrigan** and **Lillith** pay him a visit and make these 1v1 fights a little more interesting! Come cheer on your favorite fighters as they work with exciting new challenges set for them by the sinful sisters!

11:30 pm CLUB OMNI: NEON OVERDRIVE

Length: 0.5 hr

Guests: Shadowfax, DJ Wildfire

CLUB OMNI invites you to dance the night away with the best House and Trance music from our featured artist, DJ Wildfire!

<https://www.facebook.com/WildfireDJ/>

OMNI FANDOM EXPO invites you to dance the night away as we fill the dance floor with dazzling lights and special effects. UV and Glow Cosplay is highly encouraged and for those who like to stand out in a crowd, be sure to pick up all your neon accessories at the Glow Booth!

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9:00 am Saturday Supercade

Length: 2.5 hrs

Guests: Shadowfax

You won't want to sleep in Saturday morning at Omni!

Roll out of bed, stay in your PJs/Kigus, grab some pillows and a bowl of cereal and head down to main events where Shadowfax brings you back to the magical time when cartoons RULED Saturday Morning.

This early morning Pajama party of fun will make you wish that every Saturday morning was like this!

Pillow forts, breakfast stuffs and PJs/Kigus encouraged! Just make sure to clean up after yourselves!

12:00 pm KiRa-KiRa Live! - Live Star's Idol Showcase!

Length: 1 hr

Come join the idols of central Florida Love Live! cover group Live Star! Idol Project in an exciting Idol Showcase!

Grab your Pen Light, switch it to your best girl's color, and cheer your heart out for the cover idols of μ's! Join us for dancing, singing, prizes, and an all around amazing time.

Follow us @livestariidolproject on instagram to keep up with our idol adventures.

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1:00 pm Everything Digimon - Voice Actor Q&A

Length: 1 hr

Moderated by 5-season Digimon voice actor Derek Stephen Prince, join our three Digital World alum in a Q&A about their characters, the stories, and more from Digimon!

3:00 pm KINGDOM HEARTS: TREASURED MEMORIES

Length: 1.5 hrs

Guests: Shinobi School

"Roxas! We will meet again. And then we can talk about everything." —Naminé All Nobodies were doomed to fade into the darkness, to be alone. But they were different. They did not fade into darkness, and now they had each other. But, while Namine remembered everything, there was so much Roxas did not know. So much he wanted to know. And so, she told a story about who he was before. Join Namine as she shares her Treasured Memories of Sora with Roxas in this Kingdom Hearts Aerials and Movement Show that you will not want to miss!

5:00 pm Masquerade Costume Contest (Cosplay/Costume)

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Masumi Senpai, Hanari Solomon, Mur

The **Masquerade Costume Contest** is a must see event at **OMNI FANDOM EXPO**! Costumers from all over will take the stage and show off not only their incredibly crafted costumes but performances as well. On the runway, contestants will face off against each other for the "**Best in Show**" prize of one thousand dollars! If you have the desire, drive, and creativity to be the best, sign up and show everyone what you can do!

Come see what the contestants have in store for you at the **OMNI FANDOM EXPO Masquerade Costume Contest!**

What's Required to Enter:

All contestants / creators / models **MUST** have a current **OMNI FANDOM EXPO** Badge (VIP Pass, Weekend Pass, Saturday Day Pass, etc.), and a costume that has been at least **80% hand-made**.

Note: If you are a Sponsored Cosplay Guest, you cannot enter the Masquerade Costume Contest in order to keep things fair for everyone.

How to Enter:

Sign up at the Cosplay Table by Panel Rooms 1 & 2 at **OMNI FANDOM EXPO**. If you are under 18, you will need a parent or legal guardian with you (they must be with you through all stages of the contest). If you are a model, the costume's creator must be present at sign-up to participate in pre-judging for craftsmanship awards. You will be given your pre-judging time when you sign-up.

What's Needed at Sign-Up:

- Download the entry form and fill it out or fill out an entry form at the Cosplay Table. It will require your name, the name and description of your costume, the name of the costume's creator (if you're modeling it for someone else), what skill level you qualify for, and any awards you have won.
- Do not bring any reference materials when you sign up. Please hold onto them until your designated pre-judging time.
- We suggest not wearing your contest costume at sign-up in order to keep your outfit as much of a surprise as possible for the convention's audience.
- If you are doing a cosplay skit/performance and have any audio that you want played, you must bring the audio in **MP3** format **ONLY** on a **USB Flash Drive** and present it at sign-up. If accepted, it will then be copied for **OMNI FANDOM EXPO**'s use in the competition. **Note:** entrant takes all legal responsibility resulting in any damage or legal fees associated with any media presented/copied for use at **OMNI FANDOM EXPO**.

Filename Criteria (Only for Performances/Skits):

- File must be **MP3** format.
- File must be on a **USB Flash Drive**. (**OMNI FANDOM EXPO** will only copy your file and will not keep your Flash Drive).
- File must be easily accessible in the root directory of the Flash Drive. Please do not bury your file in multiple directories.
- Filename must be the name of the contestant (first and last) followed by a dash (-) and then the name of the skit.
- Filename must contain underscores (_) instead of spaces (). Again, do not put spaces between words, use the underscore.
- No special characters allowed (*&%!'", etc...).

Entering As Walk-On Only:

Yes, you may enter the contest as a walk-on! Walk-on Only (meaning no pre-judging) costumes will **ONLY** be considered for all non-craftsmanship awards.

IMPORTANT: If you enter as a Walk-On only and do not participate in pre-judging, you will not qualify for Best in Show or any craftsmanship award!

CONTEST GENERAL RULES AND GUIDELINES:

- **ENTRIES:** One entry per person. **Cap of 100 entries taken.** Limited Late Registration will be available if space permits. We reserve the right to refuse additional entries.
- **PERFORMANCES/SKITS:** Due to time constraints, a limit **20** of the 100 entries may be Performances/Skits. First come, first serve.
- All Masquerade content must stay within the **OMNI FANDOM EXPO** General Guidelines, Code of Conduct, Prop / Weapon Policy, City of Orlando ordinances, and **The Florida Hotel and Conference Center's** guidelines, and not exceed a **PG-13** rating. In addition to these basic guidelines, swearing and depiction of sexual acts is forbidden. Bleeps or other forms of censoring are acceptable.
- All skits / performances may not exceed **1 minute 30 seconds**. The MC (Master of Ceremonies) or Contest Host narration/introduction will not count towards the performance time.
- "Cosplay" aspect to show that you can not only look the part of the character, but also act the character as well. The judges should believe that you are your character - "suspended reality". This aspect is to demonstrate that you know your character inside and out.

- Any presentations with stunts, extreme, or shocking performances must be approved by the Cosplay Coordinator before the event. Failure to do so may result in disqualification.
- Any eligible costume that wishes to compete for craftsmanship awards must participate in a preliminary costume judging. Any costume not taking part in preliminary judging will not qualify for Best in Show or any craftsmanship awards. No make-up times will be allowed.
- Technical contest for Best in Show and craftsmanship awards. All costumes being considered for those awards must be at least **80% hand-made**.
- Youth is 12 and under. Parents **MUST** accompany contestants.
- Handlers are allowed; however, oversized costumes **REQUIRE** a minimum of one (1) handler to go on stage with them. Oversized costumes **MUST** provide their own handler (minimum of one (1)) in accordance with **OMNI FANDOM EXPO General Guidelines**.
- Models are allowed, but the costume/prop fabricator must be present for the costume to qualify for awards.
- Again, Sponsored Cosplay Guests are disqualified from entering the Masquerade Costume Contest for the fairness of all contestants.
- Finally: Please remember that the purpose of this show is for fun and entertainment. It's to celebrate everyone's creative inspiration, ability, and passion for this beautiful art form. Please do not get so caught up in the idea of winning an award that you forget that there's an audience watching you, or the other contestants waiting for their moment on stage, or the staff who is producing the contest itself. This is for everyone's enjoyment. Also, many of the **OMNI FANDOM EXPO** Staff have been in masquerade contests themselves, so we know how it feels! Thank you for being part of this awesome fan event, and enjoy!

PREVIOUSLY CREATED COSTUMES (IMPORTANT):

- **Costumes that have previously won any award above a judge's award or honorable mention are not allowed to enter.**
- **Cosplayers that have received a Best in Show award at a previous event will automatically be placed in Masters Division.**

ON STAGE RULES:

- Because this requires repeating: All content **MUST** comply with the **OMNI FANDOM EXPO** General Guidelines, Code of Conduct, Prop / Weapon Policy and Orlando City ordinances, and **The Florida Hotel and Conference Center's** guidelines. Nothing should exceed the PG-13 rating. This means no swearing, no depiction of sexual acts. Bleeps or other forms of censoring are acceptable.
- All skits / performances may not exceed **1 minute 30 seconds**. The MC (Master of Ceremonies) or Contest Host narration/introduction will not count towards the performance time.
- Microphones will not be provided on stage for contestants to use. Any dialogue audio must be pre-recorded.
- Audio is highly encouraged.
- The use of **GLITTER**, flash powder, fake blood, fireworks, lasers, electrical flashes, smoke machines or any other effect that may cause potential damage, by the entrant are **PROHIBITED** due to Fire Marshal and **The Florida Hotel and Conference Center** regulations. The use of any of them will / may cause immediate disqualification or removal from the convention. Please ask before you attempt to use any of these effects.
- Do not throw any items into the audience (flyers, candy, silly string, etc..).
- Do not leave debris on stage that cannot be quickly cleaned by stage hands in fewer than 10 seconds.
- Interaction with the MC, Contest Host, Judges, or the audience is prohibited while on stage.
- Take your time to show off your costume to the audience for photos! It is always suggested to stop for two (2) poses, holding each for a count of three (3) to five (5) seconds a piece. Do not move too quickly through your poses, or the audience won't be able to get good pictures!

6:30 pm SAWA: The Live

Length: 0.5 hr

Guests: SAWA

Join us for the US PREMIERE of SAWA - THE LIVE!

Known for songs from FINAL FANTASY TYPE-0 and THE WORLD ENDS WITH YOU, SAWA has made her mark as a singer and lyricist for anime and video games and currently is a member of the Square Enix produced band project, The Death March, as well as her original band SAWAS PHOOL! She will be performing some of her favorite songs she's done over the years in a solo acoustic set that is not to be missed!

Attendees of this video concert will get to witness SAWA's performance for the first time in North America!

Admission: Free entry with a valid OMNI FANDOM EXPO 2018 pass.

SAWA's appearance in partnership with: 91.8 The Fan - Everything you want to hear... Nothing you don't

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8:00 pm Retro City Warfare: Blind Tiger Fight Club Open Challenge!

Length: 1 hr

Candace Candie, the interim owner of the vicious, ultra-violent, underground combat fighting league, **Blind Tiger Fight Club**, will be hosting an event to crown the BTFC's first Open-Weight Champion! The Blind Tiger Fight Club made a name for itself at last year's Shado District's annual gathering that eventually left that district in ruins!

Who knows what the deranged Candace Candie has in store as he invites anyone & everyone to battle it out to the death at the BTFC Open Challenge!

Oh! And don't forget the secret password: Toasty!

9:30 pm FOOD WARS: HEAVENLY SIMMERING HOT KITCHEN BATTLE BURLESQUE SHOW

Length: 1.5 hrs

Guests: CRH - (Crazy Random Happenstance)

With the Moon Festival ending in a slow, sizzling, szechuan burn, we need something else to keep us warm at night! Join the students of the elite Totsuki Culinary Academy they dish out their specially crafted delicacies in this interactive show made just for you!

11:30 pm THE END OF LINE CLUB: DEREZZED

Length: 0.5 hr

Guests: Shadowfax

Return to the GRID at The End Of Line Club where the music is so electric that you could be DEREZZED!

Join Shadowfax amidst the digital glow of the GRID as he spins the hottest Vocal/Anthem/Uplifting Trance tracks straight from the top of the Euro club charts!

Glow costumes are not just welcome, they are encouraged! Change the scheme, alter the mood! We want to see as many incredible avatars as possible so bring out your best electric cosplays and creatures to light up the digital world!

Don't forget to pay a visit to the Club's Glow Booth for the freshest and brightest glowsticks to help you light up the night!

SUNDAY - MARCH 11, 2018

12:00 am THE END OF LINE CLUB: DEREZZED

Length: 2 hrs

Guests: Shadowfax

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11:30 am Dance Death Rumble!!!: The Mutual Killing Dancing Game

Length: 1.5 hrs

Monokuma is back and launching a new killing game in order to plague the world with despair. Members of Team Voltron, the Ultimate Despair Girls, the Osomatsu Brothers, Michiko and Hatchin will be the unfortunate contestants for Monokuma's brand new game. The rules for the Mutual Killing Dance game is simple. The contestants' fate will be determined by the Despair Wheel! The Despair Wheel has two options: DANCE or DEATH. If the wheel lands on DANCE, then a contestant is required to dance, but if the wheel lands on DEATH....then a contestant is required to die. The fight to survive will be difficult, but not as much as the fight to dance. Will the contestants be able to stay hopeful and escape this cruel game? Or will they all become victims of despair? Dance Death Rumble!!!: The Mutual Killing Dance Game is a dance and combat show brought to you by the same team responsible for Dream Dance Rumble: Dream Burger.

1:30 pm Voice Actor Script Reading

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Joshua Seth, Derek Stephen Prince, Paul St. Peter, Rob Sims, Jackie Florian "Kanashimi"

Join us for this exclusive panel as a select group of victi-uh, we mean voice actors read from select script scenes. Their characters will be chosen at random and the scenes will be selected from a hat! Who will join in? Who will play who? Don't miss this if you want to find out! Seating is limited and VIP Passes receive early entry.

Note!: VIP Passholders that are present at the panel may be randomly selected to join in a scene!

3:00 pm Suicide Karaoke

Length: 1 hr

Guests: ZackAttackCosplay, Shadowfax

Shadowfax's Suicide Karaoke Competition: BIGGER - BADDER - BODACIOUSER!

* now with extra dinosaurs! XD

You can sing...BUT, are you good enough, or brave enough, to take the microphone when you have absolutely no idea what will happen when the music starts?

The **Suicide Karaoke Competition** is where you will be judged **NOT ONLY** on your singing ability and stage presence, but on your ability to survive for the length of your song!

Your worst performance nightmares **WILL** to come to life as **Shadowfax** (insert evil, maniacal background laughter) turns the Main Events Stage against you in the most unexpected and funniest ways possible! Can you keep your focus, your cool and your concentration together long enough to finish a song and be proclaimed **THE BEST AT KARAOKE THERE IS?**

All we can say is be prepared for anything...

4:00 pm Joshua Seth - Psychological Illusion Show

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Joshua Seth

Get ready for a highly interactive, flat out funny, genuinely amazing journey into the magic of your own mind. Real-life mentalist Joshua Seth will absolutely astonish you with this award winning show that he's performed in over 30 countries and on 4 international TV specials. Thoughts are read, predictions come true, and your imagination is inspired in this mind-blowing, one of a kind show.

5:00 pm Closing Ceremonies**Length: 1 hr****Guests: SAWA, Derek Stephen Prince, Paul St. Peter, Rob Sims, Shadowfax**

Come join us as we say goodbye to our Special Guests and bring the weekend to a close!

MEETUPS**FRIDAY - MARCH 09, 2018****3:00 pm THE RAVEN'S FLOCK LIVE @ Omni Fandom Expo - "The Fandoms Strike Back!"****Length: 1 hr**

The Raven's Flock returns to Omni Fandom Expo in high style! Join Jose Casabona, Juan Arauz and Angel Mendez as we start off our panel by interviewing the WINNER of the Super Smash Bros tournament! Also, we'll hash it out over the most popular and infamous fandoms out there right now! Join the discussion and be part of the Season Premiere of "The Raven's Flock" on YouTube! LOCATION: VIDEO GAME ROOM

5:00 pm Ultimate Werewolf**Length: 3 hrs**

A role play game where everyone in the village is not who they seem. A fun game of accusations and actions. During a day faze, accusations and eliminations are made. During the night, Werewolves attack and special roles react. Mayhem and murder (not real murder) ensues.

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SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018**11:00 am Mystic Messenger Meetup****Length: 1 hr**

Come meet up with the RFA from Mystic Messenger!
See you there!

Location: Hotel lobby right outside the glass doors to the registration area at the convention!

3:00 pm Let me hear your war cry!**Length: 1 hr**

Scavengers, black tongues, warlords, and rust monkeys do you feel lost? Like your wondering the wastes alone? Well not anymore!

This panel/meet up is for anyone and everyone who is interested in the post apocalyptic world, we will be going over costuming techniques, makeup techniques, character ideas, and turning your favorite character into a wastelander! I've been in wasteland world for over 6 years. Please feel free to look up my Instagram @WastelandGirl to see my gallery of characters and costumes.

5:00 pm Chase me dance group performance**Length: 1 hr**

Hello we are Chase me dance! We are a dance group located in Florida, we do cover dances on K-pop and original choreography. We are new group and hope to get some exposure from performing and showing what we got at OMNI FANDOM EXPO 2018. Location: Courtyard. Thank you!

6:00 pm Ultimate Werewolf**Length: 5 hrs**

A role play game where everyone in the village is not who they seem. A fun game of accusations and actions. During a day faze, accusations and eliminations are made. During the night, Werewolves attack and special roles react. Mayhem and murder (not real murder) ensues.

SUNDAY - MARCH 11, 2018**3:00 pm KaiAsch & SageofMagic WACOM Touch Tablet Giveaway****Length: 1 hr**

KaiAsch & SageofMagic is excited to announce an amazing giveaway this year at **Omni Fandom Expo 2018!** We would like to invite you to our booth to take part in our contest in which we will be giving away a brand new **WACOM Small Black Intuos Art Pen & Touch tablet!** The empty box on display at our booth so everyone can see exactly what it is and what comes with it.

Entry Location: KaiAsch & SageofMagic booth A3 in Artist Alley
Entry Time: All weekend long until Sunday at 2:59pm

Entry Fees:
Tier One: Entry fee: \$5 per entry
Tier Two: Spend \$25 and get an additional FREE entry
Tier Three: Get an additional FREE entry for every \$10 spent over \$25

Prize Drawing: Sunday at 3:00pm at the KaiAsch & SageofMagic booth

Information:

- Entries are done on a raffle system
- Entrants **MUST** provide their phone number and/or email to be reached live at the convention for the drawing.
- Entries will be accepted up until Sunday at 2:59pm and the winner will be notified via provided contact info.
- The winner has 30 minutes to respond before a new one will be drawn.
- Winner **MUST** provide either the verification text/email to claim the prize.

OUTSIDE COURTYARD

FRIDAY - MARCH 09, 2018

12:00 pm May May's Maid Cafe presented by The Kawaii Company

Length: 12 hrs

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PANEL ROOM 1

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11:00 am History Trivia with America

Length: 1 hr

Test your History knowledge with America from Hetalia. Playing Jeopardy style trivia.

12:00 pm Real Life Social Difficulties Reflected in Anime

Length: 1 hr

An intriguing look at how Anime deals with social difficulties and explores if Anime can help in real life. Brought to by Social Debugging

1:00 pm Cosplay and Consent

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Masumi Senpai

An open discussion regarding the problems with sexual assault and harassment in the cosplay community with Masumi Senpai.

2:00 pm One Piece Trivia

Length: 1 hr

Compete against others in the grand quest to become Pirate King. All trivia questions are related to the anime/manga One Piece.

3:00 pm Finishing Touches

Length: 1 hr

Join Bruce Carr aka No Ordinary Balloon Man as he completes one of his large balloon sculptures in an interactive Q & A. Learn about what goes into making some of his largest creations, all while hearing him sing many of your favorite fandom songs.

4:00 pm Cosplay Craftsmanship on a Budget!

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Mur

Is the massive price tag for fabrics, supplies, and tools for cosplay getting you down? Intimidated to start making your own costumes because of the potential financial stress? There are many ways to make your cosplay builds on a shoestring Budget! Join upcycling fanatic Mur for a cosplay creation panel that goes beyond just coupons, and start making more stuff for less money!

5:00 pm Masquerade Madness: Tips to making your skit stick

Length: 1 hr

Don't limit yourself to the world of craftsmanship costume contests and dive into the world of Masquerade Skits. Join the Omni Fandom Expo Costume Coordinator and previous judge, Areku Cosplay, in talking about what puts a winning skit above others. Learn tips on putting together your skit, what to look for when competing, and bounce around ideas with others.

6:00 pm Voice Acting for Business & Pleasure w/ Paul St. Peter

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Paul St. Peter

Noted voice actor Paul St. Peter invites attendees to learn about the anime, game, commercial, and industrial experiences he has to share. He will ask questions of the attendees that pose interesting challenges, from how to say no to unscrupulous clients, to when to be "nice" to your fellow artists. Paul will also hold open the question and answer button, so that the attendees will always be able to actively participate in the discussions. There will be fun questions and answers, crazy stories about some of our favorite voice actors, and good lessons to learn about this strange business that we call "show".

7:00 pm Beginner's Guide To Foam Armor and Prosthetics

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Hanari Solomon

Have you ever wanted to create a robot arm and had no idea where to start? Maybe Edward Elric's automail, or Junkrat's arm from Overwatch? How about armor that's big to the eyes, but light enough to move around in? Seasoned cosplayer Hanari Solomon will teach you how to make all of those things, along with where to start, how to pattern, and what materials to use to create your very own robo-enhancements! And then some!

8:00 pm General Anime Trivia

Length: 1 hr

So you think you are weeaboo trash? Come test your knowledge in aspects of anime of all genres.

9:00 pm Jeopardy with Derek Stephen Prince

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Derek Stephen Prince

Attendees, how much do you know about your guest? If you think you can answer enough questions correctly you will win a one-on-one meeting with Derek Stephen Prince!

10:00 pm Fluffly Pillow Time PJ Party

Length: 1 hr

Lets all relax and have some fun after fighting off the crowd in the vendor's room. Whether you just want to sit and watch or join in a game, lets all laugh and have a good time. Come and watch as we pillow fight in a JRPG style performance, battle with others to see who is the twister champion, test your fate with our tarrot card reading game and other fun and silly games on stage.DRESS CODE: PJ's or Kigurumis but open to everyone!

11:00 pm Let's Henshin: A Kamen Rider Panel

Length: 1 hr

HELLO ZAWAME CITY! Come join your hosts, John "Chaos" Forbes and Josh Steelman as we talk about all things Kamen Rider! We will discuss the currently running series, Kamen Rider Build, as well as the many other series all the way back to Showa. Everything from story to suits to toys, come enjoy a casual open conversation style panel about our favorite Tokusatsu series! Whether you've been watching long enough to know it was Decade's fault or just curious about what looks to be a live action anime come hang out!

SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018

12:00 am The Music of Steven Universe

Length: 1 hr

Along with its simplistic yet colorful art style and captivating story arcs, Cartoon Network's Steven Universe features a music soundtrack that can amuse and captivate one moment, then bring one to the verge of tears the next. When it was released, the first official soundtrack peaked in the Billboard Top 25. We'll talk about what makes the music so memorable and find out (and hear) which tracks and songs are your favorites.

1:00 am Shorts Block

Length: 1 hr

A variety of animated short films and pilot episodes.

9:00 am Sentai Saturday Morning!

Length: 1 hr

Join us for a screening of the newest Sentai from Japan - Kaitou Sentai Lupinranger VS Keisatsu Sentai Patranger!

Gathered throughout his lifetime, the gentleman thief Arsène Lupin assembled a vast collection of dangerous items known as the "Lupin Collection". When this collection is stolen by interspace invaders known as the Gangler, two teams set out to retrieve it! Kaitou Sentai Lupinranger, who desire to live up to Lupin's name, aim at stealing back the collection from the Gangler. While Keisatsu Sentai Patranger, who hope to uphold justice, aim to retrieve the collection and take down the Gangler! With two rival teams confronting each other for the same goal, just who will emerge victorious?

Episodes 1-2

10:00 am Broadcast and Streaming Animation You Should Be Watching

Length: 1 hr

A lot of cartoons and animated series and films are well know to most fans (Steven Universe, Star Wars Rebels, Voltron Legendary Defender) while others, while readily available to watch on Live TV and/or streaming services, get little promotion and remain undiscovered by many. Come check out some of the best stuff you didn't know was out there.

11:00 am Danganronpa: After Hopes Peak

Length: 1 hr

Everyone has experienced the despair of Hopes Peak Academy, but come join us to turn our trauma into funny drama. Featuring characters from all of the games! This panel will include skits, Q&A, and other fun games! Despair times calls for despair measures.

12:00 pm The Craft of Transformation: Using Makeup in Life and Performance

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Rob Sims, Kyla Swanberg "MisStitched"

There is more to portraying a character than just putting on a great costume, the application of makeup can make or break a performance- or a cosplay! Join us in an informative panel about the art of costuming and get your questions answered by MisStitched (Kyla Swanberg) and then watch as ChristinebrownFX (Christine Brown) uses special makeup techniques to transform Rob Sims into the iconic bio-exorcist, Beetlejuice!

1:00 pm So you want to be a DJ?

Length: 1 hr

DJ Wildfire will be going over what equipment you need to start DJ'ing and some of the key skills needed for DJ'ing.

2:00 pm SAWA Q&A

Length: 1 hr

Guests: SAWA, Jackie Florian "Kanashimi"

SAWA is known for lending her singing voice on The World Ends With You, Final Fantasy Type-0, K-ON, and many more. She is also involved in Square Enix's produced band project, The Death March, as well as her own band SAWAS PHOOL. Now's your chance to ask your burning questions about her career and experiences!

3:00 pm Twisting Up the Odds

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Bruce Carr "No Ordinary Balloon Man"

Join Bruce Carr aka No Ordinary Balloon Man as he tells how theatre, balloon art and his love of cons, ponies and nerd culture in general has helped him "blow up" to the entertainer he is today. Filled with inspirational speaking, talk about his memes and video advertisement, interactive balloon demonstrations and even a chance to win an elaborate balloon sculpture. Bruce Carr's Twisting Up the Odds is sure to delight con goers of any age and inspire others to pursue and find ones hidden talents and goals.

4:00 pm The Magic of Thinking Differently: How to Live a Creative Life w/ Joshua Seth

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Joshua Seth

Feat. Joshua Seth, this panel is based on his book "Finding Focus In A Busy World".

5:00 pm From Attendee To Author: The Blind Perspective

Length: 1 hr

From the lead writer of Nerdy Shique Universe comes a new panel. Mari Ortiz has created the blog in 2012 and has been doing press for four years and even done it for Omni Expo ever since it has started back in 2014. She has interviewed many guests and had help from her fiance, Richard, and thier buddy, Kristen, for all her visual stuff due to being a blind blogger.

Now going from attendee to press and now a published author, this panel will have her tell some of her journey of being an ordinary person having fun at conventons and meeting guests and now having them in the interview seat and will give some tips on how to start your own blog or write your own masterpiece to be self-published.

6:00 pm Let me hear your war cry!

Length: 1 hr

Scavengers, black tongues, warlords, and rust monkeys do you feel lost? Like your wondering the wastes alone? Well not anymore!

This panel/meet up is for anyone and everyone who is interested in the post apocalyptic world, we will be going over costuming techniques, makeup techniques, character ideas, and turning your favorite character into a wastelander! I've been in wasteland world for over 6 years. Please feel free to look up my Instagram @WastelandGirl to see my gallery of characters and costumes.

7:00 pm Tough Boys Do Cry! - Positive Messages in Shonen Jump

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Mur

Weekly Shonen Jump, the biggest anthology manga magazine in the world, has a target demographic of boys ages 12 to 18. With underdog heroes, relatable villains, teens tackling real-life struggles, and increasingly more awesome ladies, Jump series blaze a trail of positive messages and destroy toxic masculinity for youth around the world.

8:00 pm Anime Music Trivia

Length: 1 hr

Anime Music Trivia is the radio station against the attendees! Can you figure out why these three songs are similar? Do you know where the best anime music comes from? Test your skills during our music trivia showdown and win some prizes in the process!

9:00 pm Digimon & Friends (18+ ONLY) w/ Derek Stephen Prince

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Derek Stephen Prince

This is a card based game where you can ask ANY question you want to either "Steve" or any character he's voiced. Depending on the card, the tables may turn and one of the "friends" may entertain you with some "adult-based" reading. **18+ ONLY - ID's will be checked at the door.**

10:00 pm Cards Against Humanity

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Derek Stephen Prince, Paul St. Peter

A normal game of Cards Against Humanity is always entertaining - but who wants to see some of our Celebrity Guests play? Come watch and listen as our guests play a round with our Staff! VIP Pass holders can be entered in a drawing to join in on the fun - though you have to be present in the room to both enter and win! (Caution: 18+ Only for Mature Language. ID's will be checked at the door! Video and audio recordings are strictly prohibited during this panel.)

11:00 pm Late Night Afterlife With Beetlejuice!

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Rob Sims, Kyla Swanberg "MisStitched"

Join Beetlejuice, The Ghost with the Most!, and Lydia for a night of creepy fun on their Bio-Exorcist World Tour! Take time to ask them about the afterlife, sandworms, and if the rules for being dead really read like stereo instructions.

SUNDAY - MARCH 11, 2018

12:00 am Whose Line Is It Anyway?

Length: 1 hr

Come join Improv Games from Whose Line Is It Anyway are performed by you. Games like Unlikely Superheroes, Scenes from a hat, Party Quirks, and more. Audience participation is a must. Come join us for all the laughs and fun.

10:00 am My Life As A 91.8 The Fan DJ

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Jackie Florian "Kanashimi", 91.8 The Fan

If you've ever wanted to know about the struggles of running an anime business live while the world is watching then this panel is for you! Let's share all of our embarrassing bloopers and mishaps that occur when things go wrong. At the very least you can laugh at us at every opportunity.

11:00 am Posing And Expressionism In Cosplay

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Hanari Solomon

Come join seasoned cosplayer Hanari Solomon as she explains the ins and outs of what it means to really work your cosplay on stage and in front of a camera. A learning experience for all ages, this panel will teach you the difference between putting the costume on and showing it off.

12:00 pm Composing + Companies: Music Factory w/SAWA

Length: 1 hr

Guests: SAWA, Jackie Florian "Kanashimi"

Writing music working for a company can be a very different creative approach and atmosphere than writing music for yourself. Especially within the Japanese industry on commercial products. Join SAWA for a note-able discussion on what goes into working on such things like games and anime within a corporate environment and gives insight on projects and productions she herself has worked on.

1:00 pm Traveling to Japan

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Masumi Senpai

What to expect and plan for when traveling to Japan. From expenses to hidden gems, come explore Tokyo and surrounding prefectures with Masumi Senpai.

2:00 pm Anime OTP Dating Game!

Length: 1 hr

Calling all cosplayers! We are looking for the best non-canon ship and we need you to join our Anime OTP Dating Game! We let the audience decide our Bachelors and Bachelorettes as they play several mini games to win the heart of a lovely suitor who is also decided by the audience. What weird, silly or perfect shipping pair will this event create? You'll have to be there to find out! (Non-Anime Cosplayers Welcomed)

3:00 pm From Stage Actor to Voice Actor w/ Paul St. Peter

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Paul St. Peter

Paul St. Peter speaks in this panel about the differences between acting on stage and stepping in front of the microphone for voice acting. The challenges are many, and Paul shares his experiences, anecdotes, and practical advice with fans. Among the topics are speech techniques, control of volume and pitch, centering the body and mind, and adapting proven stage craft to serve "voice only" acting. Attendees are invited to ask questions of Mr. St. Peter, and he will invite volunteers to read stage pieces, and then have them try to "mic up" to perform like voice actors!

4:00 pm LoveLive Game Show !

Length: 1 hr

Do you love idols? Are you a fan of LoveLive School Idol Festival? Come join us in a fun game show about your favorite school idols. Hosted by members of OwO idols, this panel will be about all groups from LoveLive! So come join us for some fun games, Win prizes, make friend with others who love idols just as much as you do, come to the event you don't want to miss!

PANEL ROOM 2**FRIDAY - MARCH 09, 2018****11:00 am Novice Costume Design****Length: 1 hr**

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12:00 pm Kpop hour**Length: 1 hr**

kpop fun and games !!! we are chaseme dance group and we have come to Omni con to host a panel and play kpop games such as name that song, idol, group, and more !!! will have prizes to the people that win and will have dance games to kpop songs and will perform some dances for you kjunkies <3.

1:00 pm Your Name: Kumihimo crafting**Length: 1 hr**

Learn the process of making traditional woven ribbon called kumihimo as seen in the award winning animated film "Your Name." Supplies for making kumihimo will be free but are limited! Get here early to reserve your spot and choose your favorite colors before they run out!

2:00 pm Elementary Japanese Part 1**Length: 2 hrs**

We will be working through chapter by chapter of the Genki 1 book(used at colleges) part 1 will focus on learning the Hiragana & Katakana alphabets, greetings, partical usage, vocab and more.

4:00 pm Fanfiction Madlibs Lab PG-13**Length: 1 hr**

Our favorite fill-in-the blank game has taken a fandom twist! Create hilarious, bizarre, and downright awful fanfiction in the Fanfiction Madlibs Lab!

5:00 pm Death Dance Rumble: The Preview Event**Length: 1 hr**

Monokuma is back and launching a new killing game in order to plague the world with despair. Members of Team Voltron, the Ultimate Despair Girls, the Osomatsu Brothers, Michiko and Hatchin will be the unfortunate contestants for Monokuma's brand new game. The rules for the Mutual Killing Dance game is simple. The contestants will either DANCE or DIE. The fight to survive will be difficult, but not as much as the fight to dance. Will they be able to stay hopeful and escape this cruel game? Or will they all become victims of despair? "Death Dance Rumble: The Mutual Killing Dance Game" is a dance and stage combat show brought to you by fellow members of the convention community. At this preview event you will be get the chance to witness exclusive content from the show such as scenes, dance routines, and more! So DANCE yourself to our preview event, because we are DYING to see you~

6:00 pm LGBTQ+**Length: 1 hr****Guests: Masumi Senpai**

An open discussion and safe space for LGBTQ+ and allies. The pros, the cons, the hardships, and how things will get better with Masumi Senpai and friends.

8:00 pm Creating Goodguys**Length: 1 hr****Guests: Tiffany CIPHER "Hihoshi" - Epicycle Studios**

We will discuss how to create compelling and relatable heroes.

9:00 pm Whose Line Is It Anyway?**Length: 1 hr**

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10:00 pm Creating Badguys**Length: 1 hr****Guests: Tiffany CIPHER "Hihoshi" - Epicycle Studios**

We will discuss how to create compelling villains for your heroes.

11:00 pm Real Life Social Difficulties Reflected in Anime After Dark**Length: 1 hr**

An intriguing look at how Anime deals with social difficulties and explores if Anime can help in real life. This is our over 18 variant of our main panel. We will be discussing more adult topics when it comes to social difficulties.

SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018**12:00 am Zombillennium****Length: 2 hrs**

In Zombillennium, the Halloween theme park, the monsters are unhappy. Not only are the zombies, vampires, werewolves, and other demons real monsters whose souls belong to the devil forever, they are also tired by their jobs, tired of entertaining consumerist, voyeuristic, and egotistical human beings. In short, they are fed up with office life in general, particularly when it is destined to last for eternity. Then Hector, a human being, arrives. This Standards Compliance Officer is determined to close down the park. Francis, the vampire manager of the park has no other option: he must bite in order to keep their secret. Transformed into a strange monster, separated from his daughter Lucie, and stuck in the park, Hector has a dark outlook on life. What if he finally became the new leading attraction of Zombillennium?

9:00 am Creating a Cosplay Brand**Length: 1 hr**

Want to learn how to create a consistent brand within the cosplay world? Well look no further! This panel will talk about what a brand is, how to figure out what your brand is, and tips for remaining consistent with your brand.

10:00 am Masquerade Costume Contest Pre-Judging

Length: 5 hrs

Guests: Masumi Senpai, Hanari Solomon, Mur

What's Needed at Pre-Judging:

- Reference materials **REQUIRED** are to participate for awards.
- Reference materials can be presented in any media that can be easily viewed by the judges. Color photos are encouraged. In-progress photos detailing the costume/prop/elaborate wig construction are **REQUIRED** to be judged for craftsmanship awards and Best in Show.
- At least one photo must show the person entering is making/working on the costume/prop/etc.

Any eligible costume that wishes to compete for craftsmanship awards must participate in a preliminary costume judging. Any costume not taking part in preliminary judging will not qualify for Best in Show or any craftsmanship awards. **No make-up times will be allowed.**

Models are allowed, but the costume/prop fabricator must be present for the costume to qualify for awards.

PREVIOUSLY CREATED COSTUMES (IMPORTANT):

- **Costumes that have previously won any award above a judge's award or honorable mention are not allowed to enter.**
- **Cosplayers that have received a Best in Show award at a previous event will automatically be placed in Masters Division.**

For more information, please see the [Masquerade Costume Contest Rules Page](#).

3:00 pm My Hero Academia Special Lecture: A Clash of Ideologies!

Length: 1 hr

In the world of My Hero, Academia Heroes and Villains clash with more than just their quirks, they're driven by opposing ideologies! Whether you fight for good or revel in evil come and see what makes your opponent ticks as Entertainment Stew delves into the Philosophy behind 'One for All' and 'All for One'

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6:00 pm Name That Tune

Length: 1 hr

We don't just watch anime for the oppai and blood, we rock out to the tunes as well. So come match the song to its anime!

7:00 pm Positivity in the Cosplay Community

Length: 1 hr

Ever felt out of place or uncomfortable in the cosplay community and could do with some reassurance? If so, this is the panel for you! I will be discussing positivity, dealing with hate, personal stories and others! The point of this panel is to spread the word that cosplay is for everyone!

8:00 pm Planning your Story

Length: 1 hr

Guests: Tiffany Cipher "Hihoshi" - Epicycle Studios

Where to start telling it and how to keep going. We will be talking planning, publishing methods and how to end your tale.

9:00 pm Elementary Japanese Part 2

Length: 2 hrs

We will be working through chapter by chapter of the Genki 1 book(used at colleges)

11:00 pm Anime Fandom: Then and Now - Presented by Justy

Length: 1 hr

An examination of Anime Fandom in the U.S. from the 1960s, when Astroboy and Kimba the White Lion first aired on T.V., through both its mid-80's and late 90's rise in popularity, to today's post-anime boom climate.

SUNDAY - MARCH 11, 2018**12:00 am Fanfiction Mad-Libs R-Rated****Length: 1 hr**

Our favorite fill-in-the blank game has taken a fandom twist! Create hilarious, bizarre, and downright awful fanfiction in the Fanfiction Madlibs Lab! The awful, friskier edition.

10:00 am Elementary Japanese Part 3**Length: 2 hrs**

We will be working through chapter by chapter of the Genki 1 book(used at colleges)

12:00 pm Splash Free!**Length: 1 hr**

Hey you! Have you seen the anime Free! Well come and join your very own Haruka Nanase, Makoto Tachibana and Nagisa Hazuki for our very own Splash Free iwatobi panel! Whether your a HUGE SUPER FAN like we are, or you have never seen it before just come on in and join the iwatobi swim club for not limited too truth or dare, Q and A's, store clerk, likes and dislikes, charades, the mummy, and many more!

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2:00 pm Insert, Background & Other Anime Song Trivia 3.0**Length: 1 hr**

A simple trivia contest in which various songs from different genres of anime will be played. Anyone in the audience is free to guess and prizes will be rewarded for each correct answer.

3:00 pm Is this a Job for Superman?**Length: 1 hr**

When Superheroes are often brought up in conversation they are simply dismissed as immature playthings or even "cultural catastrophes." Join Entertainment Stew as we dissect the role of the "Superhero" in Anime, Video Games, Comic Books, and Film and answer the question: Is this a Job for Superman?

4:00 pm Creating a Cosplay Brand**Length: 1 hr**

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TABLE TOP GAMING ROOM - TABLE 01**SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018****5:00 pm The Royals****Length: 2 hrs**

In Royals, players take on the roles of the great noble houses of the 17th century, fighting for supremacy in Europe at that time. With the help of the right country cards, they occupy influential positions and obtain bonuses for this in the form of victory points. The higher the rank of the title associated with the position, the more country cards required. Already-occupied positions can be contested by playing intrigue cards.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/165986/royals>

8:00 pm Betrayal at Balder's Gate**Length: 2 hrs**

The shadow of Bhaal has come over Baldur's Gate, summoning monsters and other horrors from the darkness!

As you build and explore the iconic city's dark alleys and deadly catacombs, you must work with your fellow adventurers to survive the terrors ahead. That is, until some horrific evil turns one — or possibly more — of you against each other. Was it a mind flayer's psionic blast or the whisperings of a deranged ghost that caused your allies to turn traitor? You have no choice but to keep your enemies close!

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/228660/betrayal-baldurs-gate>

TABLE TOP GAMING ROOM - TABLE 02**SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018****7:00 pm Harry Potter: Hogwarts Battle****Length: 2 hrs**

Play as Harry, Ron, Hermione, or Neville in this co-operative deck building game. Work together and build up your decks while also working to defeat the villains before they take over the school!

For more information go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/199042/harry-potter-hogwarts-battle>

10:00 pm Tsuru of the Seas**Length: 1 hr**

In this last man standing game you control a ship and place tiles to define your path, but be careful, not only are there the others players to look out for, there also be sea monsters in the way of dragons. Can you be the last ship standing?

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TABLE TOP GAMING ROOM - TABLE 03

FRIDAY - MARCH 09, 2018

12:00 pm High Noon Saloon

Length: 2 hrs

(2-6 players) It's high noon! And in this bar, that means a fight. Shoot, dodge, and punch your way to being the last man standing in this wild west shootout.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/46362/high-noon-saloon>

3:00 pm J'accuse!

Length: 1 hr

(3-6 players) You're all guilty of murder, but why should you all have to pay the price? Try to get away with it by making sure that someone else goes down for it first.

For more information: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/193628/jaccuse>

5:00 pm Death Angel

Length: 2 hrs

(2-6 players) Set in the universe of Warhammer 40K, this journey through a drifting spaceship will require you to all work together to survive the alien swarm and complete your mission.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/71721/space-hulk-death-angel-card-game>

8:00 pm Student Bodies

Length: 2 hrs

(2-4 players) Zombies have infected everyone at school, including you! Can you make it to the science lab, find the cure, and make it out again? More importantly, can you do it before the other players?

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/132799/student-bodies>

10:00 pm One Deck Dungeon

Length: 2 hrs

(2-4 players) Join with your fellow players as a party of adventurers delving into the dungeon to slay the creature at the bottom. Face monsters and traps, gain equipment and skills, and level up in a classic dungeon crawl.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/179275/one-deck-dungeon>

SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018

12:00 am Noir

Length: 1 hr

(2-9 players) It's spy vs spy. You'll need your best sleuthing skills to deduce which person in the crowd is your target, and you'll have to do it before they discover who you are.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/102148/noir-deductive-mystery-game>

12:00 pm Castle Panic

Length: 3 hrs

(2-6 players) The castle is under attack! Join the other players in defending it from the hordes of monsters marching in from the surrounding forest.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/43443/castle-panic>

4:00 pm Resident Evil Deck Building Game

Length: 3 hrs

(2-4 players) From the universe of the Resident Evil games, gear up your character with new cards and then wade into the mansion to face the infected. Only the strongest will survive long enough to face the master creature and see the end of the game.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/79073/resident-evil-deck-building-game>

8:00 pm BattleCon

Length: 3 hrs

(2-4 players) A fighting game in card form. Choose from 60+ characters, each one with their own special abilities, unique moves, and finishers. And while everyone has the same basic moves, they all put their own twist on it, making each attack different. Go one-on-one, face off against multiple opponents, or even team up to fight a boss.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/89409/battlecon-war-indines>

11:00 pm Portal: The Uncooperative Cake Acquisition Game

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11:00 am Paramedics: Clear! **Length: 2 hrs**

(2-4 players) People are injured, time is of the essence, can you save them? Use your resources to stabilize your patients and keep them alive until you reach the hospital. But remember, the clock is always ticking.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/207010/paramedics-clear>

1:00 pm Hex Hex **Length: 2 hrs**

(3-6 players) Care for a magical game of hot-potato with a hand grenade? Players hurl Hex after Hex around the table, constantly redirecting, deflecting and altering the Hex's power until finally someone runs out of options and becomes HEXED. Fast-paced and fun, Hex Hex is full of entertainment, with just enough room for a bit of spite...

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6:00 pm Shadow Hunters **Length: 2 hrs**

Shadow Hunters is a survival board game set in a devil-filled forest in which three groups of characters—the Shadows, creatures of the night; the Hunters, humans who try to destroy supernatural creatures; and the Neutrals, civilians caught in the middle of this ancient battle—struggle against each other to survive.

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For more information, find out here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/24068/shadow-hunters>

9:00 pm Splendor **Length: 2 hrs**

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One Deck Dungeon is a card game dungeon delve that is different every time, difficult to survive, with a character you build up from scratch. The deck consists of various foes to combat and other perils from the dungeon. Each card depicts both the obstacle to overcome and the potential rewards for doing so. When you defeat a card, you claim it as either experience, an item, or a skill, tucking it under the appropriate side of your character card to show its benefits. The longer you take exploring the dungeon, the deeper you'll delve, and the difficulty will scale up quickly! If you make it far enough, you'll have to fight the dungeon boss. Survive, and you'll be a legend!

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/224821/one-deck-dungeon-forest-shadows>

8:00 pm Deception: Murder in Hong Kong with Expansion**Length: 2 hrs**

In Deception, you are a group of detectives trying to solve this heinous murder. The problem? One of you is the culprit. With the help of your forensic scientist you will try to discover which of you committed this crime as well as with what weapon and what evidence there is. Will you find the culprit in this hidden role game of deduction and deception? Or will the murderer get away, a wolf in sheep's clothing.

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11:00 am Werewords**Length: 1 hr**

In Werewords, players guess a secret word by asking "yes" or "no" questions. Figure out the magic word before time is up, and you win! However, one of the players is secretly a werewolf who is not only working against you, but also knows the word. If you don't guess the word in time, you can still win by identifying the werewolf!

For more information go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/219215/werewords>

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The Seaside expansion adds a new card type that persists past the round they are played. For more information, go here:

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Length: 1 hr

In Codenames, two teams compete to see who can make contact with all of their agents first. Spymasters give one-word clues that can point to multiple words on the board. Their teammates try to guess words of the right color while avoiding those that belong to the opposing team. And everyone wants to avoid the assassin.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/178900/codenames>

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3:00 pm Attack on Titan: Deck-Building Game

Length: 2 hrs

The last human city is under attack by giant, fearsome Titans and it's up to your team to stop them!

Based on the action from the world-renown Attack on Titan anime and manga series, in the cooperative Attack on Titan: Deck-Building Game you and your fellow players will battle relentless Titans for humanity's very survival. Collect the weapons and tactics you need, then test your mettle on the wall before it's too late.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/194230/attack-titan-deck-building-game>

6:00 pm Ascension Year 4 Collectors Edition

Length: 2 hrs

Ascension is a fast paced deck-building game where you use runes to acquire more powerful cards and power to defeat mansters. May the person with the most honor (victory points) prevail!

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/69789/ascension-deckbuilding-game>

9:00 pm Betrayal at House on the Hill

Length: 2 hrs

Betrayal at House on the Hill is a tile game that allows players to build their own haunted house room by room, tile by tile, creating a new thrilling game board every time.

Secretly, one of the characters betrays the rest of the party, and the innocent members of the party must defeat the traitor in their midst before it's too late!

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12:00 pm Learn to Play: Pokemon TCG

Length: 1 hr

Have you been interested in learning how to play the Pokemon TCG but needed help with the rules? Well have no fear, come join me and I will help you learn the basics of the game from setup to turn order to combat and everything in between.

For more information, go here: https://assets.pokemon.com/assets/cms2/pdf/trading-card-game/rulebook/sm5_rulebook_en.pdf

2:00 pm Plague Inc.

Length: 2 hrs

Plague Inc is an adaptation of the well known flash game and mobile game of the same name and made by the exact same creators in Ndemic creations. Control a virus and try to infect the world!

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Length: 2 hrs

Time's Up! is a charades-based party game for teams of two or more players. Before the game begins, each player looks at several cards featuring famous historical or fictional characters and chooses some of them. Each player's cards are shuffled to form a deck, and this deck of famous names is used for each of the game's three rounds.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/1353/times>

SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018**11:00 am 7 Wonders****Length: 2 hrs**

You are the leader of one of the 7 great cities of the Ancient World. Gather resources, develop commercial routes, and affirm your military supremacy. Build your city and erect an architectural wonder which will transcend future times.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/68448/7-wonders>

2:00 pm Cosmic Encounter**Length: 3 hrs**

Build a galactic empire... In the depths of space, the alien races of the Cosmos vie with each other for control of the universe. Alliances form and shift from moment to moment, while cataclysmic battles send starships screaming into the warp. Players choose from dozens of alien races, each with its own unique power to further its efforts to build an empire that spans the galaxy.

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SUNDAY - MARCH 11, 2018**11:00 am Harbour****Length: 2 hrs**

Dockmaster Schlibble and Constable O'Brady cordially invite you to visit their bustling Harbour town! Attend to business at the Trader's Guild or the Masoner's Hall. Break for lunch at the Sushi Shop, or stop off for a drink at the Pub. Don't forget to check out the Wizard's Traveling Imaginarium before you go! But no matter where you go, keep on the lookout for a bargain... the denizens of this town are always wheeling and dealing! Collect and trade resources as you visit the various buildings of Harbour, and cash them in to buy your way into the town. Whoever has the most points worth of buildings when the game ends, wins!

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/155969/harbour>

2:00 pm Time's Up**Length: 2 hrs**

Time's Up! is a charades-based party game for teams of two or more players. Before the game begins, each player looks at several cards featuring famous historical or fictional characters and chooses some of them. Each player's cards are shuffled to form a deck, and this deck of famous names is used for each of the game's three rounds.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/1353/times>

TABLE TOP GAMING ROOM - TABLE 08**FRIDAY - MARCH 09, 2018****1:00 pm Cafè au Lait: Butler & Maid Cafe****Length: 3 hrs**

Welcome to Cafè au Lait, where our maids & butlers serve and entertain you! At our Gaming Cafe you can enjoy some games, snacks and prizes. Challenge our maid, butler or other guest to PvP games where you could win prizes or become our Gaming Cafe Champion! So if you like tabletop games, prizes and a good challenge, be sure to spend some time with us.

SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018**12:00 pm Mystic Messenger ~R.F.A. Party~****Length: 2 hrs**

You are cordially invited to the R.F.A. Party. This is the organization's 1st party after the introduction of a new member. We hope it to be a meaningful event, as after Rika's passing, we considered another party impossible. We request the pleasure of your company and hope you grace the occasion with your presence. You may find us within the Table Top Gaming room. ~MC P.s. Party is to include interactive activities with RFA characters to obtain their 'hearts' at the end of the party the attendee with the most of each characters 'hearts' will win their personal themed prize. The party will also be a fundraising event with the profit proceeds going to Satchel's Last Resort, an animal rescue in Sarasota fl. Fundraising will be done by donation with the many different aspects at the party. Satchel's is a 501.c3 organization that is made possible by donations from members of our community.

2:00 pm Cafè au Lait: Butler & Maid Cafe**Length: 3 hrs**

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Take the twenty-card decks of two factions, shuffle them into a forty-card deck, then compete to smash more Bases than your opponents! Each faction brings a different game mechanism into play – pirates move cards, zombies bring cards back from the discard pile, dinosaurs have huge power – and every combination of factions brings a different play experience.

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/122522/smash>

9:00 pm One Night Ultimate Werewolf

Length: 1 hr

One Night Ultimate Werewolf is a fast game for 3-10 players in which everyone gets a role: One of the dastardly Werewolves, the tricky Troublemaker, the helpful Seer, or one of a dozen different characters, each with a special ability. In the course of a single morning, your village will decide who is a werewolf...because all it takes is lynching one werewolf to win!

For more information, go here: <https://boardgamegeek.com/boardgame/147949/one-night-ultimate-werewolf>

TABLE TOP GAMING ROOM - TABLE 09

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TABLE TOP GAMING ROOM - TABLE 10

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1:00 pm Cafè au Lait: Butler & Maid Cafe

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THE GRAVITY WELL: CONSOLE GAMING ROOM

FRIDAY - MARCH 09, 2018

This time doubles as Sign-up and check in. Late entries will get one last chance to join the tournament, once check-in is done Sign-ups will be closed. Please check-in at this time for the games listed above. Anyone not accounted for once the time has expired for this will be disqualified. Please be sure to check in and remain in the area until you are called. *Sign up will be from the time the Game Room opens till Check-in closes*

1:00 pm King of Fighters XIV Singles Tournament

Length: 2 hrs

Consider this your invitation to join the King of Fighters tournament! Choose your team and take on all comers to fight for your spot at the top! Official tournament rules will be in effect. Depending on the number of entrants we may hold this event over the 3 days of the convention.

3:00 pm Marvel Vs Capcom: Infinite Singles Tournament

Length: 2 hrs

Compete against fellow stone bearers in this MVCI tournament! Official tournament rules will be in effect. Depending on the number of entrants we may hold this event over the 3 days of the convention.

5:00 pm Tekken 7 Singles Tournament

Length: 2 hrs

Think you got what it takes to be the King of the Iron Fist? Test your skills against fellow competitors and find out which of you will stand atop the rest. Official tournament rules will be in effect. Depending on the number of entrants we may hold this event over the 3 days of the convention.

8:00 pm Arcade stick or Pad?

Length: 1 hr

The age old question in most fighting game communities. Is arcade stick better than pad or controller? Some say it is, some say it isn't. But what truly makes these controllers unique and why do players prefer one to the other? This panel/workshop will go over the different style of controllers most used by the communities and what the pros and cons are, as well as how do you know if one is right for you.

SATURDAY - MARCH 10, 2018

12:00 pm Check-in/Sign-up: Super Smash Bros. WiiU, Street Fighter 5: AE, Dragonball FighterZ

Length: 1 hr

This time doubles as Sign-up and check in. Late entries will get one last chance to join the tournament, once check-in is done Sign-ups will be closed. Please check-in at this time for the games listed above. Anyone not accounted for once the time has expired for this will be disqualified. Please be sure to check in and remain in the area until you are called. *Sign-up will be from the time the Game Room opens till Check-in closes.*

1:00 pm Super Smash Bros WiiU Singles Tournament

Length: 2 hrs

Join the battle with other strong competitors in this Super Smash Bros tournament! Official tournament rules will be in effect. Depending on the number of entrants we may hold this event during the 3 days of the convention.

3:00 pm Street Fighter 5 Singles Tournament

Length: 2 hrs

Here comes a new challenger, take on fierce opponents in this SFV tournament, official tournament rule set will be used. Depending on the number of entrants we may hold this event over the 3 days of the convention.

6:00 pm Dragon Ball FighterZ Singles Tournament

Length: 2 hrs

Get ready for fast pace, high intensity combat in this DBFZ tournament! Official tournament rules will be in effect. Depending on the number of entrants we may hold this event over the 3 days of the convention.

8:00 pm Arcade Stick Breakdown

Length: 1 hr

This is a live tutorial on how to mod or build your own arcade stick or more commonly referred to as a fight stick. A few different styles will be available to view and examine while we will build one from the floor up! Naturally I will go over pricing for all materials involved, what they do, the different brands, how to know if you have right parts for your dream fight stick, and how to find them in the vast diverse land of the internet.*No additional parts will be provided to the audience*No parts will be give to the audience to take home

Exhibit Hall (Vendor Room): Merchant List

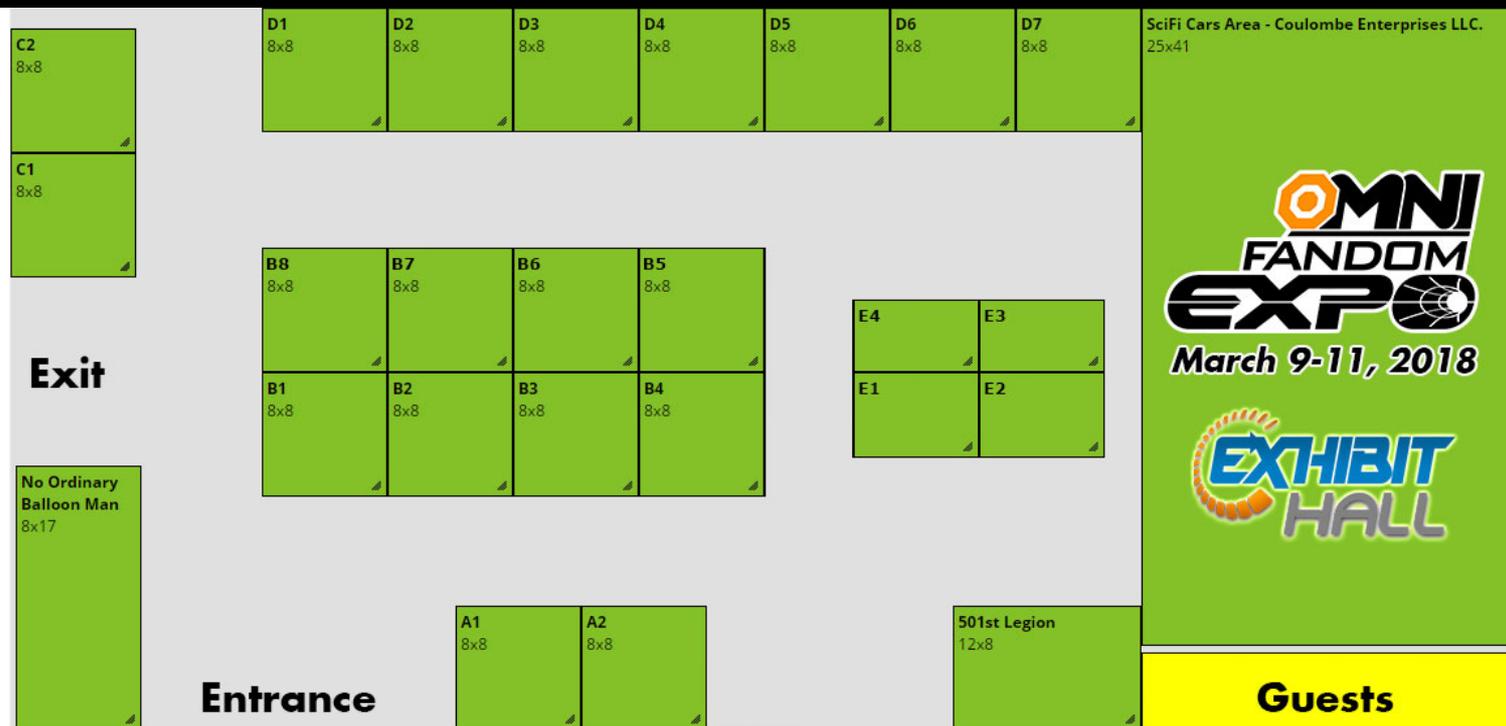
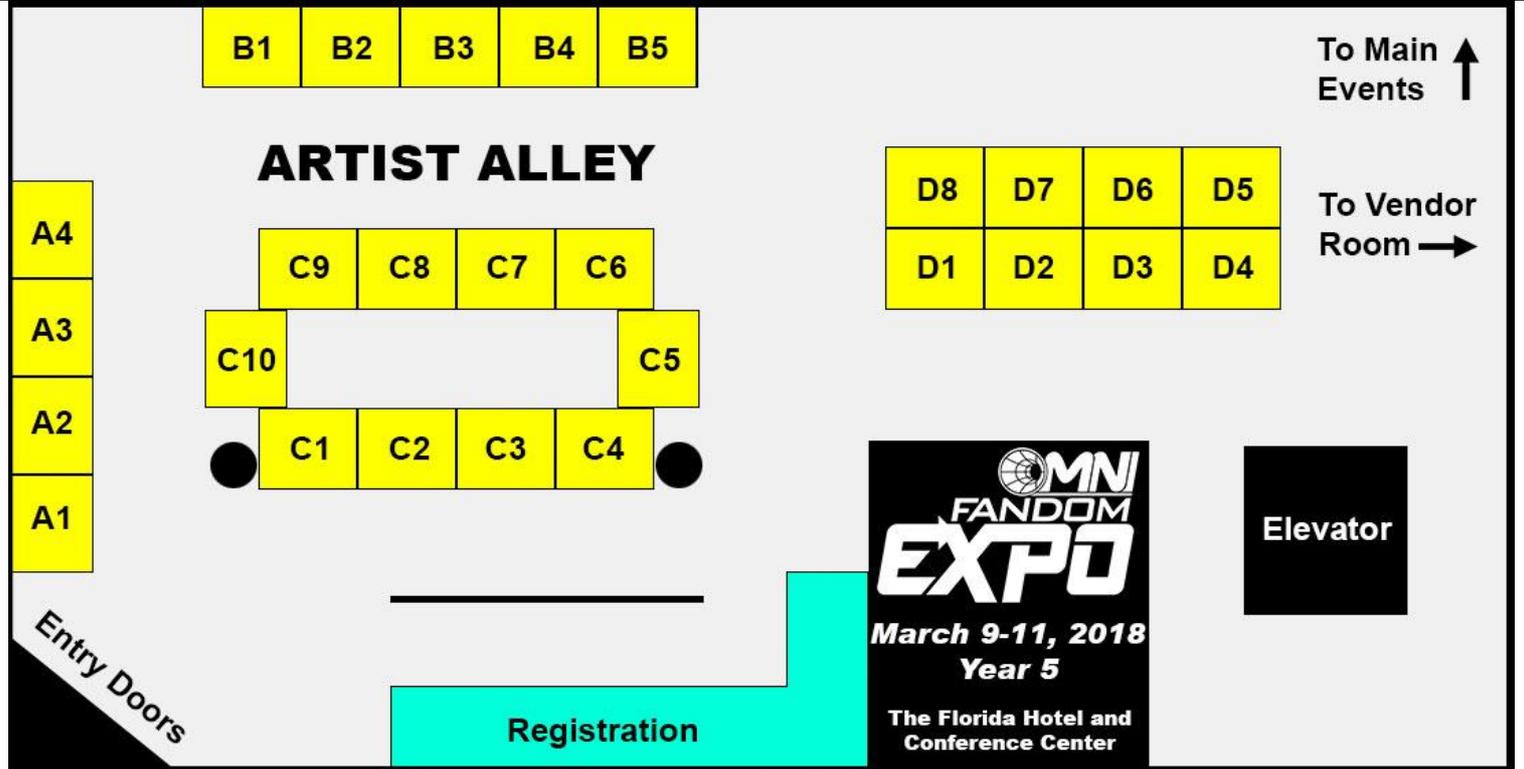


Exhibit Hall (Vendor Room) Total Merchants: 27

<u>501st Legion</u>	<u>Colorful Cute</u>	<u>D1</u>	<u>Colorworld</u>	<u>D5, D6</u>	
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<u>Pixel Purrfect</u>	<u>D4</u>	<u>Pixel Purrfect</u>	<u>D4</u>	<u>Rad Toys</u>	<u>D7</u>
<u>SciFi Cars Area - Coulombe Enterprises LLC.</u>		<u>This That and the Other Anime and Gaming</u>	<u>B4</u>	<u>Trouble's Little Sister</u>	<u>D3</u>
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Studio OMNI (Artist Alley): Merchant List



Studio OMNI (Artist Alley)

Total Merchants: 28

@liabidraws	C4	Andi s Imagination	C2	Anime Festival Orlando	D5
Art of Jayme Brown	B1	Artwork Anywhere	B6	Ashes-AR	B5
C&C Baby	C6	Chubby Bunny Studios	D2	Gypsys Weavings	A4
Hitodama	B3	Holiday Matsuri	D4	Jay.Tealeaf	B4
KaiAsch & SageofMagic	A3	Kaze Illustrations	C1	Lisa Villella	C9
Loquacious Literature	C7	Lunar Sapphire Arts	A2	McBabe Market	C3
MechaCon	D6	Nick Strait	D7	Onikama	C10
Pentachilles	C8	Prints*esses	C5	RadJinja Studios	D1
ROOTISTABOOTUS ILLUSTRATIONS LLC	D8	SEGAMew Studio	A1	Soda Pop Studios	B2
Spider-Menace	D3				

Full Merchant List

@liabidraws

Booths: C4

Description: original artwork prints and accessories

Andi s Imagination

Booths: C2

Website: http://https://www.instagram.com/andi_s_imagination/

Description: I make print, necklaces , rings, earrings,T-shirts , and pins . I make original and fan art .

Art of Jayme Brown

Booths: B1

Website: <http://https://www.instagram.com/thesketchprince/>

Description: Original and fan-based artwork and illustrations.

Artwork Anywhere

Booths: B6

Website: <http://artworkanywhere.com>

Description: Original paintings and digital art, prints, stickers, magnets, and hand painted suncatchers

Ashes-AR

Booths: B5

Website: <http://ashes-ar.deviantart.com>

Description: Creating original and fan art paintings, illustrations and comic. Dose on and off site art commissions.

C&C Baby

Booths: C6

Website: <http://Www.candcbaby.etsy.com>

Description: Japanese lolita inspired skirts and accessories

Chubby Bunny Studios

Booths: D2

Website: <http://https://www.facebook.com/chubbybunnystudios/>

Description: Line of Geeky purses, wallets, accessories,and hand cut Shadow boxes

Colorful Cute

Booths: D1

Website: <http://Www.colorfulcute.com>

Description: Kawaii Stationery and gifts

Colorworld

Booths: D5, D6

Website: <http://ColorworldBooks.com/>

Description: We sell metal bookmarks and metal prints; along with books in the Colorworld Books Series.

Crafty Weavers

Booths: B6

Website: <http://Www.craftyweavers.com>

Description: Embroidered Anime pictures, pillows and purses as well as other themed material purses. Handmade ornaments and earrings.

Creative Image Designs

Booths: C1, C2

Website: <http://www.creativeimagefl.com/>

Description: T-shirts and Posters

Dragon Spice

Booths: B5

Description: Anime theme jewelry also some vintage. Watches and self published manga. Soaps socks

Epicycle Studios llc

Booths: B2

Website: <http://epicyclestudios.com>

Description: We are Comic Creators bringing you new tales we wish to tell

Gamers Guild

Booths: A1, A2

Website: <http://https://www.facebook.com/GamersGuild54/>

Description: Video Games, TCG, Table top games, Board Games, Figurines,

Gypsys Weavings

Booths: A4

Website: <http://www.gypsysweavings.storenvy.com>

Description: Chainmaile jewelry and accessories

Hitodama

Booths: B3

Website: <http://facebook.com/hitodamacrafts>

Description: Handmade buttons, pins, jewelry, and art!

Jay.Tealeaf

Booths: B4

Website: <http://https://www.instagram.com/jay.tealeaf/>

Description: Traditional art depicting new concepts and familiar characters. My work is available as originals, prints, stickers,, buttons, or bookmarks

JPUS Enterprises Inc

Booths: B8

Website: <http://www.otasenpai.com>

Description: japanese snacks and toys lots of Attack On Titan toys

KaiAsch & SageofMagic

Booths: A3

Description: Two Florida Artists creating prints, buttons, stickers, and other original, fandom art and merch. <http://kai-arts.tumblr.com> & <http://sageofmagic.tumblr.com/>

Kaze Illustrations

Booths: C1

Website: <http://kazeillustrations.storenvy.com>

Description: Kawaii hand-drawn anime stickers and prints!

Lisa Villella

Booths: C9

Website: <http://lisa-villella.com>

Description: Original and fan art prints, buttons, and stickers!

Loquacious Literature

Booths: C7**Website:** <http://loquaciousliterature.tumblr.com/>**Description:** Prints, Pins, Keychains**Lunar Sapphire Arts****Booths:** A2**Website:** <http://www.lunarsapphire.com>**Description:** Artwork ranging from original to fanart. Prints, Posters and bookmarks.**McBabe Market****Booths:** C3**Website:** <http://https://para0doll.deviantart.com/>**Description:** Selling prints, keychains, stickers and more**Nick Strait****Booths:** D7**Description:** Comics, prints, and buttons**Onikama****Booths:** C10**Website:** <http://www.pixiv.net/member.php?id=2963563>**Description:** Japanese anime inspired illustrations, merchandise and comics**Panduh Ink****Booths:** B7**Website:** <http://Etsy.com/shop/panduhink>**Description:** Handmade pillows and plushies, buttons, key charms, and digital and traditional illustrations**Pentachilles****Booths:** C8**Website:** <http://pentachilles.storenvy.com>**Description:** prints and commissions**Pixel Purrfect****Booths:** D4**Website:** <http://https://www.etsy.com/shop/EclecticElathera/>**Description:** Pixel Purrfect is a geek chic arts and crafts business based in the Orlando, Florida area. Friends and family looking for a gift that's just a little different, whether it is for a special occasion or just because, can rise to the occasion with geeky style and panache. Pixel Purrfect creates both original art and works inspired by popular fandoms. Art work is primarily video game shadowboxes, with additional media including wood, draft board, and paper. Ask Pixel Purrfect about bringing your own idea to life!**Prints*esses****Booths:** C5**Website:** <http://jadynnytevell.deviantart.com/>**Description:** <http://jadynnytevell.deviantart.com/> <https://www.facebook.com/NyteGarden> <http://yoshimarsart.tumblr.com/> As there are two artists involved we have multiple sites dedicated to our creations. We make fan and original character prints, tags, and charms that we sell exclusively at conventions. We also have an assortment of character pint skirts, We also offer on the spot original art pieces done for con attendees as long as the request falls under a pg-13 rating.**Rad Toys****Booths:** D7**Description:** Rad toys is a collection of collectors. We find and sell toys from the 80s and 90s to today from all over the globe. Nostalgia at its finest. A short stroll down memory lane.**RadJinja Studios****Booths:** D1**Website:** <http://www.radjinja.com>**Description:** Various rad merchandise such as prints, buttons, stickers, bags, charms and apparel featuring original art work by RadJinja.

ROOTISTABOOTUS ILLUSTRATIONS LLC**Booths:** D8**Website:** <http://www.rootistabootus.com>**Description:** High Quality Art Prints and Banners, Keychains, Unique Enamel Pins, Lanyards, and more!**SEGAMew Studio****Booths:** A1**Website:** <http://https://www.hiddenpalacegames.com/collections/fan-artwork>**Description:** SEGAMew is a Florida based artist with a large variety of Undertale, Sonic the Hedgehog, South Park, and Pokemon artwork. Awesome art swag such as prints, buttons, charms, lanyards, pillow plush and pillowcases :) Also offers on the spot inked commissions in chibi and nonchibi styles!**Soda Pop Studios****Booths:** B2**Website:** <http://https://www.facebook.com/Soda.Pop.Studios.yas/>**Description:** Soda Pop Studios has a variety of items for sale such as self-published manga, art prints, commissions, stickers, and more.**This That and the Other Anime and Gaming****Booths:** B4**Description:** Anime Jewelry Plushies dads figures fidget spinners wallscrolls**Trouble's Little Sister****Booths:** D3**Website:** <http://troubleslittlesister.com>**Description:** Trouble's Little Sister offers a unique and fun immersive shopping experience. Specializing in comics and anime, we offer a variety of quality and well-priced collectibles, wall art, comic books, figures, toys, and more. Our engaged and knowledgeable shopkeepers will help you find just what you're looking for!**two bit productions****Booths:** D2**Website:** <http://https://brawnybuck.deviantart.com>**Description:** Products for sale - professional on-site photography and photo printing, plushie making.**WAY OF THE OTAKU LLC****Booths:** B1**Description:** A leader in all anime products, selling plushes, figures, keychains, lanyards, shirts, and more. Your obsession is our obsession.**WHERE DA WAIFU****Booths:** E1**Website:** <http://www.waifuwear.com>**Description:** WAIFUWEAR apparel and jewelry WHERE DA WAIFU Prints and posters**Convention Times****Hours of Operation**

A Friday 9am - Saturday 2am
 Saturday 9am - Sunday 2am
 Sunday 9am - Sunday 6pm

Registration Hours

A Thursday 7pm - Thursday 9pm
 (pre-registration tickets only)
 Friday 9am - Friday 7pm
 Saturday 9am - Saturday 7pm
 Sunday 9am - Sunday 3pm

Exhibit Hall Hours

A	VIP Passholders Only:	Friday	1p	-	Friday	1:30pm
	General Admission:	Friday	1:30pm	-	Friday	8pm
	VIP Passholders Only:	Saturday	10am	-	Saturday	10:30am
	General Admission:	Saturday	10:30am	-	Saturday	7pm
	VIP Passholders Only:	Sunday	10am	-	Sunday	10:30am
	General Admission:	Sunday	10:30am	-	Sunday	5pm

? Studio OMNI Hours

A **Studio OMNI is located in the open pre-function space in front of Traditions Room and the Legends Ballroom.**

General Admission:	Friday	9am	-	Saturday	2am
General Admission:	Saturday	9am	-	Sunday	2am
General Admission:	Sunday	9am	-	Sunday	5pm

General Information

? What is Omni Fandom Expo?

A **Omni Fandom Expo** (formerly OMNI EXPO) is a founded-by-fans multi-genre convention event which takes place over one weekend a year. We cater to all fandoms, from Scifi/Fantasy, Gaming (including Tabletop!), Comics, Anime, and Pop Culture! We're your Spring Destination for geekdom and nerdkind alike!

Our staff are all fans from across the genre spectrum, and we're also all veterans in the convention industry. With over 100 years combined experience behind-the-scenes in both running our own events as well as assisting in other events, we've got a passion for making sure everyone has a fun and memorable weekend.

? How long is Omni Fandom Expo? Is it a 24-hour convention?

A **Omni Fandom Expo** is a three (3) day convention taking place March 9-11, 2018. Convention space opens approximately at 9:00am and closes at 2:00am.

? Where is Omni Fandom Expo located?

A **The Florida Hotel & Conference Center**
1500 Sand Lake Road, Orlando, Florida 32809

Located at the Florida Mall just minutes from the Orlando International Airport, The Florida Hotel and Conference Center, BW Premier Collection provides the perfect home base for business or leisure. Close to the Orange County Convention Center and Walt Disney World Resort, we are at the center of everything there is to do in Central Florida. Stay with us and immerse yourself in luxury and comfort as our knowledgeable, helpful staff assists you in completing business or enjoying your vacation.

Experience our exceptional features:

- 511 well-equipped rooms and suites
- Starbucks, Cricket's Bar and Marcelo's Bistro conveniently located in our lobby
- State-of-the art meeting, event and convention facilities
- Friendly service and exceptional new business center
- Heated pool and whirlpool as well as day spa services
- Ranked among the Top Five Hotels in Orlando by TripAdvisor
- Connected directly to the Florida Mall

? How can I get a room at the official hotel? What are the rates?

A Please see the Hotel page for information and rates.

Rooms at The Florida Hotel & Conference Center include the following amenities:

- High speed Internet access
- In-room refrigerator
- 42" flat panel LCD TV
- In-room movies and Web TV
- Work desk
- Hair dryer
- Makeup mirror and full selection of bathroom amenities
- Iron and ironing board
- Coffee maker
- Individual climate control
- Electronic doorbell
- In-room electronic safe
- Room service from 6:00a.m. - 11:00p.m.
- Handicap accessible rooms available

? What is there available to do at Omni Fandom Expo?

- A** Explore the **Exhibit Hall** and **Studio OMNI**, meet & greet with special guests, plenty of photo opportunities throughout the hotel and convention center, game with friends on your favorite consoles, view the latest and greatest of animation and sci-fi from around the world, dance the night away Friday and Saturday evenings, see some amazing costumes, with the possibilities of much much more!

As always, check the **Online Schedule** for all the latest information!

- ? How can I know where everything is? Is there a map of the convention?**

- A** All information will be posted on the site as it becomes available. Also, maps will be available at the event location.

- ? Is there a limit to the number of people who can attend?**

- A** There is no limit on attending the convention itself and tickets are available at the door; however, specific events may have an attendance cap due to room capacities and fire marshall code.

- ? What is a convention?**

- A** A convention is literally defined as a formal meeting of members, representatives, or delegates as part of a political party, fraternal society, profession, or industry. Today a convention tends to refer to an event which is based around a theme (ex: sci-fi, horror, bridal), practice (ex: lawyers, doctors, construction), or commonly appreciated medium (ex: movies, television shows, anime, video games), and in some cases an event can include more than one basis tied together (such as both a theme and medium - "Doctor Who", for example, is both sci-fi/fantasy and a television show). Conventions are also known as gatherings, assemblies, expos, conferences, meetings, and councils.

- ? This is going to be my first convention, are there any tips you can give me?**

- A** Prepare to have lots of fun, meet new people, and create memorable new experiences! Also, keep an eye on the events and panels schedule, as sometimes volunteers put on "First Time at a Con" type panels with lots of tips and information!

- ? I hear about people going that are cosplaying? What is that?**

- A** "Cosplay" comes from the combination of two individual terms: "costume" and "roleplay". The term was originally coined in Japan before taking hold over here and replacing "costuming". The key difference between "costuming" and "cosplaying" seems to be rooted in whether or not the person takes on the personality and traits of the character they are dressed as (hence the "role-playing" part of the word). Nowadays the two words are used interchangeably, and there seems little difference between "costumers" and "cosplayers". If you plan to wear a costume, be prepared to get photos taken, meet new people, and have lots of fun!

- ? Is there going to be a costume competition?**

- A** Yes! The **Masquerade Costume Contest** is where you'll find cosplayers competing for the title of Best in Show! Please check out the contest page for more information!

- ? Are there going to be Special Guests or Guests of Honor at Omni Fandom Expo?**

- A** Yes. All Guests are announced online on our website, but you can also find all the latest news on our Facebook and Twitter!

- ? How can I get my favorite guest to come to Omni Fandom Expo?**

- A** Special Guests are chosen based on a variety of factors, such as: which sponsors are bringing them, availability, reputation, and popularity. As much as we'd love to get everyone's favorite Special Guest to join us, we have to work around their busy schedules. If a Guest is unable to come one year, that isn't to mean that we, or a sponsor, might not be able to have them come out the next year! Everyone has different requirements, and we will do our best to get someone to attend. Feel free to give us recommendations and we'll add them to the list to contact! Who knows, the next Guest we announce could be the one you asked for! Please keep in mind, though, that some Guests are extremely difficult, or even next to impossible with factors that are out of our hands, to bring out to our event.

- ? What's the autograph policy for Special Guests?**

- A** This might vary depending on the Guest themselves. Some Guests might require payment for an autograph, while others do not. We do ask that all attendees please be courteous of others and request only one item to be autographed per attendee during autograph signing sessions.

- ? Where can I get something to eat?**

- A** Didn't find something you like from one of our vendors in the **Exhibit Hall**? Well look no further, as there are plenty of places to get something to eat or drink from within **The Florida Hotel & Conference Center**! And if you can't find what you like there, you're only a few steps away from the food court in the Florida Mall! From kaitenzushi to pizza, you'll be hard pressed to decide what you like!

- ? Is there a prop & weapons policy?**

- A** But of course there is! The short version includes no live steel, no sharp blades, no real guns, no tipped arrows, and that all props and weapons must be checked in and okayed by Staff at the **Weapons Check by Registration**.

For more information, make sure you read the **Prop / Weapon Policies FAQ**.

- ? Are there are specific costuming rules?**

- A** Unfortunately, we do have to place a small restriction on costuming. These restrictions are as follows: nothing vulgar, indecent, or designed specifically to encourage hate or fearmongering; no skates/rollerblades, skateboards, bicycles. Be careful of large and oversized costumes and costume parts, such as wings and stilt-walkers. If you plan to have an oversized costume, please make sure you have a handler with you that can watch your back and help you out.

- ? Anything else I should be careful of having with me?**

A No signs or paddles. And be careful with leashes and collars. While you can wear a collar that has a leash attached, anyone caught allowing another person to hold the leash will be asked to remove it for safety reasons.

? **Are there any rules for photography/videography?**

A Yes and no. All attendees, by purchase of a convention ticket, have agreed to have their photo taken and/or likeness used in future promotional videos and graphics and/or images by **Omni Fandom Expo** when taken by **Omni Fandom Expo** Staff. Any photography by attendees is at the right and consent of the individual attendee, Artist, Exhibitor/Vendor, and Special Guest. Photography and videography may be denied in an individual room, event, or panel at the discretion of the organizers or **Omni Fandom Expo** Staff. Be aware that some Exhibitors may not allow photography at their booths inside the **Exhibit Hall**. If someone has asked you to not take their photo and/or cease a current photoshoot, you are expected to stop immediately. Complaints of harassment will be taken seriously by **Omni Fandom Expo** Staff and may result in removal from the convention.

? **Is smoking allowed inside?**

A **Omni Fandom Expo** is a smoke-free event, within a smoke-free facility, as required by Florida State Law via the **Florida Clean Indoor Air Act** (ss 386.201-386.2125). As the **Official Hotel** strictly follows this law and does not permit cigarettes or tobacco products inside the facility, **Omni Fandom Expo** can not allow them either. We ask all of our attendees to please remember that we are a family-oriented event, and want to make sure to not only appeal to but also respect all of our attendees, and know that there are no designated smoking areas inside the **Official Hotel**. If you are really feeling the need for a smoke, feel free to step outside and find the nearest designated smoking area. Attendees caught smoking inside are in violation of this policy and may be ejected from the **Official Hotel**. NOTE: The **Official Hotel** will place a fine of on any guest room requiring cleaning from smoking.

Regarding E-Cigarettes: **Omni Fandom Expo** regards that this policy also applies to electronic cigarettes or any alternative smoking product – they are not permitted and are considered the same as cigarettes.

? **How much is parking at the hotel?**

A Parking is free!

Information for Cosplayers and Photographers

? **I'm a photographer who wants to take pictures of cosplayers. How can I make them feel safe while doing so?**

A As a photographer, even just a fan taking pictures, you have a certain responsibility toward the people you take pictures of. At a convention, cosplayers are usually quite happy to let people take photos of them as long as they feel safe and that the photos will be in good taste. No cosplayer wants to feel unsafe or be put in awkward situations. As a photographer, you want to take pictures, have a good reputation, and not make anyone feel uneasy. Again, even as just a fan taking photos, these responsibilities remain the same.

What are some ways I can be a good photographer at a convention:

- This should go without saying; however, wear nice clothes and have good hygiene. Your appearance matters a lot.
- Always ask first before you take a picture. It's polite and shows you respect the cosplayer.
- While talking to them, make sure you make eye contact, smile, and speak clearly so they can hear you.
- Do not stop a cosplayer for too long. They probably have somewhere to be. Take one or two photos.
- If you like, you may ask the cosplayer to pose a certain way. Usually it is a pose relating to the character they are. They probably will do so on their own; however, make sure you don't ask for any pose that is unflattering or uncomfortable for them.
- You may hand a cosplayer your card if you have one, but be mindful of their costume and if they have any place to put it.
- If you are doing a full photoshoot, ask the cosplayer if there are any specific rules you need to follow.
- If a cosplayer says no to a photo, respect their choice.
- If a cosplayer says they have to leave, let them go without a fuss.
- Make sure you thank the cosplayer for giving their time to you.

Are there things I shouldn't do?

- Do not mumble or talk so softly a cosplayer cannot hear you.
- Do not stare at parts of a cosplayer's body. Yes, they may look good in their costume but it is rude to ogle someone.
- Do not make rude statements to them about their appearance or to your friends. You (and your friends) may appreciate what you are saying, but they may not.
- Do not follow a cosplayer around during the day or stalk them. You may think you are innocently following them, but it is not proper behavior.
- Do not touch a cosplayer without permission.
- Do not take close up pictures of a cosplayer without permission.
- Do not demand pictures.
- Do not ask for a cosplayer to go anywhere private with you.

How can I avoid "creepy" photographer syndrome?

Ok. This is a tough topic. Some photographers have a reputation for being "creepy". Whether it may be true or not is not the focus of this. It's how to avoid making anyone feel you are "creepy".

Here are some things to avoid that MAY contribute to "creepy" photographer syndrome:

- Mumbling and looking down at your feet.
- Being absolutely silent and just staring.
- Staring at body parts.
- Literally, hanging your tongue out.
- Saying inappropriate things to a cosplayer.
- Trying to get close up shots of body parts without permission.
- Trying to get "upshots" of cosplayers.
- Trying to touch a cosplayer without permission.
- Following cosplayers around without permission.
- Inserting yourself into a cosplayer's day at a convention without permission.
- Being continually annoying on purpose or accident. (this is subjective)
- Being incredibly loud.
- Do not take pictures of a cosplayer who is eating unless they know you are doing it and are ok with it.
- Taking pictures of a cosplayer from across a room. (unless they are doing something like performing on a stage)
- Asking a cosplayer if they do lingerie photo shoots after taking a picture.
- Asking a cosplayer you don't know to come back to a private room and take pictures for you.
- NEVER ask a cosplayer to go with you somewhere unless you check their age FIRST!

Always think before you do something or ask something. If you want to be professional, make sure you act that way. Remember, just because you might have a nice camera doesn't mean you can do whatever you want.

I have a medical condition that makes me not be able to control myself. I still want to take pictures but I kind of act "creepy" because of it.

If you know you have a medical condition and you know that sometimes you may come across in a way that may not be looked upon well, there are things you can then do to mitigate it.

Have someone with you when you take photos and talk for you if necessary or also if you feel you might say something that's incorrect. This way, you are not alone and people won't get the wrong idea. Also, if you feel it helps, write down a bullet pointed list of things you say to a cosplayer so you can follow it each time.

Hey, I'm just here to take pictures of hot cosplayers. What do I care?

This attitude has caused many problems in this industry. While cosplayers may wear all different types of costumes, you should be respectful at all times. If you don't intend to be, you should not be taking photos of them.

How can I be Cosplay Safe at a convention?

A At **Omni Fandom Expo**, we want everyone to have a great weekend and we certainly love costumes. Many cosplayers love to have photos taken of them. Some are used to cameras, others are shy, and some are very new to fandom in general.

Here are some very good rules to follow if you are a cosplayer and having pictures taken of you.

Have a buddy or a handler:

As a precaution, it's a very good idea to not only have a friend or handler with you that can help you with crowds, but also they can help you with your costume, talk to the potential photographer or fan for you, escort you places, and help manage your time. The buddy system definitely works.

Set boundaries and rules when taking photos:

Some cosplayers don't mind having an arm around them in a photo and some do. Cosplay is not consent for someone to do whatever they like; however, it is a very good idea to set rules when you are taking pictures.

As an example, it is absolutely fine to tell each person who wants a photo with you that there is no putting an arm around you or touching if that is what you decree. Doing this will let people know you have rules and what you will or will not allow. It makes for a better experience with someone taking a photo with you as well as they know immediately what they are allowed to do. It will also help Security in determining how to handle any issues or problems if they arise.

Many cosplayers do not want to come off as being rude by setting rules; however, any cosplayer that is in public and is getting attention **NEEDS** to set boundaries. We absolutely suggest that if someone wants to get a picture with you, tell them exactly what they are or are not allowed to do. Remember fans are new to this sometimes also. Don't expect them to know the rules or ask you. They may have no idea what rules apply to each cosplayer since everyone is different; or, they may be going off of what they've seen with another cosplayer. Also, anyone attempting to do something knowingly inappropriate will have your personal rules stated to them.

- Example 1: A fan wants a picture with a cosplayer. He / She says yes but tells them, "Please do not touch my costume. It's delicate."
- Example 2: A fan asks if they can put their arm around a cosplayer in a photo. The cosplayer allows it but says, "Yes, but keep it above the waist."

Stating rules **IMMEDIATELY** and **IRREVOCABLY** sets a boundary that a fan now knows **NOT** to cross. So many times we've heard people say, "By telling a fan they can't do something, I'm being rude." No, you are not. You are setting a rule that if broken should have **IMMEDIATE** consequence.

Here is an example of Cosplay is not Consent that can benefit from setting boundaries.

A cosplay model is taking photos in a crowd and someone they know asks for a photo. They naturally put an arm around the cosplayer and it is fine because they know each other. After that, the next person waiting for a photo has seen an arm be put around the cosplayer and assumes it is fine for them as well. This goes on for several fans wanting pictures. After the fans are done, the cosplayer states they did not like having fans touch them to their handler. In this situation, the cosplayer should have set a boundary and stated to the next person in line that they were not to put their arm around them. If there is something that you, as a cosplayer, do not want to happen, state it up front. Do not wait and let something happen.

Here are some rules a cosplayer can set during photos which can be said very nicely and with a smile:

- Please no touching the costume. It's fragile
- You may place your hand only on my shoulder.
- You may place your hand on my waist.
- Give me your hand and I will place it for you.
- Please no ground upwards shots.
- Please no close ups unless you ask first.
- I need to see your photo afterwards to make sure I approve.

It's ok to leave when you have to be somewhere:

Sometimes you need to get somewhere but a fan wants to take a ton of pictures of you. While flattering, it is absolutely fine to tell someone you have to be somewhere but you are available for photos later.

When to stop a photo or a fan:

Sometimes, it is absolutely **IMPERATIVE** that you stop a picture. You should be ready to do so if the need arises.

Example: A cosplayer tells a fan they can put a hand on their waist during a photo. They do exactly what you say, but then move their hand **MUCH** lower and you can absolutely tell it is **NOT AN ACCIDENT!** It was done with **INTENT**.

- IMMEDIATELY STOP THE PHOTO
- IMMEDIATELY MOVE AWAY FROM THEM A SAFE DISTANCE!
- Do not let the photo go on or the person touch you for one second longer.
- Immediately go to Security!

Make sure you handle these types of situations with a clear head and a clear knowledge if the result **REQUIRES** security or not. Keeping a clear mindset and not letting fear take over is the key to dealing with situations like the correctly.

I'm worried I will get a bad reputation if I set rules or let a fan touch me.

Honestly, most people will respect you more if you have rules and practice **SAFE** photography during Cosplay. Those that think you are elitist or snobbish because you don't let them touch you places you don't want are not worth your consideration. Your self respect will help inspire others to do the same.

In the end, NO ONE (Cosplayer, Professional Photographer, or Fan) should **EVER** feel taken advantage of, pressured into anything, or used in any way. If everyone practices **SAFE** "Cosplay", and respects everyone else, there will be nothing to report to Security. Fandom is supposed to be fun after all.

I have questions about reporting something to Security.

 Reporting an incident to Security is sometimes necessary at a convention. Here are some observations that hopefully will help you if you have to deal with a problem or report something to Security.

Do not rely on the crowd to help you or report something:

If something inappropriate happens during a photo, do not rely on or naturally expect the crowd around you to report it to Security. They do not necessarily know what you do and do not allow. Do not attempt to continue on with photos or fan interaction expecting someone in the crowd near you will be a hero and "save you" or they will jetpack off to Security immediately. YOUR safety is your **IMMEDIATE** concern! Do not wait around. Have your handler / friend escort you away to Security for an **IMMEDIATE** report.

I'm scared to contact Security because I don't want to cause a problem:

No cosplayer should think this way. You are not causing a problem. If there is a REAL problem, Security NEEDS to hear it.

Contacting Security:

If something happens that you feel is harassing, contact Security. Do not wait or decide to do it later! We see this happen a lot at conventions.

Example: A cosplayer goes up to someone on Security and says, "A guy touched me inappropriately during a photo!" The Security member asks when did this happen? If the response is, "About two hours ago", there's not going to be much to do about it.

To be safe, **IMMEDIATELY** report an incident to Security. If possible, have a friend try to get a picture of the person once you are a SAFE distance away so that you can show Security who it was. The more information you can provide, the better. If you cannot physically talk to Security, please have someone with you who can. If you are crying and just pointing in a direction, Security is less likely to understand your problem or issue.

Cosplay is NOT Consent! We hear that a lot and it's very true and should be followed. By having set boundaries and having the mindset of contacting Security immediately, you can prevent many instances of this from even taking place. If someone knows you are looking out for yourself, they will usually be less likely to cause an issue.

Examples of when to contact Security:

- "While posing for a photo, a person touched me inappropriately after I set boundaries with them. My handler saw it."
- "A fan tried to take a hidden upshot of me."
- "A fan will not leave me alone after I told them no more photos."
- "I am being stalked by a fan. I have told them to leave me alone and they keep hanging around."

Examples of things NOT to contact Security for:

- "A photographer took two pictures of me when he asked. I only meant one."
- "I don't like that photographer's camera."
- "People are asking me for photos."
- "I don't like that person over there."

Examples of when Security will have a hard time helping you:

- "A fan touched me a few hours ago and I don't know where they are or what they look like."
- "I was so shocked when a fan touched me that I just let it go. It's been hours but now I think I want them found and thrown out."

Know when to contact Security and when not to:

Sometimes, there is an **IMMEDIATE** reason to contact Security and sometimes, there is a genuine accident or misunderstanding during a convention. This is especially true if you are cosplaying in an environment that is extremely crowded.

Let's say, someone drops an item or their badge and in picking it up, they accidentally bump someone. The person that was bumped should assess the situation first, determine if it was a real or "fake" accident, and THEN take the appropriate action. You should NOT start screaming, "OMG! They touched me! Get Security! I want them thrown out NOW!" Especially if it was a genuine accident.

Examples of when Security will have a very hard time determining what to do or won't be able to do anything:

- "Someone bumped me."
- "I feel unsafe but I don't have a reason."
- "A person over there is creepy but hasn't done anything."
- "I feel anxiety when someone wants a photo."
- "My ex is here."

Security is there to keep you safe and deal with any issues that arise; however, they do not want to have to try to assess who did what in a very vague situation. If something happens and it is a **REAL** incident, then immediately inform Security of it with as many details as possible. It is also a good idea to have people who saw what happened be able to explain as well.

Things not to ask Security to do / Things not to do:

- Please do not contact Security if there is just a person at the convention that you don't like. Not liking someone is not grounds for

removing them.

- Please DO NOT fake an incident. We understand that people may have issues with each other but our Staff is not there to get involved in your problems unless they constitute an actual breach of our rules or someone's safety.
- Please do not ask Security to follow you around all day so you can feel safe. They have everyone at the convention to watch out for. Our Security is definitely there to make sure you have an environment that is as safe as possible, but they are not there to be your personal bodyguards or handlers. Please cosplay with friends and in a group if you feel a need to have people around you at all times.
- Please do not ask Security to come into your hotel room or ride with you in your car somewhere so you will feel safe.

PLEASE NOTE: All problems of this nature should be solved AT THE CONVENTION and not on FACEBOOK or other social media!

? If I report something to Security, will they call the Police?

A If, while taking photos, there is something you need to report to Security, there is a chance that the police might potentially be called or be involved in certain situations if warranted.

If a cosplayer reports any sexual assault, then it is the convention's responsibility to ask if the police need to be called for charges to be pressed. You should determine if the incident is strong enough to just have Security talk to the person, have them removed from the convention, or have charges pressed.

Let's say that you are touched inappropriately while having a photo taken of you and you want to report it to Security. You should immediately consider if you want the police to be called and charges pressed.

As it is, if the convention has to trespass a person from the premises, the police will be called anyway to escort the person out and trespass them legally.

Example for when to ask for the police directly:

"I was absolutely touched inappropriately. I can describe where. I have witnesses. I can point out the person."

"I have a restraining order against this person."

Example for when not to have to ask for the police:

"I was bumped and touched by accident and I didn't like it."

"I don't like someone who took a picture of me after I said they could."

Please make sure that when you report an incident to Security, you are very clear in what happened and not vague in your report. If you are not sure if you need the police involved, we can make a suggestion for you to decide. In certain situations, the convention reserves the right to call the police regardless.

? As a Cosplayer or Photographer, when should I charge for photos?

A If you are a photographer, you should only charge for taking photos if someone is doing a scheduled photoshoot with you and knows they will be charged ahead of time. They should know the price and duration of the shoot beforehand as well as how many photos they get. You should never ask a Cosplayer for a candid picture at a convention and then tell them to pay you for it.

If you are a Cosplayer, you really should not charge for photos of yourself at a convention unless you are selling them at a booth and you have the prices listed. You should NEVER let a fan take a picture of you while walking around a convention AND THEN demand money from them for the photo after they have taken it. That may be potentially viewed as trying to take advantage of someone and you will most likely be told to stop or potentially be asked to leave.

Prop / Weapon Policies

These policies are subject to change at any time without notice at the sole discretion of **Omni Fandom Expo** and **OMNI PRODUCTIONS, LLC**.

REAL WEAPONS:

You may not carry or possess any weapon, openly or concealed, or in an inoperable or unusable condition at any time at or around the **The Florida Hotel & Conference Center ("Official Hotel")** location or grounds. Any weapon, including but not limited to, any type of firearms, knives, swords, curio, relic, and all forms of ammunition are strictly forbidden. Even items that may be legal for you to own or carry (such as a gun with a conceal carry permit) are not to be brought to **Omni Fandom Expo** and are to be left at home.

A **REAL WEAPON** includes, but is not limited to: firearms, ammunition (including spent rounds), rifles, shotguns, hand guns, BB guns, pellet guns, cap guns, air-soft weapons, paintball guns, blow guns, tasers, laser pointers, laser-aiming devices, or similar laser devices, explosives, knives, swords (including katana and other martial arts style swords), daggers, sword canes, switchblades, bali-song (butterfly) knives, axes, hatchets, pole arms, staffs, clubs, wooden or metal bats and paddles, bows (compound bows, long bows, recurve bows), any tipped arrows (including target tips), martial arts weapons, brass knuckles, baseball bats, chains, whips, nooses, leashes, handcuffs, pepper spray, mace, whips, projectile items, toy or real, or any item that may infer it is a dangerous item or one which would place another in apprehension of immediate harm (certain weapons may be allowed with restrictions - see below).

Weapons purchased at **Omni Fandom Expo** must be kept boxed/wrapped and are to be immediately removed from the convention area following purchase. The only acceptable locations it may be taken without removal from the hotel is your hotel room (in which case we suggest you keep it boxed/wrapped) or your vehicle (in which case we suggest you keep it boxed/wrapped).

PROP VS WEAPON - WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

A "Prop" is something that can be carried in your hands or on your person considered as an accessory to your costume. The term "Weapon" may be indiscriminately used to describe any type of Prop that can possibly be viewed as related to any type of combat or violence. This view is held

regardless of how you may be acting with your "Prop" and also regardless of what it is (from plushies to replica weapons). The moment any kind of prop, no matter how cute, inoffensive, or harmless it seems, is misused or brandished in such a fashion, it can and will become classified as "Weapon" by **Omni Fandom Expo** Security and Staff and will be treated as such. Oddly enough, a stuffed Pikachu may be considered a weapon in certain circumstances.

PROPS, PROP WEAPONS, OR FUTURISTIC CREATIONS

- Prop: An accessory to your costume that is large enough to be carried.
- Prop Weapons: homemade or commercially rendered realistically styled costume prop weapons that are accessories to your character.
- Futuristic Creations: Futuristic costume/replica weapons such as: phasers, blasters, ray guns, or light-sabers.

PROP MATERIALS:

Preferred materials for props are foam, cardboard, paper mache, resin, fiberglass, wood and plastic. ALL Props/Weapons should be constructed of light and flexible materials with as little wood and metal as possible.

No metal bladed or sharp Props/Weapons will be allowed!

ABSOLUTELY NO SHARP EDGED PROPS ARE ALLOWED! Any prop bladed weapon should not be able to physically cut someone **MUST** be of a prop nature. Bladed Prop/Weapons should be foam, foil-wrapped cardboard, flexible plastic, etc. Bokken and other wooden weapons are permitted only at the discretion of **Omni Fandom Expo**.

PROP/REPLICA GUNS/WEAPONS:

NO REAL GUN IN ANY FORM, even in inoperable or unusable condition, may be used as a prop at **Omni Fandom Expo**. This policy is regardless of the gun being any of the following: unloaded, stripped down, barrel filled, or anything else. Prop Weapons (such as toy firearms, NERF guns, etc) will be permitted as long as they have an orange tip at the end of the barrel, and can be easily identified as a non-functioning toy gun from a distance. Any painted Prop Gun **MUST** have an orange tip. You may not paint any Prop Replica Gun completely to look like a real firearm. Any real firearm used as a prop will result in the immediate and permanent removal from **Omni Fandom Expo** and a call to the Orlando police department.

Rubber, plastic or foam crafted Prop or toy firearms are preferred.

No realistic ammunition and other realistically-colored weapons (ie: grenades), live or spent ammunition, shells, or explosive devices of any kind are allowed.

Airsoft and Paintball Guns: Are not allowed intact, no matter what color they are painted and no matter what color the tip is painted. If your weapon shoots anything other than water or foam darts, you will be asked to put it in your car/room. If the internal workings are removed, it has orange tips and it is repainted a non-realistic color (or is clear), they may be used. **Please note:** in this case, we definitely prefer clear airsoft guns. If the clear airsoft gun also has realistic-colored parts, those must be painted a non-realistic color (unless those are the internal parts, in which case, again, they must be removed entirely). Airsoft or Paintball guns that are electrically or gas powered, must also be completely discharged (no CO2 canister, no charged battery or no battery at all, etc).

We do allow the use of a small amount of certain metallic ACCENT colors on weapons with a realistic appearance. (However, black, silver and brown colors are still not allowed under any circumstances as the main body color of a realistic weapon. If the weapon is non realistic, any body color is acceptable.) This Accent color **MUST** be clearly visible as an ACCENT, and cannot be the "Majority" color. Think around 10% of the total surface of the weapon. This is a guideline, and we reserve the right to reject ANY weapon at the convention, if we feel the accent color compromises the standing rules regarding color. (Simply put, if your accent color is determined to be less of an accent and to have overpowered the "base" color, it will be rejected.)

No Prop Gun may have any "Ammunition" loaded at any time. **Omni Fandom Expo** maintains a zero tolerance policy on discharging projectiles, even from an approved prop or weapon regardless of the type of weapon (water pistol, NERF gun, airsoft) Any discharge will result in the immediate and permanent removal from **Omni Fandom Expo**. These rules apply to any prop or toy firearms purchased from any vendor.

Wooden swords, plastic bats, prop canes, staffs, etc: permitted, but must be brought to Weapons Check as soon as they come on to the hotel grounds to be peace bonded. If you are caught brandishing it at someone threateningly (so, not simply posing for a photo, that's fine!) or fighting with it (even if you're joking around), your badge will be punched, and you will be asked to put it in your room.

Bows and Arrows: Bows and arrows are allowed, however: no tips on the arrows, and all bows must remain unstrung for the entirety of the convention. To have your weapon approved and peace bonded, the bow must be unstrung (tied on one end only). If we see you stringing your bow or nocking an arrow, even for a picture, your badge will be punched and you will be asked to put your bow in your room. This does not pertain to holding the arrow in place while posing for a photo, since there's either just one end tied or no string which can let fly. While we understand that compound bows cannot be easily unstrung, if you are carrying one then we require that you never nock an arrow, nor hold one in a manner that might construe that you have an arrow nocked.

Other Props: Whips are allowed but must be kept on the hip. Swinging it (and not just posed for a photo) will possibly result in your removal from **Omni Fandom Expo**

Any non heavy gauge metal chains less than three feet (3') are allowed. This includes, but is not limited to, chain wallets or chains on non-costume clothing. While you can have chains, you cannot hold the chain like a leash and lead others around the convention. Larger gauge chain for costumes should be made out of plastic or foam.

Leashes are permitted. If you are wearing the collar, you must be holding the handle. Leashes will not be extended between two or more people

at any time for other than photos. This can create a safety hazard and the leash can then be classified as a weapon that can cause entanglement.

NO "PADDLES," of any sort will be permitted at the convention. This includes, but is not limited to, Yaoi/Yuri Paddles.

Mostly non-metal prop weapons: If your prop has a metal handle, or hilt, (ex: a Lightsaber or wooden sword), with a metal hand grip or hilt, this is acceptable. Still **NO METAL BLADES OF ANY KIND WILL BE ALLOWED.**

PROP/WEAPONS CHECK:

ALL props, prop weapons, or futuristic replica must be submitted to a "**Weapons Check**" for written approval. Weapons Check has the sole discretion to approve any type of prop or prop weapons/replicas at **Omni Fandom Expo**. Weapons Check is located at the booth entitled "Prop Check In." Every Prop/Weapon will be handled on a case by case basis, made sure it follows **Omni Fandom Expo** guidelines, and will be treated accordingly. Weapons Check will make sure any pop gun is unloaded of any "ammunition", as well as zip tie the trigger so that it is incapable of firing. Swords and other applicable Prop/Weapons will be peace bonded. The determination of if a Prop/Weapon may be allowed into **Omni Fandom Expo** is at the sole discretion of **Omni Fandom Expo** Security and Staff. You may be potentially asked to make adjustments to your Prop/Weapon to make it safe for entry into **Omni Fandom Expo**.

Please note: in some cases, a prop weapon may be attached to a costume and may fall under Weapons Check approval at the discretion of **Omni Fandom Expo** security.

Removing or tampering with the device(s) used by Weapons Check / Security to designate approval is a violation of the Weapons Policy and will result in immediate expulsion from **Omni Fandom Expo** without warning.

An Attendee who has their Prop/Weapons approved by Weapons Check **MUST** keep them under their physical control at any and all times. Any prop that is loaned to someone else that it is not registered to may possibly be confiscated, and you may be removed from the convention.

Any approved prop/weapon may be revoked at any time at the discretion of the Weapons Check / Security and management of **Omni Fandom Expo**, for reasons including, but not limited to, the item being utilized or brandished in an inappropriate fashion or complaints about improper use or display. Any arguing with **Omni Fandom Expo** Security and Staff over your Prop / Weapon for any reason may result in the confiscation of your Prop / Weapon, your potential removal from **Omni Fandom Expo**, or being detained/removed by the Orlando police department.

USE OF APPROVED PROPS/WEAPONS:

Props/Weapons are to be displayed only as costume pieces and are not allowed to be utilized in **ANY** threatening manner other than in a static pose for a photograph. Any prop/weapon that is swung, brandished, or actively used can injure others, create unsafe situations and possibly injure others. You may pose with a Prop/Weapon in a brandishing manner, so long as no reasonable person would interpret the posed brandishing as anything but a pose for dramatic effect. Such posed brandishing may be stopped at the sole and absolute discretion of Security, management of **Omni Fandom Expo**, or staff members. Any such violation on the **Official Hotel** grounds or in the parking lots may be grounds for discharge from hotel property and/or detention by police.

TRANSPORTATION OF PROPS/WEAPONS / OFFICIAL HOTEL AREAS:

Omni Fandom Expo also requests that attendees have respect for people staying in the **Official Hotel** or attending other functions in the convention area that are not attending **Omni Fandom Expo**. Please make every effort to wrap your weapon or use carry bags for transporting your Props/Weapons from your car/hotel room to the convention space.

Masks are not to be worn in any common area of the **Official Hotel** that is not specifically rented by **Omni Fandom Expo**.

DO NOT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES traverse the lobby, hotel registration, common areas, pool, etc. wearing tactical gear complete with face masks and fake guns! This will most likely result in your arrest. This is just but one example. Please use common sense in regards to your costume. Please remember, not everyone understands what cosplay is and many will not hesitate to immediately report you to the hotel or the police.

PLEASE NOTE: **Omni Fandom Expo** will take no responsibility in any situation arising between an attendee and the **Official Hotel**.

MARTIAL ARTS PERFORMANCES & DEMOS:

Persons giving martial arts performances or demonstrations that are officially sanctioned in advance by the management of **Omni Fandom Expo** may display working martial arts weapons during, and thirty (30) minutes before and after the demonstrations or performances only in approved locations. Those weapons must be used so as to avoid harm to persons or property. These martial arts weapons must be transported to and from the performance or demonstration area in cases or wrapped and concealed, and must be removed from the convention premises immediately following the performances or demonstrations. Weapons Check / Security and the management of **Omni Fandom Expo** reserve the right to stop any performance or demonstration at its discretion.

USE OF UNIFORMED COSTUMES:

Omni Fandom Expo has the sole discretion and absolute right to determine whether a uniformed costume is permitted or too close to a real world uniform and to ask any attendee who is wearing it to adjust it or remove it. In the event the attendee does not cooperate with that request, **Omni Fandom Expo** may expel the person from the convention.

COSTUMES THAT MAY BE CONFUSED WITH LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OR OTHER EMERGENCY RESPONSE PERSONNEL UNIFORMS ARE NOT PERMITTED AT OMNI FANDOM EXPO!

INSPECTIONS OF PROPERTY:

Omni Fandom Expo attendees understand, agree and consent that Weapons Check, **Omni Fandom Expo** representatives, or Security personnel throughout **Omni Fandom Expo**, have the absolute and immediate right to inspect costumes, weapons, props, prop weapons, futuristic props, and any other items brought into the convention space by any Attendee at any time for any reason.

Weapons Check, Security or **Omni Fandom Expo** personnel may determine whether any particular item covered by this policy is or is not permitted at **Omni Fandom Expo**. If it is discovered that an Attendee brought any unauthorized prop/weapon to **Omni Fandom Expo**, or violates any of the policies referenced above, that person shall be immediately removed from the convention space. **Omni Fandom Expo** reserves the right to remove the such offenders from the premises, temporarily or permanently.

PERSONS WHO CARRY OR OTHERWISE BRING PROPS, PROP WEAPONS, FUTURISTIC REPLICAS, DO SO AT THEIR OWN, SOLE, AND ABSOLUTE RISK, AND ASSUME ALL RISKS OF LIABILITY, HARM, DAMAGE, OR LOSS TO ANY PERSON OR PROPERTY INJURED OR OTHERWISE HARMED, INTENTIONALLY OR ACCIDENTLY, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY BY SUCH ITEMS OR THE PERSON CARRYING THEM. IT IS ALSO NOTED THAT ANY PERSONS WHO WEAR MILITARY OR REAL WORLD COSTUMES OR SIMILAR ITEMS WHICH MAY DEPICT A MEMBER OF ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT, EMERGENCY PERSONNEL, OR ANY UNIFORM THAT MAY POTENTIALLY OR POSSIBLY CAUSE CONFUSION, FEAR, OR TERROR DO SO AT THEIR OWN, SOLE, AND ABSOLUTE RISK, AND ASSUME ALL RISKS OF LIABILITY, HARM, DAMAGE, OR LOSS TO ANY PERSON OR PROPERTY INJURED OR OTHERWISE HARMED, INTENTIONALLY OR ACCIDENTLY, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY BY SUCH ITEMS OR THE PERSON CARRYING THEM. IT IS HEREBY AGREED THAT **OMNI PRODUCTIONS, LLC.**, ITS OFFICERS, AGENTS, AFFILIATES AND SUBSIDIARIES, OR THE **OFFICIAL HOTEL** SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY INJURY, HARM, DAMAGE, OR ANY OTHER RISK OR LIABILITY ASSOCIATED WITH ANY PERSON'S USE OF ANY WEAPON, REPLICA, OR PROP, WHETHER PERMITTED OR BANNED HEREUNDER, AT **OMNI FANDOM EXPO**. IN NO EVENT SHALL **OMNI FANDOM EXPO, OMNI PRODUCTIONS, LLC** AND ITS AFFILIATES AND SUBSIDIARIES, OR THE **OFFICIAL HOTEL** HAVE ANY LIABILITY FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL OR EXEMPLARY DAMAGES HEREUNDER.

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