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What to Expect!

Your purchase of a membership to Phoenix Fan Fusion provides you with a badge that grants you IN-AND-OUT ACCESS to our convention for the specific day or full weekend you purchase.

You'll have access to the Lower Level Exhibitor Hall & Hall of Heroes, the Gaming Hall, plus our entire Programming schedule* including Celebrity Panels, Signature Events, Spectacular Spectacle Showcases, and After Dark Parties.

*Seating is not guaranteed at any specific event due to room capacity limits; we do not clear panel rooms between events. A few workshops, charity fundraisers, or special events do require a separate paid admission.

Bringing In Food... What's Allowed?

Food and Beverage service for all Phoenix Convention Center & Venues events is provided by their exclusive food and beverage partner, Aventura Catering. All food decisions and pricing are managed by the Phoenix Convention Center.

All outside food and beverage is strictly prohibited. The Convention Center will make reasonable accommodations for those with medical conditions or parents with infant children. Empty refillable water containers are allowed.

There are several locations to purchase food and beverages throughout the Convention Center including the PHX Kitchens Downtown Food Hall, exhibit hall concessions, vending machines and Starbucks, which is located in the West Building. The Phoenix Convention Center and Aventura typically bring in food trucks as well during Phoenix Fan Fusion.

All Aventura retail outlets are cashless and only accept debit/credit cards Apple Pay and Google Payments. Reverse ATMs are located throughout the facility that will issue a prepaid card for cash.

Extra Seating Areas

Extra seating can be found on the main level Ballroom 120CD just around the corner from the Food Court. This extra seating is open from 9AM to 5PM each day.

Outside Restaurants

With your badge you have IN-AND-OUT ACCESS to our convention for the specific day or full weekend of your badge, and thus, you may easily leave (and later re-enter) to dine at many of the local downtown restaurants around the Convention Center. Or head back to your hotel room or car for lunch you packed.

Harassment & Discrimination

Phoenix Fan Fusion will always encourage fan convention costume enthusiasts (aka "cosplayers") to SPEAK OUT against the inappropriate social behavior of a sexual and/or stereotypical nature toward

themselves and fellow fans.

Phoenix Fan Fusion has a ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY for harassment and discrimination of any kind, including but not limited to:

- Inappropriate physical contact • Physical assault and/or battery
- Sexually offensive actions or comments • Stalking • Intimidation
- Non-consensual photography or recording • Constant disruption of panels, photo opportunities, and other events

Discrimination of any kind, including but not limited to:

- Race & Ethnic Background • Age • Sex & Gender Identity • Religion
- Sexual Preferences & Orientation • Physical Appearance

The culture of cosplay is one of fun, creativity, and mutual respect. No one should accept inappropriate behavior from their peers. Speak out, speak up, and help keep cosplay comfortable and fun!

If you are taking pictures or video of cosplayers or attendees, you should gain direct consent from each person in your shot. This extends to members of the media, private photographers, and fellow cosplayers alike. **Taking secret photos of cosplayers is not permitted at any time.**

Photos or videos shot with the intent of commercialization without the consent of the subject is prohibited.

Cosplayers love to have their photos taken, so just be polite and ask first!

Should you feel unsafe: please speak to any member wearing a Phoenix Fan Fusion CREW badge, any security personnel in a Yellow or Blue polo shirt, or Police Officers stationed throughout the event. SAFE ZONES are located at the following places:

- West Building: Room 104AB, Room 212AB
- North Building: Room 121C, Room 229AB
- Lower Level Lobby: Official Con Merchandise booth
- Exhibitor Hall: Exhibitor Manager Booth located at the back of Hall 4

Meeting and Greeting Celebrity Actors

These are the different ways to see or meet a celebrity actor at Phoenix Fan Fusion.

PANELS

Actors participate in panels at the show, which are included in your badge purchase giving you a chance to hear your favorite actor speak without any additional cost! Actors rarely have more than one panel for the weekend even if they attend multiple days, so be sure to not miss out.

The Main Celebrity Panels are in Ballroom 301, located in the West Building Third floor.

*Seating is not guaranteed due to room capacity limits, and we do not clear the room between panels.

PHOTO OPS

Photo ops are offered by many of the actors for a fee. This is a quick chance to get a photo with your favorite celebrity, but it's not enough time to talk to them. These photos are taken by a professional photographer in front of an official Fan Fusion backdrop and you'll receive an 8"x10" print of your photo within minutes (no autograph comes with these photos). Up to four people can be included in the photo (not counting the actor), making this a great option for families or groups of friends. Actors typically schedule one photo op time period per day so you'll need to plan accordingly.

The Celebrity Photo Op Booth is located in the Lower Level Exhibitor Hall & Hall of Heroes, inside Hall 1.

AUTOGRAPHS

Purchasing an autograph gives you the chance to meet an actor and have a quick chat with them. Almost all actors have a fee for autographs and the fee is typically for one autograph only (you may purchase additional autographs at their listed price). You can generally bring your own item to have signed or choose from a printed photo that most actors have available (this printed photo is included in the price of the autograph). Your family or friends can typically join you in line as you meet an actor for an autograph.

All actors and other guests are located in our Lower Level Exhibitor Hall & Hall of Heroes, located in Halls 1-6.

SELFIES

Some actors will offer selfies with them at their autograph table during their autograph sessions for an additional fee. These selfies are taken on your phone and there are usually Talent Assistants around to help take the photo for you.

SAYING HELLO

You might be able to say hello to a celebrity without buying anything, but not all of them have the time to do so. Just ask the Fan Fusion Crew member at the end of the autograph line if you can get in line to say hi. Please understand that if the line is long this opportunity may be limited or not available.

SECURED ENTRANCE HOURS:

FRIDAY 9AM-11:30PM

SATURDAY 9AM-11:30PM

SUNDAY 9AM-5PM

LOWER LEVEL EXHIBITOR HALL & HALL OF HEROES (Halls 1-6) HOURS:

FRIDAY 10AM-7PM

SATURDAY 10AM-7PM

SUNDAY 10AM-5PM

PROGRAMMING EVENTS HOURS:

FRIDAY

10:30AM-11:30PM

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10:30AM-11:30PM

SUNDAY

10:30AM-5PM



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DRAGSTRAVAGANZA

Our drag show is back and this time it's free to attend! Join some of the funniest and most talented divas from around the Valley and beyond for a Geek-Themed Drag Extravaganza!

FRIDAY | MAY 27 7:00PM | ROOM 301BCD



ANIME RAVE *with* DJ HEAVYGRINDER

Due to popular response we are moving the Anime Rave to a BIGGER ROOM on Friday night! We're bringing the After Dark Parties back with the return of the Anime Rave! And DJ Heavygrinder is in the house to lead the way.

FRIDAY | MAY 27 9:00PM | ROOM 120CD



BURLESQUE

By popular demand...it's baaa-acck... Burlesque returns to Phoenix Fan Fusion, and this time: It's free to attend! Come see the hottest, geekiest burlesque and nerdlesque performers as they get your eyes wide, your jaw dropping, and your pulse racing. Must be 18+ years to attend. **FRIDAY | MAY 27 9:00PM | ROOM 301BCD**



WILD GEEK MAGIC The Wild Geek Magic Show is a joint celebration of classic illusion and pop culture alike as they take iconic magic acts like the magic linking rings, the death-defying sword box, vanishing trunks, straitjacket escapes, and sleight of hand while simultaneously paying homage to the likes of Doctor Strange, Joker, Supergirl, Venom, Spiderman, Mario & Luigi, and the Legend of Zelda! **FRIDAY | MAY 27 6:00PM | ROOM 231ABC**



THE OBI WAN ROAST

Where you Ben Kenobi? The Roast of Obi Wan Hello There! Obi Wan is just the worst, isn't he? After letting his mentor get impaled and then failing to finish off Darth Maul, he practically handed his Padawan Anakin over to the Dark Side (well most of him anyways). At least he spent twenty years basically doing nothing at the far end of the galaxy before letting Darth Vader cut him down.

FRIDAY | MAY 27 4:30PM | ROOM 122ABC



I LIKE BIG BOTS You dig giant robots! We dig giant robots! Whether its Transformers or Gundam, big bots can be found all over pop culture, capturing our interest by overloading our senses. We'll talk about overall designs, morals, and finally answer the question - is bigger always better? Walk your mech, combine your zords, or roll out as we discuss who reigns king of the machines.

FRIDAY | MAY 27 6:00PM | ROOM 227AB



BABY YODA 51ST BIRTHDAY Din Djarin is inviting all of Phoenix Fan Fusion to help celebrate his founding son Grogu's 51st Birthday, and he's pulling out all the stops to make sure he wins Father of the Year... featuring a cast of Star Wars friends too long to list, more fun and adventure than any other toddler's birthday, and a night full of music that absolutely slaps, you don't want to miss this party! **SATURDAY | MAY 28 8:00PM | ROOM 120CD**



STAR TREK UNIVERSE MIXER

Join the United Federation of Phoenix and other local Star Trek clubs for a casual mixer and discover new friendships. Come to this fun and free event (with your Saturday, Full Event, or VIP badge) and meet others who share your same passions and interests.

SATURDAY | MAY 28 9:00PM | ROOM 104AB



LA LA LANDO La La Lando is the musical starring the galaxy's greatest scoundrel, Lando Calrissian. Derek Jeremiah Reid is Billy Dee Williams as the caped wonder of Cloud City. Just after the battle of Endor we find Lando looking for love and laughs with all your favorite star wars characters. If you love musicals and Star Wars La La Lando is for you. You especially don't want to miss the new song "We Don't Talk About Lando"! **SATURDAY | MAY 28 3:00PM | ROOM 232ABC**



THE ROAST OF ASH KETCHUM

After almost 30 years... Ash Ketchum finally won a Pokémon Championship. His greatest friends, rivals, and magical creatures will now turn their attentions to pointing out how very bad he is at his job.

SATURDAY | MAY 28 6:00PM | ROOM 232ABC



MASQUERADE

Fantastically talented costume creators show off their most amazing work on the big stage. See some of the best cosplayers of the convention at this always anticipated annual event.

SATURDAY | MAY 28 8:00PM | ROOM 301BCD



SEA SHANTY SING-ALONG One of the biggest musical trends during the past two years was the rise in popularity of SEA SHANTIES!!! Alas, land lubbers, come forth and lend your voices to the chorus of people in the largest desert city in the country singing songs of sailors upon the seven seas! Hosted by Yellow, from Heroines in Disguise

SATURDAY | MAY 28 12:00PM | ROOM 232ABC



THE POTTER PROFESSORS *PRESENT* SWISH AND FLICK

Whether you're in your first year at Hogwarts or prepping for your O.W.L.s, come and join the Potter Professors as they dive into the history, lexicon, wand movements and other lore surrounding the use of spells in the wizarding world. Make sure to bring your wand for this interactive lesson. **SUNDAY | MAY 29 12:00PM | ROOM 124AB**



WHAT ARE YOU TOLKIEN ABOUT?

Who's up for some Tolkien Team Trivia? Do you know the Extended Trilogy and Extended Hobbit Films? Have you been studying your Si-marillion? Bring your own fellowship of friends into the lounge, and compete to win... "What Are You TOLKIEN About Trivia"! Hosted by Hayl the Widow. **SUNDAY | MAY 29 12:00PM | ROOM 103AB**



YOUTH MASQUERADE AND FASHION SHOW

Youth from birth to 15 years old are invited to the first annual All-Youth Masquerade and Fashion Show! Join Jinx Cosplay and Thermo-Cosplay for 2 hours of fun with a judged costume contest and then time for kids to show off their costumes in the Youth Fashion Show! **SUNDAY | MAY 29 1:00PM | ROOM 232ABC**

UMMM ACTUALLY



UMMM ACTUALLY The only thing a true geek loves more than knowing more than you is TELLING you they know more than you. Join our distinguished panel of "experts" as they read off incorrect trivia tidbits, only to be corrected by the audience. But, you only get points if you start off your correction with the words "Ummm...Actually..." in true geeky fashion and extra points if you really ham it up **SUNDAY | MAY 29 12:00PM | ROOM 122ABC**



SCORE TO FILM *SPONSORED BY MAJESTIC NEIGHBORHOOD CINEMA GRILL*
Join us on an exciting and in depth journey through the music from your favorite comic book films! This session will highlight specific pieces of music from various composers and how their scores drive different emotions from the audience. Music composer Durrell Johnson will take you through an experience like none other as he demonstrates through digital audio how these scores effect the tones and the way we view our favorite heroes! **SUNDAY | MAY 29 1:30PM | ROOM 230**

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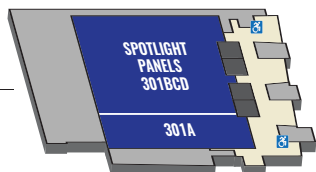
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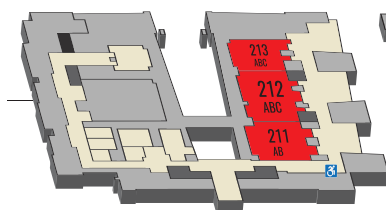
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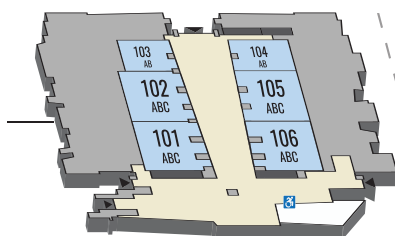
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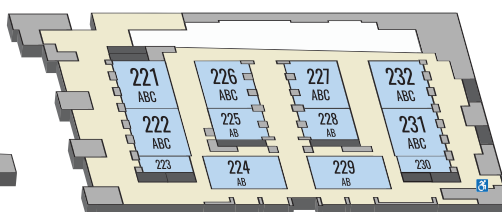


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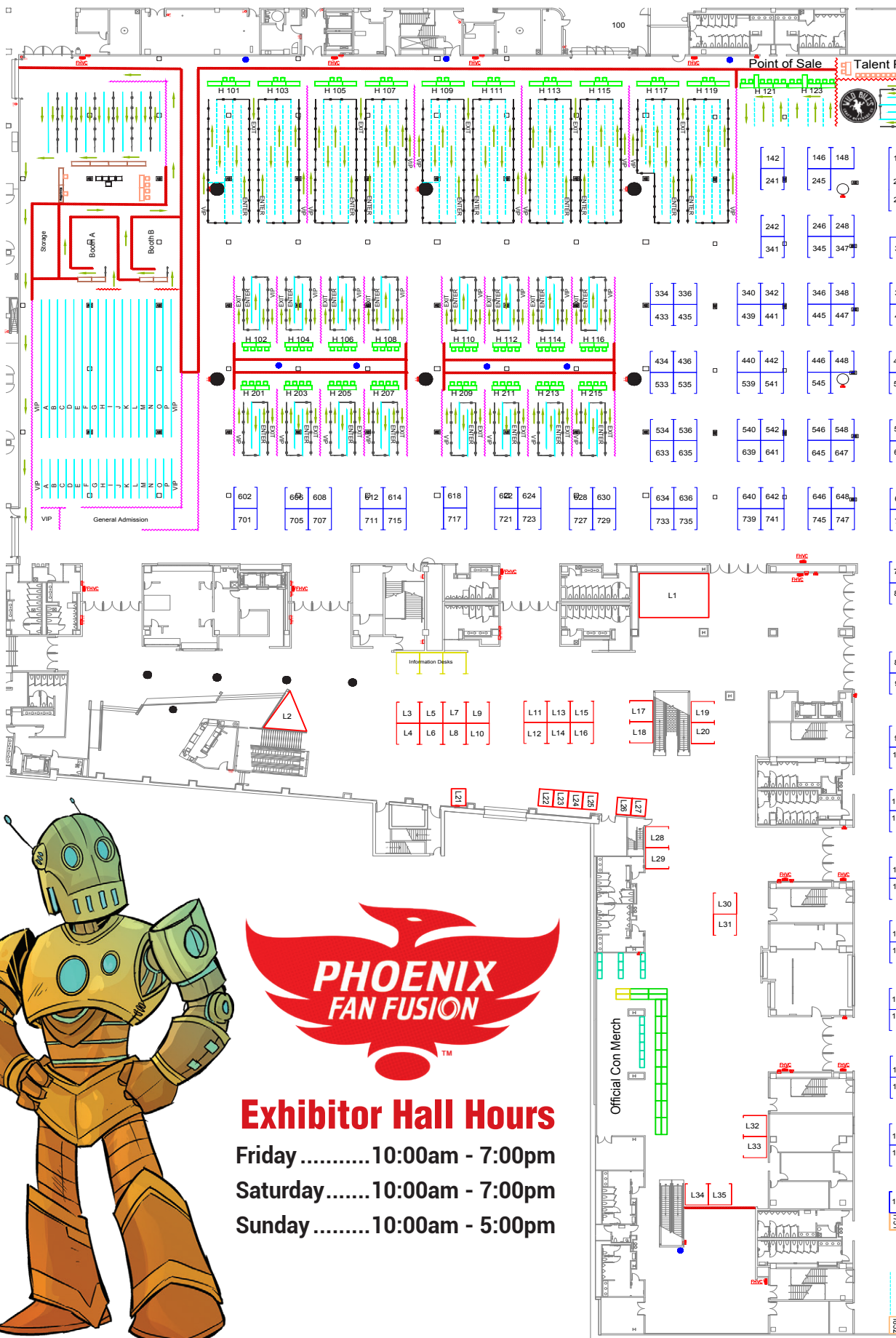


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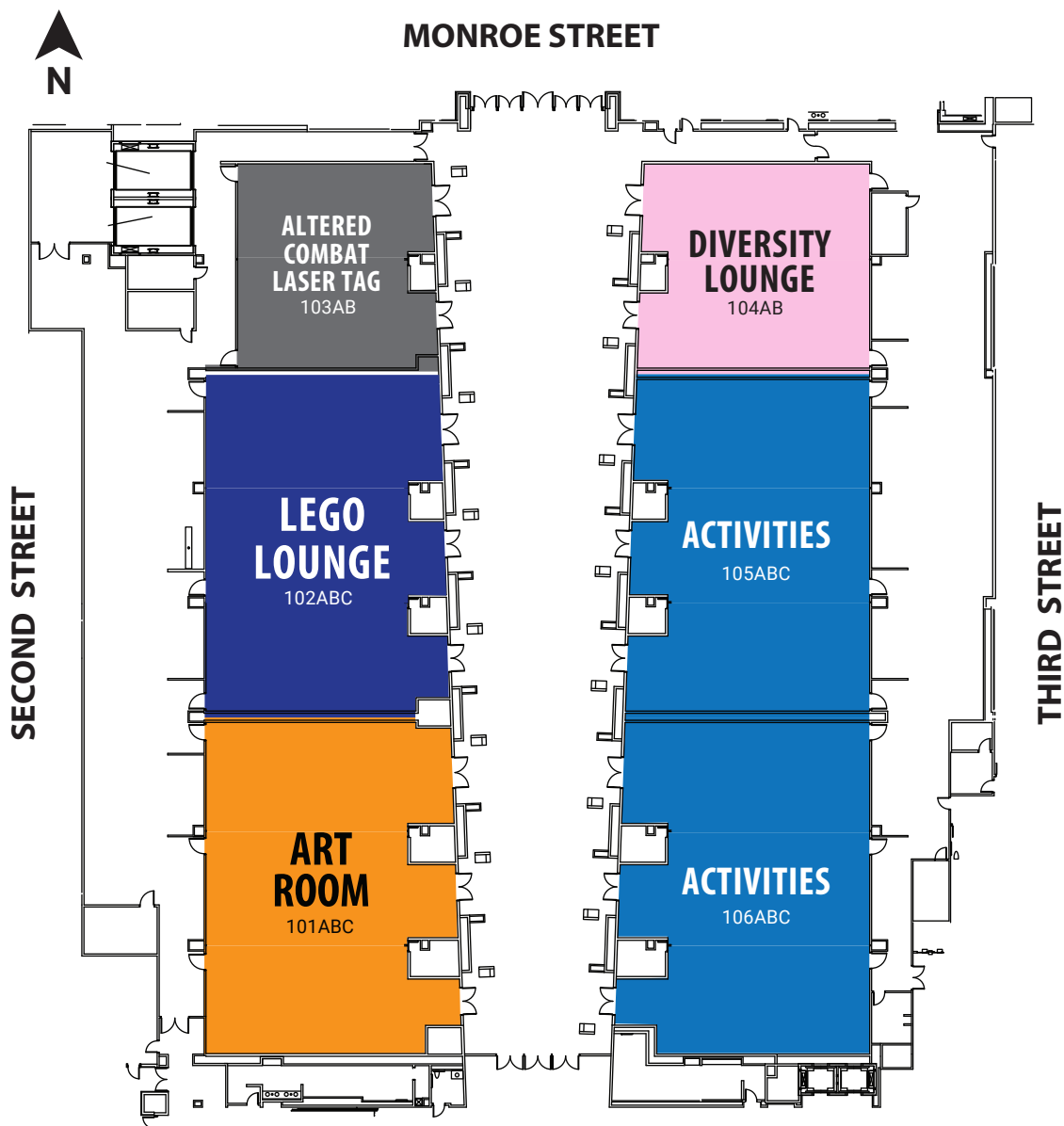
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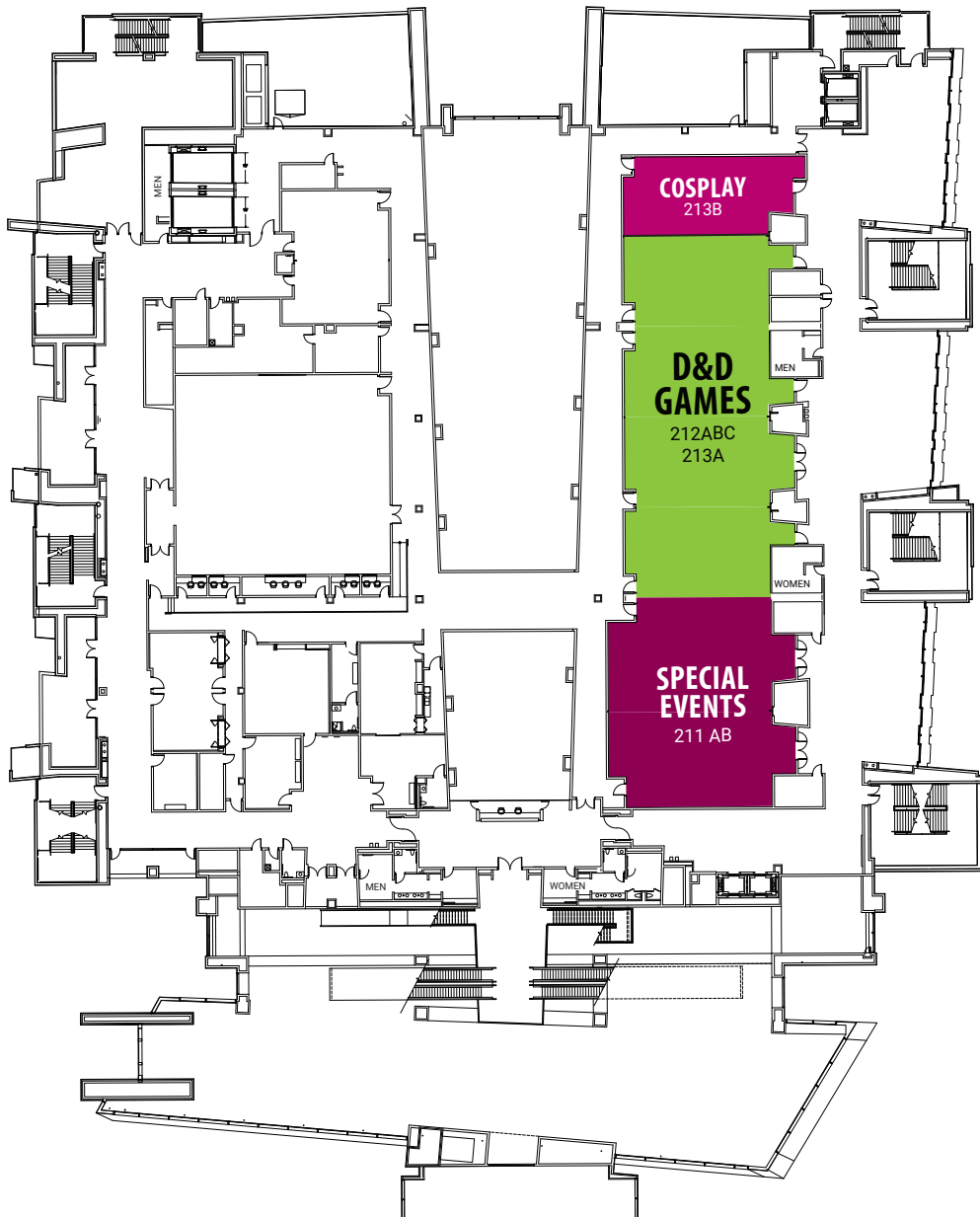
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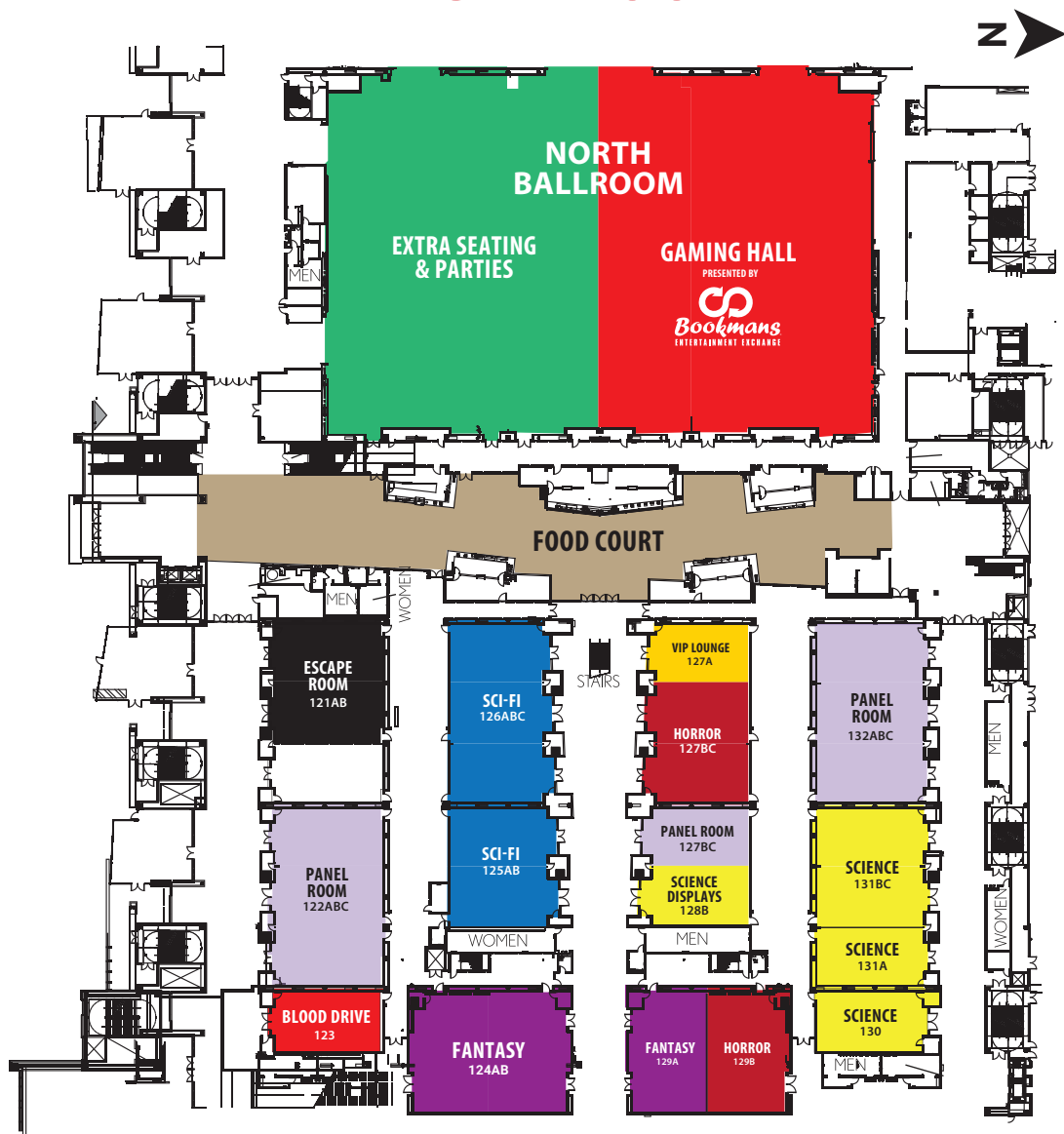
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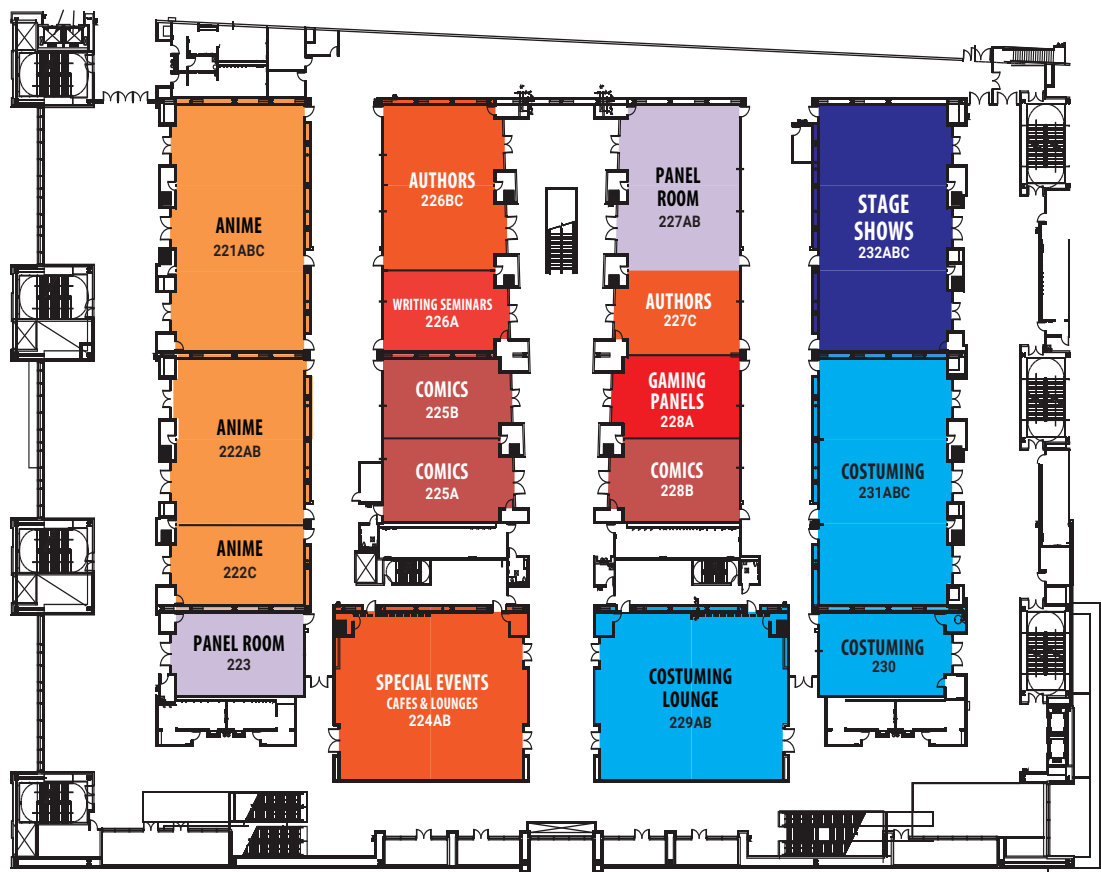
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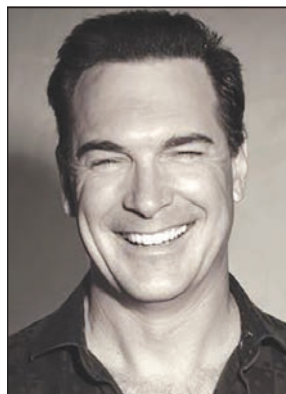
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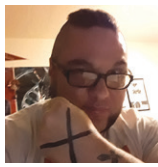
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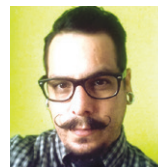
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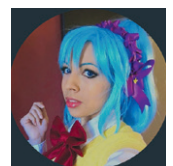
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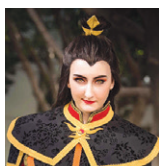
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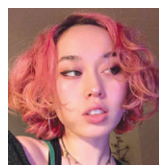
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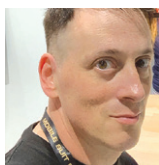
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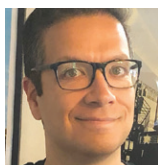
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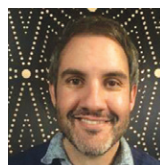
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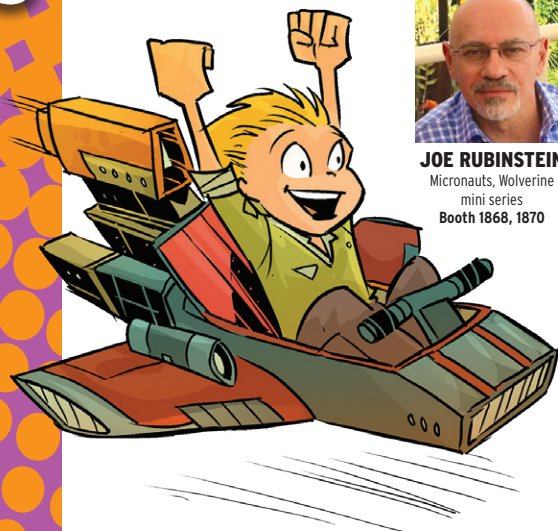
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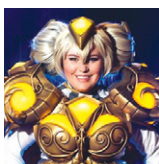
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DC Comic's Suicide Squad:
Most Wanted
Booth 1773



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The Art of
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PANELS & EVENTS - FRIDAY 27TH

FRI 27th	North 120CD Events & Seating	North 121AB Escape Room_1	North 121AB Escape Room_2	North 121AB Escape Room_3	North 122ABC Panels	North 123 Blood Drive	North 124AB Fantasy
9:30am - 10:00am							
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am							
11:00am - 11:30am					It's EXPANSE-ively Good Sci-Fi		
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm					Star Trek: Discovering Discovery		Why Galaxy Quest belongs in the Star Trek Universe
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm					An Introduction to Constructing Foam Armor		Power Rangers After Saban
1:30pm - 2:00pm							
2:00pm - 2:30pm					Oversized Lightweight Props 101		Anime Battle Royal
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm					Skewed and Reviewed: Upcoming Television Shows		Harry Potter Meet Up and Trivia
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm					Back to the Future - Star Trek: Discovery Seasons 3 and 4		Let's Settle This Like Nerds
4:30pm - 5:00pm							
5:00pm - 5:30pm					Six Degrees of Christopher Eccleston		Wait... This was for Children?! Disney Edition (18+)
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
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FRI 27th	North 125AB Sci Fi	North 126ABC Sci Fi	North 127A	North 127BC Horror	North 128A Science	North 128B Science Displays	North 129A Fantasy
9:00am - 9:30am							
9:30am - 10:00am							
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am	Retro Anime			Disembodied Voices In The Dark	Under the Surface: Mental Health and Encanto		
11:00am - 11:30am						RealTime STEAM hosts Science Displays	
11:30am - 12:00pm					Designing with a Passion, not Frustration	Wild at Heart Raptor Rescue	WOW! Alliance vs. Horde
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Special Effects Makeup for Beginners					Lowell Observatory	
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	The Disinformed Podcast Presents: The Comic Book Code	Starship Design 101 - A Look At How Star Trek Online Brings New Ships To Life		The Darker Side Of Things Part 2	Pop Culture Junkie: Get Your Fix	Heritage Square	The Happiest Trivia on Earth: Disney Trivia
2:00pm - 2:30pm						Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary	
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm		A Star Trek Adult Comedy - Adventures on Star Trek: Lower Decks		Bold Horror Statements	Quick Draw	Girl Scouts AZ Cactus Prime	Inventing Your Steampunk Character
3:30pm - 4:00pm						Phoenix Zoo	
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Shine On, Danny Torrance: Stephen King, The Shining, and Doctor Sleep	The Stargazer: A Deep Dive Into The New Ships In Picard Season 2		The Purge Franchise	The Music of Fandoms	Greenlight Solutions	Did this Happen in Dune?
5:00pm - 5:30pm						Phoenix Boys Choir	
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Jeopardy! Supernatural Style	The Royal Manticoran Navy		Kill, Marry, Shag (18+)	Ummm, Actually...	The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation	Steampunk on a Budget
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm		Never Rad Miscellany Live Show			Representation in Star Trek		
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm	DisPort Network LIVE: Disneyland vs Disney World (18+)	Kakos Industries					
9:30pm - 10:00pm							

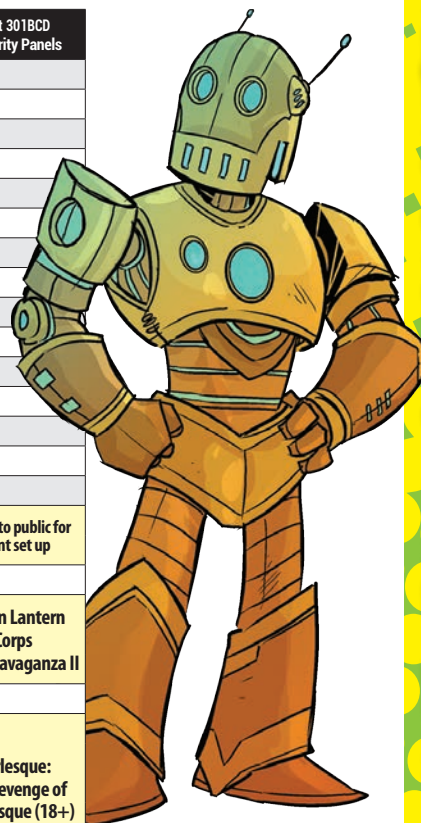
FRI 27th	North 129B Horror	North 130 Science	North 131A Science	North 131BC Science	North 132ABC Panels	North 221ABC Anime	North 222AB Anime
10:30am - 11:00am	The Darker Side Of Things Part 1	Adventures and Disasters in Science: How Does Science Get Done Anyway?	What is Love? Baby Don't Hurt Me: The Science of Love	"Who let the machine learning algorithm watch The Matrix?" AI, machine learning, and future robot uprisings			Anime Anonymous
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm	Bad Boys of Horror	Tears in the Rain: The science of Blade Runner	"I'm fine, I ate 100 Blue Mountain Flowers!" Herbalism in Video Games	A Surprise to be Sure: A retrospective on science in the Skywalker Saga		Nini Music Session 1	Disney: Live vs Original
12:00pm - 12:30pm							
12:30pm - 1:00pm	BS Movies Live Podcast: 80's Horror	A Belated Celebration of Earth Day's 50th Anniversary	Aiming to Misbehave: Science in Firefly	Scientists rank ways you can be manipulated (You won't believe #1!)		Nini Music Session 2	Magical Girl Transformation Domination
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Mona's Mad Libs!	More than a Canyon: Awesome places to see in AZ	Do I need an Exorcist or a Therapist?	Who Gave Indiana Jones Tenure? Archaeology in Media	Toss a Coin for Your Witcher: The Witcher on Netflix (18+)	Meet the vision users of Genshin Impact	Script Doctor: Kingdom Hearts 3
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm	Mona's Mad Libs!	Neigh-sayers: The biology of Horses	The 2010's in Astronomy: A Decade in Review	They're taking our jerbs: The science of Automation	"I Am Vengeance"- The Batman vs. All the Other Batman Films	K-POP Photocard Trading Session	What Makes an Anime Intro Great?
3:00pm - 3:30pm							
3:30pm - 4:00pm	Mona's Mad Libs!	No More Mr. Gneiss Guy: Geology and Dr. Stone	Munching Numbers and Defeating the Master of Mischief: A look at Edutainment Games	Sci-Fi Book Club	The Roast of Obi Wan Kenobi (18+)	KPOP Jeopardy	Kpop Through the Decades
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Mona's Mad Libs!	"You do realize ANYONE can see that?" Social media and teens	Under the Sea: The Science of the Little Mermaid	Boredom is the Con Killer: The Science of Dune	P.U.G.S.: Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown	Uncle Yuhki's Anime Dating Game (18+)	Anime Anonymous 18+
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm	Mona's Mad Libs!	Shh...the phones are listening	"Yeah, that can't be good": What Eureka got right	Did you remember the TP?: Domsday Prepping	Potter Professors Present: Hogwarts, more Like Snogwarts! (18+)	Jeopardy! Demon Slayer Edition	Meme Mayhem (18+)
6:00pm - 6:30pm							
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10:30pm - 11:00pm	Mona's Mad Libs!					Uncle Yuhki's Silent Library (18+)	Quarantine A DC Parody 18+
11:00pm - 11:30pm							

FRI 27th	North 222C Anime	North 223 Panels	North 224AB Cafes & Lounges	North 225A Comics	North 225B Comics	North 226A Writing Workshops	North 226BC Authors
10:30am - 11:00am		LGBTQ+ Representation in Children's Media			Power Rangers Comic Book Universe	Writing Workshop: Foundations of Success *PAID EVENT*	
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm	Dragon Ball Z: The Interactive panel	Marvel's LGBTQ Revolution	Animaru Maid Café	Ranking Batmans	So You Want to Own a Comic Book Store?	Location-scouting your novel and Comic Book	Arizona Author Spotlight
12:00pm - 12:30pm							
12:30pm - 1:00pm	Fantasy My Hero Academia!!	The Rise of TikTok Cosplay	Animaru Maid Café		She Hulk! Welcome to the MCU!	Writing Workshop: Build and Break a Character or Two *PAID EVENT*	Magic Systems in literature
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	The Video Game, Game Show	In Living Colour-POC in Cosplay	Animaru Maid Café	Garth Ennis a Great Comic Book Writer	Westeros There and Back Again	Writing Workshop: Do all your characters sound alike? *PAID EVENT*	Playing Favorites: Authors Discuss Their Favorite Characters
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm	A Challenger Approaches	Is the Hype Real...? Game of Thrones: House of the Dragon		Is That A Superhero?	Bring on the C Listers!	Writing Workshop: Using An Outline To Get It Right *PAID EVENT*	Protecting Your Creative Energy
3:00pm - 3:30pm							
3:30pm - 4:00pm	The Nerdlywed Game	The Shield Hero Rises Again	Murder Mystery: The Early ReDIerment of Superman			Writing Workshop: Creating Reader Engagement *PAID EVENT*	How to Get Published
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Anime Big Three	K-POP Random Dance Play					
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm	My Hero Randomdamia 18+						
6:00pm - 6:30pm							
6:30pm - 7:00pm	Quarantine A DC Parody 18+	The Sexy Side of Magic: The Gathering (18+)					
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FRI 27th	North 227AB Panels	North 227C Authors	North 228A Gaming	North 228B Comics	North 229AB Cosplay Lounge	North 230 Costuming	North 231ABC Costuming
9:30am - 10:00am					Cosplay Lounge (9:30AM-7:00PM) CosTalk Live Lounge (10:00AM-7:00PM)		
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am	I'm The Producer: Superheroes and Secrets		Cybersecurity and Video Games	The Boys - From the Page to the Screen (18+)			
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Rise Of The Nephalem: Diablo Lore	Deleted Scenes: Books and Editing	RPGs Deep Dive: Enriching your life with RPGs	Memento Mori: A Tribute to Unus Annus		Merchandise Mayhem...The Weird, The Odd, The GAME!	
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	A Beastsars cosplay panel	What if Robin Stole the Show?	X-Wing Mini SOS (Save Our Squad)	Stede + Edward - A Love Story... the OUR FLAG MEANS DEATH Panel		Behind the Costume	You Can PRINT That! 3D Printing and Cosplay
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	How to Audio Drama	Too Good to Be True - Heroes in Fiction	Are You Smarter Than a Video Gamer			Cosplay Community Support	DC Costuming Meet-Up!
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm							
5:00pm - 5:30pm	Trivia for the Rest of Us					Elevate Your Cosplay	Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	I Like Big Bots! (and I Cannot Lie)	Woulda, Shoulda, Couda	The Rise and Fall of Sony Online Entertainment	Finding The Superhero In Every Child			Disney Cosplay Sing-Along
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm	Remembering Brian Augustyn	The Last of Us	Hyrule Historia			Good Omens: The Nice and Accurate Prophecies of Agnes Nutter, Witch	
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm			Telephone Pictionary			I Want to Play a Game...of Trivia! 18+	Horror Jeopardy
9:30pm - 10:00pm							
10:00pm - 10:30pm							
10:30pm - 11:00pm						Awkward Fan Fiction 18+	
11:00pm - 11:30pm							

FRI 27th	North 232ABC Stage Shows	West 101ABC Youth	West 101ABC Event Area	West 102ABC Lego Lounge	West 103AB Laser Tag	West 104AB Diversity Lounge	West 105BC Activities
10:00am - 10:30am		Bookman's Presents Youth Games and Stories and Activities			Altered Combat Laser Tag	Phoenix Gaymers Diversity Lounge	
10:30am - 11:00am							
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	A Marvel-ous Fashion Show!		Youth Can Draw, Too! LIVE CHIBI DEMONSTRATION	Lego Free Build (10:30AM-2:45PM)			Medieval Playtime!
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Pokemon Cosplay Fashion Show		Paper Cranes and Conversation				
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Cosplay Fashion Show		Drawing with The Janimal	Lego Build Off			
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Improv Comedy with Blue Box Improv! (18+)		Bookman's Extravaganza Hour!	Lego Free Build			
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	GasLight Circus	Wand Making for Muggles					
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm							Dancing for the Social Set
8:00pm - 8:30pm	Body Painting Extravaganza - Villians (18+) (8:00PM-11:55PM)						
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm							
9:30pm - 10:00pm							Wizarding Game Night
10:00pm - 10:30pm							
10:30pm - 11:00pm							
11:00pm - 11:30pm							
11:30pm - 12:00am							
12:30am - 1:00am							



FRI 27th	West 106ABC Activities & Events	West 211AB Events	West 213B	West 301A Celebrity Panels	West 301BCD Celebrity Panels
10:00am - 10:30am					
10:30am - 11:00am					
11:00am - 11:30am	Youngling Saber Training				
11:30am - 12:00pm					
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Quidditch with the ASU Sundevils	What Are You TOLKIEN About? (Lord of the Rings Trivia)	Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay	The Essential Spider-Man (12:15-1:15PM)	
12:30pm - 1:00pm					
1:00pm - 1:30pm				Todd McFarlane Celebrates SPAN'S 30th Anniversary! (1:45-2:45PM)	
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Syndicate Saber Presents: The Temple of the Trial	Geek Speed Dating (18+)			
2:00pm - 2:30pm					
2:30pm - 3:00pm					
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Beginner Bellydance Lessons with Ghazal Beledi	Geek Speed Dating (18+)			
3:30pm - 4:00pm					
4:00pm - 4:30pm					
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Closed to public for event set up				
5:00pm - 5:30pm					
5:30pm - 6:00pm					
6:00pm - 6:30pm		BRA Presents: Golden Girls Bingo Extravaganza	Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay		Closed to public for event set up
6:30pm - 7:00pm					
7:00pm - 7:30pm					
7:30pm - 8:00pm		Phoenix Fan Fusion Comedy Show (18+)			Queen Lantern Corps Dragstravaganza II
8:00pm - 8:30pm	Poker: Kids Need To Read Charity Tournament Presented by Lupine Entertainment (18+) (7:00PM-2:00AM)			Closed to public for event set up	
8:30pm - 9:00pm					
9:00pm - 9:30pm					
9:30pm - 10:00pm					
10:00pm - 10:30pm					
10:30pm - 11:00pm					
11:00pm - 11:30pm		Free Stand Up Comedy Show (18+)			Burlesque: The Revenge of Nerdlesque (18+)
11:30pm - 12:00am					
12:30am - 1:00am					

9:00AM-8:00PM

VIP Lounge

Lounge Access is for VIP credential holder and one (1) PAID EVENT Sidekick or one (1) child only.

North 127A

9:30AM-4:30PM

Open Seating for Attendees

Open seating available to attendees.

North 120CD

9:30AM-7:00PM

Cosplay Lounge

Cosplayers! Need a place to relax or fix a broken part of your cosplay? Then the cosplay lounge is for you! Join your friends from the Blue Ribbon Army and sit a spell, fix minor wardrobe malfunctions, eat some food uninterrupted and have a chance to put your feet up for a much needed rest. This space is only for cosplayers and their handler.

North 229AB

G 10:00AM-4:00PM

Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay

Susan Onysko is attending conventions in every state and photographing the amazing cosplayers on location to be assembled into a coffee table book at the conclusion of the 50th state. Susan and her team will be on the floor handing out Golden Tickets for a free thirty-minute professional studio shoot to those with exceptional examples of cosplay. Participants sign a model release during the session and receive one fully retouched high-resolution JPEG by email after the convention.

GUEST: Susan Onysko

West 213B

G 10:00AM-7:00PM

CosTalk Live Lounge

Come and meet the hosts of CosTalk Live, a cosplay streaming talk show based in Phoenix, AZ. Have a chance to show off your cosplay during our scheduled livestreams or share your experiences with our hosts! The Lounge is located inside the Cosplay Lounge, stop by for the Live Stream daily schedule. This is open to cosplayers and their handlers only.

GUEST: Jinx Cosplay, ThermoCosplay, Liz Todd

North 229AB

G 10:00AM-8:00PM

RealTime STEAM hosts Science Displays

Travel through space, take a picture with Pluto (yes, the planet), or go back in time with the Doctor at Heritage Square. Identify the variant in the time stream. Maybe prove just how the Girl Scouts have changed since you were one, or identify your next cookie location. Or learn how Greenlight Solutions is preparing students to lead organizations into a sustainable future. All possibilities exist in room 128B... come check it out!

GUEST: Lowell Observatory, Heritage Square At Heritage And Science Park, Phoenix Herpetological Society, Girl Scouts of Arizona Cactus-Pine, Rachel's Reptile Rescue, Phoenix Zoo, Wild At Heart Raptor Rescue, Greenlight Solutions

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Wild At Heart Raptor Rescue

Wild At Heart (Wah) is a rescue, rehabilitation, and release center for birds of prey in Arizona. Our primary purpose is to rescue injured owls, hawks, fal-

cons, and eagles, rehabilitate them, and, ultimately, release them back into the wild.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Lowell Observatory

Lowell Observatory is an independent, non-profit research institution founded in 1894 by mathematician and astronomer Percival Lowell. Today, our mission is to pursue the study of astronomy, conduct research, and bring astronomical education to the public.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Heritage Square

Get more 1900! Heritage Square is a striking reminder of the city's vibrant Victorian past. Located on Block 14 of the original townsite of Phoenix, the Square dates back to the late 1800s, and the restored Rosson House Museum is its crowning jewel. Whether you love history, technology, good food, or just a quiet place to reflect - a visit to Heritage Square is for you!

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary

Promote conservation and preservation of native and non-native reptiles through education, rehabilitation, rescue, and relocation

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Girl Scouts AZ Cactus Prime

Girl Scouts bring their dreams to life and work to-

gether to build a better world.
North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Phoenix Zoo

Arizona Center for Nature Conservation advances the stewardship and conservation of animals and their habitats while providing experiences that inspire people and motivate them to care for the natural world.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Greenlight Solutions

Empowering students, professionals, and community members to catalyze sustainable business initiatives.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Phoenix Boys Choir

The Phoenix Boys Choir, through educating boys in the art of singing and performing the finest music in the boy choir tradition, develops character, discipline, leadership, global awareness, and a strong commitment to excellence, thereby contributing to the greater Phoenix musical life and enhancing Arizona's cultural reputation nationally and internationally.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Vitalant Blood Drive and Be The Match Bone Marrow Registry

Not all heroes wear capes! Be a hero today and donate a part of yourself to better someone else's life and your own.

North 123 Blood Drive

10:00AM-8:00PM

The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation

The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation (the Foundation) convenes and catalyzes business, education, and community to enhance college and career readiness, develop a stronger workforce, and build healthier communities throughout Arizona.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-9:00PM

Phoenix Gaymers Diversity Lounge

The Diversity Lounge, presented by Phoenix Gaymers, is a welcoming and safe space for people of different races, genders, sexualities, cultures, faiths, and accessibility/non-visible/non-apparent needs to meet up, relax, and build community.

West 104AB

10:00AM-11:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit:

The Captain's Mutiny

Captain Black is an old Sea Dog who has always told his crew "Share and share alike." Recent plunders have been very fruitful! But, you and your suspect the captain has been keeping more than his share. The last person to mention this out loud quickly walked the plank. The crew has opposed your request for a mutiny. The captain is ashore in search of more rum. You must quickly locate the hidden treasure or be forced to walk the plank. Hurry! This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_1



10:00AM-11:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit:

Steampunk Revolution

The industrial revolution is alive and well with fresh ideas and wild new fashion. Inventor Cyrus Pennyworth has grown tired of being marginalized and is out to prove that he is the best inventor ever. His time machine is nearly finished and, if completed, he will secure his legendary status. Can you and your team help him complete it and escape before rival inventors show up to steal his ideas? This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_2

10:00AM-11:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit: Tohua Island

Tohua Island is the perfect Polynesian getaway with a rich lore! The locals love and worship their god of weather, Tāwhirimātea as well as her children who are said to influence the various weather elements. You've just arrived to a huge luau, but someone has stolen and locked up all of Tāwhirimātea's little Tiki children. She has conjured up storm clouds that are fast approaching and threatening the entire island. The Tiki children must be found and returned to please Tāwhirimātea and save the island. Can you find and return them in time? To increase your odds, you will be one of six teams all working towards the same goal. (Teams may have up to 8 players.) This roughly 45-50 minute adventure offers begins at the top of every hour from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 4pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_3

10:30AM-11:00PM

Altered Combat laser tag

Altered Combat brings high-energy, high-tech tacti-

cal laser tag to Phoenix Fan Fusion! Take part in a non-stop, arcade-style battle where you will fight for your team's dominance and a spot as one of the top 5 players. Every experience includes a briefing, equipment outfitting, 10 minutes of Team Deathmatch gameplay, and a debriefing. The battle begins each day at 10:30 am and ends at 11:00 pm on Friday/Saturday and 4:30 pm on Sunday. The cost is \$15 per player per flexible time slot (16 players max) or \$25 per player for an unlimited day pass while supplies last. Flexible time slots and unlimited day passes can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

West 103AB

G 18+ 10:30AM-11:30AM

The Boys- From the Page to the Screen (18+)

Wee Hughie, Billy Butcher, Mother's Milk, Frenchie, and the Female have made their move to go to war with Vought-American and the Seven, taking the Garth Ennis comic The Boys and turning it into an Amazon series that shows us just how insane it would be if our government subsidized superhumans. But what changes have been made in the streaming adaptation? That's what we're going to get into...

GUEST: Guido Martin, Killian Davies

North 228B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Youngling Saber Training

The Sith is out there, are you prepared? All younglings 6 years of age and older are encouraged to garnish the skills needed to fight the empire. The Phoenix Saber Academy will teach you how to properly wield a lightsaber, and bases its training in real martial arts. Techniques explored will be footwork, blocks, strikes all building up to more advanced techniques. The hour will be divided into two identical 30 minute instruction sessions.

GUEST: Phoenix Saber Academy

West 106ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Anime Anonymous

Anime Anonymous is a group discussion / meet-up panel that will discuss the feelings that fans experience when watching anime, reading manga and playing through anime related games. Panel attendees are strongly encouraged to participate in this interactive panel that aims to create new relationships and bonds between fans that have common anime interests.

GUEST: Anime Anonymous

North 222AB

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

I'm The Producer: Superheroes and Secrets

How do you create a series? How do you make it? The producers of Comic Kombat and Drunk Comics University are producing an entire season of their game show series right here at Phoenix Fan Fusion. The panel experts will share insider secrets to getting the IP rights to your favorite character, protecting the IP you create, and the step-by-step guidelines you need to move from idea and concept to production and distribution. The producers will conduct a casting session for the show at the conclusion of this panel.

GUEST: Matty Kirsch, Cat Pappas, Andrea Rothstein, Keir Worthy, Leo Ramos

North 227AB

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

LGBTQ+ Representation in Children's Media

Representation matters, and in the last couple

decades, we've seen a lot more LGBTQ+ representation in children's media! Come discuss the shows, books, movies, games, and music that have had an impact on us and the generations to come.

GUEST: Estevan Pina, Marina Sharpe, Leo Alarcon
North 223

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Power Rangers Comic Book Universe

Attention all Power Rangers fans! If you have not discovered the Powers Rangers comic universe, this panel is for you. Come learn about the comics from Boom Studios and their tie in to the Massive-Verse at Image Comics. If you are already a fan, come and share you love of the Power Rangers!

GUEST: Rebecca Kronenfeld
North 225B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Under the Surface:

Mental Health and Encanto

Did watching Disney's ENCANTO give you *feelings*? Join to break down the mental health lessons we can learn from the magical Madrigal family. In this panel we WILL talk about Bruno, intergenerational trauma, and how we can move forward while waiting on a miracle.

GUEST: Christin Pike, Sorrin Garcia, Jared Dinehart, Jennifer Doxey, Matthew Doxey
North 128A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Adventures and Disasters in Science: How Does Science Get Done Anyway?

Listen to tales of adventure and disaster from the field by scientists in the endless pursuit of knowledge!

GUEST: Matt Chew, E. Susanne Daly, John Christoph
North 130

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

What is Love? Baby Don't Hurt Me: The Science of Love

We've been to the bottom of the ocean and to the surface of the moon, but have we ever stopped to look inside of ourselves? Join us as we use the cold and logical scientific method to figure out what's making you feel all warm and fuzzy!

GUEST: Lily Villa, Christina Forbes, Alex Gerhard
North 131A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Retro Anime

Ever heard of a Mermaid's Tale? Have you seen Haibane Renmei? Join us as we discuss some of the most obscure anime to hit the western markets. Many of these were VHS long lost in thrift shops or a randomly imported gift for someone who never had interest in the subject matter. We will chat about the themes of these anime and why we think they never really became popular in the U.S.

GUEST: ThermoCosplay, Jinx Cosplay, Alanna Dawson
North 125AB

G PE 10:30AM-11:30AM

Writing Workshop: Foundations of Success

New York Times Bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole will help you organize yourself so you have a head start on success when you sit down to begin your writing career. He will cover everything from how to plan projects, how to make time for writing and the plethora of mistakes writers make which hold them back from becoming the best writers they can be. Cost is \$10 - sign ups available at the door.

GUEST: Michael Stackpole
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

"Who let the machine learning algorithm watch The Matrix?" AI, machine learning, and future robot uprisings

Movies like Extinction give great examples of what could happen when A.I. robots become self aware and begin asking things like "What is my purpose?" "Why do I feel?" and "Are you Sarah Connor?"

GUEST: Lily Baye-Wallace, Khester Kendrick, Erica O'Neil
North 131BC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

It's EXPANSE-ively Good Sci-Fi

Join as we take a look at The Expanse and its interesting history, from an award winning book series, to Syfy, and now to Amazon. This franchise has so much to offer its fans. A rich universe, diverse characters, outstanding visuals, and a great philosophical look at ourselves.

GUEST: Crystal Lloyd, Eric Lloyd, Lejon Johnson
North 122ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

The Darker Side Of Things Part 1

Think you have what it takes to solve a murder case? Join best-selling paranormal mystery author T.M. (Tina) Williams as she guides the audience through real unsolved cases. This is an interactive panel with visual and audio evidence. She even provides cases to take home with you. 18 + over for disturbing material. Not for the faint of heart.

GUEST: Tina Williams
North 129B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Cybersecurity and Video Games

Learn how to protect yourself and loved ones when playing video games. Improve your security!

GUEST: Eric Wile
North 228A

10:30AM-11:30AM

Disembodied Voices In The Dark

This panel explores horror in podcasting. We'll look at some of the different types of horror podcasts ranging from the academic to the fun, the kill count



to narrative fiction podcasts, and pods taking horror inspiration to other areas of life.

North 127BC

10:30AM-2:45PM

Lego Free Build

Come let your inner Lego maniac free!

West 102ABC

10:30AM-5:30PM

Bookman's Presents Youth Games and Stories and Activities

OH MY! Bookman's Entertainment Exchange is a sponsor of youth activities. Each day characters of all sorts will be conducting fun activities and game challenges for attendees.

West 101ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Rise Of The Nephalem: Diablo Lore

Gather and bear witness to the eternal conflict between the High Heavens and the Burning Hells. This journey will take you from the birth of the Diablo universe to the arrival of the Mad King Leoric in Tristram, the Prophecy of the End Days, and the summoning of Lilith from the Abyss.

GUEST: Nick Quaglietta
North 227AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Bad Boys of Horror

In horror movies the villains have just as many (if not more) fans than the "good guys". Come share your favorites while we gush about the Jasons, Freddy's, and Michaels of horror cinema.

GUEST: Brian Haas
North 129B

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

WOW! Alliance vs. Horde

In The World of Warcraft, who is better? The alliance or the horde?

GUEST: CelestialKatCosplay
North 129A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Designing with a Passion, not Frustration

When it comes to designing characters, it can be frustrating at times, whether you design characters for books, movies, or RPGs. To help you out, we'll cover how to get over art blocks, work your imagination through sketches and why it's important to take breaks in between. So grab those pencils and get ready to draw that passion back in again.

GUEST: Tony Pham
North 128A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Location-scouting your novel and Comic Book

Where you choose to set each scene in your story has a long-ranging impact on your entire novel, novella, short story, or comic book. Tom Leveen, acclaimed author who has been published by Random House and Simon & Schuster will teach you how to make deliberate choices for your setting using sensory details to grab your reader's full attention on every page. (This seminar costs \$10 to attend.)

GUEST: Tom Leveen
North 226A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Special Effects Makeup for Beginners

Are you ready to learn about cosplay SFX makeup?

We will discuss the pros and cons of: grease, cream, powder, water based, alcohol based and silicone suspended makeups. Be prepared to also gain insight on: adhesives, latex vs latex free, silicone, prosthetics and more! If you're just getting started let us help you pave the path to creative makeup freedom!

GUEST: ThermoCosplay, Jessika Malic, Patricia Connelly, Liz Todd
North 125AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Medieval Playtime!**

Come play games with the Kingdom of Umbria! They will be playing authentic medieval games such as marbles, hopscotch, blind man's bluff, etc. Experience the fun of the middle ages!

GUEST: The Kingdom of Umbria
West 105BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Quidditch with the ASU Sundevis**

Do you have what it takes to catch the Golden Snitch? Maybe you fancy yourself a Beater or Bludger? Meet the ASU Quidditch team, and learn the basics of the game. Join a house team and play an impromptu match!

GUEST: ASU Quidditch Team
West 106ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Youth Can Draw, Too!** **LIVE CHIBI DEMONSTRATION**

When it comes to art, age doesn't matter. Anyone can be an artist! Children can come learn and draw in a cute chibi style at this safe and family friendly environment. Hosted by a professional artist who's been drawing for over 15 years.

GUEST: Kat Densetsu
West 101ABC Event Area

12:00PM-1:00PM **Nini Music Session 1**

Nini will be performing originals, anime OPs, video game themes, as well as a world record speed performance on her traditional Chinese instruments.

North 221ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **What Are You TOLKIEN About?** **(Lord of the Rings Trivia)**

Who's up for some Tolkien Team Trivia? Do you know the Extended Trilogy and Extended Hobbit Films? Have you been studying your Simalillion? Bring your own fellowship of friends into the lounge, and compete to win... "What Are You TOLKIEN About Trivia"!

GUEST: Jennica Dombrowski, Hayl Daugherty
West 211AB

12:00PM-1:00PM **Ranking Batmans**

This year saw the release of the tenth live action Batman movie since 1966, and so many great animated features. Which one is the best? Which one is truest the the Batman we see in the comics? There is no wrong answer! Come and share you love of your favorite Batman movie...

North 225A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Animaru Maid Café**

Welcome home, Masters and Princesses! We are Animaru Maid Café, an endangered animal-themed maid café inspired by the maid cafés of Akihabara, Japan, and we're bringing the maid café experience

to Phoenix Fan Fusion! As a group of activists, humanitarians, and environmentalists, at least 50% of the proceeds from merchandise sales at our event will go to charity. We are so excited to take you with us on our journey of making the world a better place!

GUEST: Animaru Maid Café
North 224AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Arizona Author Spotlight**

Arizona is rich in natural beauty and history but is also blessed with a abundance of accomplished authors. The Arizona Author Spotlight gives these authors a chance to highlight their works and maybe help you find undiscovered gems in your own backyard.

GUEST: Kelly deVos, Lisa McMann, Matt McMann, Joanna Ruth Meyer
North 226BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Deleted Scenes: Books and Editing**

Editing is hard work; most authors would probably put it in much less glowing terms. These authors discuss how hard it is to see some of their work end up on the cutting room floor and maybe offer a few stories of regret about things they did leave in or take out.

GUEST: Ryan Dalton, Heather Walter, Zoe Hana Mikuta, Axie Oh
North 227C

12:00PM-1:00PM **Dragon Ball Z: The Interactive panel**

So, you want to talk about Dragonball. You might even want to say why a certain character is your favorite, or you just want to spew some random meme that might get a good chuckle out of someone. Well, this is the panel just for you, come join Nerdrage and YoungWayu in our Yearly Traditional of Dragonball, Where we do things ranging from trivia to discussions about x y and Z specially. Join us on our million man scream trying to find the true super saiyans hiding in our mists.

North 222C

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Marvel's LGBTQ Revolution**

The Comics Code made it impossible for LGBTQ characters to exist, let alone be represented in a positive light for decades. Northstar may have been Marvel Comics' first character to come out of the closet in the 1990s, but since, the company has not just introduced more LGBTQ characters, but have portrayed them in stories in compelling ways. Representation is important, and we're going to talk about the milestones of Marvel's bold choice to be inclusive, and look forward and not back.

GUEST: Mars Bean, Estevan Pina, Shawn Parkinson
North 223

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Why Galaxy Quest belongs in the Star Trek Universe**

Galaxy Quest was a loving homage to the original Star Trek show. The director, Dean Parisot, wished to create a good Star Trek movie as he filmed Galaxy Quest, we think he succeeded. The Thermians from Utah, would like to give you the opportunity to experience the magic of Galaxy Quest for yourselves, through an interactive Galaxy Quest/Star Trek quiz show. When we are done, we think you will agree that Galaxy Quest belongs in the Star Trek universe.

GUEST: Thermians from UT
North 124AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Tears in the Rain: The science of Blade Runner**

Blade Runner is set in a distant future with flying cars and synthetic humans. Oh wait, it was supposed to be 2019. What went wrong (or right!) and how close are we to the advancements seen in the films?

GUEST: Heni Ben Amor, Stevie Winingear, Jim DeGraffenreid
North 130

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Merchandise Mayhem...The Weird, The Odd, The GAME!**

A game show for those who love to hoard nerd loot like a dragon! We all love our loot and hunt for the perfect piece for our collection! Now! Join the game show all about merchandise! Can you figure out the prices of the weird, odd, and valuable pieces of pop culture?

GUEST: Billy Bolt
North 230

12:00PM-1:00PM **A Marvel-ous Fashion Show!**

Calling all Marvel characters to join us for our very first Marvel Fashion Show! You will have a "marvel-ous" time strutting your stuff on the catwalk or cheering for your favorite Marvel hero (or villain...). No need to pre-register, just show up and join the fun!

North 232ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **"I'm fine, I ate 100 Blue Mountain Flowers!" Herbalism in Video Games**

Mario eats random mushrooms for power, apples heal wounds in Fortnite, and don't get us started on the Dovahkiin's bizarre eating habits! Learn from the experts what video games get right (and wrong!) about botanicals.

GUEST: Jesus Villa, Christina Forbes, Melissa Sedler
North 131A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **A Surprise to be Sure: A retrospective on science in the Skywalker Saga**

42 years after the release of A New Hope, the Skywalker Saga has come to an end. In this panel, experts will look at the impact of these films on science and technology and how long it might be before we can attempt the Kessel Run.

GUEST: Patrick Young, Spencer Morrell, Brian Johnson
North 131BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Memento Mori: A Tribute to Unus Annus**

It has been over a year since the death of Unus Annus, and now we can finally come together to pay our respects to our beloved cult leaders... we mean uh... YouTube Channel. Join us as we remember some of our favorite memories: from cooking breakfast... to pee sauna, to roughing it in the woods. Let us come together to laugh, to cry, and to honor the life changing movement that was Unus Annus and reflect on the impact they have made on our lives, as well as the world. Memento Mori Friends, we'll see you on the other side.

GUEST: Annie Ethington
North 228B

G 12:00PM-1:00PM **Disney: Live vs Original**

Animation or live action? Which did it better? Which

was more relatable? Which was more enjoyable? Come find out as we pit animated Disney films with their live action counterparts!

GUEST: Phoenix Fandom Productions
North 222AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Star Trek: Discovering Discovery

We're reviewing Star Trek: Discovery's seasons thus far, and trying to see how Capt. Burnham and the crew are changing the idea of what a Star Trek show can be for fans, pulling in old continuity, but giving mind-bending twists to what you've known from the franchise so far.

GUEST: Crystal Lloyd, Eric Lloyd, Amy Gray, Kristen Cayatineto, Tony Breecher
North 122ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

RPGs Deep Dive: Enriching your life with RPGs

Put on your imaginary scuba gear and join Phoenix RPGs for a delve into the vast ocean of RPGs, primarily how RPGs enrich your life and even have a positive effect on those around you.

GUEST: Mariah Johnson, Trevor Duston, Victor Gomez
North 228A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

So You Want to Own a Comic Book Store?

Have you ever wanted to own your own comic book store? Come talk to experts in the field of comic shop owning and knows the in's and out's for running a comic shop!

GUEST: Cab Comics
North 225B

G 12:15PM-1:15PM

The Essential Spider-Man

Spider-Man has been swinging through the Marvel universe for 60 years. Through that time we have seen Spidey evolve into the character he is today. Come and learn from some of the creators that have shaped the character.

GUEST: Howard Mackie, Bob McLeod, Mike McKone, Scott Hanna
West 301A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

BS Movies Live Podcast; 80's Horror

The birthing ground of numerous iconic franchises, filled with spectacular practical effects and crazy performances, the 1980's changed the way horror films were made and marketed. Join us as we discuss some of the horror movies that best define the 80's.

GUEST: Brian Haas
North 129B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Pop Culture Junkie: Get Your Fix

Tune in to a live recording of a local podcast about all things pop culture. Alexander Castillo-Nuñez, Hayley Tracy, Nicole Eldridge and Shauna Trinidad are the Pop Culture Junkies. The episode will feature some amazing guests from among the artists, cosplayers, and vendors at the show. We'd tell you who they are, but we don't know yet! What we do know is that this episode will be interesting and fun for all. Come be a part of the show!

GUEST: Pop Culture Junkies
North 128A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

You Can PRINT That?! 3D Printing and Cosplay

Ever wish you could push a button and bring your costume creations to life? Well now you can. We'll show you everything you need to get started on printing your own props and costumes.

GUEST: Branden Blanch, Shanna Blanch
North 231ABC

1:30PM-2:30PM

Magical Girl Transformation Domination

Everyone knows one of the most iconic marks of a magical girl is the transformation sequence. But which one is the best of all time? Join as we discuss what makes a transformation sequence truly iconic in this head to head battle for the crown!

North 222AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Paper Cranes and Conversation

Enjoy a casual chat as you learn how to fold an origami paper crane. We will discuss mental health and the challenges of the past few years. As you learn how to fold origami paper cranes, take a moment to remember friends and family gone too soon and reflect on how having creative hobbies can help us navigate challenging times. Inspired by the book Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes.

GUEST: Christin Pike, Sorrin Garcia
West 101ABC Event Area

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Syndicate Saber Presents:

The Temple of the Trial

Bring the kids and join Syndicate Saber in a fun, rousing kids interactive show as we follow a group of pirates... Er, "archeologists" as they try to uncover the mysteries (and treasure!) of a Jedi temple! Fun for all ages!

GUEST: Syndicate Saber
West 106ABC

1:30PM-2:30PM

Fantasy My Hero Academia!!

Come join the BNHA crew as they answer your questions, challenge your knowledge of BNHA with some trivia or some truth or dare!

North 222C

1:30PM-2:30PM

Nini Music Session 2

Nini will be performing originals, anime OPs, video game themes, as well as a world record speed performance on her traditional Chinese instruments.

North 221ABC

1:30PM-2:30PM

A Beastars Cosplay Panel

Who's YOUR choice for the next beastar? Come say hi to the students of Cherryton academy! Ask them your burning questions and be the winner of our very own Beastars raffle! See you soon!

North 227AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Animaru Maid Café

Welcome home, Masters and Princesses! We are Animaru Maid Café, an endangered animal-themed maid café inspired by the maid cafés of Akihabara, Japan, and we're bringing the maid café experience to Phoenix Fan Fusion! As a group of activists, humanitarians, and environmentalists, at least 50% of the

proceeds from merchandise sales at our event will go to charity. We are so excited to take you with us on our journey of making the world a better place!

GUEST: Animaru Maid Café
North 224AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

X-Wing Mini S0S (Save Our Squad)

If you love X-Wing Miniatures, or Star Wars and gaming, we've got the panel for you! We're going to discussing various squad building apps, gameplay types, and strategies, as well as how we learned to stop worrying and love X-Wing 2.0!

GUEST: Skyler Hugo, Zachary Hugo
North 228A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Magic Systems in Literature

Magic fires the imagination and carries readers away into mysterious, arcane realms. Authors share their experiences and insight into creating believable systems of Magic for fictional universes.

GUEST: Lisa McMann, Romina Russell, Peter V Brett
North 226BC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

An Introduction to Constructing

Foam Armor

You've seen so many great costumes on the exhibition floor and wondered how do they do that?? Well, join Aaron Engelbeck (AKA Neo Cosman), Gary Griggs (AKA Pink Wookiee) and Erik Erspamer (AKA erikvonwulf) as we discuss the bare bones basics on how to get started with your first pieces of foam armor including materials needed, first steps, and basic techniques. Q and A session to follow.

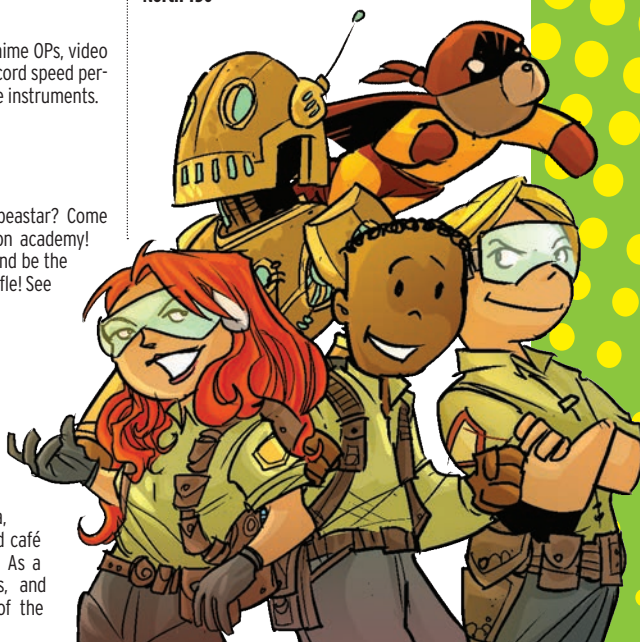
GUEST: Aaron Engelbeck, Erik Erspamer, Gary Griggs
North 122ABC

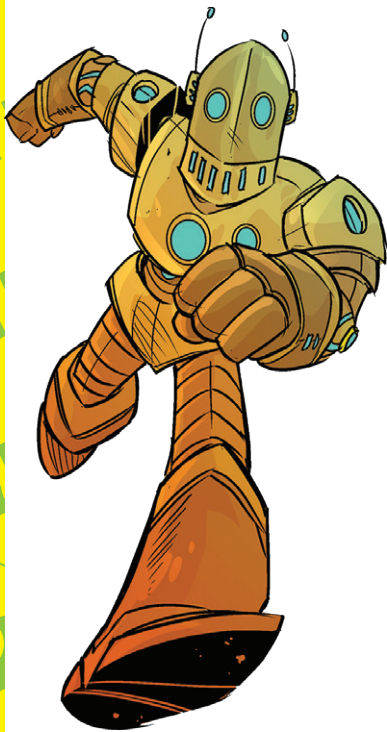
G 1:30PM-2:30PM

A Belated Celebration of Earth Day's 50th Anniversary

Earth Day was founded in 1970, inspired by an oil spill the year before. Come to this panel to learn about the history of this celebration of the Earth, and what the future may hold for our Pale Blue Dot.

GUEST: Kathryn Kitzmiller, Lily Villa, Rachel Pikstein
North 130





G 1:30PM-2:30PM **Pokemon Cosplay Fashion Show**

Piplup, Spotlight! Bring your favorite Pokemon cosplay and pose with your favorite Pokemon via AR. Sing, Interact or tell a short story about how you and your Pokemon became to be best friends.

GUEST: Wise Poke Potters
North 232ABC

G PE 1:30PM-2:30PM **Writing Workshop: Build and Break a Character or Two**

In an interactive seminar, New York Times Bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole will work you through the rigors of creating realistic characters and show you how to make them grow within a story. He'll share many of the advanced techniques he uses for creating characters of depth, intrigue and humanity, who manage to grow in realistic but seldom predictable ways. You'll learn how to create the sort of characters that can carry whole sagas and keep readers locked in and waiting for each new book's release. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door.

GUEST: Michael Stackpole
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **Aiming to Misbehave: Science in Firefly**

Firefly featured space travel, super soldier programs, and drugged lipstick. What is feasible with current technology and what might we see in the future?

GUEST: Karen Knierman, Patrick Young, Benjamin Koval
North 131A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **Scientists rank ways you can be manipulated (You won't believe #1!)**

Sophisticated tools have been developed to profile and directly market to us. How do these work, and how can we protect ourselves from being manipulated?

GUEST: Joseph Holland, Michael Kurtz, Liam Gleason, Shannon Plummer
North 131BC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **The Disinformed Podcast Presents: The Comic Book Code**

The hosts of the popular Disinformed Podcast will present a panel in the vein of their weekly show, where they will discuss the history and facts surrounding the Comics Code Authority and its previous regulation of the content of comic books in the United States. The show's premise is that during the course of the explanation, the presenting host will also add a few lies about the content - and the show's cohosts must attempt to suss out the fiction from the facts. Given this has everything to do with comics, we think it will be a fun topic for attendees!

GUEST: Shane Hunt, Michael Clark, Jon Watkins, Courtney Gifford
North 125AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **Starship Design 101 - A Look At How Star Trek Online Brings New Ships To Life**

The beauty of science fiction is that it marries both art and science in fantastic ways that spark the imagination, and nowhere is that more true than in the incredible machines we envision that might one day take us to the stars. Join Star Trek ship designer and Star Trek Online Associate Art Director Thomas Marrone for a discussion about the art, science, and process of designing starships.

GUEST: Thomas Marrone
North 126ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **The Rise of TikTok Cosplay**

The social media platform TikTok has introduced new ways of building communities, and giving a serving size of entertainment in bite-sized quantities that have been a boon to Cosplayers looking to show off their craft. We're going to talk about what the best trends are, and how to promote yourself and raise your profile to get more eyes on what you've crafted.

GUEST: Jacqueline Stevenson, Alexis Caprioglio, Jasmine Robertson, Kailey MacDonald
North 223

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **What if Robin Stole the Show?**

Sometimes secondary characters develop their own fame in your books. What to do with characters who had such strong quirky personalities. Will exploring them change the direction of your series? Do you give in to fan demands for more of 'Robin', even if you're not feeling it?

GUEST: Patrick Tylee, Terry L. Smith, Jenna Elizabeth Johnson, Jenn Windrow
North 227C

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **The Darker Side Of Things Part 2**

This is your crime junkie fix. Best-selling author, T.M. (Tina) Williams, goes over the crimes we know and disturbing unknown crimes. Visual and audio evidence will be shared in this interactive experience driven panel. 18+ for disturbing material. Not for the faint of heart.

GUEST: Tina Williams
North 127BC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **Behind the Costume**

From Star Wars to Cinderella, someone is putting a lot of effort into creating fantastical costumes in pop culture. Come discuss and breakdown some of the iconic costumes in TV and Movies.

GUEST: Autumn Dayss, Hunter Dayss
North 230

1:30PM-2:30PM **She Hulk! Welcome to the MCU!**

She Hulk is getting her own Disney+ series and we can't wait. Jennifer Walters attorney at law defends the people and kicks butt. She Hulk was one of the first comics to break the fourth wall and talk to the reader. Come and learn and the newest and maybe best Hulk.

North 225B

18+ 1:30PM-2:30PM **Geek Speed Dating (18+)**

In fiction, finding someone new is as easy as finding a big blue box, mystic portal or traveling to a galaxy far, far away. While these may not be in reach - never fear! Geek Speed Dating may be just the ticket to finding someone new to have your own adventures with!

West 211AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **Power Rangers After Saban**

Now four years after Hasbro purchased Power Rangers, let's talk about the show, toys, and how we would like to see Hasbro move forward with the Power Rangers franchise. Bring your ideas and suggestions to the Command Center!

GUEST: Aaron Wax, Cody Taylor Andress, Jamaal Andress Taylor, Glen Smith
North 124AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **Stede + Edward- A Love Story... the OUR FLAG MEANS DEATH Panel**

"Taika Waititi's 'Our Flag Means Death' hit HBO in March, and has been received by fans for its humor, and obsessed over by them for being the delightfully queerest new show in years. Will Stede and Edward end up together, or will Blackbeard's scorn bring about a violent end at sea? Will Oluwande be reunited with Bonifacia? And what happens when the English crown catches word they both backed out of their 10-year pledge to serve the crown? And will Buttons ever get to cannibalize a fellow crew member? These questions and more..."

GUEST: Kayla Cook
North 228B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM **The Happiest Trivia on Earth: Disney Trivia**

Do you love Disney? Do you love silly trivia? Well then come hang out and show off your Disney trivia knowledge! We will be quizzing you on your knowledge of Disney movies, parks, history, and more! This is a great way to meet other Disney nerds and to see who is the "Fairest of them All"!

GUEST: Dani DeShong
North 129A

G 1:45PM-2:45PM **Todd McFarlane Celebrates SPAWN'S 30th Anniversary!**

Megastar artist, McFarlane Toys CEO, and Image Comics President Todd McFarlane (Spawn, Venom) celebrates the 30th-anniversary of Image Comics and Spawn's debut, which changed comics forever! McFarlane made history in 2021 with the BEST YEAR OF SPAWN EVER, breaking several long-held comic industry records and beating out Marvel and DC. McFarlane talks comics, toys, Oddkey NTFs, and McFarlane Films' television development projects.

GUEST: Todd McFarlane
West 301A

G 18+ 3:00PM-4:00PM

Toss a Coin for Your Witcher - The Witcher on Netflix (18+)

Gerald of Rivia hunts demons, and beds women like it's going out of style in several novels that were adapted into video games, and then were adapted into a series on Netflix starring Henry Cavill... so what are they getting right?

GUEST: Annie Ethington, Diego Montemayor, Hayl Daugherty
North 132ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Are You Smarter Than a Video Gamer

A trivia panel where you answer multiple questions from numerous video game consoles and generations. The higher the grade, the higher the difficulty for the question. Get the most questions right to win a grand prize!

GUEST: Jorge Quintero, Yoshi D. Lockhart
North 228A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Drawing with The Janimal

We all can draw! Come and learn with Northern AZ cartoonist, The Janimal. Take simple shapes and learn how to create your own superheroes, animals or whatever your imagination can come up with! For ages 8-18 yrs.

GUEST: Jan Marc "The Janimal" Quisumbing
West 101ABC Event Area

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Cosplay Fashion Show

Our all-ages Cosplay Fashion Show is back by popular demand! Bring your favorite cosplay and show how savvy your slink is. Homemade, store bought, or professionally coutured...this show is all about the costume!

GUEST: Wendy Farrell, RevolvingMel
North 232ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Lego Build Off

Calling all Master Builders - the Lego Build Off needs your skills and imagination for this creation gathering! Join Cactus Brick as they host an epic build off!

GUEST: Cactus Brick
West 102ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Animaru Maid Café

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GUEST: Animaru Maid Café
North 224AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Too Good to Be True - Heroes in Fiction

Guest authors guide fans on a Heroes Journey. We'll explore what makes a hero great as well as what makes a hero relatable and believable.

GUEST: Joseph Nassise, Ryan Dalton, Kelly DeVos, James A. Owen, Marissa Meyer
North 227C

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

DC Costuming Meet-Up!

Join your fellow DC comic fans and creative cos-

players for a Cosplay Meetup. Take a selfie with a matching fan, make new friends, and debate those important facts. Can Batman beat Superman? Can Shazam beat Black Adam. Come on out to make new friends and take some awesome pictures. Sponsored by Justice League Arizona.

GUEST: Justice League AZ
North 231ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Playing Favorites: Authors Discuss Their Favorite Characters

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GUEST: Erin Jade Lange, Matt McMann, Romina Russell, Joanna Ruth Meyer
North 226BC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

A Star Trek Adult Comedy - Adventures on Star Trek: Lower Decks

Did you get some pandemic relief by watching the comic antics of the Lower Deckers on the USS Cerritos? What do you think of the two seasons that have streamed so far? Come discuss among local Star Trek fans, with a look to the upcoming season 3.

GUEST: United Federation of Phoenix
North 126ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Cosplay Community Support

Learn guidelines and safety tips for working with photographers and interacting with con goers while in cosplay at cons.

GUEST: Ryann Kay
North 230

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Inventing Your Steampunk Character

Intrigued by steampunk and want to jump into the world of cosplay? Don't know where to start putting together your steam persona? Join theatre director, actor and cosplayer Katherine Stewart (aka Bustle Girl) to discover the character that best suits you. A wonderful starting point for those intimidated by the genre, as well as a great primer for budding writers and artists! You will learn: How to choose a character, How to flesh out personality, How to make them realistic in a fantasy world. By the end of the panel you will have the beginnings of your very own steam-sona!

GUEST: Katherine Stewart
North 129A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

More than a Canyon: Awesome places to see in AZ

There's more to see in AZ than the Grand Canyon. Did you know that there is a Titan II Missile Silo-turned museum that you can tour outside of Tucson? Come learn about this and other amazing sci fi hot spots in AZ!

GUEST: Melissa Sedler, Bradley Lusk, Shannon Plummer
North 130

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Do I need an Exorcist or a Therapist?

The Exorcist is (very!) loosely based on a true story. A story of the failure of to understand mental health. Come to this panel to learn about this and how our understanding of the mind has improved since then.

GUEST: Autumn Rash, Reggie Nichols, Lily Villa, Carlo Quintanilla
North 131A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Who Gave Indiana Jones Tenure? Archaeology in Media

There's more to archaeology than raiding tombs and punching Nazis. Come to this panel to hear experts discuss what really goes into learning about the past.

GUEST: Dani Phelps, Dani Hoots, E. Susanne Daly
North 131BC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

The Video Game, Game Show.

GUEST: The Video Game, Game Show
North 222C

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Anime Battle Royal

Are you a connoisseur of anime fight scenes? Do you like to see two people beating each other up to a bloody pulp? If you're like us, you cheer when your favorite character lands the final blow to their opponent! Get into this panel where you will see some of the best fights that anime has to offer. Enjoy the exciting, emotional, and sometimes hilarious fights that will leave you wanting more. Only come to this panel if you are ready to see a beat down of some evil - and sometimes heroic - anime characters!

GUEST: Robert Crockett, Cliff McDonald, Ramon Soto, Curtis Hunt
North 124AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Script Doctor: Kingdom Hearts 3

Games must balance mechanics with storytelling; with constant deadlines something is bound to be weaker. Join us as we break down how this long-awaited game left fans more confused than ever.

GUEST: Phoenix Fandom Productions
North 222AB

G PE 3:00PM-4:00PM

Writing Workshop: Do all your characters sound alike?

Honestly, most authors' dialogue sounds pretty much the same. Tom Leveen, the author of seven novels with imprints of Random House, Simon & Schuster, and Harry Abrams, and a 22-year theatre veteran will share with you the secrets of making yours shine, no matter your genre or format, with this fast-paced crash course in practical steps you can take today to improve your dialogue so that every character's voice is distinct -- and marketable. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Tom Leveen
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Oversized Lightweight Props 101

Props and weapons are a big part of cosplay and really make a statement when done right, but that doesn't mean you have to break your back carrying around a giant hammer all day. In this panel learn the best techniques to build oversized props and armor using featherweight materials that you can carry around all day.

GUEST: Mike (Mad Propps) Syfritt
North 122ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Beginner Bellydance Lessons with Ghazaal Beledi

Beginner's Bellydance Lessons with Ghazaal Beledi.

GUEST: Katherine Abruzzese
West 106ABC

3:00PM-4:00PM

Westeros There and Back Again

Ever wonder what it's like to work on a top rated series like HBO's Game of Thrones? Mog Park shares her experience how she almost did not get the job and learns a valuable lesson. She takes you on the journey from script to concept design, environmental development, research to video in The History and Lore of Westeros. Q&A to follow.

North 225B

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Bold Horror Statements

Is Michael Myers boring? Is the best Jason film one that doesn't actually have Jason killing anyone until the end? Do you have strong feelings about Malignant? Is Psycho even horror? Join us as panelists make surprisingly Bold Horror Statements and then attempt to convince you they're right. Cheer with your favorites, boo the ones you hate, and have a scary good time.

GUEST: James Sabata, Brian Haas
North 127BC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

How to Audio Drama

Join veteran audio drama creator Conrad Miszuk (Kakos Industries, The Never Rad Miscellany, Hollow Below) for an introduction to gear, techniques, and best practices for making your first audio drama/Internet radio play. We'll talk about writing, performing, recording, editing, and even promotion!

GUEST: Conrad Miszuk
North 227AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Quick Draw

Watch great illustrators put your ideas to paper. Deadpool riding a T-Rex? Absolutely! Sailor Senshi as a coven of Witches? You bet!

GUEST: Matthew Baptiste-Cerra
North 128A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Garth Ennis a Great Comic Book Writer

For almost 5 decades Garth has been writing some of the most popular titles to some of the darkest things out there. From Preacher to The Boys. Hitman to the Punisher. Garth has existed on the fringe of comic book writing. Come talk about the writer with other admirers.

GUEST: Cab Comics
North 225A

3:00PM-4:00PM

Meet the vision users of Genshin Impact

Come meet your favorite vision users and ask them questions, play truth or dare, and be the winner of our Genshin impact raffle prize!

North 221ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

In Living Colour- POC in Cosplay

Cosplay is an art that is developing in American culture at a rapid fire pace, and as interest in it grows, what opportunities have arisen for POC to get a chance at fame, what challenges do they face within the geek community of being represented well, and where do the lines get drawn for acceptable choices by cosplayers when reflecting characters of differing racial representation? Our panel will open it up for debate...

GUEST: Alexis Edmonds, Jasmine Robertson, Mykhal Lloyd Polite
North 223

18+ 3:00PM-4:00PM

Geek Speed Dating (18+)

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West 211AB

4:00PM-6:00PM

Lego Free Build

Come let your inner Lego maniac free!

West 102ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The Purge Franchise

From its inception as a subplot to a home invasion movie, to its deep exploration of race, socioeconomic status and power dynamics in later sequels, The Purge has evolved over the years. Join us while we discuss where the series has gone and where there are opportunities to explore the idea further.

GUEST: Brian Haas
North 127BC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Did this Happen in Dune?

The Dune universe is expansive, complicated, and it gets pretty weird. Some things seem too bizarre to be believed. Test your ability to detect deception at this humorous and interactive panel. Friendly for all levels of Dune knowledge.

GUEST: Rhoyish Turtle Conservation Society
North 129A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Protecting Your Creative Energy

As artists, authors, entrepreneurs, and creative beings, life pulls us in so many directions, often draining away to our vital energy. Come listen to our panelists' tips and tricks for preserving your creative energy through the day-to-day drudgery, major events, and constant distractions we are forced to give into.

GUEST: Alica McKenna Johnson, Tam Chronin
North 226BC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Trivia for the Rest of Us

Use your own device to play in this inclusive, open, online session covering topics like superheroes, video games, monsters, princesses, Stan Lee, and more! Winners will receive prizes. Everyone is welcome; appropriate for all ages.

GUEST: Debbie Kunes
North 227AB

4:30PM-5:30PM

Bookman's Extravaganza Hour!

Come geek out with Bookman's! Hear stories, answer trivia questions, win prizes and awards. This geektastic extravaganza is brought to you by Arizona mainstay Bookman's Entertainment Exchange.

West 101ABC Event Area

4:30PM-5:30PM

What Makes an Anime Intro Great?

3, 2, 1, Let's Jam! Get into the beat with us as we talk about what makes an epic anime intro. We're talking color theory, symbolism, animation, and the sickest jams you just can't help but rock out to. We'll be discussing some of the GOATs and showing off personal favorites too! Don't hit the skip button

on this panel.

North 222AB

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Skewed and Reviewed:

Upcoming Television Shows

Gareth at Skewed and Reviewed looks at the best stuff coming for the small screen. From the new and existing streaming services to the network and cable shows: this is your one stop for all the news and rumors. Make sure to bring your questions for the Q&A session as this will be faced-paced and lively.

GUEST: Gareth Von Kallenbach
North 122ABC

4:30PM-5:30PM

Bring on the C Listers!

We all know Batman, Superman, Spiderman and the X-Men, but what about all the other superheroes in Marvel and DC, or all those Independent comics. The streaming landscape is filled with little known or c list characters leading their own shows and movies. What does it take to move up to the big leagues and why does it work so well.

North 225B

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay

I have photographed intriguing people and adorable animals in some of the most awe-inspiring locations of the world, but the excitement I feel while shooting characters at comic conventions is in a league all its own. At the conventions, the cosplayers sweep me away into their surreal worlds while I happily hang on for the ride.

GUEST: Susan Onysko
North 231ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Neigh-sayers: The biology of Horses

Horses have played an important part in human history. Learn about their domestication and what makes them tick!

GUEST: Cat Wallace, Deb Nickelson, Rachel Pikstein
North 130

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Harry Potter Meet Up and Trivia

Join AZHPWUC and other local wizards in the area! Meet up and make friends. Show your potterhead knowledge for prizes! Learn tips and tricks about the current Potter games.

GUEST: Wise Poke Potters
North 124AB

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Elevate Your Cosplay

Join Thermocosplay and friends as they offer tips, tricks and advice for elevating your cosplay. We'll discuss using Prosthetics, body enhancers, make-up and advanced materials and more so you can take your costume to the next level! There will be an open Q&A at the end for more advanced cosplay crafting topics.

GUEST: ThermoCosplay, Benjamin Kitts, Robert Webb, Liz Todd
North 230

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Shine On, Danny Torrance:

Stephen King, The Shining, and Doctor Sleep

The hosts of the Disinformed Podcast and members from last Fan Fusion's The King and I panel will present a discussion of the King literary works, and then reflect on their execution in film (be that

miniseries or feature films). This will delve into the Kubrick Shining Film, the recently released film for Doctor Sleep, and the television miniseries Steven King's The Shining, comparing each to their literary companions and each other.

GUEST: Shane Hunt, Renee Cesaro, Michael Clark, Michael Sepulveda, Jon Watkins, Courtney Gifford
North 125AB

G PE 4:30PM-5:30PM **Writing Workshop: Using An Outline To Get It Right**

Ryan Dalton, MG/YA author of THIS LAST ADVENTURE, will walk you through the nuts and bolts of using an outline to develop your story, from concept to characters to setting, and to help them grow together into the story you want to tell. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Ryan Dalton
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The 2010's in Astronomy: A Decade in Review
The 2010's saw incredible advancements in our understanding of the cosmos. Come hear from experts as they discuss what they think the most impactful were!

GUEST: Karen Knierman, Patrick Young, Benjamin Koval
North 131A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

They're taking our jerbs: The science of Automation

Self-driving semi trucks are coming. They will revolutionize the transportation industry... and probably take away A LOT of jobs. What impacts will advancements in automation have on our society, and are we ready for them?

GUEST: Michael Savarese, Larry Henley, Heni Ben Amor, Lily Baye-Wallace
North 131BC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The Stargazer: A Deep Dive Into The New Ships In Picard Season 2

Join Thomas Marrone, Associate Art Director for Star Trek Online and starship designer recently canonized in Star Trek: Picard to discuss the new Starfleet ships that appeared in Star Trek: Picard Season 2's premier episode, "The Stargazer." Thomas will go in-depth on the new design and chat a little about their inspiration, history, and lore.

GUEST: Thomas Marrone
North 126ABC

4:30PM-5:30PM

A Challenger Approaches

Who would win in a fight, Superman or Goku? The real answer is nobody, since this argument has been discussed since the creation of the internet. But who would win, Superman or Goku in a game of rock, paper, scissors or in a game of Mario Kart? In this panel, 32 characters throughout the fictional universe will square off in ridiculous events. Our panel of expert judges will make their compelling arguments, but it's up to you in the audience to determine the ultimate winner. Audience participation encouraged!

North 222C

4:30PM-5:30PM

K-POP Photocard Trading Session

Do you collect K-POP Photocards? Have you been trying to find your ultimate bias's photocard? Then

come on and join us for a session of buying, selling, and trading photocards! We will have tables and sticky notes set up for you to come and bring your photocards for a chance to trade, buy, and sell your cards!

North 221ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The Music of Fandoms

As our favorite genres continue to grow and evolve, so does the music that accompanies them. At the end of a show or movie, these tunes literally leave us on a high note. Presented by Go Soundtracks, panelists share about the scores that shape the stories we love. We will delve into how the music for fantasy, sci-fi, superheroes, and more have developed through the years and what we can expect in the future.

GUEST: Benson Farris, Brynna Andersen, Celine Durney, Jeff Mitchell
North 128A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

"I Am Vengeance"- The Batman vs. All the Other Batman Films

In March, film-goers rushed back to theaters to see the latest film about Bruce Wayne's alter ego, "The Batman", and director Matt Reeves crafted a story that was appealing to the eye, and a grim noir version of Gotham City with a true mystery for the World's Greatest Detective to solve. So we're going to break it down, and explain what sets it apart from all the other film adaptations of the Dark Knight.

GUEST: Killian Davies, Kevin Kittle
North 132ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Mona's Mad Libs!

Meet Mona! She's a spicy author with a problem; her work is too hot for (noun), and needs help (verb)ing words in her (adverb) book featuring devious (plural noun) who like to (verb), (verb), and (verb) all day, without end. Can you help her make her work more PG, or will her series, Lover of Mythic Proportions, forever be labeled: To Adjective To Noun?

GUEST: KT Ireland
North 129B

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Is the Hype Real...? Game of Thrones: House of the Dragon

Way back in 2011, HBO took a chance on making a show out of a little fantasy saga you may have heard of called Game of Thrones, and struck ratings gold. In 2019, it concluded in a way that was panned by fans for how disappointing it was... can HBO's new prequel series, House of the Dragon, re-establish the world of Westeros to one of the most beloved fantasy realms with its all-star cast, and dragons from Episode One?

GUEST: Lauren Mueller, Erika Andrus, Skyelar White, Kailey MacDonald
North 223

4:30PM-5:30PM

Is That A Superhero?

Everyone knows a superhero when they see one, right? Superman, Spider-Man, Wonder Woman and that crowd. Then there's characters like James Bond, Indiana Jones and Captain Kirk. Whatever you'd call them, it might not be superheroes. But what about borderline cases? Join us for a loud-mouthed audience-participation debate as we throw out the name of a character and ask the

question, "Is That A Superhero?"

North 225A

G 18+ 4:30PM-5:30PM

Improv Comedy with Blue Box Improv! (18+)

Unscripted, unanticipated hilarity at its finest! Phoenix's own Blue Box improv comedy troupe are happy to bring you their fourth annual improv comedy show to Arizona's largest comic convention, where everything is made up, and YOU get to be a part of the show via your suggestions or even by coming onto stage (if you dare!)

GUEST: Steve Correia
North 232ABC

4:30PM-7:00PM

Closed to public for event set up.
West 106ABC

5:30PM-6:30PM

Closed to public for event set up.
West 301BCD

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Ummm, Actually...

The only thing a true geek loves more than knowing more than you is TELLING you they know more than you. Join our distinguished panel of "experts" as they read off incorrect geek trivia tidbits, only to be corrected by the audience. But, you only get points if you start off your correction with the words "Ummm...Actually..." in true geeky fashion (extra points if you really ham it up).

GUEST: Alan Sparrow, Steve Mandel, Brooke Unverforth, Scott Madsen
North 128A

6:00PM-7:00PM

Kpop Through the Decades

BTS, EXO, BLACKPINK, most of us know these titans of Kpop today, but where did it all begin? Travel back in time as we watch videos throughout the decades and learn some things about this increasingly popular genre along the way.

North 222AB

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Let's Settle this like Nerds

There are some debates that will just never die, no matter how much we wish they would. Superman v. Goku, Star Wars v. Star Trek, the Book v. Movie (spoiler... the book wins). It's time to put these to bed.

GUEST: Anthony Thornton, Paul Broccolo, Jay Castro, Corban Ford
North 124AB

G 18+ 6:00PM-7:00PM

The Roast of Obi Wan Kenobi (18+)

Obi Wan Kenobi may be a master of quick puns and jokes, but he better watch his appendages during this panel. The jokes thrown during this roast might end with Old Ben thrown into a river of lava.

GUEST: DeVonté Easby, Buck Newman, Autumn Dayss, Hector Garcia, Bubba McComb, Alice Valpey, Hunter Dayss
North 132ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Wand Making for Muggles

While every wand chooses a wizard, ingenious Muggles find a way to craft their own. Learn to make your own wand - but make sure not to tell Ollivanders! This is a make and take! We highly suggest parental guidance for those younger than 13 as hot

glue magic will be used!

GUEST: Very Awesome Girls Phoenix
West 101ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Jeopardy! Supernatural Style

Join Bobby Trebek and his posse of denim-wrapped nightmares to defeat the things that go bump in the night as we play a skillful game of Jeopardy - Supernatural style! Will you cheer for Team Free Will, Team Heaven, or Team Hell?

GUEST: Brett Gathman, Hal Novak, Sammy Begin, Jade Wiseman, Audra Borgnaes
North 125AB

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

I Like Big Bots! (and I Cannot Lie)

You dig giant robots! We dig giant robots! Whether it's Transformers or Gundam, big bots can be found all over pop culture, capturing our interest by overloading our senses. We'll talk about overall designs, morals, and finally answer the question - is bigger always better? Walk your mech, combine your zords, or roll out as we discuss who reigns king of the machines.

GUEST: Billy Bolt
North 227AB

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

The Shield Hero Rises Again

Demi-humans and shield hero supporters alike; gather round for a much anticipated discussion! Season 2 of the Rising of the Shield Hero is finally out, we're all itching to talk about it! We will be touching on content from both seasons thus far, as well as what we'd like to see, and any grievances we may have with how the series was executed. This panel will be focusing on the anime specifically, and there will be spoilers, so if you're new to the fandom, beware!

GUEST: Bronti Hollins, Diego Montemayor
North 223

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Back to the Future - Star Trek: Discovery Seasons 3 and 4

A lot has changed on Star Trek: Discovery since the last Fan Fusion: the crew has jumped to the 32nd Century! The Galaxy is a very different place, as Michael Burnham and the Discovery crew work to rebuild the Federation. Join a group of local Trek fans to discuss the longest-running new Trek show on Paramount+.

GUEST: United Federation of Phoenix
North 122ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

How to get Published

Published authors discuss the process of publishing.

GUEST: Lisa McMann, Matt McMann, Heather Walter, Peter V Brett
North 226BC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

No More Mr. Gneiss Guy: Geology and Dr. Stone

Dr. Stone saves and rebuilds the world with the power of SCIENCE! Hear experts discuss what they got right and how they would carve out a better future.

GUEST: Lori Pigue, Greg Vaughan, Dani Phelps
North 130

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Steampunk on a Budget

Love steampunk? Want to dress up and join in the

fun? Too intimidated to get started? Don't worry - we got you! Join Bustle Girl (Katherine Stewart) and learn to thrift, scrounge, repurpose, and adapt your way to a steam-inspired outfit you can be proud of. From thrift stores to dollar stores, garage sales to online resales, find the components to your creation. Whether it's a no-sew costume or building an ensemble from scratch, the possibilities are endless. Discover tips and tricks to make/alter clothing and accessories, achieving that picture perfect look of a retro futurist. Resources and techniques will be shared, and you'll leave with the inspiration and confidence to start your own costuming journey!

GUEST: Katherine Stewart
North 129A

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Finding The Superhero In Every Child

It's there, you just have to look! Darren Burch - Retired Sgt. Darren Burch spent four years in Military Intelligence and thirty years in Law enforcement. Darren is now retired and hosts BADGE BOYS radio, podcast and TV show. He's written the award-winning "Twisted But True" book trilogy, and was the featured detective on ID Channel's "American Detective with Lt. Joe Kenda." As a Child, Darren had a debilitating speech impediment, due to an auditory processing disorder, and was horrifically bullied at school for many years. With lots of hard work and the help of a retired first grade school teacher, Darren eventually learned to speak and now talks for a living! Laura Pahules, Founder and President of Control/Alt/Delete, has extensive experience in the nonprofit sector in a variety of human service environments. Ms. Pahules knew that domestic violence was a systemic problem that impacted every single organization and agency she managed. From the homeless to foster care, domestic violence was a common denominator. Though her education is outside the realm of human service, she utilizes that education and career experience to run Control Alt Delete - a nonprofit that helps people escape domestic violence by providing one time assistance to remove the barriers that keep them in unsafe environments. When their lives are turned upside down by domestic violence, the strength and clarity of a child to identify the need to flee is often what sets an escape from domestic violence in motion. Susan Stoltz - Author of 13 children's books that not only focus on wildlife and conservation but also on being yourself no matter the peer pressure to be like others. Susan visited schools on a national tour with her Jack Russell Terrier, after she wrote a book about anti-bullying. Her focus was how children manage to find the superhero within themselves, both by seeking help on the one side of the issue, and by changing bullying behavior on the other. It takes a hero to admit mistakes and change behavior.

GUEST: Laura Pahules, Darren Burch, Susan Stoltz
North 228B

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Munching Numbers and Defeating the Master of Mischief: A look at Edutainment Games

Some of us are old enough to remember playing Number Munchers in elementary school! Besides nostalgia, is there real value in these edutainment games? Come hear from the experts to find out!

GUEST: Melissa Sedler, Don Balanzat, Tina Slankas
North 131A

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Sci-Fi Book Club

Scientists share and discuss their favorite science fiction stories!

GUEST: Ryan Anderson, Cat Wallace, Brian Calaway, Shannon Plummer
North 131BC

6:00PM-7:00PM

BRA Presents: Golden Girls Bingo Extravaganza

Do you like BINGO? Do you like the Golden Girls? Do you like dressing like a Golden Girl while playing BINGO. You bet your sweet bippy you do! So why not throw on a flowery mumu, roll up some flesh colored stockings, and join your friends with the Blue Ribbon Army for some St. Olaf's style fun!

West 211AB

6:00PM-7:00PM

The Nerdywed Game

Which Harry Potter house would your friend join? Does your partner like Star Wars, Star Trek, or Battlestar Galactica best? Come on down to our fun and nerdy game show based on the classic Newlywed game. 3 teams from the audience will battle each other to see who knows their partner, friend, or family members best. Let's check your teammates' answers!

North 222C

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

The Royal Manticoran Navy

Meet The Royal Manticoran Navy Fan Association. The Royal Manticoran Navy Fan Association is a fan group celebrating the series of science fiction books based in the Honorverse. Learn about the social, charity, and cosplay activities of our members and how to join The Royal Manticoran Navy.

GUEST: The Royal Manticoran Navy Fan Association
North 126ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

GasLight Circus

Come one come all as Phoenix's Original Theatrical Circus Attraction makes it's Fan Fusion debut! Featuring the talents of Jero the Jester, Connor the Clown, Tommo, and more, The GasLight Circus puts on a highlight reel of some of it's best acts since it's inception in 2015!

GUEST: Baldur Hill, Loki Foster, Jero Keenom, Anita Baker, Maureen Baker, Stephen Miller, Amanda Martin, Arianna Flatt, Tom Hilliker
North 232ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

KPOP Jeopardy

Test your knowledge by playing Jeopardy with us - KPOP themed. We bring to you the classic game show catered to KPOP fans, old and new alike! There will be a variety of categories such as: debuts, members, discographies, and more! The questions will get increasingly harder as the game goes on. Attendees will be put into groups and provided a single white board to write their final answer. The winning team will earn prizes and participants will be given gifts.

GUEST: MCK Dance Team
North 221ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Woulda, Shoulda, Coulda

A candid discussion with authors on mistakes they made in the publishing world, opportunities they missed out on and why, and what they might have done differently, if they had the chance to go back in time and do it again.

GUEST: Jenna Elizabeth Johnson, Katie Salidas
North 227C

G PE 6:00PM-7:00PM **Writing Workshop: Creating Reader Engagement**

There is a difference between stories that readers just read, and stories that pull them in and won't let them go. In this class, New York Times Bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole will share with you sure fire techniques for drawing readers in and keeping them enthralled in the story from beginning to end. LLC. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Michael Stackpole
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 6:00PM-7:00PM **Murder Mystery : The Early ReDIerment of Superman**

Join some of your favorite DC characters as they wish Superman an early ReDIerment! Things are not as they appear, everyone is a suspect. Put your sleuthing skills to the test decipher the clues! The Murder Mystery Players of Casa Grande present a show filled with Murder, Secrets, Mystery and Intrigue. The Early ReDIerment of Superman Can you figure out whodunit?

GUEST: The Murder Mystery Players of Casa Grande
North 224AB

G 18+ 6:00PM-7:00PM **Kill, Marry, Shag (18+)**

Ever wanted to neck with Dracula? Do you fantasize about sharing body parts with Frankenstein's Monster? Ever wondered what The Invisible Man looks like without his clothes? Got any strong opinions about who's the better kisser between The Wolfman, The Phantom, and The Creature? Perhaps you have one too many posters of The Bride hanging in your bedroom? Watch us debate which of the Universal Monsters we'd like to spend the night with, which monsters we'd probably shack up with, and which monsters we'd rather leave buried for eternity. (Audience participation highly encouraged).

GUEST: James Sabata, KT Ireland, Brian Haas
North 127BC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM **The Rise and Fall of Sony Online Entertainment**

The rise to the legendary status of Sony's MMO studio and the twist of fate that is now Daybreak Games.

GUEST: Eric Wile
North 228A

G 6:00PM-7:00PM **Disney Cosplay Sing-Along**

Come sing along to your favorite Disney songs where the playlist will be chosen based off of the Cosplayers who show up! Example: Genie walks in: we play A Friend Like Me! Elsa: Let it go! Etc. plus a backdrop will be provided for ultimate social media fun as we sing along!

GUEST: PrueDuctions , Kai Bowen, Keara Atkinson, Ryan Daly
North 231ABC

G 6:00PM-8:00PM **Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay**

Susan Onysko is attending conventions in every state and photographing the amazing cosplayers on location to be assembled into a coffee table book at the conclusion of the 50th state. Susan and her team will be on the floor handing out Golden Tickets for a free thirty-minute professional studio shoot to those with exceptional examples of cos-

play. Participants sign a model release during the session and receive one fully retouched high-resolution JPEG by email after the convention.

GUEST: Susan Onysko
West 213B

6:00PM-8:30PM **Closed to public for event set up.** **North 120CD**

6:00PM-11:30PM **Closed to public for event set up.** **West 301A**

G 18+ 7:00PM-8:30PM **Queen Lantern Corps Dragstravaganza II (18+)**

Join some of the funniest and most talented drag queens and kings from around the Valley and beyond and a Geek-Themed Drag Show, hosted by Barbra Seville! It's the Queen Lantern Corps sequel you all demanded, QLCD: 2 Fast, 2 Fabulous! Come join this free and fun After Dark Event (with your Friday, Full, or VIP badge), and discover how much fun it is to party at Phoenix Fan Fusion. PREFERRED SEATING AVAILABLE FOR ADDED PRICE *General admission seating is free. A limited number of front of house and preferred seats will be sold in May, prior to the convention. **Must be 18 years or older to attend.

GUEST: Jacqueline Stevenson, Barbra Seville, Yehoshua Magier, Latasha Hughes, Marcus Leathem, Patrick Jervis Jr., Jace Ryden, Hanna Maher, Andi Norton, Cierra Ruiz, Jessica Bechhoefer, Delores Latcher, Gigi DeMilo, Na-il Emmert, Elijah Palles, Kendra Tonan-Lizzarago, Christopher Rapinz-Kesler
West 301BCD

18+ 7:00PM-2:00AM **Poker: Kids Need To Read Charity Tournament Presented by Lupine Entertainment (18+)**

Registration opens at 7PM, games start at 8PM. No Limit Texas Hold'em \$20 donation to participate.

West 106ABC

7:30PM-8:30PM **K-POP Random Dance Play**

Do you know your favorite K-POP groups' choreography?! Then this is the place for you! Come dance with us to many K-POP artists such as BTS, Blackpink, NCT, Twice, Stray Kids, Ateez, Itzy, and Aespa!

North 223

7:30PM-8:30PM **Hyrule Historia**

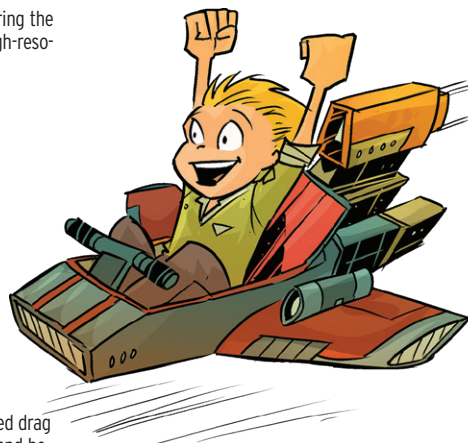
So you finally learned that Link in fact is NOT a girl. Now what? Is there a game to start with? A timeline?? Where does one learn to actually take something because it's dangerous ahead? Well join the Hyrule Historians as they break down the ins and Outs if the franchise. Perhaps you may leave equipped for your next journey.

North 228A

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM **Uncle Yuhki's Anime Dating Game (18+)**

Are you ronery? Join us where we pair one lucky bachelor(ette) with one of three lucky contestants vying for their heart. Anything goes in this panel of cheeky answers and innuendos. So, no Minors. Sorry.

GUEST: Yuhki Kanetani
North 221ABC



G 7:30PM-8:30PM **The Last of Us**

Post-Apocalyptic Game vs HBO Series. Will the fun 'what-ifs' of the game translate into film, or will the producer seek to make this a real post-apocalyptic series. Will it be all glam-gore, or more realistic scenarios?

GUEST: Dr. Bruce Davis, Terry L. Smith, Jace Killan, Micah Sanders
North 227C

G 7:30PM-8:30PM **Dancing for the Social Set**

A social event for geeks of all ages, where everyone is invited to learn some English and Irish community set dances. No experience or partner is necessary. Just come, have fun, and be ready to have a ball!

GUEST: Alex Canto
West 105BC

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM **Wait... This was for Children? Disney Edition (18+)**

Have you been watching things from your childhood on Disney+ and thought, "Wait... this was for children?!" Well we have. And we have thought entirely too much about it. Join us as we over analyze the wonderful world of Disney.

GUEST: Anthony Thornton, Paul Broccolo, Rebella Risque, Richie Anderson, Dana Whissen
North 124AB

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM **Phoenix Fan Fusion Comedy Show (18+)**

Enjoy an evening of comedy from local Arizona comedians and avid nerds as they tell jokes about life, liberty and the pursuit of nerdiness. This show is 18+ so leave the kiddos at home.

GUEST: Ben Lewis
West 211AB

G 7:30PM-8:30PM **P.U.G.S.: Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown**

Witness the ridiculously entertaining carnage of the qualifying round of The Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown (PUGS) as 16 fans square off in heated debates on the silliest comic fest related topics we could come up with! Not to be missed!

GUEST: Jeff Moriarty, Joe Holt, Jamel Singleton, Dannie Moriarty
North 132ABC

7:30PM-8:30PM

Anime Big Three

Come test your knowledge of the big three in anime, Naruto, One Piece, and Bleach! See if you know the big 3 better than your fellow otaku!

North 222C

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Six Degrees of Christopher Eccleston

You've heard of the movie nerd game "Six Degrees of Kevin Bacon?" Come by the panel that gives it a Phoenix Fan Fusion 2022 Twist with the Six Degrees of Christopher Eccleston! Can you beat host Krissy Lenz of the Neighborhood Comedy Theatre with your movie knowledge and connections?

GUEST: Neighborhood Comedy Theater
North 122ABC

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

"You do realize ANYONE can see that?"

Social media and teens

Let's face it, teens all over social media and they are a little too eager to share things (to be honest some of their parents are too!). How do we teach our kids what you do today will be there 30 years from now?

GUEST: Michael Kurtz, Spencer Morrell, Tina Slankas
North 130

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Good Omens: The Nice and Accurate Prophecies of Agnes Nutter, Witch

How would the world end if it were up to you? Come explore the prophecies of Agnes Nutter, the gods, demons, and the stories behind the writing of Good Omens by Terry Pratchett and Neil Gaiman.

GUEST: Dani Carvalho, Ed Vasko, Jay Holmes, Jina Naude, Isaac Fryberger
North 230

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Under the Sea: The Science of the Little Mermaid

Do octopi have magical powers? Are crabs good wingmen? And how on earth did King Triton get so jacked? Come hear from the experts to find out!

GUEST: Michelle Di Palma, Bina Vanmali, Courtney Page-Bottorff, Sharlot Hart
North 131A

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Boredom is the Con Killer: The Science of Dune

Dune has it all. Space feudalism! Giant ships! Mind altering dust! Jason Momoa! Join our panel as we look at the science of Dune and what the future 10191 might look like.

GUEST: Stevie Winingear, Bradley Lusk, Joseph Holland, Carlo Quintanilla
North 131BC

7:30PM-8:30PM

Remembering Brian Augustyn

Please join us in celebrating the life and works of Brian Augustyn who passed earlier this year.

North 227AB

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Representation in Star Trek

The many reincarnations of Star Trek have showcased a wide variety of alien races, actors of many cultures, and a variety of sexual orientations. This panel will explore how the inclusive atmosphere in Star Trek has affected the story and audiences.

Don't put your hands in anyone's beads.

GUEST: Matthew Baptiste-Cerra, Jacqueline Castillo, Mike Bailey
North 128A

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Never Rad Miscellany Live Show

Join the Never Rad Miscellany for a special presentation of their science fiction audio drama podcast live at Phoenix Fan Fusion. See a special convention-themed episode of A Gentleman About Space (Jeeves and Wooster meets the Hitchhiker's Guide), pledge your loyalty to Orgethrek, Master of Darkness and Purveyor of Galactic Destruction, and enjoy some fun sci-fi and surrealist advertisements relevant to your con-going experience.

GUEST: The Never Rad Miscellany
North 126ABC

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM

Anime Anonymous (18+)

Anime Anonymous brings together people with similar interests and feelings towards hentai, doujins, Japanese visual novels and more! This is a meet-up/discussion group panel that will discuss the feelings fans experience when watching adult anime/hentai, reading manga/doujins and playing through anime related games/VNs. Attendees are strongly encouraged to participate in this interactive panel that aims to create new relationships and bonds between fans that have common anime centered interests.

GUEST: Anime Anonymous
North 222AB

G 18+ 8:00PM-11:55PM

Dobutsu Lounge (18+)

Come and relive your sins at Dobutsu Lounge. Our nuns will keep you in line and our Priests will beguile. Joins us for games, prizes, and live entertainment. This event is 18+, masks preferred.

GUEST: Dobutsu Lounge
North 224AB

18+ 8:00PM-11:55PM

Body Painting Extravaganza - Villians (18+)

Welcome back to the Body Painting Extravaganza! This year's dais of talented artists, lineup of breathtaking models and the nefarious theme of "VILLAINS" is sure to impress. Join fellow connoisseurs in witnessing the creation of live body art as five artists (Mark Greenawalt, Brandon McGill, Brandy Wise, Carrie Esser, and Danielle Devonn) transform their living models into some of your favorite maleficent characters. Cameras will be permitted only after the first 30-minutes and once the creative process has completed, the models will participate in a fashion show style runway walk and group photo to shoot to cap-off an evening of art appreciation.

North 232ABC

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Jeopardy! Demon Slayer Edition

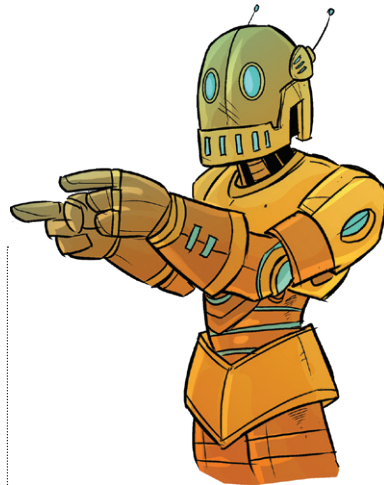
Come and join some of your favorite Demons for a game of Jeopardy! Would you call yourself a pretty big fan of Tanjiro and the gang? Test your knowledge on the story of Demon Slayer and potentially win some cool prizes!

GUEST: Phoenix Fandom Productions
North 221ABC

G 18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

I Want to Play a Game...of Trivia! (18+)

Join us for an in depth discussion on cult classic horror films, their history, as well as the difference



between genres of horror through the use of a trivia style game!

GUEST: Shelby Michael-Scates, Cierra Ruiz, Jadon Figueroa, Kevin Nienhouse, Nicholas Johnson
North 230

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Shh...the phones are listening

There has been an explosion in home devices that connect to the internet. Many of these have microphones. How worried should we be? Come to this panel to hear smart people discuss Smart Devices!

GUEST: Stephen Davis, Spencer Morrell, Michael Savarese
North 130

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Kakos Industries

Congratulations! By reading these words, you are now a shareholder in Kakos Industries, a company that specializes in helping its clients to Do Evil Better. Join CEO Corin Deeth III and special guests for a hilarious, special convention-themed new shareholders' orientation. Kakos Industries is an audio drama podcast with over two million downloads and thousands of monthly subscribers, and it has been going strong for over eight years. You're already a part of us. Come see what that means.

GUEST: The Never Rad Miscellany
North 126ABC

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Wizarding Game Night

Come all ye wizards for a festivities and shenanigans, we will be playing lots of fun interactive games! Sort your favorite random fandom characters for 4 Corners House Sort, watch your favorite Harry Potter characters play some racy Cards Against Muggles, join in some Harry Potter character 20 questions!

GUEST: Lilly Velarides
West 105BC

G 18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

Potter Professors Present: Hogwarts, more Like Snogwarts! (18+)

The Professors are back with their critically "acclaimed" panel on the 18+ side of Hogwarts. They're ready once again to laugh, cry, and pursue the debauchery of the Diagon Alley Red Light District as they discuss slightly risqué topics & comical insights of the Wizarding World!

GUEST: The Potter Professors
North 132ABC

18+ 9:00PM-1:00AM

Anime Rave with DJ HEAVYGRINDER (18+)

In the Name of the Moon- you won't need sixty billion double dollars to party with DJ HEAVYGRINDER! Whatever your Quirk you can dance Super Saiyan style at this free event!

North 120CD

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

"Yeah, that can't be good":

What Eureka got right

Eureka features a town filled with scientists where absolutely nothing ever goes wrong! How accurate was its portrayal of the development of new technologies, and what are some real life examples?

GUEST: Lily Baye-Wallace, Martin Andreas Perez Comisso, Bina Vanmali

North 131A

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Did you remember the TP?:

Doomsday Prepping

Don't let Vault-Tec fool you, preparing for the end of the world is a lot of work. Learn from experts what challenges exist in preparing for the worst-case scenario and how to overcome them!

GUEST: Steven Messer, Cat Wallace, Erica O'Neil

North 131BC

18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

Meme Mayhem (18+)

Now, I know what you're thinking "An 18+ panel about memes? What's going on here?" We're here to tell you it's exactly what you expect! (That is.... if you were expecting an amazing panel) We'll be going over old memes, new Memes, dead Memes, alive memes, memes you might have not heard of or memes that everyone knows. We will even have a raffle and giveaway prizes that are meme related! So join us as we have the most cursed time yet!

North 222AB

18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

My Hero Randomdamia (18+)

Come Join Skullgirl.Cosplay and friends for a fun and awesome experience.

North 222C

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Horror Jeopardy

2 rounds, 3 contestants each, will duke it out for some fun prizes! With topics ranging from movies to video games, this is one game of Jeopardy that is sure to be spooktacular! Hosted by Albert Wesker.

GUEST: Umbrella Corporation, Arizona Hive

North 231ABC

G 18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

DisPort Network LIVE:

Disneyland vs Disney World (18+)

Disney podcasts, "Station 71" and "The Hyperion Review" team up to discuss the age-old question, "Which is better: Disneyland or Disney World?" This live podcase experience will be interactive, likely goofy, and definitely not suitable for little mouse ears! This is an interactive experience and will take audience suggestions for topics and discussions. So put on your favorite pair of Mickey Ears and join us for this live podcast!

GUEST: Station 71, The Hyperion Review

North 125AB

9:00PM-10:00PM

Telephone Pictionary

Ever played telephone? How bout pictionary? Well join us for this hybrid party game that combines the best of both worlds! Be prepared with your favorite fandom quotes and brush up on your stick figure skills! For those who have participated last year, we will have a new twist - our awesome artist will speed draw your favorite cards.

GUEST: Sousa Larson, Sean Rooney, Cheyenne Bramwell, Steven Turcow

North 228A

G 18+ 9:00PM-11:30PM

Burlesque: The Revenge of Nerdlesque (18+)

By popular demand...it's baaa-acck... Burlesque returns to Phoenix Fan Fusion, and this time: It's free to attend! Come see the hottest, geekiest burlesque and nerdlesque performers as they get your eyes wide, your jaw dropping, and your pulse racing. Must be 18+ years to attend. PREFERRED SEATING AVAILABLE FOR ADDED PRICE. Come join this free and fun After Dark Event (with your Friday, Full, or VIP badge), and discover how much fun it is to party at Phoenix Fan Fusion. *General admission seating is free. A limited number of front of house and preferred seats will be sold in May, prior to the convention. **Must be 18 years or older to attend.

GUEST: Shelly Hughes

West 301BCD

18+ 9:00PM-11:30PM

Free Stand Up Comedy Show (18+)

We invite you to an evening of FREE comedy! Be barraged by a horde of nerdy local comedians, regaling you with tales of the things that matter most in life: comic books and video games. FREE comedy at Fan Fusion- it's almost an alliteration.

GUEST: Steve Marek

West 211AB

G 18+ 9:00PM-11:30PM

Twisted and Fisted Puppet Comedy Hour (18+)

Join All Puppet Players for an evening of live... adult... puppets... and see what happens when 80's kids mix The Muppets with South Park and create something on stage that no one else can imagine.

GUEST: All Puppet Players

North 122ABC

G 18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

Uncle Yuhki's Silent Library (18+)

Come on in! Pick a card! Any card! Be careful though! Only the strong AND silent survive- and then get prizes! (ooh~) Team up with friends and work together to complete these ANYTHING goes type tasks- BUT without creating a single sound. If you do, you shall be rewarded. Break the silence- and more punishment shall be had.

GUEST: Yuhki Kanetani

North 221ABC

G 18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

Awkward Fan Fiction (18+)

In the dark, moldy crevices of the internet lie strange stories full of creepy fanships and uncomfortable intimate moments. Join us as we perform dramatic readings from the weird, bizarre, and awkward world of fan fiction. Butter, anyone?

GUEST: Billy Bolt

North 230

G 18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

The Sexy Side of Magic: The Gathering (18+)

"Many Magic the Gathering Players ask themselves, is Magic sexy? The answer is an enthusiastic YES! From Casual to Kinky: let's talk about how MTG strategy archetypes mirror sex and sexuality. "Will you tap that, and put your ability on the stack?"

GUEST: Zachary Hugo, Skyler Hugo

North 223

18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

Quarantine A DC Parody (18+)

Join YoungVayu and NerdRage as we present to you Acevanes take on quarantine as he Parodies the pandemic through a series of hilarious animated skits. Come hang out and take a hilarious break from all the stress with a rib splitting experience guaranteed to make you laugh.

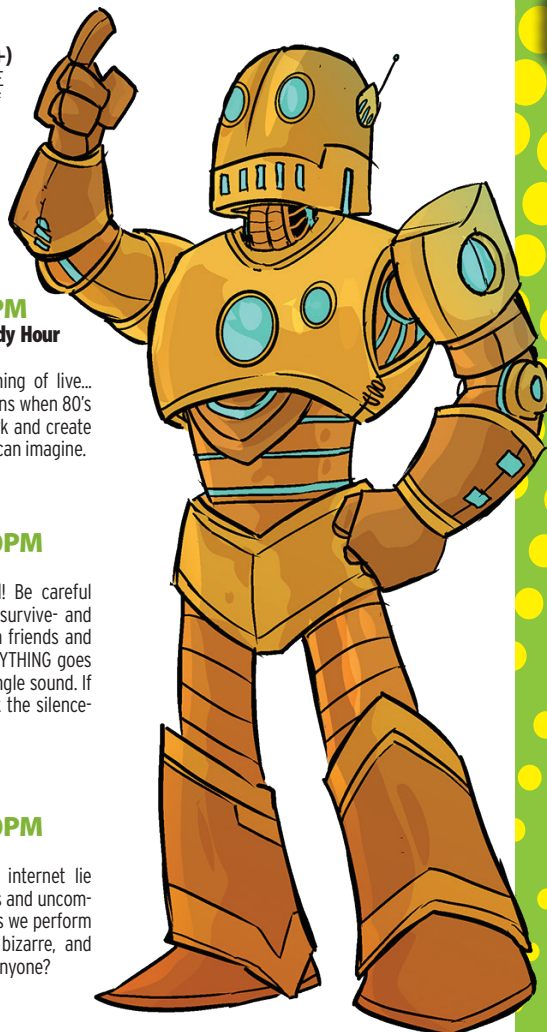
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North 222AB



SAT 28th	North 120CD Events & Seating	North 121AB Escape Room_1	North 121AB Escape Room_2	North 121AB Escape Room_3	North 122ABC Panels	North 123 Blood Drive	North 124AB Fantasy
9:30am - 10:00am	Open Seating for Attendees	Escape room by Time Bandit: The Captain's Mutiny	Escape room by Time Bandit: Steampunk Revolution	Escape room by Time Bandit: Tohua Island		Vitalant Blood Drive and Be The Match Bone Marrow Registry	
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am							
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm					Paranormal Equip- ment: 'What's in YOUR Ghost Bag?'		Weaving the Web: Breaking Down "Into The Spidaverse"
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm					Skewed and Reviewed: Movies of 2022 to 2025		Power Rangers: Team-Up Time
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm					The Mandalorian: This Is The Way		The Potter Professors Present: The "Bad-Guy Wizard Tournament
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Star Wars: The New Trilogy (Episodes VII-IX)	The Latch Key Kidz: Spiderman					
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Closed to public for event set up				Return of Legends - Star Trek: Picard Season 2		Wildest Deaths in Anime (18+)
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm	Baby Yoda Bash: Grogu's 51st Birthday Party				What's Old is New Again - Star Trek: Strange New Worlds		Is That A Wand in Your Pocket (18+)
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm							The Latch Key Kidz : Pokemon (18+)
9:30pm - 10:00pm							
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11:30pm - 12:00am							
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SAT 28th	North 125AB Sci Fi	North 126ABC Sci Fi	North 127A	North 127BC Horror	North 128A Science	North 128B Science Displays	North 129A Fantasy
9:00am - 9:30am			VIP Lounge				
9:30am - 10:00am							
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am	A Very Potter Sing Along!	Help me Obi-Wan, You're My Only Show!		I'm The Producer: Comic Komat	Music of Doctor Who	RealTime STEAM hosts Science Displays	Haven't I Seen This?
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Imposter Syndrome: Examining Stephen King's The Outsider	Can Filoni Save Star Wars?		Horror Is Peanut Butter	Quick Draw: For Kids!	Wild at Heart Raptor Rescue	Phoenix Fan Fusion Ultimate Character Showdown
12:30pm - 1:00pm						Lowell Observatory	
1:00pm - 1:30pm						Heritage Square	
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Unpopular Opinions	The Future of Star Wars		Based On A True Story	Legend of the Creepy and Unknown	Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary	Shakespeare Goes Sci-Fi
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Family-friendly Star Trek: Welcome to Prodigy!	I can't believe my eyes! Virtual Stages and Filming Visual Effects in Arizona		The Scream Franchise	Quick Draw	Girl Scouts AZ Cactus Prime	Continuity - The Game of Fictional Timelines
3:30pm - 4:00pm						Phoenix Zoo	
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Dragons and Their Connecting Thread Across Cultures and Literature	The World of Honor Harrington		Strange Mysteries From Around The World Part 1	Oooh, Don't Tell Me...	Greenlight Solutions	Victorian Flirting - Fans, Gloves, and So Much More
5:00pm - 5:30pm						Phoenix Boys Choir	
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Still Standing: Discussing Stephen King's The Stand	The Batman - Past, Present, Future and Current Conspiracies		Strange Mysteries From Around The World Part 2	Pop Culture Jeopardy	The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation	Samwise Gamgee, the Hero
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm	Five Nights at Freddy's Jeopardy!	Guts and Glory: Film Making from the Inside Out! (18+)		Horror Was Always Woke	Who's Who: The Ranking Dr.'s Who		Ummm... Actually (18+)
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm							
9:30pm - 10:00pm	Smash or Pass: Doctor Who Edition (18+)						

SAT 28th	North 129B Horror	North 130 Science	North 131A Science	North 131BC Science	North 132ABC Panels	North 221ABC Anime	North 222AB Anime
10:30am - 11:00am	Grim Grinning Ghosts: Disney's Haunted Mansion	Scared you!	Catastrophes in Science	Drac Show: What scientists think of vampires	Bad @ss Female Commanders	Just Dance: Love Live Edition	So You Want to Get Into Warhammer?
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Urban Legends	Editing the Script: The Science and Ethics of Human Genetic Modification	Through the Lens: Having fun with microscopes!	WINDMILLS DO NOT WORK THAT WAY: The Science of Futurama	Prop Extravaganza!	MCK Dance Team K-Pop Showcase	Twisted Wonderland Extravaganza!
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Women In Horror	Back in my day: How science has changed since we were in elementary school	Plants Are People Too!: The World of Our Green Friends	The 2010's in Biology and Medicine: A Decade in Review	Star Trek: Picard-Season One and Two	BTS Trivia Kahoot	RWBY: Seasons 7-9
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	The Dark Side Of Disney	Trust Me: Reputable Sources for Science News	Monster Factory: How to scientifically build a fantastical creature	Romani ite domum: Medicine and Technology in Ancient Rome	The Disney Feud!	Lore Olympus: The Greek Immortals Re-Imagined	Coheed and Cambria: The Amory Wars
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	The Big Bads of Buffy	Toss a coin to your Scientist: Witches and medieval monster hunting	Make Like a Tree and Leaf it to Science	That's so Meta: The latest in VR technology	The Growing World of Mermaids: How Can YOU Be One?	Kpop Dance Game	What My Dress Up Darling means to Cosplayers
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Tickled To Death	Flying on Other Worlds	"If I don't do something the world will end. Better run away!": The science of Evangelion	Lex Luthor or Tony Stark? The role of mega-billionaires in STEM	"What The Fic?" - A Fan-Fiction Battle (18+)	Random Dance Play	Autumn Ivy: Voice Over Acting Tips! (18+)
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm		"I am different, not less": The science of Neurodivergence	Maybe they'd grow old if we had penicillin- Science and Medicine in WWI	The Science of Animation: Bringing the 2nd Dimension to the 3rd	P.U.G.S.: Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown	Ask your Demon Slayer	Guess the Anime Opening
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm	You're Killing Me For \$500	Don't have a Melt-down: What HBO got right about Chernobyl	Pump You Up: The Science of Fitness	"Fantastic" Science and the 9th Doctor	All Puppet Players meet The Neverending Story	Autumn Ivy: The Bone Collector (18+)	Let's Roast some Anime Characters!
9:30pm - 10:00pm							
10:00pm - 10:30pm							
10:30pm - 11:00pm						Uncle Yuhki's Story Hour (18+)	Quarantine A DC Parady 2 (18+)
11:00pm - 11:30pm							

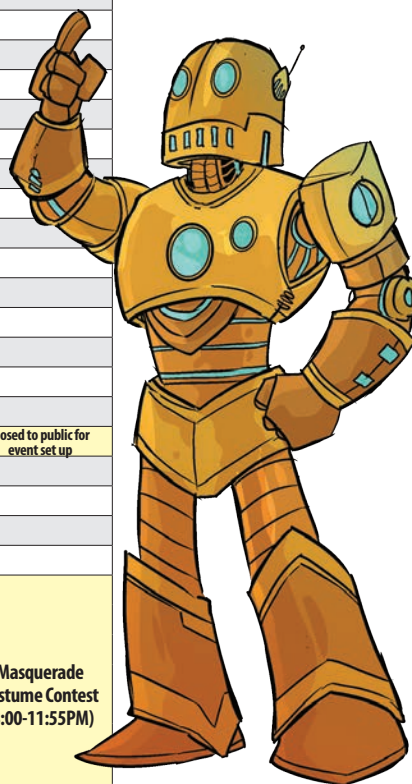
SAT 28th	North 222C Anime	North 223 Panels	North 224AB Cafes & Lounges	North 225A Comics	North 225B Comics	North 226A Writing Workshops	North 226BC Authors
10:30am - 11:00am	Team Rocket Training Camp	Is the Hype Real...? Lord of the Rings: The Rings of Power		Who is Moon Knight?	Dynamic Dialog for the Page and Screen	Writing Workshop: Check room 226A online or table B702 * PAID EVENT	Marissa Meyer
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	How to Draw: Character Design	Enchanted with Disenchantment	Sumuji Café	The Illustrious Gentlemen	Can I Sell My Art?	Writing Workshop: 21 Days To A Novel * PAID EVENT	Young Adult Authors Roundup
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Attack on Titan! The Interactive Panel!	LGBTQ Themes on Sailor Moon (18+)	Sumuji Café	So You Want to Get Into Reading Comics?	Creators Rights	Writing Workshop: Check room 226A online or table B702 * PAID EVENT	Female Representation Matters
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	The Marvelous World of Miniatures	Steven Universe: In the Future	Sumuji Café	Queer Characters in Comics	How To Market and Crowdfund Indy Comics	Writing Workshop: Check room 226A online or table B702 * PAID EVENT	Authors: I Loved This When I Was A Kid
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm			Cosplay Lip-Synch Contest Sign-Ups				
4:30pm - 5:00pm	How to Draw: Creature Design	Dun... Dun... DUNE!!!	Cosplay Lip-Synch Contest	Loki, Master of Mischief!	Definition of Superhero	Writing Workshop: Template Writing Checklist * PAID EVENT	High Fantasy
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Family Feud: The Video Game Edition	The Chilling Adventures of Sabrina (18+)	Murder Mystery: The Early Redirection of Superman	Of Advocacy and Anime: Depictions of Law in Eastern Media	The Heroes of HBO Max	Writing Workshop: Plotting * PAID EVENT	Greatest Villains in Fiction
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm	So you wanna put an anime girl on your car huh?	Five Nights at Freddy's: Security Breach	All Your Favorite Game Shows: Pop Culture Edition	Monster Rangers	Classic Sci-Fi Trivia!		Nerd Poetry Slam
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Price is Right Nerd Edition (18+)	Strip a Goddess (18+)	A Star Trek Universe Mixer (9:00-11:55pm)				
9:30pm - 10:00pm							
10:00pm - 10:30pm							
10:30pm - 11:00pm	Citizens of South Park (18+)	Fifty Shades of WTF? A Discussion of BDSM in Pop Culture (18+)					
11:00pm - 11:30pm							
11:30pm - 12:00am							
12:30am - 1:00am							

PANELS & EVENTS - SATURDAY 28TH

SAT 28th	North 227AB Panels	North 227C Authors	North 228A Gaming	North 228B Comics	North 229AB Cosplay Lounge	North 230 Costuming	North 231ABC Costuming
9:30am - 10:00am					<div>Cosplay Lounge (9:30AM-7:00PM)</div> <div>CosTalk Live Lounge (10:00AM-4:00PM)</div>		
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am	Creating and Acting in a Murder Mystery	Creating Compelling Worlds	Game Design: From Concept to Prototype	CosTalk Live Panel		The Clan Ginger Present: A Tribute to Xena	
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Heroes of Sanctuary: Diablo III Endgame	Fantasy and Magic in Literature	Historical Costuming	Reboots Vs New Sci-Fi... Which is Better?		Short Cuts and Tricks - Costuming on a Budget	Using Prosthetics for Cosplay
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	How to Launch Your First Podcast	Ghosts, Monsters and Demons- Oh My! Creatures in fiction	RPGs: Art of Collaborative Storytelling	Customized to Perfection - Modifying Toys		Riddler's Scavenger Hunt	3d Printed Cosplay Tips and Tricks
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Trivia for the Rest of Us	Writing in Someone Else's Universe	Dwarves, Demigods, and Demogorgons: Dungeons and Dragons and Pop Culture	Advanced Pattern Making for EVA Foam Costumes		Pokemon Go Trading and Friendship Meetup	Harry Potter House Cup Challenge
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Silence is Golden - The Evolution of the Modern Movie Theatre	Lisa McMann	Game Design 001 N00b Edition	I'm The Producer: Live Stream It or ?		Geek, and You Shall Find	Level Up Your Cosplay: Moldmaking, Casting, and Coating with Reynolds Advanced Materials
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm			See No Gaming	Navigating Your Nerdy Identity	Follow Your Bliss: Unlocking Your Inner Superhero		
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm	WWE vs AEW: What does the future of wrestling look like?	The Ozarks	Hyrule's Greatest Debate	Trauma in Fiction - Hollywood is Lying to You (18+)	Fan Theory Open Mic	The Legal Questions of the Purge	
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Hange's Experiment Corner		TTRPG Story Time!			Tourney of Mercenaries	
9:30pm - 10:00pm							

SAT 28th	North 232ABC Stage Shows	West 101ABC Youth	West 101ABC Event Area	West 102ABC Lego Lounge	West 103AB Laser Tag	104AB Diversity Lounge	West 105BC Activities
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am		Bookman's Presents Youth Games and Stories and Activities	Radioactive Engineering Challenge!	Lego Free Build (10:30AM-2:45PM)	Altered Combat Laser Tag	Phoenix Gaymers Diversity Lounge	Batarang Training
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Sea Shanty Sing-Along		FINTastic Mermaid Princess Time				Medieval Playtime!
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Wild Geek Magic!		The Joker Strikes Again! Radioactive Popcorn	Royal's Reading Rendezvous			
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	LA LA Lando		Papercrafting Monsters	Lego Build Off			
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Improv Comedy... with Blue Box Improv	Bookman's Extravaganza Hour!	Lego Free Build				
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	The Roast of Ash Ketchum (18+)		Learn to Draw Pokemon with Team Rocket				
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm							
8:00pm - 8:30pm					Dancing for the Social Set		
8:30pm - 9:00pm	STRUT YOUR STUFF (18+)						
9:00pm - 9:30pm							
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11:30pm - 12:00am							

SAT 28th	West 106ABC Activities & Events	West 211AB Events	West 213B	West 301A Celebrity Panels	West 301BCD Celebrity Panels
10:00am - 10:30am					
10:30am - 11:00am	Youngling Saber Training				
11:00am - 11:30am					
11:30am - 12:00pm					
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Quidditch with the ASU Sundevils				
12:30pm - 1:00pm					
1:00pm - 1:30pm					
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Syndicate Saber Presents: The Dark Master Ascends - An Exhibition Story				
2:00pm - 2:30pm					
2:30pm - 3:00pm					
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Syndicate Saber Presents: The Dark Master Ascends - Behind the Sabers				
3:30pm - 4:00pm					
4:00pm - 4:30pm					
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Geek Speed Dating (18+)			
5:00pm - 5:30pm					
5:30pm - 6:00pm					Closed to public for event set up
6:00pm - 6:30pm		Geek Speed Dating (18+)			
6:30pm - 7:00pm					
7:00pm - 7:30pm					
7:30pm - 8:00pm		Free Stand Up Comedy Show (18+)			
8:00pm - 8:30pm					
8:30pm - 9:00pm					
9:00pm - 9:30pm					
9:30pm - 10:00pm	Drinks With Authors!	Phoenix Fan Fusion Comedy Show (18+)			
10:00pm - 10:30pm					
10:30pm - 11:00pm					
11:00pm - 11:30pm					
11:30pm - 12:00am					



9:00AM-8:00PM

VIP Lounge

Lounge Access is for VIP credential holder and one (1) PAID EVENT Sidekick or one (1) child only.
North 127A

9:30AM-6:00PM

Open Seating for Attendees

Open seating available to attendees
North 120CD

9:30AM-7:00PM

Cosplay Lounge

Cosplayers! Need a place to relax or fix a broken part of your cosplay? Then the cosplay lounge is for you! Join your friends from the Blue Ribbon Army and sit a spell, fix minor wardrobe malfunctions, eat some food uninterrupted and have a chance to put your feet up for a much needed rest. This space is only for cosplayers and their handler.
North 229AB

G 10:00AM-4:00PM

CosTalk Live Lounge

Come and meet the hosts of CosTalk Live, a cosplay streaming talk show based in Phoenix, AZ. Have a chance to show off your cosplay during our scheduled livestreams or share your experiences with our hosts! The Lounge is located inside the Cosplay Lounge, stop by for the Live stream daily schedule. This is open to cosplayers and their handlers only.
GUEST: Jinx Cosplay, ThermoCosplay, Liz Todd
North 229AB

G 10:00AM-8:00PM

RealTime STEAM hosts Science Displays

Travel through space, take a picture with Pluto (yes, the planet), or go back in time with the Doctor at Heritage Square. Identify the variant in the time stream. Maybe prove just how the Girl Scouts have changed since you were one, or identify your next cookie location. Or learn how Greenlight Solutions is preparing students to lead organizations into a sustainable future. All possibilities exist in room 128B... come check it out!

GUEST: Girl Scouts Arizona Cactus-Pine, Heritage Square At Heritage And Science Park, Lowell Observatory, Phoenix Herpetological Society, Phoenix Zoo, Rachel's Reptile Rescue, Wild At Heart Raptor Rescue, Greenlight Solutions

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Wild at Heart Raptor Rescue

Wild At Heart (WaH) is a rescue, rehabilitation, and release center for birds of prey in Arizona. Our primary purpose is to rescue injured owls, hawks, falcons, and eagles, rehabilitate them, and, ultimately, release them back into the wild.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Lowell Observatory

Lowell Observatory is an independent, non-profit research institution founded in 1894 by mathematician and astronomer Percival Lowell. Today, our mission is to pursue the study of astronomy, con-

duct research, and bring astronomical education to the public.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Heritage Square

Get more 1900! Heritage Square is a striking reminder of the city's vibrant Victorian past. Located on Block 14 of the original townsite of Phoenix, the Square dates back to the late 1800s, and the restored Rosson House Museum is its crowning jewel. Whether you love history, technology, good food, or just a quiet place to reflect - a visit to Heritage Square is for you!

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary

Promote conservation and preservation of native and non-native reptiles through education, rehabilitation, rescue, and relocation.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Girl Scouts AZ Cactus Prime

Girl Scouts bring their dreams to life and work together to build a better world.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Phoenix Zoo

Arizona Center for Nature Conservation advances the stewardship and conservation of animals and

their habitats while providing experiences that inspire people and motivate them to care for the natural world.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Greenlight Solutions

Empowering students, professionals, and community members to catalyze sustainable business initiatives.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-8:00PM

Phoenix Boys Choir

The Phoenix Boys Choir, through educating boys in the art of singing and performing the finest music in the boy choir tradition, develops character, discipline, leadership, global awareness, and a strong commitment to excellence, thereby contributing to the greater Phoenix musical life and enhancing Arizona's cultural reputation nationally and internationally.

North 128B Science Displays

G 10:00AM-8:00PM

Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay

Susan Onysko is attending conventions in every state and photographing the amazing cosplayers on location to be assembled into a coffee table book at the conclusion of the 50th state. Susan and her team will be on the floor handing out Golden Tickets for a free thirty-minute professional studio shoot to those with exceptional examples of cosplay. Participants sign a model release during the session and receive one fully retouched high-resolution JPEG by email after the convention.

GUEST: Susan Onysko

West 213B

10:00AM-8:00PM

Vitalant Blood Drive and Be The Match

Bone Marrow Registry

Not all heroes wear capes! Be a hero today and donate a part of yourself to better someone else's life and your own.

North 123 Blood Drive

10:00AM-8:00PM

The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation

The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation (the Foundation) convenes and catalyzes business, education, and community to enhance college and career readiness, develop a stronger workforce, and build healthier communities throughout Arizona.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-9:00PM

Phoenix Gaymers Diversity Lounge

The Diversity Lounge, presented by Phoenix Gaymers, is a welcoming and safe space for people of different races, genders, sexualities, cultures, faiths, and accessibility/non-visible/non-apparent needs to meet up, relax, and build community.

West 104AB

10:00AM-11:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit:

The Captain's Mutiny

Captain Black is an old Sea Dog who has always told his crew "Share and share alike." Recent plunders have been very fruitful! But, you and your team suspect the captain has been keeping more than his share. The last person to mention this out loud quickly walked the plank. The crew has opposed your request for a mutiny. The captain is ashore in search

of more rum. You must quickly locate the hidden treasure or be forced to walk the plank. Hurry! This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_1

10:00AM-11:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit:

Steampunk Revolution

The industrial revolution is alive and well with fresh ideas and wild new fashion. Inventor Cyrus Pennyworth has grown tired of being marginalized and is out to prove that he is the best inventor ever. His time machine is nearly finished and, if completed, he will secure his legendary status. Can you and your team help him complete it and escape before rival inventors show up to steal his ideas? This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_2

10:00AM-11:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit: Tohua Island

Tohua Island is the perfect Polynesian getaway with a rich lore! The locals love and worship their god of weather, Tawhirimatea as well as her children who are said to influence the various weather elements. You've just arrived to a huge luau, but someone has stolen and locked up all of Tawhirimatea's little Tiki children. She has conjured up storm clouds that are fast approaching and threatening the entire island. The Tiki children must be found and returned to please Tawhirimatea and save the island. Can you find and return them in time? To increase your odds, you will be one of six teams all working towards the same goal. (Teams may have up to 8 players.) This roughly 45-50 minute adventure offers at the top of every hour from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 4pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_3

10:30AM-11:00PM

Altered Combat laser tag

Altered Combat brings high-energy, high-tech tactical laser tag to Phoenix Fan Fusion! Take part in a non-stop, arcade-style battle where you will fight for your team's dominance and a spot as one of the top 5 players. Every experience includes a briefing, equipment outfitting, 10 minutes of Team Deathmatch gameplay, and a debriefing. The battle begins each day at 10:30 am and ends at 11:00 pm on Friday/Saturday and 4:30 pm on Sunday. The cost is \$15 per player per flexible time slot (16 players max) or \$25 per player for an unlimited day pass while supplies last. Flexible time slots and unlimited day passes can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

West 103AB

10:30AM-11:30AM

Just Dance: Love Live Edition

Nico Nico Nii! Please join us for some dancing fun! We will be playing Just dance... With you! Let us see your moves and even teach you some as well!

North 221ABC

10:30AM-11:30AM

Grim Grinning Ghosts:

Disney's Haunted Mansion

There's 999 happy haunts and they're looking for one more. Could it be you? Join us as we discuss the ghosts, backstories and history behind the Disney, fan-favorite ride. But be forewarned, our chamber has no windows and no doors so you'll have to find a creative way out.

North 129B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

A Very Potter Sing Along!

Come sing along to the music videos of Starkid's A Very Potter Musical and A Very Potter Sequel with special features and stories from the exclusive Homecoming Reunion concert. Also returning is the annual contest for impersonating your favorite AVPM quote!

GUEST: PrueDuctions, Kai Bowen, Keara Atkinson, Ryan Daly

North 125AB

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Youngling Saber Training

The Sith is out there, are you prepared? All younglings 6 years of age and older are encouraged to garnish the skills needed to fight the empire. The Phoenix Saber Academy will teach you how to properly wield a lightsaber, and bases its training in real martial arts. Techniques explored will be footwork, blocks, strikes all building up to more advanced techniques. The hour will be divided into two identical 30 minute instruction sessions.

GUEST: Phoenix Saber Academy

West 106ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Batarang Training

Do you see yourself as a Dark Knight or a Boy Wonder? Find out in Batarang training! Join the Justice League Arizona and the heroes of Gotham as they teach YOU how to master the Batarang! Learn how to expertly throw the Batarang by Batman, Robin, and Nightwing themselves! Careful, there are villains just waiting to crash the party! Kids ages 13 and under. Parents bring your cameras!

GUEST: Justice League AZ

West 105BC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Radioactive Engineering Challenge!

The Joker is trying to poison the Gotham City Circus with radioactive popcorn. Batman chases him but we all know supervillains can't drive so Joker wrecks in the center of Gotham City. Because we've NEVER seen super heroes clean up after themselves, your job in Gotham City Sanitation is to clean up the mess! A group of gifted science and engineering students will help engineer solutions through hands on approaches, coming up with creative solutions that progress in difficulty.

GUEST: Dana Hansen

West 101ABC Event Area

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Marissa Meyer

Marissa Meyer is the #1 New York Times bestselling author of The Lunar Chronicles, Heartless, The Renegades Trilogy, and Instant Karma, as well as the graphic novel duology Wires and Nerve.

GUEST: Marissa Meyer

North 226BC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

I'm The Producer: Comic Kombat

Witness the carnage as relentless fans of the wildest villains and heroes engage in combat for prizes, bragging rights and universal domination. The Producers of Comic Kombat and Drunk Comics University give you the step-by-step inside secrets on how to create and produce a contest show. They will explore casting, formats, audience appeal and sponsors and dollars anybody can get to make a show make money. The producers will conduct a casting session for the show at the conclusion of this panel.

GUEST: Kim Bailey, Robert Golo, Kaylene McCannon, Robert Rutledge, Leo Ramos, Zach Mayo
North 127BC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Bad @ss Female Commanders

Our panel discusses some of the most iconic female starship captains in the history of sci-fi, and tries to figure out who's the best based on their skill, their intelligence, and the legacy they've left on the entire genre of sci-fi.

GUEST: Crystal Lloyd, Kristen Cayatineto, Brenda Waterman, Cynthia Garcia
North 132ABC

10:30AM-11:30AM

So You Want to Get Into Warhammer?

In the grim darkness of the 41st millennium there is... a LOT of lore. Don't know where to start? We're here to help! We'll introduce you to some of the most approachable parts of Warhammer and maybe even tie in some other fandom connections. Join us for a fun conversation about the lore and the hobby of Warhammer 40,000.

North 222AB

10:30AM-11:30AM

Dynamic Dialog for the Page and Screen

Need to spice up your story with some lively banter? Join writer Mike MacLean and learn tips of the trade for creating effective dialog for the page and screen. Mike currently co-writes Lady Death, La Muerta and Hellwitch for Coffin Comics. In addition, he has written several produced screenplays, including the Syfy classic Sharktopus, and has penned a slew of hardboiled crime stories featured in bestselling anthologies.

North 225B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Creating Compelling Worlds

Creating whole worlds out of nothing but imagination is hard work. Author guests share their experiences and expertise in shaping fantastic realms for readers to explore.

GUEST: Joanna Ruth Meyer, Romina Russell, Suzanne Young, Peter V. Brett
North 227C

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Haven't I Seen This?

The answer is More often than you think. We'll take a look at movies that Not only remind us of another movie but are pretty much the same. Some you already know, some may surprise you.

GUEST: Stu Evans, Gayle Bass, David Ramsey
North 129A

PE 10:30AM-11:30AM

Writing Workshop: Check room 226A online or table B702

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workshop schedule.

North 226A PAID EVENT

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

The Clan Ginger Present: A Tribute to Xena

In a time of ancient Gods, Warlords, and Kings, two women became icons and heroes. We welcome you, fellow Xenites, to our belated 25th anniversary celebration of Xena: Warrior Princess. Journey with us as we honor our iconic duo, Xena and Gabrielle, and discuss the impact the show has had on our hearts, our lives, and our culture.

GUEST: The Clan Ginger
North 230

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Scared you!

Learn about the science behind your favorite horror movies and TV shows!

GUEST: Alex Biera, Stephen Davis, Jesus Villa
North 130

10:30AM-11:30AM

Game Design: From Concept to Prototype

Have you ever wanted to make your own tabletop game, but don't know where to start? Join Arizona based game designers and discover the excitement around the world of game development. Learn from them how they took their games from concept to prototype. Maybe you could be the next Arizona game designer.

North 228A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Help me Obi-Wan, You're My Only Show!

SPOILER ALERT - The first two episodes of Obi Wan Kenobi just premiered, let's talk about the show and discuss news about the series and we'll even speculate on what we could see.

GUEST: Joey Letson, Karl LaClair, Kyle Avery, Jason Hunt
North 126ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Catastrophes in Science

Sometimes things go horribly wrong in research. What caused some of these and what steps have been taken to prevent them from ever happening again?

GUEST: Adele Crane, Alex Gerhard, Don Balanzat
North 131A



G 10:30AM-11:30AM

DracShow: What scientists think of vampires

Could Dracula actually be "real" or is there a scientific reason behind one of the classic kings of horror?

GUEST: Kimberly Olney, Bradley Lusk, David Oakes
North 131BC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

CosTalk Live Panel

CosTalk LIVE is a cosplay talk show based in Phoenix, AZ. We are a diverse group of cosplayers who enjoy sharing our love and knowledge of cosplay. Join us as we stream LIVE from Phoenix Fan Fusion and provide tips for growing your cosplay brand through social media, streaming and online networking! <http://www.costalk-live.com>

GUEST: Jinx Cosplay, ThermoCosplay, Liz Todd
North 228B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Creating and Acting in a Murder Mystery

Ever wanted to create your own Murder Mystery or better yet, act in one? Learn from the creator of the Super Redierment Murder Mystery that is being performed at the convention. This is your chance to get a behind the scenes look in to what goes in to making a murder mystery and ask questions of the creator and actors.

GUEST: The Murder Mystery Players of Casa Grande
North 227AB

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Music of Doctor Who

Come discuss tone, composition, Time Lord rock, and standout tracks with Doctor Who cosplayers and enthusiasts Marina Sharpe, Catherine Ayotte, and Dillon Burke, as well as local musician Thomas Knight! From Ron Grainer and Delia Derbyshire, to Murray Gold and Segun Akinola, the music of Doctor Who has never failed to be inventive and exciting. Come hear what makes the longest-running sci-fi program in the world sound as spectacular as it does!

GUEST: Thomas Knight, Marina Sharpe
North 128A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Team Rocket Training Camp

Are you looking for a new career? Are you bad at catching Pokemon? Then you already fulfill the minimum requirements to join Team Rocket! Come visit our job fair for a chance to try out for positions ranging from grunt all the way up to janitor, in an interview and practical application process.

GUEST: Team Rocket AZ
North 222C

10:30AM-11:30AM

Who is Moon Knight?

Moon Knight made his debut at Marvel Comics in 1975 and has been evolving ever since. Who is Marc Spector and his alter egos or multiple personalities? Learn about the comic origins and how they connect to the Disney+ series.

North 225A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Is the Hype Real...? Lord of the Rings: The Rings of Power

The initial set photos have dropped, and we've seen a teaser trailer... we're seeing Galadriel and Elrond, Durin of Khazad-Dum, Princess Disa, Bronwyn, Halbrand, Arondir... and more... What else can we tell you about this show on Amazon, and what will we

learn about Middle Earth's Second Age? What creatures will we see for the first time? And can it possibly match up to the movie trilogy that completely redefined the fantasy film genre? Come on in and share your thoughts and speculation!

GUEST: Lauren Mueller, Skylar White, Kailey MacDonald, Erika Andrus
North 223

10:30AM-2:45PM

Lego Free Build

Come let your inner Lego maniac free!
West 102ABC

10:30AM-5:30PM

Bookman's Presents Youth Games and Stories and Activities

OH MY! Bookman's Entertainment Exchange is a sponsor of youth activities. Each day characters of all sorts will be conducting fun activities and game challenges for attendees.

West 101ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

The Illustrious Gentlemen

Ryan Cody and Scott Godlewski host a live version of their podcast, The Illustrious Gentlemen, where they'll be joined by a special guest!

GUEST: Scott Godlewski, Ryan Cody
North 225A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Heroes of Sanctuary: Diablo III Endgame

Stand side by side with fellow warriors as they hack and slash their way through the Diablo III ROS endgame. Casual players will be most interested to learn about recent changes to gameplay, Seasons, special events, and unique items.

GUEST: Nick Quaglietta
North 227AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Paranormal Equipment: 'What's in YOUR Ghost Bag?'

What do professional paranormal investigators have in their ghost hunting bag when they go out on an investigation? Find out what equipment is considered indispensable, and what has often seemed to be a waste of space on a paranormal investigation. We will be discussing our experiences with EMF Meters, Digital Voice Recorders, K2 Meters, REM Pods, Spirit Boxes, Dowsing Equipment and much, much more! Are the ghost APPs added on your phone reliable? What about some of the equipment you see on the popular ghost hunting shows? Drop in and hear reviews and findings experienced when using various equipment. Panel led by 'MVD Ghostchasers', 'AZ Paranormal', and 'Friends of the Other Side'.

GUEST: Debe Branning, Chance Houston, Colleen Sulzer, Carolee Jackson, Susan DeLancey
North 122ABC

G 12:00PM- 1:00PM

Urban Legends

At slumber parties and camping trips all over the world, people shared tales of the dark and macabre in an attempt to terrify and delight their friends. Many of these tales have taken on a life of their own, changing as they were shared more and more. Now, we will trace these tales back to their root and ask ourselves: what really happened where did these legends get their start?

GUEST: Shannon Griffin, Alyssa Beveridge
North 129B

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Weaving the Web: Breaking Down "Into The Spidaverse"

Let's dive into the multiverse as we break down the creativity, work, and meaning that made "Into The Spidaverse" so successful in theaters and at home. We'll cover the various spidey heroes, visual effects, animations, and what we hope to see in the sequel. Lastly, we'll test your knowledge and spidey sense by playing a game and winning prizes.

GUEST: Tony Pham
North 124AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Horror Is Peanut Butter

They say a perfect pairing "goes together like chocolate and peanut butter", and its true because it works. Some things just work together and its best not to question it. And while chocolate seems tailor made for peanut butter, certain things should not mix. And horror is exactly the same. From the obvious to the profane, our panelists discuss what always works together, what should never be together, and everything in between.

GUEST: Jason McCord, Brett Etzel, Spencer Moleda
North 127BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Reboots Vs New Sci-Fi...Which is Better?

Does rebooting old favorites in sci-fi help or hurt the genre? Are we losing or gaining fans by updating old favorites? Or is it better to stretch our imagination and create new worlds where no one has gone before? Join us to discuss the "age of reboots" and the impact it has on sci fi.

GUEST: Matthew Duncan
North 228B

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

FINTastic Mermaid Princess Time

Everyone's favorite Mermaid Princess is swimming on over to the arts room. Come be part of her world as we sing and dance to songs of the sea, read a story, take photos. We can't wait for you to join us under the sea for this magical visit!

GUEST: Shayna Padjen
West 101ABC Event Area

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Prop Extravaganza!

Learn how to make a prop with a variety of popular cosplay materials and techniques! From EVA foam, molding and resin casting, Paper Mache, Expansion foam, foam clay, Floral foam, Epoxy clays, Air dry clays, Upholstery foam, Worbla, and etc!

GUEST: Tinker Cosplay
North 132ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Medieval Playtime!

Come play games with the Kingdom of Umbrial! They will be playing authentic medieval games such as marbles, hopscotch, blind man's bluff, etc. Experience the fun of the middle ages!

GUEST: The Kingdom of Umbria
West 105BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Quidditch with the ASU Sundevils

Do you have what it takes to catch the Golden Snitch? Maybe you fancy yourself a Beater or Bludger? Meet the ASU Quidditch team, and learn the basics of the game. Join a house team and play an impromptu match!

GUEST: ASU Quidditch Team
West 106ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Phoenix Fan Fusion Ultimate Character Showdown

Could Dick Grayson take on Jason Bourne? What about Baby Groot vs Baby Yoda? Bird Person vs. Big Bird?! This is one showdown that will have you screaming KHAN to the very end!

GUEST: Anthony Thornton, Paul Broccolo, Jay Castro, Corban Ford, Austin Roccia
North 129A

12:00PM-1:00PM

Twisted Wonderland Extravaganza!

Looking to test your knowledge of Twisted Wonderland and win awesome Twisted Wonderland merch in the process? Well this is the panel for you! Come join the Dorm leaders of Night Raven College in an event filled panel full of games, opportunities to win prizes, meet fellow TWST fans, and have an overall magical time! We look forward to seeing you the Mirror of darkness chooses for this event!

North 222AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Enchanted with Disenchantment

Disenchantment is now into its 4th Season on Netflix, and has more than hit its stride. We're going to talk about the character arcs of Teabeanie, Elfo, Lumi, King Zog, and the rest of the cast.

GUEST: Amanda Albregard, Kevin Albergard
North 223

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Sumuji Café

We are Sumuji Café! We are a fruit-themed maid Café based in Arizona traveling to present our fruits of labor to you! We are passionate about bringing the finest and most authentic maid Café experience to you. Catch us traveling the Southwest and making a stop at Phoenix Fan Fusion! Masks preferred.

GUEST: Sumuji Café
North 224AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Young Adult Authors Roundup

Need to find a new author for your kids (cough, cough) to read or want to hear about great characters and books in the young adult space? Come hear from some YA authors and find your next favorite or two.

GUEST: Ryan Dalton, James A. Owen, Axie Oh, Kelly DeVos
North 226BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Fantasy and Magic in Literature

For many readers, fantasy was one of the first genres that led them to a love of books. From Lord of the Rings to Dungeons and Dragons to Harry Potter, these beloved stories were read and digested over and over. Fantasy and magic can also spawn everything from sorcery to the paranormal, and swords to urban environments. These authors will discuss their worlds and how, regardless of what academics say, fantasy is literature.

GUEST: Melissa Marr, Jennifer Roberson, Heather Walter, Matt McMann
North 227C

12:00PM-1:00PM

How to Draw: Character Design

Come join local artists Armand Villavert and Greg Holmes as they go into their process on character designing and answer questions on what goes into good character design.

North 222C

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Imposter Syndrome : Examining Stephen King's The Outsider

The hosts of the Disinformed Podcast and an expert panel discuss Stephen King's The Outsider and its recent adaptation by HBO. The panel will detail this inventive detective tale, outline the supernatural elements that make it quintessential King storytelling, evaluate the plot's connectivity with the Mr. Mercedes series, and address the story's subsequent sequelization in "If It Bleeds".

GUEST: Shane Hunt, Renee Cesaro, Michael Clark, Courtney Gifford, Michael Sepulveda, Jon Watkins
North 125AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Editing the Script: The Science and Ethics of Human Genetic Modification

Genetic engineering could cure diseases that have plagued humanity throughout our history. However, several ethical questions have been raised about whether or not to modify humans and to what extent. Join us for a discussion of the science and ethics behind human genetic modification!

GUEST: Christian Ross, Stevie Winingear, Kyle Avery, Cat Wallace
North 130

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Can Filoni save Star Wars?

Star Wars Fandom has been put through a roller-coaster of great and disastrous film experiences now spanning generations. On their own, the three trilogies are inconsistent and disjointed with the last two made trilogies trying (and arguably failing) to tap into the magic and brilliance of the original trilogy. Filoni has come to the rescue with his shows, The Clone Wars, Rebels, Resistance, The Bad Batch, The Mandalorian, (and that other mandalorian show about Boba Fett). Can Filoni save Star Wars and The Skywalker Saga Ep 1-9?

GUEST: Jace Killian, Katie Salidas
North 126ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Short Cuts and Tricks - Costuming on a Budget

Being inspired by amazing costumes is just part of the fun of Fan Fusion. Come and learn how to "cut" corners by finding alternate materials and techniques to integrate into your costumes and cosplays without breaking the bank.

GUEST: Shelby Michael-Scates, Jadon Figueroa, Shelley Reddy, Leif Gregan
North 230

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Using Prosthetics for Cosplay

Ever wondered just HOW Star Wars cosplayers make themselves into aliens? Curious about those horns attached to someone's forehead? Then you're in the right place! Thermocosplay and friends provide insight on the various types of costume Prosthetics that can be used in cosplay. We will discuss adhesives, latex, silicone, body modification, make-up tricks and more!

GUEST: ThermoCosplay, Jessika Malic, Patricia Connelly, Alanna Dawson
North 231ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Through the Lens: Having fun with microscopes!

Microscopes give us a glimpse into a world we couldn't see otherwise. Come to this panel to learn fun microscope activities for students and adults!

GUEST: Deb Nickelson, Timothy Licknack,
Page Baluch
North 131A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

WINDMILLS DO NOT WORK THAT WAY: The Science of Futurama

Futurama features robots, cryopreservation, highly addictive soft drinks, and real life mathematical proofs. Come learn about the science behind this great show!

GUEST: Garrick Williams, Martin Andreas Perez Comisso, Matthew Spear
North 131BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Sea Shanty Sing-Along

No one is sure how it happened, but one of the biggest musical trends during the past two years was the rise in popularity of SEA SHANTIES!!! (We don't understand, either.) But alas, land lubbers, come forth and lend your voices to the chorus of people the largest desert city in the country singing songs of sailors upon the seven seas!

GUEST: Jacqueline Stevenson
North 232ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

MCK Dance Team K-Pop Showcase

If you like KPop, come and watch a variety of dance and vocal teams from all around the Valley perform your favorite KPOP songs! We invite all teams and solo performers to reach out to us on our instagram at @mck.dance.az to request to perform so we can get you scheduled! We can't wait to see all the different talent showcased on stage.

GUEST: MCK Dance Team
North 221ABC

G PE 12:00PM-1:00PM

Writing Workshop: 21 Days To A Novel

New York Times Bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole presents his three week program for preparing yourself to write a novel. This set of 21 exercises is broken down to give you everything from character creation to world building, practical plotting devices, dialogue development and character voice creation tools. This program is a practical, kick-in-the-pants place to start your career. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Michael Stackpole
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Historical Costuming

Have you ever wanted to know how they create such beautiful garb at the Arizona Renaissance Festival? From nobility all the way down to the peasants, let's break down historic Elizabethan costumes; fabrics, stitching and even the trims.

GUEST: Autumn Dayss, Hunter Dayss
North 228A

12:00PM-1:00PM

Quick Draw: For Kids!

Watch great illustrators put your children's ideas to paper. PJ Max characters as ponies? Absolutely! Princess Bubblegum going through a punk phase? You bet!

North 128A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Can I Sell My Art?

Creating arts, crafts and content from our favorite universes has become more popular as the content

channels grow. How do you avoid the cease and desist letter from Disney or Warner Brothers? Join attorney Ruth Carter as she helps you navigate the world of fan art.

GUEST: Ruth Carter
North 225B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Based On A True Story

Join us today while we highlight high profile horror films that are, you guessed it: based on actual events. These films take obvious artistic license with what are sometimes very small facts, but facts nonetheless. We'll be looking at a range of topics such as serial killers, cannibalism, and a touch of voodoo.

GUEST: Jon Morrow
North 127BC

1:30PM-2:30PM

Women In Horror

I am woman; hear me roar. We're more than just Final Girls and Scream Queens. We're writers, directors, creators, fans and so much more. Join us as we discuss the power women bring to the horror genre.

North 129B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

RWBY: Seasons 7-9

We've had three whole seasons of RWBY since the last Fan Fusion., and the adventures of Ruby, Weiss, Blake, and Yang kept getting crazier! Come get up to speed on the Rooster Teeth series!

GUEST: Kayla Cook, Annie Ethington
North 222AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

BTS Trivia Kahoot

You just wanted to know their names but now you can identify each member by their laugh. Come test your ARMY knowledge in this BTS Kahoot style trivia game (everyone gets to play just bring your device).

GUEST: Fans Like You!
North 221ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Syndicate Saber Presents: The Dark Master Ascends - An Exhibition Story

For years Syndicate Saber has been putting on a fun and amazing show full of choreography and combat! However last year, the balance was broken when Darth Asen challenged the Jedi and took control! Now the Jedi are planning to strike back and save their friend. Come check out this exhibition of choreography and combat, and witness the battle between the light and the dark!

GUEST: Syndicate Saber
West 106ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Unpopular Opinions

Is Batman and Robin your favorite superhero movie? Do you think Elden Ring is overrated? Stand out from the nerd crowd, wave goodbye to your bandwagons, and come with an open mind to this controversial panel.

GUEST: Billy Bolt
North 125AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

The Joker Strikes Again! Radioactive Popcorn

The Joker is trying to poison the Gotham City Circus with radioactive popcorn. Batman chases him

but we all know supervillains can't drive so Joker wrecks in the center of Gotham City. Because we've NEVER seen super heroes clean up after themselves, your job in Gotham City Sanitation is to clean up the mess! A group of gifted science and engineering students will help engineer solutions through hands on approaches, coming up with creative solutions that progress in difficulty.

GUEST: Dana Hansen
West 101ABC Event Area

1:30PM-2:30PM

Attack on Titan! The Interactive Panel!

Come Join Levi Ackerman, Mikasa, Eren, Erwin, Sasha, and Armin for some fun interactive games and a little truth or dare!

North 222C

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Customized to Perfection - Modifying Toys

Have you every gotten your favorite character as a toy, but not in your favorite costume? Or maybe the action figure is the wrong scale for the rest of your collection? Or maybe your truly favorite character has never been produced at all? Now there is something you can do about it. Join local artists as they discuss how they got into the hobby of toy customizations, share tips and tricks of the craft, and talk about what to do next.

GUEST: David Oakes, Pat Billings, David Fitzmaurice, Erick Flores, Ray Avechuco
North 228B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Skewed and Reviewed: Movies of 2022 to 2025

Join Gareth of Skewed and Reviewed as he looks at what Hollywood has in store for us over the next three years. The latest from Marvel, DC, Star Wars, as well as other top franchises will be covered as well as pending films. The panel also features Q&A and SWAG and has been a very popular panel that fills up so you will want to be there early.

GUEST: Gareth Von Kallenbach
North 122ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Sumuji Café

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GUEST: Sumuji Café
North 224AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Female Representation Matters

We'll discuss the importance and impact on female representation in literature. Learn how stories featuring strong female leads impact the world and how female writers contribute to our culture.

GUEST: Erin Jade Lange, Zoe Hana Mikuta, Joanna Ruth Meyer, Romina Russell
North 226BC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Ghosts, Monsters and Demons- Oh My! Creatures in fiction

Good, bad, or in between, supernatural creatures haunt writers and readers in the best possible ways.

GUEST: Joseph Nassise, Marissa Meyer, Suzanne Young, Matt McMann
North 227C

PE 1:30PM-2:30PM

Writing Workshop: Check room 226A online or table B702

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North 226A PAID EVENT

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Riddler's Scavenger Hunt

The Riddler is back at PFF with all new riddles to challenge your sleuthing skills. Bring your smart-phone and your friends, as teams of 4 will compete to solve the riddles and find the items in a one-hour scramble across the convention. The ultimate prize being the highly coveted Riddler Trophy. This event is brought to you by Justice League Arizona.

GUEST: Justice League AZ
North 230

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

RPGs: Art of Collaborative Storytelling

Come and join Phoenix RPGs in a discussion of the tools and techniques that can be utilized to create a more collaborative and interesting gameplay for everyone involved.

GUEST: Mariah Johnson, Trevor Duston, Victor Gomez, Fitz Madrid
North 228A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Back in my day: How science has changed since we were in elementary school

Science is not static, and is constantly updating as new technologies and techniques emerge. You've probably heard that Pluto is no longer a planet, but what other things have "changed" since we were taught them in school?

GUEST: Timothy Licknack, Jim DeGraffenreid, E. Susanne Daly
North 130

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Shakespeare Goes Sci-Fi

Join Shakespeare actress/director Katherine Stewart (Bustle Girl) and test your ability to recognize famous sci-fi quotes, disguised as Shakespeare-style phrases! Warm up trading some of Shakespeare's insults with friends, and then be quizzed on geeky lines from famous films! Can you find the original words wrapped up in Will's pretty lingo? Free for all ages! PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN!!

GUEST: Katherine Stewart
North 129A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

The Future of Star Wars

We've already seen a lot of Star Wars recently, but wait, there's more! Let's talk about upcoming projects and late breaking news on upcoming Star Wars television series and movies.

GUEST: Joey Letson, Kyle Avery, Karl LaClair, Jason Hunt
North 126ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Plants Are People Too!

The World of Our Green Friends

Learn more about the inner lives of plants, the drama of trying to protect them, and how "plant blindness" impacts us all.

GUEST: Matthew Langley, Erika Pages, Jesus Villa
North 131A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

The 2010's in Biology and Medicine: A Decade in Review

The 2010's saw incredible advancements in our understanding of biology and the tools we use to study it. Hear from our experts what they think the most impactful were!

GUEST: Page Baluch, Andrew Diamos, Ryan Avery, Carlo Quintanilla
North 131BC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Legend of the Creepy and Unknown

Are you ready for more "interesting" and freaky bits from the Grand Canyon State and the Internet? From goose-bump raising tales, to sightings of the unknown! Urban Legends and Other Spooky Things.

GUEST: Science of Drinking
North 128A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

3D Printed Cosplay Tips and Tricks

With 3D printing becoming standard practice for creative types, it's no wonder 3D printing for props and cosplay are now just an integrated part of cosplay. In this panel learn how to implement 3D printing into your costume or prop. Veteran Cosplayer Mad Propps and other cosplayers will tell their story and share their expertise. Learn about what types of printers work best for your application. 3D scanning and painting tips.

GUEST: Mike (Mad Propps) Syfritt
North 231ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Wild Geek Magic!

"From the Sanctum Sanctorum, to the plains of Hyrule, the dark streets of Gotham City and more comes a cosplay magical performance that will shake the very barriers of the multiverse! Members of Phoenix's own GasLight Circus proudly bring to you a mystifying showcase fit for the halls of Asgard!"

GUEST: Loki Foster, Baldur Hill, Jero Keenom, Maureen Baker, Anita Baker, Arianna Flatt, Stephen Miller, Amanda Martin, Tom Hilliker
North 232ABC

G 18+ 1:30PM-2:30PM

LGBTQ Themes on Sailor Moon (18+)

Within both the canon of the Sailor Moon manga and the anime, Sailor Neptune and Sailor Uranus are a confirmed couple, and Sailor Star Fighter also was a character who made the topic of gender identity relevant... to say nothing of fan theories about Sailor Mercury, Sailor Mars, or Sailor Jupiter... so let's discuss how ahead of the curve Sailor Moon was for helping its fans understand the world we live in in ways that are not heteronormative...

GUEST: Marina Sharpe, Brenda Waterman, Tasha Romero
North 223

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

How to Launch Your First Podcast

Ever wanted to start your own podcast but don't know where to start or if anyone will listen? Learn everything from concept to distribution to marketing and more from someone who's been in your shoes.

GUEST: Nate Casimiro
North 227AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Creators Rights

Before you present your creation to the world you need to know how to protect your legal rights. Attor-

ney Ruth Carter will help you learn what your right are and what you need to do to protect yourself.

GUEST: Ruth Carter, Travis Hanson
North 225B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Power Rangers: Team-Up Time

Join us as we talk about our favorite team-up episodes. Help us create the Ultimate Fan Power Ranger Team!

GUEST: Aaron Wax, Jamaal Andress Taylor, Cody Taylor Andress, Glen Smith
North 124AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Star Trek: Picard- Season One and Two

From the moment this series was announced, we were in. The trailer dropped, and we saw Jean-Luc coming out of retirement, and we were way in. And now, after seeing the first two seasons, we're driving the bandwagon van and telling you all, "Shut up and get in for Picard!"

GUEST: Crystal Lloyd, Eric Lloyd, Kristen Cayatineto, Tony Breecher
North 132ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Royal's Reading Rendezvous

Come sit down, relax, and join the princesses of Off The Page AZ as they read storybooks about their journeys and faraway lands! After story time, you can meet the princesses and get photos taken with them if you wish. They can't wait to share their love of reading with YOU!

GUEST: Off the Page AZ
West 105BC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

So You Want to Get Into Reading Comics?

Where do you start? What do you want to read? Is there a good stand alone Batman story? Don't read superhero books and want something different? Find out with this panel for people wanting to get into comics.

GUEST: Cab Comics
North 225A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Lore Olympus: The Greek Immortals Re-Imagined

Beginning with the abduction of Persephone, Lore Olympus is getting enough love from fans that a show is being developed for Webtoon by the Jim Henson company. We're going to discuss the web-comic, its unique art style, and what other parts of Greek myth it could explore as it continues... (Just a warning, if you haven't read the comic, there will be SPOILERS in this panel.)

GUEST: Jasmine Robertson, Jennica Dombrowski, Bronti Hollins, Kailey MacDonald
North 221ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

The Scream Franchise

What's your favorite scary movie? For 25 years, Ghostface has terrorized audiences, making a comeback in a big way with the series reboot earlier this year. Join us as we discuss Sydney, Gayle, Dewey and the new movie from 2022.

GUEST: Brian Haas
North 127BC

3:00PM-4:00PM

The Dark Side Of Disney

Once upon a time, a man named Walt Disney cre-

ated whimsical cartoon characters, retold our favorite fairy tales and brought the happiest place on Earth to life. And yet, among all the lighthearted stories, there are other Disney tales that bring chills down your spine. We invite you to take a walk with us down the darker path of Disney films.

North 129B

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Dwarves, Demigods, and Demogorgons: Dungeons and Dragons and Pop Culture

Take a look at what inspired D&D and how D&D inspired generations of creativity in literature, comics, television, films, and more!

GUEST: Benjamin Ronin, Uriah Ronin, Lisha Vila, Luis Vila
North 228A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

The Disney Feud!

"Top ten answers are on the board. Name a non-human Disney character who was the star of their own movie!" Test your Disney knowledge in this take on the classic game for the entire family! All enchanted creatures welcomed!

GUEST: Jacqueline Stevenson, Erika Andrus, Sarah Rodgers
North 132ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

The Potter Professors Present:

The "Bad-Guy" Wizard Tournament

Was Voldemort really the evilest villain to go after a bunch of teenagers? Or were there worse bad-dies lurking in and out of Hogwarts? The Potter Professors are settling this once and for all in a tournament-style "duel" to take home the bad-guy wizard cup. Come prepared to support your favorite villains that make the list!

GUEST: The Potter Professors
North 124AB

3:00PM-4:00PM

Coheed and Cambria: The Amory Wars

Calling all Children of the Fence! (Or anyone interested in progressive rock with sci-fi comic books!) Join us as we come to appreciate the iconic musical work of Coheed and Cambria, the story behind the lyrics, and the comic adaptation: The Amory Wars, written by lead singer, Claudio Sanchez & wife Chondra Echert. Whether you're a long time Co&Ca fan or a curious newcomer, we welcome you to a jam session of lore, trivia, and fan discussion surrounding all that is Coheed.

North 222AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

The Mandalorian: This Is The Way

It took one episode to get Star Wars fans hooked, and even more incredibly, feedback has been overwhelmingly positive. TO SOMETHING STAR WARS RELATED. We're going to talk about how the bounty hunters have been presented as morally grey, but grown into someone you can root for and how the Mandalorian has been executed perfectly like a true space Western.

GUEST: Kevin Kittle, Killian Davies
North 122ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Syndicate Saber Presents: The Dark Master Ascends - Behind the Sabers

After watching Syndicate Saber demonstrate their skills in The Dark Master Ascends (1:30pm Sunday). Do you want to learn how to fight with a lightsaber

and make it look straight out of movie? And do you want to see how we create them? Well, come on down and watch as we break down our awesome fights and choreography before your very eyes. And then YOU will get the chance to try it for yourself! 10+

GUEST: Syndicate Saber
West 106ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Harry Potter House Cup Challenge

Wizards and Witches - time to grab your wands, don your House colors, and prove that your House is #1!

GUEST: Brandon Blanch, Shanna Blanch, Jodi Blanch
North 231ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Papercrafting Monsters

Build your own papercraft monster with Jeff Ellison, creator of the world's first comic illustrated entirely with hand cut 3D paper art. Learn paper layering techniques as you design and create your own unique monster using colorful paper. Fun for all ages!

GUEST: Jeff Ellison
West 101ABC Event Area

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

I can't believe my eyes! Virtual Stages and Filming Visual Effects in Arizona

With shows like "The Mandalorian" filming on Virtual Stages and creating impossible worlds, MSPS global and 3500Kelvin bring that same technology to the state of Arizona through their live event productions and their new virtual production stages located right here in Phoenix. The combination of these two groups brings Hollywood level visual effects and production quality to Arizona. Join us as these industry leaders discuss the real future of Arizona Filmmaking, Visual Effects, and Virtual Production. Join: - Visual Effects Supervisor Walter Schulz, with Oscar winning work for "Hugo" and other award nominated work for the "Pirates of the Caribbean" trilogy, "The Avengers", "Transformers: Dark of the Moon", "Spiderman Homecoming", "Godzilla vs Kong", also Emmy Award winning work on "Game of Thrones" and "Love, Death; and Robots". - Director of Film and Technology for the State of Arizona, Matthew Earl Jones, - Vice president of operations for MSPS global, Scott Smith - Live and Virtual Production Leader for 3500Kelvin, Mac Jeffries. - Producer of Mr. E Comics and Moderator Ralph Skrzypczak for a discussion about Visual Effects in movies and how Virtual Stages are changing the landscape of film, television, streaming, and the future of immersive technology.

GUEST: Walter Schulz, Mac Jeffries, Scott Smith, Matthew Earl Jones, Ralph Skrzypczak
North 126ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Lego Build Off

Calling all Master Builders - the Lego Build Off needs your skills and imagination for this creation gathering! Join Cactus Brick as they host an epic build off!

GUEST: Cactus Brick
West 102ABC

3:00PM-4:00PM

The Marvelous World of Miniatures

In this panel, size does matter! And that size is about 28 millimeters. From Warhammer to Dungeons and Dragons, come join this master and apprentice duo as they talk tiny about what it means to be a miniature artist in a large world.

North 222C

3:00PM-4:00PM

LA LA Lando

LA LA LANDO is the musical starring the galaxy's greatest scoundrel, Lando Calrissian. Derek Jeremiah Reid is Billy Dee Williams as the caped wonder of Cloud City. Just after the battle of Endor we find Lando looking for love and laughs with all your favorite Star Wars characters. If you love musicals and Star Wars La La Lando is for you. You especially don't want to miss the new song "We Don't Talk About Lando!"

North 232ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Writing in Someone Else's Universe

Writer's discuss their experiences writing in Universes created by other authors or filmmakers.

GUEST: Tom Leveen, Melissa Marr, Heather Walter
North 227C

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Authors: I Loved This When I Was A Kid

The shows, books, stories and games we played as kids that made us write what we write today.

GUEST: Peter V. Brett, Kelly deVos, James A. Owen
North 226BC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

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GUEST: Sumuji Café
North 224AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Family-friendly Star Trek:

Welcome to Prodigy!

Last Fall Paramount+ streamed a new animated Trek, geared to children and teenagers, but which also captured the love of many adult Trekkies. Star Trek: Prodigy (also streaming on Nickelodeon) follows a group of youth who escape imprisonment using a derelict Federation Starship in the Delta Quadrant. Have you watched this show with your kids? Let's discuss with a panel of Star Trek fans!

GUEST: United Federation of Phoenix
North 125AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Advanced Pattern Making for EVA Foam Costumes

Learn how to pattern complex shapes to copy on any shape, prop, or mask to be duplicated into EVA foam and other materials. You will see how to make a lightweight version that is durable and won't break if dropped. We will start by showing how to make a cheap, fast sculpture out of paper mache, cardboard, expansion foam or clay and then cover how we pattern them and where to create seams and darts.

GUEST: Tinker Cosplay
North 228B

PE 3:00PM-4:00PM

Writing Workshop: Check room 226A online or table B702

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North 226A PAID EVENT

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Steven Universe: In the Future

The series advanced to its final stage... how are the Crystal Gems and Beach City doing now that they've ended the war with Homeworld, and what sorts of dangers did Steven face (other than being a teenager with mom issues, we mean) to address before the series concludes?

GUEST: Estevan Pina, Mars Bean, Brianna Roney
North 223

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Trust Me: Reputable Sources for Science News

It is harder than ever to find good, reputable sources of science information and news. Come hear from the experts where to look!

GUEST: Dani Phelps, Jim DeGraffenreid, Andrew Diamos
North 130

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Pokemon Go Trading and Friendship Meetup

Make friends with trainers from Arizona and Beyond! Trade pokemon to your hearts content while we ask random questions for brags and swag. Learn about player communities in your local area for friendship, raids and trades. Rare pokemon like regionals and unowns may be up for trade grabs.

GUEST: Wise Poke Potters
North 230

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Trivia for the Rest of Us

Use your own device to play in this inclusive, open, online session covering topics like superheroes, video games, monsters, princesses, Stan Lee, and more! Winners will receive prizes. Everyone is welcome; appropriate for all ages.

GUEST: Debbie Kunes
North 227AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Continuity - The Game of Fictional Timelines

Compete in the ultimate test of fictional timeline knowledge! Which occurred first? Did Jurassic World open after Skynet originally became self aware? Was Hogwarts founded before Odin adopted Loki? Does Kirk become Captain of the Enterprise before Masterchief destroys Halo? Try to put events from across fandoms in chronological order in this unique game show style panel that presents a wide variety of your favorite stories in a fresh light whether they are several millennia ago or billions of years in the future.

GUEST: Benson Farris, Gabe Rallison, Cameron Tevis, Lauren Knight, Nick Spake
North 129A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Monster Factory: How to scientifically build a fantastical creature

Humans have a long history of imagining strange and fantastical creatures. What tricks can you use to give yours the "ring of truth"?

GUEST: Sarah Schimpp, Steven Messer, Spencer Morrell, E. Susanne Daly
North 131A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Romani ite domum: Medicine and Technology in Ancient Rome

The Roman Empire was one of the most successful civilizations of ancient times (at least until it wasn't!). Come learn about the technology and

medicine of this era!

GUEST: Dani Hoots, Jesus Villa, Stephen Davis
North 131BC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Queer Characters in Comics

LGBT Representation in comics is growing and queer characters and finding their place in our comic book universes. Come and join the conversation about inclusion and diverse story lines.

GUEST: Rebecca Kronenfeld
North 225A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Quick Draw

Watch great illustrators put your ideas to paper. Deadpool riding a T-Rex? Absolutely! Sailor Senshi as a coven of Witches? You bet!

GUEST: Buck Newman
North 128A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

How To Market and Crowdfund Indy Comics

Brian Pulido's Coffin Comics has raised over six point seven million dollars on crowdfunding platforms like Kickstarter and IndieGoGo! Get the lowdown as Brian gives you exclusive insights on how to market and crowdfund Indy comics! All your questions answered and an update on all Coffin Comics activities with co-writer Mike MacLean and other surprise guests!

GUEST: Brian Pulido, Mike MacLean
North 225B

G 4:00PM-4:30PM

Cosplay Lip-Synch Contest Sign-Ups

Interested in performing at the Cosplay Lip-Synch Contest at 4:30? Come on in and get signed up while the room gets set for it to start!

GUEST: Kayla Cook, Zachary Hugo
North 224AB

4:00PM-6:00PM

Lego Free Build

Come let your inner Lego maniac free!
West 102ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The Big Bads of Buffy

Who is the real Big Bad of the Buffyverse? Is the villain always so obvious? And how does our changing culture alter our perception of evil? These questions and more will be examined in a deep dive into the big (and not so big) bads of BTVS. We will delve into the ideas of good and evil as well as what really makes a villain the ultimate Big Bad.

GUEST: Shannon Griffin
North 129B

4:30PM-5:30PM

Kpop Dance Game

Do you like kpop? Do you like to dance? This is the place for you! Come join us and show your knowledge and skills throughout a variety of songs in this highly engaging game.

North 221ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Star Wars: The New Trilogy (Episodes VII-IX)

Another Trilogy has ended, so let's review and see how well it fares compared to the OT, and the prequels... overall, were we satisfied with the adventures of Rey, Finn, and Poe?

GUEST: Estevan Pina, Michael Silverton
North 122ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The Latch Key Kidz: Spiderman

Read a (Comic) Book! Podcast proudly presents: The Latch Key Kidz! Come and enjoy Spiderman: The Animated Series in a whole new way! The episodes you know and love, but with brand new dialogue and sound effects. All made up on the spot!

GUEST: Anthony Thornton, Paul Broccolo, Richie Anderson, Dana Whissen, Austin Roccia
North 124AB

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Silence is Golden - The Evolution of the Modern Movie Theatre

Silence once filled the movie theater and now you are immersed in surround sound. Everything was in black and white and now colors are more vibrant and pop off the screen. Lines would form outside of a theater waiting for the newest release, now some movies hit streaming the same time they are in the theater. Let's talk about all of this and everything in between from food, drinks, vintage rereleases, and so much more in this jam packed theater going panel.

GUEST: Steven Crellin, Brian Lee, Lauren Knight, Cinema Sandee, Ken Brown
North 227AB

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

I'm The Producer: Live Stream It or?

Do you have a podcast? Have you ever live streamed from your phone to FB or YouTube? The team from Comic Kombat and Drunk Comics University are producing an entire season of their game show series right here at Phoenix Fan Fusion. Are they live streaming? Why (or why not)? You have a great show idea, some money and the right people ready to make it. Should you live stream? The expert panel talks about the pros and cons of live streaming, making money on distribution and quality control of your incredible show. How does live streaming impact the audience, the story, the quality of production, and the profits? Join us and find out.

GUEST: Dr. John Allen, Robert Golo, Reggie Jordan, Ayiana Uhde, Leo Ramos, Keir Worthy
North 228B

4:30PM-5:30PM

Bookman's Extravaganza Hour!

Come geek out with Bookman's! Hear stories, answer trivia questions, win prizes and awards. This geektastic extravaganza is brought to you by Arizona mainstay Bookman's Entertainment Exchange. West 101ABC Event Area

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Dragons and Their Connecting Thread Across Cultures and Literature

Is the dragon a monster, a mythical creature, a cultural symbol or quite possibly a heroic figure? I want to look at the origin of the dragon and how it has managed to rear its enormous head in multiple tales across multiple cultures. We will look at the little known dragons of ancient Egypt and the long, rich history of Asian dragons and finally the most famous dragons of literature.

GUEST: Derek Clifford, Jackson Preece, Karolyn Clifford, Matthew Baptiste-Cerra
North 125AB

4:30PM-5:30PM

What My Dress Up Darling means to Cosplayers

The slice of life anime, My Dress Up Darling, has taken the winter season by storm. But besides the beautiful animation and characters, we want to

dive into the world of cosplay depicted in the show and what it means to us cosplayers. Let's talk about why you should watch this show and why it's an inspired and sincere love letter to the craft of cosplay and its community.

North 222AB

4:30PM-5:30PM

Definition of Superhero

What makes a SuperHero a SuperHero? Do they need super powers? Do they need to be really smart, have cool technology or a cool costume? Come join our panelist as they discuss the definition of a superhero and see if the movies and the comics get it right.

North 225B

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Oooh, Don't Tell Me...

Try not to ruin the show for your friends by telling them who done it or who's gonna die first or who's gonna survive. We'll look at some of movies and T V's dead giveaways.

GUEST: David Ramsey, Gayle Bass, Stu Evans
North 128A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

High Fantasy

For many readers, fantasy was one of the first genres that led them to a love of books. From Lord of the Rings to Dungeons and Dragons to Harry Potter, these beloved stories were read and digested over and over. Fantasy and magic can also spawn everything from sorcery to the paranormal, and swords to urban environments. These authors will discuss their worlds and how, regardless of what academics say, fantasy is literature.

GUEST: Jennifer Roberson, Peter V. Brett, Joanna Ruth Meyer, Romina Russell
North 226BC

4:30PM-5:30PM

How to Draw: Creature Design

Character design is fun but what is more fun than that? Designing creatures! Creepy, crawly creatures or cute cuddly creatures, come join Armand and Greg for some tips and tricks on designing creatures.

North 222C

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Geek, and You Shall Find

In 2016, a trio of geeks began interviewing cosplayers at comic conventions to ask about their costumes. They had no idea that the answers they received would result in a documentary featuring interviews with legendary creators including Kevin Eastman (Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles), George R.R. Martin (Game of Thrones), and the late Stan Lee (the Avengers). Since picked up for distribution by Gravitas Ventures and available on Amazon Video, this panel will include a preview of Geek, and You Shall Find as well as a question and answer with the filmmakers.

GUEST: Brad Faye, Arvind Navaratnasingham, Kelsey Dickerson
North 230

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Cosplay Lip-Synch Contest

Phoenix Fan Fusion's best, brightest, and boldest cosplayers face off for supremacy on the runway in our 3rd Annual Cosplay Lip-Synch Contest.

GUEST: Kayla Cook, Zachary Hugo
North 224AB

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Victorian Flirting - Fans, Gloves, and So Much More

Calling all Dandies and Darlings! Learn how to flirt elegantly without saying a word. Discover the wonderful, coquettish secrets of fan language, the quizzing glass, and scandalous ankles and wrists! Join Katherine Stewart (Bustle Girl) and unlock a world of flirtation and communication!

GUEST: Katherine Stewart
North 129A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Lisa McMann

The 14-book Unwants magical fantasy series is over, but Lisa's brand new, New York Times bestselling supernatural series is just beginning. Sit back and relax as Lisa presents The Forgotten Five: Map of Flames, an entertaining, interactive powerpoint presentation introducing this new series about five supernatural kids, raised in a deserted tropical hideout, who enter civilization for the first time to search for their missing criminal parents...and the stash they left behind. She'll also touch on The Unwants series and other titles, and take questions. Dress up like one of the characters on the cover of The Forgotten Five: Map of Flames and get a free sticker and Forgotten Five pin!

GUEST: Lisa McMann
North 227C

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Toss a coin to your Scientist: Witches and medieval monster hunting

Is there any science to enhancing humans into the ultimate warrior? Hmm.

GUEST: Kimberly Olney, Dani Phelps, Timothy Licknack
North 130

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The World of Honor Harrington

Come join us for a look into the World of Honor Harrington. Honor Harrington is the main protagonist in the Honorverse series of science fiction adventures. Learn about The Star Empire of Manticore, The Republic of Haven, and Honor Harrington herself.

GUEST: The Royal Manticoran Navy Fan Association
North 126ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Improv Comedy... with Blue Box Improv

Unscripted, unanticipated hilarity at its finest! Phoenix's own Blue Box improv comedy troupe are happy to bring you their fourth annual improv comedy show to Arizona's largest comic convention, where everything is made up, and YOU get to be a part of the show via your suggestions or even by coming onto stage (if you dare!)

GUEST: Steve Correia
North 232ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Make Like a Tree and Leaf it to Science

Researchers have been working on growing pumpkins that glow without candles and tomatoes that are actually edible vaccines, and that's only the tip of the iceberg lettuce! Join us for a discussion of one of the maddest sciences of them all: plant biotechnology!

GUEST: Chelsea Holmquist, Larry Henley, Andrew Damos, Michelle Di Palma
North 131A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

That's so Meta: The latest in VR technology
VR devices are becoming increasingly common. What are the challenges that successful implementations must solve, what are the pitfalls, and what does the future hold? Come to this panel to find out!

GUEST: Khester Kendrick, Don Balanzat, Erica O'Neil
North 131BC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

The Growing World of Mermaids: How Can YOU Be One?

Mermaiding is a growing industry and they are everywhere. There are educators, enthusiasts, performers, and business opportunities abound. Join Fins Magazine's Editor, Pat Pastrano, and Mermaid Princess Aurora as we talk about the growing world of mermaids and how you can be one. Since 2019, Fins Magazine has been the world's leading mermaid magazine. From costuming and photography to conservation and education, the magazine covers all aspects of mermaiding. Join our panel where we will introduce Fins Magazine and Mermaid Princess Aurora along with discussing the growth of mermaids throughout the world, types of mermaiding, what goes into creating a mermaid tail and how do you get started on your mermaid journey? There will also be time for you to ask your mermaiding questions.

GUEST: Mermaid Princess Aurora, Pat Pastrano
North 132ABC

G PE 4:30PM-5:30PM

Writing Workshop: Template Writing Checklist

Good writers develop tools to make the task of writing easier. Tom Leveen, novelist and actor, has developed the Template Writing Checklist. Learn how to use this flexible document to either plot your entire story, or make changes to your first draft for a tighter, more polished manuscript. Good for all genres and formats! Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Tom Leveen
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Strange Mysteries From Around The World Part 1

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GUEST: Tina Williams
North 127BC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Game Design 001 NOOb Edition

In this interactive workshop, you will learn the building blocks at the core of the game design.

GUEST: Eric Wile
North 228A

4:30PM-5:30PM

Loki, Mater of Mischief!

Loki has been causing trouble in the Marvel Universe since 1962. Since that time Loki has remained one of the most popular Marvel Villains/ Anti He-

roes. Come and learn about the origins of the character and how it shaped the character we see in the MCU.

North 225A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Dun... Dun... DUNE!!!

A new adaptation of Frank Herbert's Dune came out last year directed by Denis Villeneuve and starring Timothy Chalamet and Zendaya, and has both old fans and new arrivals to the fandom celebrating it... so let's compare this version to the ones we've already had to see what was done to imagine the world of Arrakis and revitalize the franchise.

GUEST: Amy Gray, Sterling Morris
North 223

18+ 4:30PM-5:30PM

Geek Speed Dating (18+)

In fiction, finding someone new is as easy as finding a big blue box, mystic portal or traveling to a galaxy far, far away. While these may not be in reach - never fear! Geek Speed Dating may be just the ticket to finding someone new to have your own adventures with! please note you MUST be 18 to participate.

West 211AB

G 4:30PM-7:00PM

Level Up Your Cosplay: Moldmaking, Casting, and Coating with Reynolds Advanced Materials

Learn about professional quality materials to increase the quality of your cosplay. Live demo with tips and tricks, come explore the possibilities!

GUEST: Jay Turney, Laura Craig, Brandon Green, Niki Williams
North 231ABC

5:30PM-6:00PM

Closed to public for event set up
West 301BCD

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Tickled To Death

As long as we have enjoyed laughter, we have also enjoyed fear. Somewhere along the way, these two concepts merged together to create the modern Horror Comedy! In this panel, we will be examining the evolution of the horror comedy, looking at why we love this genre so much and discussing some of our favorite horror comedies along the way.

GUEST: Shannon Griffin, Alyssa Beveridge
North 129B

G 18+ 6:00PM-7:00PM

The Chilling Adventures of Sabrina (18+)

Whoa there Salem, this isn't the Melissa Joan Hart sitcom... Fans are raving, and continue to be blown away by the shocking horror from one of the darkest Archie comics tales ever created, now that it's been adapted into a live-action series, and we're going to cover the most chilling moments we've seen so far, and what we can expect from her when she returns to Riverdale!!

GUEST: Jasmine Robertson, Jessica Bechhoefer, Caitlyn Davis, Jennica Dombrowski
North 223

G 18+ 6:00PM-7:00PM

"What The Fic?" - A Fan-Fiction Battle (18+)

Welcome to the world of competitive dramatic reading of fan-fiction. That's right, two teams face off, each given five minutes to read the weirdest, craziest fan-fics as artfully as possible, and at the end of five minutes each, the fans decide who wins the

round. After five rounds, we declare a winner (who is really any person who didn't write the fan-fic in question).

GUEST: Jacqueline Stevenson
North 132ABC

6:00PM-7:00PM

Of Advocacy and Anime: Depictions of Law in Eastern Media

The drama of the courtroom is a popular theme in media, and media like video games and anime are no exception - but how true to life is it? Join Legal-EASE as a team of lawyers and legal professionals analyze portrayals of lawyers in Phoenix Wright, Genshin Impact, and more.

North 225A

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Learn to Draw Pokemon with Team Rocket

Trainers, Champions, and twerps of all ages! You're pretty good at training Pokemon, but how about drawing Pokemon? Come join Team Rocket AZ and learn to draw the Pokemon that will most certainly win you the Boss's favor, including the elusive golden rat, Pikachu! Why take down the poster in the Celadon Game Corner when you can draw your own (seriously, don't touch the poster, there's nothing behind it)? Art supplies that we totally didn't steal will be provided.

GUEST: Team Rocket AZ
West 101ABC Event Area

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Navigating Your Nerdy Identity

This interactive session will discuss navigating peers, school, social pressures, and bullies. We will examine middle school to post-college life and on to adulthood all while staying true to your nerdy identity.

GUEST: Samra Hausey
North 228B

6:00PM-7:00PM

The Heroes Of HBO Max

HBO Max has become the home for the more adult side of the DC TV Universe. With shows like the Titans, Doom Patrol and the Harley Quinn animated series and more there is plenty for the mature audience. Come and discuss what's good and what could be better. There is plenty to discuss about these DC shows.

North 225B

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Return of Legends - Star Trek: Picard Season 2

Star Trek: Picard aired its first season right as the pandemic began, and after a long delay Season 2 aired this Spring. Picard, Q, Guinan! Join your local Trekspeers from the the United Federation of Phoenix and Thomas Marrone, Associate Art Director for Star Trek Online and starship designer recently canonized in Star Trek: Picard, to discuss this wild, time-traveling Season 2 of Picard with a look to Season 3 (now in production)!

GUEST: United Federation of Phoenix, Thomas Marrone
North 122ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Greatest Villains in Fiction

The very best of the very worst. A great villain makes the hero worth believing in. Authors share their favorite bad guys and gals and the secrets to creating and writing memorable ne'er-do-wells.

GUEST: Heather Walter, Ryan Dalton,

Zoe Hana Mikuta, Matt McMann
North 226BC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
Follow Your Bliss: Unlocking Your Inner Superhero

Mythologist Joseph Campbell encouraged people to follow their bliss. For the filmmakers of *Geek*, and *You Shall Find*, that advice paid off in a big way. Find out how three geeks followed their bliss and suddenly found themselves with the opportunity to interview legendary creators including Kevin Eastman (*Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles*), George R.R. Martin (*Game of Thrones*), and the late Stan Lee (*The Avengers*). Learn the commonalities shared by each of the creators, and how the comic book medium is helping comic book fans from all over the world unlock their inner superhero.

GUEST: Brad Faye, Arvind Navaratnasingham, Kelsey Dickerson
North 230

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
Still Standing: Discussing Stephen King's The Stand

The hosts of the *Disinformed Podcast* and an expert panel discuss the various adaptations of Stephen King's *The Stand* with an eye toward its cultural relevancy, and the impact the recent CBS miniseries had running in parallel to an actual pandemic. Triggers, traumas, titillations, and a bit of group-therapy take place as we discuss the brilliant author's concept, its filmic and televised iterations, and its interconnectivity with the greater King-verse.

GUEST: Shane Hunt, Renee Cesaro, Michael Clark, Michael Sepulveda, Jon Watkins, Courtney Gifford
North 125AB

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
Flying on Other Worlds

In April 2021, the robotic helicopter *Ingenuity* successfully completed the first ever powered controlled flight by an aircraft on another planet! NASA is sending a second helicopter, *Dragonfly*, to Saturn's moon Titan in 2026. What are the challenges in flying on another planetary body, and how did engineers resolve them? Come to this panel to find out!

GUEST: Michael Fillman, Benjamin Koval, Garrick Williams
North 130

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
The Batman - Past, Present, Future and Current Conspiracies

Matt Reeves' *Batman* echoes past *Batman* movies but more so resonates with the *Arkham* games and more recent comics. We will discuss how *The Batman* fits into the world of canon and how it incorporates the comic book storyline of *Hush* along with some things you might've missed when watching it on the silver screen.

GUEST: Jace Killan, Katie Salidas
North 126ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
See No Gaming

See No Gaming is a Youtube show made by the *Blank Trigger Gamers* where one person is playing a video game blindfolded, while another person is guiding him through the game by yelling out commands. First watch a demonstration of this hilarious setup and then we'll put the audience behind the wheel, blindfolded!

GUEST: Blank Trigger Gamers
North 228A

G 18+ 6:00PM-7:00PM

Wildest Deaths in Anime (18+)

Holy cow, how much blood can an anime body really hold?" "Is it that easy to sever a head with a fingernail?" Answers to these questions and more will be discussed - and shown - in this panel of wildest anime deaths. If you're looking for new exciting graphic series that have a high body count, this panel is for you! Come watch anime where any innocent bystander can, and will, get offed without warning. Let's see how much anime death you can handle in one sitting!

GUEST: Robert Crockett, Cliff McDonald, Ramon Soto, Curtis Hunt
North 124AB

6:00PM-7:00PM
Family Feud: The Video Game Edition

We surveyed 100 gamers and everyone said you should come join us for another edition of the *Family Feud: The Video Game Edition*. Top 5 answers are on the board, do you have what it takes? Family friendly!

North 222C

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
Lex Luthor or Tony Stark? The role of mega-billionaires in STEM

In recent history there has been a proliferation of large projects (especially to space) supported by the ultra-wealthy. Is what we are seeing now a unique phenomenon, and what might it mean for the future of technology development?

GUEST: Khester Kendrick, Erica O'Neil, Matthew Spear, Carlo Quintanilla
North 131BC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
"If I don't do something the world will end. Better run away!": The science of Evangelion

In this series, humans are fused with giant robots to do battle. What is the current state of brain-machine interfaces that might make this possible some day? Come to this panel to find out!

GUEST: Heni Ben Amor, Lily Baye-Wallace, Christopher Albin-Brooks
North 131A

G 18+ 6:00PM-7:00PM
The Roast of Ash Ketchum (18+)

"Gotta Roast 'Em All! At long last, Ash Ketchum has finally become a *Pokemon* master! How do we celebrate this achievement? By calling him out on all his shortcomings, flubs, mistakes, and more with a panel full of his friends and enemies all hosted by Team Rocket's leader, Giovanni!"

GUEST: Jeffrey Rojas, Baldur Hill, Kaylee Coleman, Loki Foster, Jero Keenom, Tom Hilliker, Bronti Hollins, Skyler Hugo, Zachary Hugo, Guido Martin, Jessica Gorsuch-Spratta
North 232ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
Random Dance Play

If you know a lot of different choreographies to KPOP songs, this game is for you! This game will have the chorus of a bunch of different KPOP songs and if you know it, flex your knowledge and dance it! The songs will be random and will have a countdown between each chorus to reset the dance floor. We challenge you to learn as many dances as you can.

GUEST: MCK Dance Team
North 221ABC

G 6:00PM-7:00PM

Pop Culture Jeopardy

Think you have the skills to win the ultimate Pop Culture challenge? Join the *Pop Culture Junkies*, Alexander Castillo-Núñez, Hayley Tracy, Nicole Eldridge and Shauna Trinidad, as they play against each other in a *Trivia Battle Royale*, with teammates selected from the audience. Then the participants will have to wow the audience with their best impressions and line readings, with the audiences voting for their favorites. When it's all over, the team with the most points will win a *Pop Culture Grand Prize Pack*, and be able to brag about being the Ultimate Pop Culture Warriors.

GUEST: Pop Culture Junkies
North 128A

G PE 6:00PM-7:00PM
Writing Workshop: Plotting

New York Times Bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole unravels the mysteries of creating compelling plots. A novel is a huge undertaking, written over weeks or months, and the plot has to hold it all together. From creating an outline to maintaining flexibility, this seminar gives you the insider knowledge that will separate you from all of your peers. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Michael Stackpole
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
Murder Mystery: The Early ReDIerment of Superman

Join some of your favorite DC characters as they wish Superman an early ReDIerment! Things are not as they appear, everyone is a suspect. Put your sleuthing skills to the test decipher the clues! The *Murder Mystery Players of Casa Grande* present a show filled with Murder, Secrets, Mystery and Intrigue. The Early ReDIerment of Superman. Can you figure out whodunit?

GUEST: The Murder Mystery Players of Casa Grande
North 224AB

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GUEST: Tina Williams
North 127BC

18+ 6:00PM-7:00PM
Autumn Ivy: Voice Over Acting Tips! (18+)

Join professional voice over actor, Autumn Ivy, as she talks about what goes in to voice overs and voice acting. She has done voice over work for multiple audio books as well as some video game voice acting.

North 222AB

G 6:00PM-7:00PM
Samwise Gamgee, the Hero

A case for the true hero of "The Lord of the Rings", Sam. The story of middle earth is full of heroic feats and brave characters facing impossible odds but one Hobbit stands above the rest and truly saved

the one he loved the most, Frodo, from himself. This is an in depth study of Sam, who is immediately relatable as he dreams of being the hero of a grand adventure and in the end, fulfilling his desire. Sam is the hero of his own story and the story of middle earth.

GUEST: Derek Clifford, Jackson Preece, Karolyn Clifford, Fitz Madrid
North 129A

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West 211AB

6:00PM-8:00PM

Closed to public for event set up
North 120CD

6:00PM-11:30PM

Closed to Public

Masquerade contestants and event staff only.
West 301A

7:30PM-8:30PM

Monster Rangers

Come and join the Monster Rangers, the most exciting scouting group in existence. Come and meet the Steam Crow team and learn all about the Rangers.

North 225A

7:30PM-8:30PM

The Legal Questions of the Purge

The premise of the Purge is simple: for one night, all crime is legal. But, in reality, how would this work? Join Legal-EASE as a team of lawyers and legal professionals analyze the potential consequences of the Purge made real.

North 231ABC

7:30PM-8:30PM

Hyrule's Greatest Debate

Hyrule Historians are back at it again! Join the panel as we finally defend our highs and lows of the franchise. Participate and defend your best girl Midna or even Tingle if he's your fave. Is Ocarina of Time truly the best game in the series? Is Toon Link REALLY the worst design? Win and earn the title of Hyrule's greatest, and perhaps earn a prize or two for your participation.

North 228A

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Five Nights at Freddy's: Security Breach

Freddy Fazbear's Pizzeria keeps hiring security guards... so has there ever actually been a break-in? When in the timeline could this have happened? And if so, would the intruder end up busted by security, or would they team up with them to survive? Would one trip up the other and leave them to the mercies of the automatons to survive?

GUEST: Brianna Roney, Jay Castillo, Kolaiah Baldwin
North 223

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Ozark

Financial thrillers are a small genre, often involving money laundering and other criminal activities. Does Ozark skate the line of realistic schemes regarding money laundering or do potential plot

holes get covered up by the chaotic criminal actions? Or plotting thrillers using Ozark as an example of financial thrillers?

GUEST: Jace Killan, Jenn Windrow
North 227C

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM

Trauma in Fiction - Hollywood is Lying to You (18+)

How trauma really works. Realistic injuries, realistically presented. Discussion of the real outcomes from the injuries so often falsely depicted by Hollywood. Dr. Bruce Davis Rated Adult and Violent due to the presentation of real injuries on clips. Not for the squimish.

GUEST: Dr. Bruce Davis
North 228B

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Dancing for the Social Set

A social event for geeks of all ages, where everyone is invited to learn some English and Irish community set dances. No experience or partner is necessary. Just come, have fun, and be ready to have a ball!

GUEST: Alex Canto
West 105BC

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM

Is That A Wand in Your Pocket (18+)

To assume that a bunch of teenage witches and wizards never made a lewd or dirty joke is to strain credibility. Even Dumbledore probably said something like that at one time or another. Join us for this delightfully naughty panel, in which house points are awarded to the most skillfully and humorously read lines in the Harry Potter novels... scripts may have been altered for your enjoyment.

GUEST: Ashleigh Feiring, Meghan Cunningham, Michelle Mendes Vazquez, Bella Gazda
North 124AB

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Five Nights at Freddy's Jeopardy!

You've watched the Youtubers play, you've listened to the theories. Now let's see if you can survive five nights of murderous animatronics and achieve glory! Join the Crying Child and other FNAF Fans in a rousing game of Jeopardy - Five Night's At Freddy's style! Will you root for Team Freddy, Bonnie, or Chica?

GUEST: Audra Borgnaes, Hal Novak, Sammy Begin, Jade Wiseman
North 125AB

7:30PM-8:30PM

WWE vs AEW: What does the future of wrestling look like?

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North 227AB

7:30PM-8:30PM

Classic Sci-fi Trivia!

Robocop! Knight Rider! Buck Rogers! You know you love them; the awesome, the awful, and the cheesy sci-fi shows and flicks of the '70s and '80s. Challenge your nerd cred and win fun prizes. Hosted by Syfy screenwriter/comic book scribe Mike MacLean.

North 225B

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

P.U.G.S.: Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown

Witness the ridiculously entertaining carnage of the final round of The Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown (PUGS) as 8 fans square off in heated

debates on the silliest comic fest related topics we could come up with! Not to be missed!

GUEST: Dannie Moriarty, Jeff Moriarty, Jamel Singleton, Joe Holt
North 132ABC

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

What's Old is New Again - Star Trek: Strange New Worlds

Inspired by the great fan response to seeing Captain Pike, young Mr. Spock, and Number One in Discovery Season 2, Paramount+ gave them their own new show! Streaming now on Paramount+, what do you think of these new adventures of the USS Enterprise and her crew - 8 years before the Star Trek: The Original Series timeline of Capetian Kirk? Join members of our local fan club, the United Federation of Phoenix, and other Trekkers to discuss this newest entry in the Star Trek television phenomenon.

GUEST: United Federation of Phoenix
North 122ABC

7:30PM-8:30PM

Guess the Anime Opening

Do you know the opening to your favorite anime just by hearing a small clip of the song? Then come test your knowledge against other otaku in this fun and interactive game show!

North 222AB

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Fan Theory Open Mic

You got a hot take on the MCU? Maybe you think the Pixar universe is a shared one with My Little Pony? Make your voice heard as we give you a microphone and time to justify your theory before a panel of so called experts/comedians. Awards will be awarded to both the best and the most insane.

GUEST: Zed Phillips
North 230



G 7:30PM-8:30PM

"I am different, not less":

The science of Neurodivergence

Despite the stigma, a great deal has been learned about autism and other forms of neurodivergence. What does the latest science say about them and how we can be more inclusive for those of us who are different but not less?

GUEST: Alex Gerhard, Christopher Albin-Brooks, Sharlot Hart
North 130

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

All Your Favorite Game Shows: Pop Culture Edition

All Your Favorite Game Shows is a fun game of naming tunes, beating geeks, righting prices and so much more. Hosted by Paul Goebel & Steve Mandel, contestants battle each other to win the grand prize.

GUEST: Steve Mandel, Paul Goebel
North 224AB

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Maybe they'd grow old if we had penicillin-Science and Medicine in WWI

World War I saw the emergence of terrible new weapons, but also incredible new medicines. Come learn about the inventions and new practices that revolutionized medicine in the early 20th century.

GUEST: Adele Crane, Stephen Davis, Bina Vanmali, Darien Hall
North 131A

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

The Science of Animation: Bringing the 2nd Dimension to the 3rd

Before the advent of CGI, sophisticated techniques were invented to bring animated worlds to life. Come learn about some of them!

GUEST: Michael Kurtz, Michael Savarese, Heni Ben Amor, Courtney Page-Bottorff
North 131BC

7:30PM-8:30PM

So you wanna put an anime girl on your car huh?

You ever see those cars with the huge anime girls on them? Those are called Itashas! Come join some Itasha owners as we go over what exactly is an Itasha, the history of them and what's the best way to go about getting one done! We'll be going over our most and least favorite designs and will have a contest against the panelist to see who has the best itasha! Whether you already know everything there is to know or you know nothing at all, we'll answer any questions you have about getting your waifu or husbando on your car!

North 222C

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Who's Who: The Ranking Dr.'s Who

Doctor Who is a timeless classic, but not all the characters are equal. How would you rank the Doctors from Doctor Who? Who were the top companions? What or Who were the best villains? If you grew up with classic Who, or discovered Doctor Who in the modern era, you probably have your own favorites. We would like to spend a few minutes exploring what it is that makes us love this show.

GUEST: Thermians from UT
North 128A

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM

Free Stand Up Comedy Show (18+)

We invite you to an evening of FREE comedy! Be barraged by a horde of nerdy local comedians, regaling you with tales of the things that matter most in life: comic books and video games. FREE comedy at the Comiccon- it's almost an alliteration.

GUEST: Steve Marek
West 211AB

7:30PM-8:30PM

Ask your Demon Slayer

Come see your favorite demon slayers in action! Ask them questions and play some games with them! Maybe even be the winner of our raffle prize! See you soon!

North 221ABC

G 7:30PM-8:30PM

Horror Was Always Woke

From its very conception to its current form, horror has always been a place for marginalized communities to translate the horrors of their reality. Come and listen in while horror authors, commentators, and fans hash out how the horror genre has subverted modern humans in a secret plot to teach them empathy, compassion, and love.

GUEST: KT Ireland, Cameron Blackwell, Brian Haas
North 127BC

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM

Ummm... Actually (18+)

The only thing a true geek loves more than knowing more than you is TELLING you they know more than you. Join our distinguished panel of "experts" as they read off incorrect geek trivia tidbits, only to be corrected by the audience. But, you only get points if you start off your correction with the words "Ummm...Actually..." in true geeky fashion (extra points if you really ham it up).

GUEST: Alan Sparrow, Brooke Unverforth, Steve Mandel, Scott Madsen
North 129A

G 18+ 7:30PM-8:30PM

Guts and Glory: Film Making from the Inside Out! (18+)

Step onto the red carpet and take a look into the most profitable (and sexy) genera of film making in history! Hosted by Hollywood Executive, former Victoria Secret model Summer Helene (host of the "Behind the Scenes"). Great for aspiring filmmakers and anyone that loves movies! ... Warning, this panel has A LOT of naughty adult content!

GUEST: Summer Helene
North 126ABC

G 7:30PM-9:30PM

Nerd Poetry Slam

The nerd of all fandom will clash with words the will bring poetic truth to Phoenix Fan Fusion. Bring your work, love, pathos, heartbreak, joy and grok! Then see if you can be the Nerd Poetry Slam champion.

GUEST: The Klute
North 226BC

8:00PM-11:30PM

Drinks With Authors!

Join authors and other creators for a glass or two in an informal setting. We'll have door prizes, giveaways and raffles to support Kids Need To Read.

West 106ABC

G 8:00PM-11:55PM

Masquerade Costume Contest

Fantastically talented costume creators show off their most amazing work on the big stage. See some of the best cosplayers of the convention at this always anticipated annual event.

GUEST: Chris Campbell, Jinx Cosplay
West 301BCD

G 18+ 8:30PM-11:55PM

STRUT YOUR STUFF (18+)

STRUT YOUR STUFF is big, bold, brazen, beautiful and back! More inclusive than ever before! Doors open to all, individuals and groups, at 8:30 PM for dancers to sign up and choose their song or have a song chosen for them if they feel adventurous. Don't feel like dancing? Volunteer to be a guest judge! The show begins at 9:00 PM with super-heroes, furrries, zombies, anime otaku, sci-fi fans, video game characters, cosplayers, crossplayers or those in casual dress to dance, prance and STRUT. Everyone receives a ribbon, some will receive special prizes, all dancers will receive wild cheers and admiration from the audience!

North 232ABC

G 9:00PM-11:30PM

All Puppet Players meet

The Neverending Story

The All Puppet Players invite you to enjoy a movie classic with them! Watch the movie while our puppets scream at the screen, crack jokes and point out film inconsistencies. It's like Mystery Science Theater (only legally not at all like them). The NeverEnding Story synopsis: An unhappy young boy discovers a book about a mystical land. When he becomes engrossed in the story of this land, which is about to be destroyed by the evil force of Nothingness, he finds himself entering this world of racing snails, hang-glider bats, soaring luckdragons, puckyish elves, a Childlike Empress, the brave warrior Atreyu and a slab-faced walking quarry called a Rock Biter. With his new found friends, he rushes to save this new world. WARNING! NO ONE under 17 years old will be permitted into shows. NO EXCEPTIONS. All Puppet Players shows are for mature audiences with exceedingly immature tastes. They contain strong adult language and situations. Puppets can be unpredictable so if you are of a sensitive nature or are easily offended; puppets don't care.

GUEST: All Puppet Players
North 132ABC

G 18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

The Latch Key Kidz: Pokemon (18+)

Read a (Comic) Book! Podcast proudly presents: The Latch Key Kidz! Come and enjoy Pokemon in a whole new way! The episodes you know and love, but with brand new dialogue and sound effects. All made up on the spot!

GUEST: Anthony Thornton, Paul Broccolo, Dana Whissen, Richie Anderson, Austin Roccia
North 124AB

G 9:00PM-11:55PM

A Star Trek Universe Mixer

Fresh from their "What's Old is New Again - Star Trek: Strange New Worlds" panel (Saturday, May 28 @ 7:30 pm in North 122ABC), join the United Federation of Phoenix and other local Star Trek clubs for a casual mixer.

GUEST: United Federation of Phoenix
North 224AB



G 8:00PM-1:00AM

Baby Yoda Bash: Grogg's 51st Birthday Party
Din Djarin is inviting all of Phoenix Fan Fusion to help celebrate his founding son's 51st Birthday, and he's pulling out all the stops to make sure he wins Father of the Year... featuring a cast of Star Wars friends too long to list, more fun and adventure than any other toddler's birthday, and a night full of music that absolutely slaps, you don't want to miss this party!

GUEST: Laura Wirth, Diosa Vance, Syndicate Saber
North 120CD

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Don't have a Meltdown: What HBO got right about Chernobyl

Did HBO get it right? And how worried should be we now that it is in an active warzone?

GUEST: Lena Heffern, Joseph Holland, Jim DeGraffenreid
North 130

9:00PM-10:00PM

Hange's Experiment Corner

Come join the Attack on Titan crew for some interactive fun, there will be some Q&A, Truth or Dare and a character quiz! Come join all the fun!
North 227AB

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Tourney of Mercenaries

Audience participants compete for fun prizes in this video game tournament, where each contestant plays two rounds of Mercenaries Mode from

Resident Evil 5 on PS4, with their top score vying for the grand prize, but with participation prizes for all who compete!

GUEST: Umbrella Corporation, Arizona Hive
North 231ABC

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

Pump You Up: The Science of Fitness

Lifting heavy is a pathway to gains many consider to be unnatural. In this panel, experts discuss the current understanding of fitness science, and what you can do to crush your enemies and see them driven before you!

GUEST: Michelle Di Palma, Brian Johnson, Sharlot Hart
North 131A

G 18+

9:00PM-10:00PM

Price is Right Nerd Edition (18+)

Compete against vendor hall veterans to determine the prices of bizarre items made for fans. No fandom is safe from overpriced merch.

GUEST: Phoenix Fandom Productions
North 222C

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

"Fantastid" Science and the 9th Doctor

In celebration of Christopher Eccleston's visit to Fan Fusion, scientists look at their favorite episodes with the ninth Doctor!

GUEST: Michael Savarese, Lily Baye-Wallace, Matt Chew
North 131BC

9:00PM-10:00PM

Let's Roast some Anime Characters!

Okay so we all know anime are FULL of good looking characters. BUT WHAT ABOUT THE UGLY ONES! Join us as we absolutely destroy these anime characters! Whether they're physically ugly or personality wise ugly we will not hold back! Bring us all of your ugly anime characters and we will roast them together! We are a no judgment zone... unless you're an anime character. So come see our panel! This is definitely one you won't want to miss!

North 222AB

G 18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

Strip a Goddess (18+)

Do you like Jeopardy? Whose Line is it Anyway? Strip Poker? This fun, fast paced game show will test your erotic mythologic knowledge and keep you on the edge of your seat as some lucky audience members get to help strip a goddess! By the end of this show, everyone will be a winner!

GUEST: Tim (Far From Home Presents) Shafer, Amy (Far From Home Presents) Shafer
North 223

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

You're Killing Me For \$500

You're Killing Me For \$500.

GUEST: Tina Williams
North 129B

18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

Autumn Ivy: The Bone Collector (18+)

Come join Autumn Ivy, The Bone Collector, as she tells tales of horror and fright, so come enjoy some creepy pasta with your most excellent host. You won't regret it.

North 221ABC

G 18+ 9:00PM-10:00PM

Smash or Pass: Doctor Who Edition (18+)

Do you often find yourself thinking, "I wonder if anybody else agrees that the Daleks are hot"? Do you ponder your life choices as you imagine how bad a Slitheen must be in bed? Well, then this is the panel for you! Come discuss as a group whether you would "Smash or Pass" on some of your favorite Doctor Who characters! Be prepared, it is going to get wibbly wobbly, time wimey. And weird. So very weird...

GUEST: Dani DeShong, Nathaniel Harris, Chloe Beltran, Courtney Conant
North 125AB

G 9:00PM-10:00PM

TTRPG Story Time!

So this one time, in Dungeons and Dragons...Yea, we all have our stories and I'm sure your friends are tired of hearing them over and over again. But we aren't! Come share your best Tabletop RPG stories with us and we will share ours with you! This is a super fun and laid back story time panel so bring your stories, bring your laughter and bring your friends!

GUEST: Sousa Larson, Sean Rooney, Cheyenne Bramwell, Steven Turco
North 228A

G 18+ 9:00PM-11:30PM

Phoenix Fan Fusion Comedy Show (18+)

Enjoy an evening of comedy from local Arizona comedians and avid nerds as they tell jokes about life, liberty and the pursuit of nerdiness. This show is 18+ so leave the kiddos at home.

GUEST: Ben Lewis
West 211AB

G 18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

Uncle Yuhki's Story Hour (18+)

Come one. Come all. Let Uncle Yuhki tell you wonderful tales that rival your wildest dreams. Listen, as he answers your heart's deepest, darkest, and most desired questions.

GUEST: Yuhki Kanetani
North 221ABC

G 18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

Fifty Shades of WTF? A Discussion of BDSM in Pop Culture (18+)

50 Shades of Grey is possibly the most widely read depiction of BDSM in fiction... but is thought of as one of the most damaging representations of it at the same time. This panel will discuss the pop culture franchises that have included BDSM themes and characters, and how they have positively represented it, instead.

GUEST: Dennis Burns, Bonnie Burns, Xiaoyi Drake
North 223

G 18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

Citizens of South Park (18+)

South Park has had it's ups and downs. Join our mock town meeting as we discuss the recent specials and fan theories.

GUEST: Phoenix Fandom Productions
North 222C

18+ 10:30PM-11:30PM

Quarantine A DC Parady 2 (18+)

Join YoungVayu and NerdRage as we present to you a 2nd installment of Acevanes take on quarantine as he Paradies the pandemic through a series of hilarious animated skits. We aim to help everyone take a break away from the stress from the past 3 years and take a lighter approach at poking fun at it.

North 222AB

SUN 29th	North 120CD Events & Seating	North 121AB Escape Room_1	North 121AB Escape Room_2	North 121AB Escape Room_3	North 122ABC Panels	North 123 Blood Drive	North 124AB Fantasy
9:30am - 10:00am	Open Seating for Attendees						
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am						The Ultimate Tragedy of Kylo Ren and Ben Solo	
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm					Skewed and Reviewed: Upcoming Video Games and Tech	Vitalant Blood Drive and Be The Match Bone Marrow Registry	The Potter Professors Present: Swish and Flick
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm							Compliment Dueling
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm							
3:30pm - 4:00pm							Movie that Tag Line
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm					MCU Phase Four: What Even Are You?		How About Those Clone Wars?
5:00pm - 5:30pm							

SUN 29th	North 125AB Sci Fi	North 126ABC Sci Fi	North 127A	North 127BC Horror	North 128A Science	North 128B Science Displays	North 129A Fantasy
9:00am - 9:30am			VIP Lounge				
9:30am - 10:00am							
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am	90's and Early 2000's Cartoons	Star Trek's Flagship: The History of the Enterprise		Horror Anthology	Morphinomial Music	RealTime STEAM hosts Science Displays	Jeopardy of the Fandoms
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm						Wild at Heart Raptor Rescue	
12:00pm - 12:30pm		Importing the Moon: Sailor Senshi				Lowell Observatory	Superhero Fantasy Draft: Year of the Villain
12:30pm - 1:00pm					I Love Studio Ghibli	Heritage Square	
1:00pm - 1:30pm						Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary	
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Cosplay for a Cause	Ahsoka Tan-who? Animated Star Wars Characters in Live Action		It Could Happen To You		Girl Scouts AZ Cactus Prime	
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm						Phoenix Zoo	
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Discworld 101: A Glance Into Terry Pratchett's World	Things Past: A Look Back at Star Trek TOS, TNG, DS9, VOY, and ENT			Quick Draw	Phoenix Boys Choir	The Return of Atomic Monsoon
3:30pm - 4:00pm						Greenlight Solutions	
4:00pm - 4:30pm						The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation	
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Of Potter and Personal Injury	Futurama- No Humans Were Probed in the Making of This Series					
5:00pm - 5:30pm							

SUN 29th	North 129B Horror	North 130 Science	North 131A Science	North 131BC Science	North 132ABC Panels	North 221ABC Anime	North 222AB Anime
10:30am - 11:00am	Folklore In Horror	Holy Shirtballs: Ethics in The Good Place	Assemblers Avenged! How to encourage your students to become makers	The 2020's Mars Armada		Welcome to the Playground: The World of Arcane	Who's That Pokémon?
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Streaming Horror	Everything I Need to Know I Learned From Anime!	"Coffee, Black": Science in Star Trek Voyager	Your Brain is Lying to You: Fun with Sensory Illusions	Stranger Things Season 4	Nini Music Session 3	Castlevania: Season 3 and 4 on Netflix- Dracula's Curse
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Less Is More	My commute is 238,900 miles: The future of jobs in space!	Is it Gold Yet? The history of alchemy and chemistry	Lucy and Psyche: Asteroid missions paving the way for the Expanse!	Disney Divas Wanted! A Disney Sing-A-Long	Nini Music Session 4	Guess the KPOP Song
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Let It Go	Scooby Scooby Doo, what can I learn from you?	Vulcan's Wrath: The science of Volcanoes	Invasion of the Habitat Snatchers: What's The Big Deal About Invasive Species?		Super Smash Bros vs You!	So you think you know K-pop
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Beeeee!.....Bees?	Weyland, Halcyon, Kindred Aerospace, Oh My!: Space Exploration and Big Corps	"I say we sit tight and assess": Science communication in Don't Look Up			Quirk Theory
5:00pm - 5:30pm							

SUN 29th	North 222C Anime	North 223 Panels	North 224AB Cafes & Lounges	North 225A Comics	North 225B Comics	North 226A Writing Workshops	North 226B Authors
10:30am - 11:00am	Guilty Pleasure Manga	We Are All Wonder Women		Is That a Supervillain?	The Saga of Image Comic Saga discussion	Writing Workshop: Finding The Story * PAID EVENT *	Monsters in Literature
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Fruits basket cosplay panel	Dresden Files: Accorded Neutral Territory for a Discussion	Cosplay Karaoke Battle III!	Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles	Everything You Ever Wanted to Know about Comics	Writing Workshop: Writing Anyway: Working despite depression, anxiety, and other fun... * PAID EVENT *	Authors: Get Me Out Of Here!
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	R U Smarter than a Rocket Grunt?	Helluva Boss/Hazbin Hotel: No Vacancies (18+)		IDW Transformers Comic	Peacemaker- Form Comic to Screen	Writing Workshop: Finding your voice * PAID EVENT *	Paranormal fun with Authors
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	The Phoenix Poke-Party	A Bridgerton Too Far (18+)		The Future of The Arrowverse	Character Spotlight Harley Quinn	Writing Workshop: Advanced Characterization * PAID EVENT *	
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	My Hero Randomdamia (18+)	Battlefield Blunders: The Battle of Winterfell (18+)					
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							

SUN 29th	North 227AB Panels	North 227C Authors	North 228A Gaming	North 228B Comics	North 229AB Cosplay Lounge	North 230 Costuming	North 231ABC Costuming
9:30am - 10:00am					Cosplay Lounge (9:30AM-5:00PM) CosTalk Live Lounge (10:00AM-4:00PM)		
10:00am - 10:30am							
10:30am - 11:00am			How to Turn Cosplay into a Career	I'm The Producer: Making Money, Sponsors, Crypto and IP Sales		Superhero/Villain Kahoot Trivia	Cosplay Q and A Time for Beginners
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Instant the comic - From Idea to Digital Ink	Drawing out the Dragons with James Owen	The Art of the Iron Maiden: Dungeon Mastering 101	Animal Superheroes - Saving The Planet		Bringing Life to Cosplay	The Languages and Cultures of Middle Earth and What Real History Inspired Them
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm		Diversity Is Not Optional: Creating Media For Gen Z And Beyond	Invitation to the Party: How to Find Your Dungeons and Dragons Group	What We've Done In The Shadows		Score to Film: A Heroic Journey through Sound Sponsored by Majestic Theaters	Resin Mask Making
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	I'm The Producer: Investors, Profits and Tax Incentives		Herodix Basics	Redesigning Cringe OCs		Advanced Materials for Cosplay	The Clan Ginger Presents: Creating One-of-a-Kind Costumes
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm				The REAL Secrets of Dumbledore (18+)			
5:00pm - 5:30pm							

SUN 29th	North 232ABC Stage Shows	West 101ABC Youth	West 101ABC Event Area	West 102ABC Lego Lounge	West 103AB Laser Tag	West 104AB Diversity Lounge	West 105BC Activities
10:00am - 10:30am						Phoenix Gaymers Diversity Lounge	
10:30am - 11:00am	LA LA Lando	Bookman's Presents Youth Games and Stories and Activities	Radioactive Engineering Challenge!	Lego Free Build (10:30AM-11:45AM)	Altered Combat Laser Tag		Krav Maga in Action
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Youth Masquerade Judging		Everyone's favorite "Bookworm" Princess	Lego Build Off			Medieval Playtime!
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm				Lego Free Build			
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Youth Masquerade and Fashion Show!		The Joker Strikes Again! Radioactive Popcorn				Project Shinobi Presents - Tokusatsu Hero Action Workshop
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Steampunk Fashion Show		Colossal Character Coloring Conversation				Movie Fight Scenes: Reality vs. Film
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Improv Your Dungeon... with Blue Box Improv						Bookman's Extravaganza Hour!
5:00pm - 5:30pm							

SUN 29th	West 106ABC Activities & Events	West 211AB Events	West 213B
10:00am - 10:30am			Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay
10:30am - 11:00am	Youngling Saber Training		
11:00am - 11:30am			
11:30am - 12:00pm			
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Quidditch with the ASU Sundevils		
12:30pm - 1:00pm			
1:00pm - 1:30pm			
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Syndicate Saber Presents: The Quest for the Wayfinders	Murder Mystery : The Early ReDIerment of Superman	
2:00pm - 2:30pm			
2:30pm - 3:00pm			
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Beginner Bellydance Lessons with Ghazaal Beledi		
3:30pm - 4:00pm			
4:00pm - 4:30pm			
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Letterkenny Team Trivia at Mod3an's (18+)	
5:00pm - 5:30pm			

9:00AM-5:00PM

VIP Lounge

Lounge Access is for VIP credential holder and one (1) PAID EVENT Sidekick or one (1) child only.
North 127A

9:30AM-4:30PM

Open Seating for Attendees

Open seating available to attendees
North 120CD

9:30AM-5:00PM

Cosplay Lounge

Cosplayers! Need a place to relax or fix a broken part of your cosplay? Then the cosplay lounge is for you! Join your friends from the Blue Ribbon Army and sit a spell, fix minor wardrobe malfunctions, eat some food uninterrupted and have a chance to put your feet up for a much needed rest. This space is only for cosplayers and their handler.
North 229AB

G 10:00AM-4:00PM

CosTalk Live Lounge

Come and meet the hosts of CosTalk Live, a cosplay streaming talk show based in Phoenix, AZ. Have a chance to show off your cosplay during our scheduled livestreams or share your experiences with our hosts! The Lounge is located inside the Cosplay Lounge, stop by for the Live stream daily schedule. This is open to cosplayers and their handlers only.
GUEST: Jinx Cosplay, ThermoCosplay, Liz Todd
North 229AB

10:00AM-4:00PM

Vitalant Blood Drive and Be The Match Bone Marrow Registry

Not all heroes wear capes! Be a hero today and donate a part of yourself to better someone else's life and your own.
North 123 Blood Drive

10:00AM-4:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit:

The Captain's Mutiny

Captain Black is an old Sea Dog who has always told his crew "Share and share alike." Recent plunders have been very fruitful! But, you and your team suspect the captain has been keeping more than his share. The last person to mention this out loud quickly walked the plank. The crew has opposed your request for a mutiny. The captain is ashore in search

of more rum. You must quickly locate the hidden treasure or be forced to walk the plank. Hurry! This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_1

10:00AM-4:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit: Steampunk Revolution

The industrial revolution is alive and well with fresh ideas and wild new fashion. Inventor Cyrus Pennyworth has grown tired of being marginalized and is out to prove that he is the best inventor ever. His time machine is nearly finished and, if completed, he will secure his legendary status. Can you and your team help him complete it and escape before rival inventors show up to steal his ideas? This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_2

10:00AM-4:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit: Tohwa Island

Tohwa Island is the perfect Polynesian getaway with a rich lore! The locals love and worship their god of weather, Tawhirimātea as well as her children who are said to influence the various weather elements. You've just arrived to a huge luau, but someone has stolen and locked up all of Tawhirimātea's little Tiki children. She has conjured up storm clouds that are fast approaching and threatening the entire island. The Tiki children must be found and returned to please Tawhirimātea and save the island. Can you find and return them in time? To increase your odds, your will be one of six teams all working towards the same goal. (Teams may have up to 8 players.) This roughly 45-50 minute adventure offers begins at the top of every hour from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 4pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_3

G 10:00AM-5:00PM

RealTime STEAM hosts Science Displays

Travel through space, take a picture with Pluto (yes, the planet), or go back in time with the Doctor at

Heritage Square. Identify the variant in the time stream. Maybe prove just how the Girl Scouts have changed since you were one, or identify your next cookie location. Or learn how Greenlight Solutions is preparing students to lead organizations into a sustainable future. All possibilities exist in room 128B... come check it out!

GUEST: Girl Scouts Arizona Cactus-Pine, Heritage Square At Heritage And Science Park, Lowell Observatory, Phoenix Herpetological Society, Phoenix Zoo, Rachel's Reptile Rescue, Wild At Heart Raptor Rescue, Greenlight Solutions
North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Wild At Heart Raptor Rescue

Wild At Heart (WaH) is a rescue, rehabilitation, and release center for birds of prey in Arizona. Our primary purpose is to rescue injured owls, hawks, falcons, and eagles, rehabilitate them, and, ultimately, release them back into the wild.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Lowell Observatory

Lowell Observatory is an independent, non-profit research institution founded in 1894 by mathematician and astronomer Percival Lowell. Today, our mission is to pursue the study of astronomy, conduct research, and bring astronomical education to the public.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Heritage Square

Get more 1900! Heritage Square is a striking reminder of the city's vibrant Victorian past. Located on Block 14 of the original townsite of Phoenix, the Square dates back to the late 1800s, and the restored Rosson House Museum is its crowning jewel. Whether you love history, technology, good food, or just a quiet place to reflect - a visit to Heritage Square is for you!

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary

Promote conservation and preservation of native and non-native reptiles through education, rehabilitation, rescue, and relocation

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Girl Scouts AZ Cactus Prime

Girl Scouts bring their dreams to life and work together to build a better world.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Phoenix Zoo

Arizona Center for Nature Conservation advances the stewardship and conservation of animals and their habitats while providing experiences that inspire people and motivate them to care for the natural world.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Phoenix Boys Choir

The Phoenix Boys Choir, through educating boys in the art of singing and performing the finest music in the boy choir tradition, develops character, discipline, leadership, global awareness, and a strong commitment to excellence, thereby contributing to the greater Phoenix musical life and enhancing

Arizona's cultural reputation nationally and internationally.

North 128B Science Displays

10:00AM-5:00PM

Greenlight Solutions

Empowering students, professionals, and community members to catalyze sustainable business initiatives.

North 128B Science Displays

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10:00AM-5:00PM

Cosplay 50: The United States of Cosplay

Susan Onysko is attending conventions in every state and photographing the amazing cosplayers on location to be assembled into a coffee table book at the conclusion of the 50th state. Susan and her team will be on the floor handing out Golden Tickets for a free thirty-minute professional studio shoot to those with exceptional examples of cosplay. Participants sign a model release during the session and receive one fully retouched high-resolution JPEG by email after the convention.

GUEST: Susan Onysko

West 213B

10:00AM-5:00PM

Phoenix Gaymers Diversity Lounge

The Diversity Lounge, presented by Phoenix Gaymers, is a welcoming and safe space for people of different races, genders, sexualities, cultures, faiths, and accessibility/non-visible/non-apparent needs to meet up, relax, and build community.

West 104AB

10:00AM-5:00PM

The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation

The Greater Phoenix Chamber Foundation (the Foundation) convenes and catalyzes business, education, and community to enhance college and career readiness, develop a stronger workforce, and build healthier communities throughout Arizona.

North 128B Science Displays

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10:30AM-11:30AM

Folklore in Horror

If you remember being read bedtime stories as a kid, you'll love this discussion as we delve into the concept behind the story (sometimes stemming from real events)! Join us while we discuss the basis for these stories that such as La Llorona, Bigfoot, Wendigo, Chupacabra, leprechauns, banshees, and of course, Dracula.

GUEST: Jon Morrow

North 129B

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10:30AM-11:30AM

Horror Anthropology

What is horror and why do we have it? From our earliest recorded moments, to the present day, humanity has had a grim and intimate relationship with the macabre. From our religions, mythology, our folklore, stories, and oral traditions, horror has been ever present with us. What is it about the dark and the monster under every bed that makes us long for more? This panel will discuss our dread fascination with the bumps in the night and why we continue to search them out.

GUEST: Jason McCord, Brett Etzel, Spencer Moleda

North 127BC



we all know supervillains can't drive so Joker wrecks in the center of Gotham City. Because we've NEVER seen super heroes clean up after themselves, your job in Gotham City Sanitation is to clean up the mess! A group of gifted science and engineering students will help engineer solutions through hands on approaches, coming up with creative solutions that progress in difficulty.

GUEST: Dana Hansen

West 101ABC Event Area

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10:30AM-11:30AM

Jeopardy of the Fandoms

A game of jeopardy that spans all the Fandoms.

GUEST: CelestialKatCosplay

North 129A

10:30AM-11:30AM

LA LA Lando

LA LA LANDO is the musical starring the galaxy's greatest scoundrel, Lando Calrissian. Derek Jeremiah Reid is Billy Dee Williams as the caped wonder of Cloud City. Just after the battle of Endor we find Lando looking for love and laughs with all your favorite star wars characters. If you love musicals and star wars LalaLando is for you. You especially don't want to miss the new song "We Don't Talk About Lando"!

North 232ABC

10:30AM-11:30AM

Is That a Supervillain?

Is That a Supervillain?

North 225A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

90's and Early 2000's Cartoons

All about the 90's and early 2000's cartoons. Join us for a discussion of the shows, how they impacted us as kids, and shows we wish were still around.

GUEST: Shelby Michael-Scates, Cierra Ruiz,

Brenetta Meadows, Mary Kenline

North 125AB

10:30AM-11:30AM

Guilty Pleasure Manga

Do you have a manga that you consider a guilty pleasure? One that you don't let others know you read, no not hentai, but a regular manga that may not get the love you think it deserves. Come join our panelists as they dive into some of their guilty pleasure titles and come share some of yours if you're brave!

North 222C

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Monsters in Literature

Everybody loves monsters, but what makes monsters cool, scary, or just plain appealing? Hear some expert monster creators wax poetic about their monster-creation strategies and what helps them monster harder.

GUEST: Kelly DeVos, Tom Leveen, Joseph Nassise,

Melissa Marr

North 226BC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

The Ultimate Tragedy of Kylo Ren and Ben Solo

Kylo Ren is definitely one of the most controversial

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Youngling Saber Training

The Sith is out there, are you prepared? All younglings 6 years of age and older are encouraged to garnish the skills needed to fight the empire. The Phoenix Saber Academy will teach you how to properly wield a lightsaber, and bases its training in real martial arts. Techniques explored will be footwork, blocks, strikes all building up to more advanced techniques. The hour will be divided into two identical 30 minute instruction sessions.

GUEST: Phoenix Saber Academy

West 106ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Who's That Pokémon?

If you think you're a pretty skilled pokémon trainer, come by and test your knowledge! Guess the right pokémon and win a prize or two along the way. Join us for some fun Pokémon trivia and discussion while you guess who's that pokémon!

GUEST: Phoenix Fandom Productions

North 222AB

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Krav Maga in Action

Chief Instructor at EVKM Self Defense, will demonstrate the Israeli military system of Krav Maga, including defenses against modern weapons. Learn the why's and how's of this popular self defense system.

GUEST: East Valley Krav Maga

West 105BC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

I'm The Producer: Making Money, Sponsors, Crypto and IP Sales

You are in production, just like the team from Comic Kombat and Drunk Comics University. Do you need a sponsor? Will you sell the show for distribution? How does crypto currency change your options? The panelists discuss distribution and sales, budgets, sponsors, and the variety of ways you can make a profit from your show.

GUEST: Linjie Huang, Heather Hale, Boualem

Hassaine, Rob Spaeth, Kim Bailey, Steve Pena

North 228B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Radioactive Engineering Challenge!

The Joker is trying to poison the Gotham City Circus with radioactive popcorn. Batman chases him but

characters in the Star Wars universe. This is an in depth character study of Kylo Ren and his journey from Ben Solo and then back again. This panel will make the case for the intense complexity of Kylo Ren and his raging unpredictability that ultimately makes him relatable, understandable, and all the more tragic. The weight of his sacrifice cannot be denied.

GUEST: Derek Clifford, Jackson Preece, Karolyn Clifford
North 124AB

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Holy Shirtballs: Ethics in The Good Place

Over its four seasons, The Good Place gave a hilarious yet poignant look at real questions in the field of ethics. How does it shape up under scrutiny?

GUEST: Erica O'Neil, Christian Ross, Alex Biera
North 130

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Superhero/Villain Kahoot Trivia

Take part in a no holds barred battle, for the ultimate champion of comic trivia, with you the players deciding the victors. Bring your friends. Form a team. Choose a side. Answer questions for a chance at seriously underwhelming prizes and more importantly bragging rights for your fandom. Smartphone required. Ages 13+. This event is brought to you by Justice League Arizona.

GUEST: Justice League AZ
North 230

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Cosplay Q and A Time for Beginners

Are you new to cosplay and always have questions? Let our panel's diverse range of costuming skillsets help answer them! We will be discussing questions from creating your cosplay to suiting up for the convention. Let us help you create!

GUEST: RevolvingMel
North 231ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Star Trek's Flagship: The History of the Enterprise

The U.S.S. Enterprise may be a starship, but it is also a character in its own right. The Enterprise has been at the heart of Star Trek for over 50 years, and boldly going again in the upcoming show Star Trek: Strange New Worlds. Join Thomas Marrone, Associate Art Director of Star Trek Online, to discuss the history of one of Science Fiction's most iconic Starships.

GUEST: Thomas Marrone
North 126ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

We Are All Wonder Women

Women have always had a place in nerd culture that has often been overlooked, and "We are All Wonder Women" is a panel celebrating female cosplayers and our contributions to the charity costuming community. We know from experience that many beginners are intimidated at the prospect of diving into charity costuming, so our objective is to inspire any nervous newcomers with positive anecdotes, insight, and support within our community for female charity costumers.

GUEST: Hayl Daugherty
North 223

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Assemblers Avenge! How to encourage your students to become makers

Building toys such as Lego and K'NEX have existed

for decades, but in recent years new tools such as 3d printers have created whole new avenues for creativity. Hear from the experts about some of them and how to encourage your students to explore!

GUEST: Brian Calaway, David Oakes, Michael Savarese
North 131A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

The 2020's Mars Armada

SO MANY new missions to Mars have arrived or are planned in the near future! Who is sending them, and what are their goals?

GUEST: David Williams, Craig Hardgrove, Ryan Anderson
North 131BC

G PE 10:30AM-11:30AM

Writing Workshop: Finding The Story

New York Times Bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole takes you through a series of exercises that will let you build a story from the barest spark through twists and turns. He'll give you several story recipes and show you how you can work from them to create delightfully complex and engrossing stories. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Michael Stackpole
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

How to Turn Cosplay into a Career

Everyone who turned a hobby into a career, will take it from someone who's been there. Learn tips on starting a new career in the costume industry.

GUEST: Autumn Dayss, Hunter Dayss
North 228A

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

The Saga of Image Comic Saga discussion

Saga from Image Comics by Brian K. Vaughn and Fionna Staples has returned after a 3 year hiatus. Does it hold up? How has it been with Saga in our lives. Join in on the discussion with other Saga panelists.

GUEST: Cab Comics
North 225B

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Welcome to the Playground:

The World of Arcane

Arcane dropped on Netflix and was a triumph in both animation and storytelling for the League of Legends franchise in its debut. Come to this panel so we can talk about Vi and Jinx in the surprise hit, which is the highest rated show to ever hit Netflix!

GUEST: Killian Davies, Kayla Cook, Jenna Dombrowski
North 221ABC

G 10:30AM-11:30AM

Morphinominimal Music

Countdown of Power Rangers theme songs from the entire series. What spot does your favorite take in our expert ranking?

GUEST: Aaron Wax, Jamaal Andress Taylor, Cody Taylor Andress, Glen Smith
North 128A

10:30AM-11:45AM

Lego Free Build

Come let your inner Lego maniac free!
West 102ABC

10:30AM-4:30PM

Bookman's Presents Youth Games and Stories and Activities

OH MY! Bookman's Entertainment Exchange is a sponsor of youth activities. Each day characters of all sorts will be conducting fun activities and game challenges for attendees.

West 101ABC

10:30AM-4:30PM

Altered Combat Laser Tag

Altered Combat brings high-energy, high-tech tactical laser tag to Phoenix Fan Fusion! Take part in a non-stop, arcade-style battle where you will fight for your team's dominance and a spot as one of the top 5 players. Every experience includes a briefing, equipment outfitting, 10 minutes of Team Death-match gameplay, and a debriefing. The battle begins each day at 10:30 am and ends at 11:00 pm on Friday/Saturday and 4:30 pm on Sunday. The cost is \$15 per player per flexible time slot (16 players max) or \$25 per player for an unlimited day pass while supplies last. Flexible time slots and unlimited day passes can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

West 103AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Streaming Horror

With all the streaming services available at your fingertips, there has never been an easier time to find new horror favorites or re-discover creepy old classics. Come join us for a discussion on the rise of streaming horror. Plus, we'll share some of our favorite horror movies that you can watch this instant.

GUEST: Brian Haas
North 129B

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

The Potter Professors Present: Swish and Flick

Whether you're in your first year at Hogwarts or prepping for your O.W.L.s, come and join the Potter Professors as they dive into the history, lexicon, wand movements and other lore surrounding the use of spells in the wizarding world. Make sure to bring your wand for this interactive lesson.

GUEST: The Potter Professors
North 124AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Importing the Moon: Sailor Senshi

A look at how Sailor Moon was adapted for audiences outside of Japan, what changes were made, and how it impacted storytelling.

GUEST: Rhynish Turtle Conservation Society
North 126ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

The Art of the Iron Maiden: Dungeon Mastering 101

Do you enjoy pitting your friends and family against mythical creatures, sending them on dangerous quests, and generally making their life more difficult than it needs to be? Dungeons and Dragons might be the game for you! Throw the dice and find out if you have what it takes to be a Dungeon Master!

GUEST: Lisha Vila, Luis Vila, Benjamin Ronin, Uriah Ronin
North 228A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Everyone's favorite "Bookworm" Princess

Hear a story, sing-along to some familiar tunes, and have a meet and greet near the end of the hour. Don't forget to warm up those vocal chords and join us for an enchanting hour of music and fun! Bring your cameras, too, for photos!

GUEST: Shayna Padjen
West 101ABC Event Area

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Quidditch with the ASU Sundevils

Do you have what it takes to catch the Golden Snitch? Maybe you fancy yourself a Beater or Bludger? Meet the ASU Quidditch team, and learn the basics of the game. Join a house team and play an impromptu match!

GUEST: ASU Quidditch Team
West 106ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Superhero Fantasy Draft: Year of the Villain

It's time to draft! Read a (Comic) Book's Superhero Draft is back for another year! This year, come draft your dream Legion of Doom using DC & Marvel's rogue galleries. Come dressed as your favorite character and you could be chosen as our special guest manager to battle it out against our "experts"!

GUEST: Anthony Thornton, Paul Broccoli, Jay Castro, Corban Ford
North 129A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Lego Build Off

Calling all Master Builders - the Lego Build Off needs your skills and imagination for this creation gathering! Join Cactus Brick as they host an epic build off!

GUEST: Cactus Brick
West 102ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Skewed and Reviewed: Upcoming Video Games and Tech

Gareth, of Skewed and Reviewed, looks at the hottest games and tech on the horizon for gamers. This fan-favorite has drawn standing room only crowds and features trailers, SWAG, Q&A and more.

GUEST: Gareth Von Kallenbach
North 122ABC

12:00PM-1:00PM

Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles

Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles #1 came out in 1984, and was soon a cartoon, toy and movie phenomenon. At the center was always the comic book universe. Whether you already a fan or the comics or are new to the TMNT comic universe, this panel is for you.

North 225A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Dresden Files: Accorded Neutral Territory for a Discussion

Let's talk about the events in the novels that led up to "Peace Talks" and then its impact on Harry Dresden and his world. In this panel we'll cover a brief overview of the main story line thus far and cover what the newest anthology of short stories means for our hero moving forward. We'll discuss some fan theories and we may even have time to talk a little bit about the RPG.

GUEST: Estevan Pina, Michael Silvertown
North 223

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Castlevania: Season 3 and 4 on Netflix- Dracula's Curse

The Netflix show Castlevania continues to be one of the best video game adaptations ever made into an animated show, and the adventures of Trevor, Sypha, and Alucard against the immortal vampire Dracula continue to impress, and offer easter eggs galore...

GUEST: Skyler Hugo, Jero Keenom, Guido Martin, Jay Castillo, Annabella Renee Norton
North 222AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Animal Superheroes - Saving The Planet

Some of these may come as a big surprise! Susan Stoltz - Susan Stoltz has spent the past decade working at a conservation zoo teaching people of all ages about animals. She's also the author of 13 children's books that revolve around animals, conservation, ecosystems and more. A writer, editor, musician, and artist, Susan can talk about superhero animals like Steve The Dung Beetle for as long as anyone will listen. Matthew Strangways - Matt Strangways feels that life is an adventure, and that books should be too; sometimes literally and always figuratively. A seasoned writer, musician, and raconteur, he finds inspiration in just about anything that crosses his path. A fascination with the ecology of the Desert Southwest brought Matt from New York State to Arizona in the mid-90's, and he has not looked back. As the Phoenix Zoo's Interpretive Content Manager, he has the privilege of learning astounding new things about the natural world every day. He can also talk about superhero animals at even greater length than Susan!

GUEST: Susan Stoltz, Matthew Strangways
North 228B

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Authors: Get Me Out Of Here!

Time for some cross-genre fun and maybe make one of our authors scream "Get me out of here!" We will be asking our authors questions about something outside their genre and let you decide if their answer holds up. Let's see what a sci-fi writer knows about magic systems or a fantasy author knows about the Andromeda nebula.

GUEST: Erin Jade Lange, Heather Walter, Joanna Ruth Meyer, Suzanne Young
North 226BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Bringing Life to Cosplay

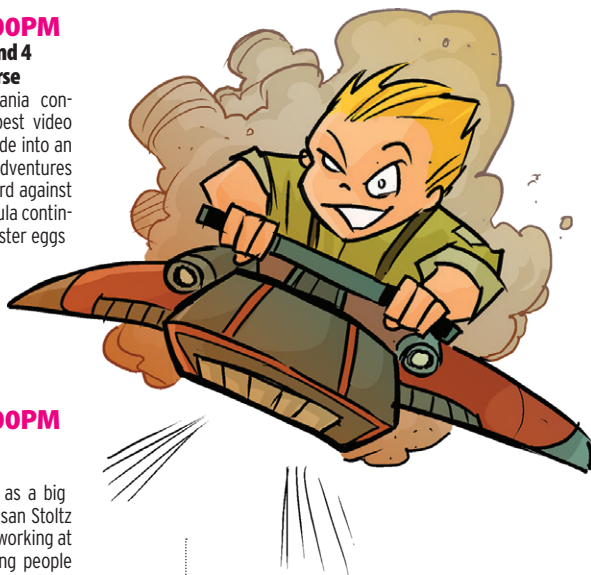
Want to know how to add that extra something special to your cosplay? Discover action posing for photoshoots, find new ways to combine your other hobbies with cosplay such as aerobics or fitness. And learn how to set up fun collaborations with other cosplayers!

GUEST: Ryann Kay
North 230

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Stranger Things Season and 4

The Upside Down continues to torment the residents of the town of Hawkins, Indiana, and the sanctity of the Starcourt Mall is under attack by



the Mind Flayer itself. What will come of Eleven and Mike? And what happened to Hopper?

GUEST: Amanda Albregard, Fitz Madrid, Kevin Albregard
North 132ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Everything I Need to Know I Learned From Anime!

Scientists discuss if Anime is the ultimate teaching medium! (And if we're heeding its lessons)

GUEST: Ryan Avery, Sarah Schimpp, Sean Peters
North 130

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Medieval Playtime!

Come play games with the Kingdom of Umbria! They will be playing authentic medieval games such as marbles, hopscotch, blind man's bluff, etc. Experience the fun of the middle ages!

GUEST: The Kingdom of Umbria
West 105BC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

I Love Studio Ghibli

Are you a Studio Ghibli fan? So are we! Do you know every character and plot point for all the studio's movies? We're right there with you. Join us and talk with other fans about Studio Ghibli and see some cool clips. Come to this panel where some self described otaku talk about their favorite Studio Ghibli movies and watch scenes from these great movies.

GUEST: Robert Crockett, Cliff McDonald, Ramon Soto, Curtis Hunt
North 128A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

"Coffee, Black": Science in Star Trek Voyager

Over its 7 season run, Voyager had several episodes that posed challenging questions about ethics and morality in scientific research in discovery. Come hear real scientists discuss The Omega Directive and more!

GUEST: Jonathon Hill, Khester Kendrick, Kathryn Kitzmiller, Brian Johnson
North 131A

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Your Brain is Lying to You: Fun with Sensory Illusions

Is the dress blue or white? Did you hear "Yanny" or "Laurel"? Your brain is getting bombarded with information all the time, and sometimes when it puts everything together it gets it wrong. Hear experts discuss how this happens! (PS it's white and Laurel)
GUEST: Michael McBeath, Alex Biera, Michael Kurtz
North 131BC

G PE 12:00PM-1:00PM

Writing Workshop: Writing Anyway: Working despite depression, anxiety, and other fun...

Too many writers try to compartmentalize their lives, as if their writing was not impacted by financial, emotional, spiritual, or physical stress. In this candid class, acclaimed author Tom Leveen, shares with you the techniques he's learned to enable him to navigate the very real world of mental health and daily stresses on creative output. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door.

GUEST: Tom Leveen
North 226A PAID EVENT

12:00PM-1:00PM

Youth Masquerade Judging

Judging for the Youth Masquerade Contest.
North 232ABC

12:00PM-1:00PM

Nini Music Session 3

Nini will be performing originals, anime OPs, video game themes, as well as a world record speed performance on her traditional Chinese instruments.
North 221ABC

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Instant the comic - From Idea to Digital Ink

Meet the creator of the digital comic "Instant". Learn from the writer on how he created the character and what the future may hold.
GUEST: Absalon White Jr.
North 227AB

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

The Languages and Cultures of Middle Earth and What Real History Inspired Them

What is a Conlang? As part of the detailed world of middle earth, author and linguist J.R.R. Tolkien also constructed multiple languages (conlangs) like those created for Star Trek and Game of Thrones that are specific to different species and cultures within his universe. We will look at the more prominent Sindarin and Quenya of the Elves as well as the Black Speech of Mordor and their real life linguistic inspirations.
GUEST: Derek Clifford, Jackson Preece, Karolyn Clifford
North 231ABC

12:00PM-1:00PM

Fruits Basket Cosplay Panel

Meet the animal spirits of the zodiac! Come say hi and ask your burning questions! Give your favorite character a truth or dare! Be the winner of our fruits basket raffle!! See you soon!
North 222C

12:00PM-1:00PM

Everything You Ever Wanted to Know about Comics

Have you ever wondered how comics are made?

Where the origins of the medium started? Join your host Scott Marcano from Diablo Productions and he walks you through the history of comics and how they are made.

North 225B

G 12:00PM-1:00PM

Drawing out the Dragons with James Owen

Here there be dragons with James Owens! Meet the author himself as he discusses his books and shows you how to create fantastic dragons on your own!
GUEST: James A. Owen
North 227C

G 12:00PM-6:00PM

Cosplay Karaoke Battle III!

The Cosplay Karaoke battle has opened up Fan Fusion in its first two incarnations, but this time out, we close out on Sunday afternoon in full force!

GUEST: Shawn Parkinson, Jacqueline Stevenson, Britni Brotherton, Sarah Rodgers
North 224AB

G 1:00PM-2:30PM

Youth Masquerade and Fashion Show!

Youth from birth to 15 years old are invited to the first annual all-youth masquerade and fashion show! Join us for 2 hours of fun with a judged costume contest and then time for kids to show off their costumes in the Youth Fashion Show! The costume contest requires pre-registration online by May 1st. Fashion Show participants just show up 30 minutes before the show's start and sign up at the door. We will take the first 15 who sign up and others may join if time permits. This is an event not to be missed!

GUEST: ThermoCosplay, Jinx Cosplay
North 232ABC

1:00PM-5:00PM

Lego Free Build

Come let your inner Lego maniac free!
West 102ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

It Could Happen To You

Have you ever heard something unsettling and thought "That'll never happen to me"? Well, turns out it could! We'll be taking a closer look at the things our parents all warned us about like vacation terror, home invasion, sleep paralysis, and even alien abduction.

GUEST: Jon Morrow
North 127BC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Invitation to the Party: How to Find Your Dungeons and Dragons Group

Where do you actually find a group of players for Dungeons and Dragons? What should you look for in party members? Find out all this and more!

GUEST: Lisha Vila, Luis Vila, Benjamin Ronin, Uriah Ronin
North 228A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Less Is More

Some of the hallmarks and trends we see in horror cinema to this day are tropes because of necessity. Evil Dead, Friday the 13th, Sleepaway Camp, and Battle Beyond the Stars all work because their teams were forced to employ inexpensive and



revolutionary methods to make their visions work. Horror seems to thrive on this innovation and this panel explores this concept, where its true, places where it may not be as true, and what this means for the indie scene then and now.

GUEST: Jason McCord, Brett Etzel, Spencer Moleda
North 129B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Diversity Is Not Optional: Creating Media For Gen Z And Beyond

Gen Z (born between 1997 and 2012) doesn't need you to educate them about diversity. Gen Z and the kids of Gen Alpha (2013 and on) consume media from around the world subbed, dubbed, or in its original language. They expect artists to create worlds that are diverse and free of stereotypes. But now, it's time to take diversity to the next level: intersectionality. The panelists will dissect this topic from personal, professional, and business angles. They will also give examples for other creators to watch/read/consume to edutain themselves and prepare for the next generation of SF/F fans.

GUEST: Dani Hoots, James Ramos, Sara Fujimura
North 227C

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Syndicate Saber Presents: The Quest for the Wayfinders

The Coruscant Players are back with a brand new adventure. A set of Wayfinders have been found and could either lead to the survival of the Jedi or the newest Sith weapon or something even more dangerous... Bring your family, your friends, the kids, and the droids for a choose your adventure show full of jokes and memes! Fun for the whole family!

GUEST: Syndicate Saber
West 106ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

The Joker Strikes Again! Radioactive Popcorn

The Joker is trying to poison the Gotham City Circus with radioactive popcorn. Batman chases him but we all know supervillains can't drive so Joker wrecks in the center of Gotham City. Because we've NEVER seen super heroes clean up after themselves, your job in Gotham City Sanitation is to clean up the mess! A group of gifted science and engineering students will help engineer solutions through hands on approaches, coming up with creative solutions that progress in difficulty.

GUEST: Dana Hansen
West 101ABC Event Area

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Cosplay for a Cause

What do stormtroopers, superheroes and princesses have in common? From hospital visits to charity walks, cosplay groups have done their part to raise awareness for several causes. Meet local cosplay groups and hear about the causes they strive to bring awareness to.

GUEST: Umbrella Corporation, Arizona Hive, Put on the Cape
North 125AB

1:30PM-2:30PM

Peacemaker - Form Comic to Screen

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North 225B

1:30PM-2:30PM

IDW Transformers Comic

This year marks the end of the IDW Transformers Comic. The ending of the story is going to be epic. Come and learn about this slice of the Transformers universe.

North 225A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Project Shinobi Presents - Tokusatsu Hero Action Workshop

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GUEST: Project Shinobi Stunt Team
West 105BC

G 18+ 1:30PM-2:30PM

Helluva Boss/Hazbin Hotel: No Vacancies (18+)

Vivienne Medrano's animated YouTube series debuted and immediately had the internet buzzing, and now we're wondering what sorts of mischief awaits as Charlie, the Princess of Hell, explores her bargain with Alistaire and finds out if her quest to find souls worthy of redemption in hell to reduce overcrowding is brilliant, or the worst idea in the history of damnation.

GUEST: Chris Campbell, Bronti Hollins, Kolaiah Baldwin, Killian Davies, Annabella Renee Norton
North 223

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Resin Mask Making

Ever wondered how you make a creepy wrinkled mask or a smooth as silk mask? Well now is your chance! Watch as we show different methods of using resin to create different types of masks; from fabric coated in resin, to paper mache, EVA foam, and roto cast masks! Also see how to make your mask more durable and last for years to come.

GUEST: Tinker Cosplay, Gilbert Espino, Gabriel Espino, Cassandra Jenkins, Li-An Ventura
North 231ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Paranormal Fun with Authors

Paranormal stories can be fun to read and even more fun to write, but what makes a good paranormal yarn? How do you avoid well-worn tropes and make already-tread ground interesting and fresh? Our paranormal panel is ready to share their insights on ghosts, poltergeists, and strange phenomenon.

GUEST: Melissa Marr, Romina Russell, Peter V. Brett
North 226BC



G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Compliment Dueling

Steampunk culture requires, nay - demands - the use of a well-turned phrase. In this tournament-style gameshow panel, competitors will try to best their opponents in a battle of wits, using compliments! Bustle Girl presides over the well-mannered showdowns, and crown will the winner Grand Champion of Compliments! Suitable for all ages. Prizes given!

GUEST: Katherine Stewart
North 124AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

My commute is 238,900 miles: The future of jobs in space!

What does a traffic jam look like in space? As the space industry advances, working off world may become a reality for many people. What opportunities does this offer, and are we ready for the challenges?

GUEST: Craig Hardgrove, Lori Pigue, John Christoph
North 130

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Ahsoka Tan-who? Animated Star Wars Characters in Live Action

Star Wars is full of rich characters, until recently some of those characters have only been seen in the animated shows. They've made the leap from animated to live action, was it what we hoped, which version was better. Everything from Ahsoka, Cad Bane and even Boba Fett who first appeared in animated projects before going to live action.

GUEST: Joey Letson, Kyle Avery, Jason Hunt, Karl LaClair
North 126ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Disney Divas Wanted! A Disney Sing-A-Long

Does your playlist consist solely of songs from Disney movies? Do you find yourself belting out the Moana soundtrack in the shower? Well, "You're Welcome," because we'll be singing some of your favorite old and new Disney songs. Get ready to get your Disney Diva on!

GUEST: Very Awesome Girls Phoenix
North 132ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

What We've Done In The Shadows

After three seasons, your favorite immortal, life-drinking dysfunctional family of housemates have made us laugh, and shown us concepts within the vampire genre never before attempted. We're going to talk Guillero, Nandor, Nadja, Laszlo, and Colin's arcs, as well as the three storyline paths that ended on cliffhangers when we last left our undead masters of the night...

GUEST: Skylar White, Guido Martin, Noah Brown, Kendall Jarrett
North 228B

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Guess the KPOP Song

Think you know your KPOP? Challenge yourself by playing this guess the song game. A random clip of the song will be chosen and played for one second, attendees will race each other to raise their hand and answer the fastest. If the song is unknown, it will be played longer until someone guesses correctly. There will be free prizes and goodies for every song guessed correctly.

GUEST: MCK Dance Team
North 222AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Is it Gold Yet? The history of alchemy and chemistry

Although many of its ideas have been debunked, the practice of Alchemy was an important stepping stone that lead to modern chemistry. What key discoveries did alchemists make in their quest to turn lead into gold?

GUEST: Kathryn Kitzmiller, Bradley Lusk, Matt Chew
North 131A

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Lucy and Psyche: Asteroid missions paving the way for the Expanse!

The asteroid belt between Mars and Jupiter is estimated to contain \$700 quintillion worth of resources, enough to give each person on Earth \$100 billion (that's a lot of Fan Fusion swag! What does NASA hope to learn from its two missions to the belt?

GUEST: David Williams, Lena Heffern, Jonathon Hill
North 131BC

G PE 1:30PM-2:30PM

Writing Workshop: Finding your voice

Conventional writing wisdom tells writers that the moment they "find their voice" they've arrived; but seldom is this mystical process described. Ryan Dalton, MG/YA author of THIS LAST ADVENTURE, will give you a glimpse into how veteran authors find their writing voice, and help you begin to develop yours. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Ryan Dalton
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Murder Mystery: The Early ReDIerment of Superman

Join some of your favorite DC characters as they wish Superman an early ReDIerment! Things are not as they appear, everyone is a suspect. Put your sleuthing skills to the test decipher the clues! The Murder Mystery Players of Casa Grande present a show filled with Murder, Secrets, Mystery and Intrigue. The Early ReDIerment of Superman. Can you figure out whodunit?

GUEST: The Murder Mystery Players of Casa Grande
West 211AB

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

R U Smarter than a Rocket Grunt?

Test your Poke-knowledge against Team Rocket's best and brightest... though that's not saying much. Audience "volunteers" will get to compete in a trivia gameshow for prizes (and definitely not get their Pokemon stolen!), so come and prove you're the champion of random facts.

GUEST: Team Rocket AZ
North 222C

1:30PM-2:30PM

Nini Music Session 4

Nini will be performing originals, anime OPs, video game themes, as well as a world record speed performance on her traditional Chinese instruments.

North 221ABC

G 1:30PM-2:30PM

Score to Film: A Heroic Journey through Sound Sponsored by Majestic Theaters

Join us on an exciting and in depth journey through the music from your favorite comic book films! This session will highlight specific pieces of music from various composers and how their scores drive different emotions from the audience. Music composer Durrell Johnson will take you through an experience like none other as he demonstrates through digital audio how these scores effect the tones and the way we view our favorite heroes!

GUEST: Durrell Johnson
North 230

3:00PM-4:00PM

Super Smash Bros vs You!

Have you ever wanted to verse a Smash Bros character face to face? Then join us for a tournament against the characters of Super Smash Bros! Pick who you're going against and good luck! Winner takes prize!

North 221ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

The Return of Atomic Monsoon

Andy and Stephanie, hosts of the podcast Atomic Monsoon, reunite for an epic comeback to record a new episode in person for the first time since 2020. And YOU are invited to join them as they talk about all the nerdy things that have happened in pop culture since they were trapped inside! It's the comeback no one saw coming!

GUEST: Stephanie Hinz, Andy Costello
North 129A

3:00PM-4:00PM

Character Spotlight Harley Quinn

Harley Quinn has had quite the year! With the star studded cartoon on DC Direct and the Birds of Prey movie Harley has been everywhere. Come learn about the origins of the fabulous lady and her transformation from villain to anti hero.

North 225B

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

So you think you know K-pop

Test your skills in this ultimate game of Kpop shenanigans. Trivia, dancing, games, you name it! A place for all things kpop with prizes just as fitting!

GUEST: Phoenix Fandom Productions
North 222AB

3:00PM-4:00PM

The Phoenix Poke-Party

All we wanna do is have a good time. Or do you perhaps wanna be the very best, like no one ever was? Test your drawing skills in pokepictionary! Win trivia, and join fellow fans in one of the most loved game series of all time!

North 222C

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Steampunk Fashion Show

Marvel at the best and "steamiest" fashions Phoenix has to offer in a show of Victorian elegance and "modern" ingenuity

GUEST: Brenda Flavin
North 232ABC

3:00PM-4:00PM

The Future of The Arrowverse

The Arrowverse was launched in 2012 with the premier of Arrow on the CW. Since then we have gotten The Flash, Black Lightning and Bat Woman, just to name a few. If you are new to the Arrowverse or have been a fan from the beginning. Come in and share your love of this corner of the DC Universe.

North 225A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Movie Fight Scenes: Reality vs. Film

Krav Maga expert Derrek Hofrichter from EVKM Self Defense discusses fight scenes on TV and movies and how they compare to real life fighting. Live fight choreography and demonstrations will be shown.

GUEST: East Valley Krav Maga
West 105BC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Colossal Character Coloring Conversation

Spend some time coloring pictures with some of your favorite book, movie, and TV show characters from Off The Page AZ! "Ask them your questions and get some answers," as Ariel would sing! Have a conversation, sing with them, take photos with them, and have fun!

GUEST: Off the Page AZ
West 101ABC Event Area

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

I'm The Producer: Investors, Profits and Tax Incentives

You want to make a show. You need money. Investors need profits. How can you protect your investors? And still make money? Expert producers and the team from Comic Kombatt and Drunk Comics University discuss budgets, investors, and the ever important tax incentives, focusing on the needs of the independent producer, you.

GUEST: Jason Bonnell, Steve Wargo, Chantel Ramos, Luna Style, Ashley Miller, Kevin Armenta
North 227AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Redesigning Cringe OCs

We all have old or cringy original characters! One way or another though, some of them stick with us for most of our art careers and go through so many changes as we change. Join Katelyn McCaigue, Stace LeFevre, and Alexa Heiser as they explore some of their earliest OCs, discuss the OCs growth, and how they would update the character's looks with their current design styles. Submit your OC to be redesigned on the panel by following the link.

GUEST: Katelyn McCaigue, Alexa Heiser, Stace LeFevre
North 228B

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Things Past: A Look Back at Star Trek TOS, TNG, DS9, VOY, and ENT

With all the attention on the new Trek shows now streaming on Paramount+, no Phoenix Fan Fusion would be complete without a panel to discuss the shows that inspired them. From The Original Series through Enterprise, the Roddenberry and Berman-era shows gave us 28 seasons of Trek goodness. What did you enjoy the most about these shows? Join fellow Trekkers from the United Federation of Phoenix and other fans to discuss the best of what came before.

GUEST: United Federation of Phoenix
North 126ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Discworld 101: A Glance Into Terry Pratchett's World

Ever wanted to start reading Terry Pratchett but don't know where to start? We'll be taking a look at the Witches, Watchmen, Wizards, and other denizens of the Disc.

GUEST: Dani Carvalho, Ed Vasko, Jay Holmes, Nonny Mouse
North 125AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Advanced Materials for Cosplay

Looking to move past craft foam, cardboard and up-cycled garments? Join ThermoCosplay and friends as they discuss the ins and outs of advanced materials. We'll cover 3D Printing, Thermoplastics, Mold Making, Casting Resin/Silicone, Pattern Making for garments and more! It's time to level up your costume material game!

GUEST: ThermoCosplay, Benjamin Kitts, Robert Webb, Liz Todd
North 230

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Scooby Scooby Doo, what can I learn from you?

Scientists discuss Scooby Snacks and how meddling kids always get in the way of plots!

GUEST: Dani Hoots, Alex Biera, David Oakes
North 130

G 18+ 3:00PM-4:00PM

A Bridgerton Too Far (18+)

Most people would hear about a period drama and think it would be ho-hum boring proper grammar and backhanded insults... but Bridgerton defied the genre's tropes, featuring a diverse cast playing its nobility and love scenes that were decidedly not PG. Come and share your thoughts about the Netflix show that redefined historical drama!

GUEST: Jasmine Robertson, Caitlyn Davis, Amy Gray, Kailey MacDonald
North 223

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Movie That Tag Line

Do the tag lines from movies pop in your head? Do you remember every tagline from every movie you've seen and, want to prove it? Here is your chance!

GUEST: Science of Drinking
North 124AB

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Vulcan's Wrath: The science of Volcanoes

The Hunga Tonga-Hunga Ha 'apai eruption on January 15th of this year sent a plume of ash 36 miles into the air and could be heard all the way in Alaska. Learn about how these mighty mountains work and the dangers of volcano tourism.

GUEST: Greg Vaughan, Sean Peters, Lori Pigue
North 131A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Invasion of the Habitat Snatchers:

What's The Big Deal About Invasive Species?

Alien invasions have been a staple of science fiction and horror for ages now, but did you know that there is an invasion happening in your backyard right now? We will explore real life invasions by looking back at some of the most iconic alien invasion movies. How realistic are those movie stories, and what can they teach us about real life habitat snatchers?

GUEST: Steven Messer, Matt Chew, Melissa Sedler
North 131BC

G PE 3:00PM-4:00PM

Writing Workshop: Advanced Characterization

If Characters are king, these techniques will teach you how to establish a dynasty. New York Times Bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole reveals the advanced techniques he uses for creating characters of depth, intrigue and humanity, who manage to grow in realistic but seldom predictable ways. You'll learn how to create the sort of characters that can carry whole sagas and keep readers locked in and waiting for each new book's release. Cost is \$10 sign ups available at the door

GUEST: Michael Stackpole
North 226A PAID EVENT

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Beginner Bellydance Lessons with Ghazaal Beledi

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GUEST: Katherine Abruzzese
West 106ABC

3:00PM-4:00PM

Quick Draw

Watch great illustrators put your ideas to paper. Deadpool riding a T-Rex? Absolutely! Sailor Senshi as a coven of Witches? You bet!

North 128A

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

The Clan Ginger Presents:

Creating One-of-a-Kind Costumes

Come raid The Clan Ginger's Craft Closet and learn the ins and out of creating unique, show-stopping, insta-worthy costumes without spending a ton of money!

GUEST: The Clan Ginger
North 231ABC

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Let It Go

A panel for any perfectionists having difficulty knowing how (or when) to label a project finished, and the emotional stages of letting go.

GUEST: KT Ireland, Cameron Blackwell
North 129B

G 3:00PM-4:00PM

Heroclix Basics

HeroClix is an amazing mix of chess and D&D where you get to choose your superhero team and battle it out with your friends. Join us as we teach you the basics of the game and - if there's time - even play a sample game with you! No pieces are needed, you can borrow ours. Just bring yourself and your note-taking skills.

GUEST: Sousa Larson, Sean Rooney, Cheyenne Bramwell, Steven Turco
North 228A

4:30PM-5:30PM

Quirk Theory

You may know about the fantastic exploits of heroes and the powerful quirks that allow them to perform them. But what do we actually know about Quirks? Come join us for an in-character panel about quirks presented by some of the students from class 1-A as an extra credit project in order to avoid having to make up classes over the summer. Bring your thinking caps cause there will be a quiz on this later.

North 222AB



G 18+ 4:30PM-5:30PM

Letterkenny Team Trivia at Mod3an's (18+)

"Pitter patter, let's get at 'er!" Are you completely obsessed with the show Letterkenny? (ALLEGEDLY.) Then come on by to our lounge with your friends to join a clique and compete for the win in this team trivia challenge. We'll see who knows their stuff, and who is, as coach would say, "*****ing embarrassing!"

GUEST: Lucy Ellis, Kaylee Coleman
West 211AB

4:30PM-5:30PM

Bookman's Extravaganza Hour!

Come geek out with Bookman's! Hear stories, answer trivia questions, win prizes and awards. This geektastic extravaganza is brought to you by Arizona mainstay Bookman's Entertainment Exchange.

West 101ABC Event Area

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

How About Those Clone Wars?

What happens when a group of Star Wars the Clone Wars fans get together? We talk and discuss all of the things we love about the amazing animated series to come from a galaxy far, far away. Come and join us as we gush over the amazing seven seasons that are full of saber duels, epic battles, incredible moments, inspiring stories, and funny one-liners!

GUEST: Syndicate Saber
North 124AB

G 18+ 4:30PM-5:30PM

The REAL Secrets of Dumbledore (18+)

Fantastic Beasts 3 has the tagline, "The Secrets of Dumbledore", but they barely even scratch the surface! We've got Hogwarts staff past and present dropping in to spill ALLLLLLL the tea about Professor Albus Dumbledore that was too scandalous and spicy to be released in theaters.

GUEST: Amy (Far From Home Presents) Shafer, Tim (Far From Home Presents) Shafer, Steve Ramsey
North 228B

G 18+ 4:30PM-5:30PM

Battlefield Blunders: The Battle of Winterfell (18+)

It was the moment everyone waited 8 Seasons of Game of Thrones for... The Battle of Winterfell. Tyrion, Davos, and the best minds in Westeros knew the Night King was coming with his army... so why in the name of the Seven was their plan SO BAD? Jon Snow may know nothing, but we've got the military history to explain just how bad their battle plans were...

GUEST: Fitz Madrid, Jero Keenom
North 223

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

MCU Phase Four: What Even Are You?

For a decade, Marvel Studios had a plan, and a timeline. After Endgame, Phase Three was over, and Phase Four was announced. But as of right now... what's going on?!? Who's the new big threat to our heroes? What characters are going to get introduced, and where will they fit into this saga?

Can we just get sequels to the best solo stories for characters, at least?

GUEST: Estevan Pina, Guido Martin, Michael Silverton
North 122ABC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Beeeee!!....Bees?

Hear the latest on colony collapse and saving our honeys.

GUEST: Christopher Albin-Brooks, Rachel Pikstein, Deb Nickelson
North 130

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Futurama- No Humans Were Probed in the Making of This Series

GOOD NEWS, EVERYONE! We have a panel set for you to discuss the best moments of the Futurama series, from the ones that made us bust up laughing, to the ones that hit us all right in the feels.

GUEST: Amanda Albregard, Kevin Albergard
North 126ABC

4:30PM-5:30PM

Of Potter and Personal Injury

No wizarding school tops Hogwarts in quality education. But it cannot be denied that the Hogwarts is not always safe. And when people get hurt, do they have a claim in the eyes of the law? Join Legal-EASE as they analyze the legal claims of those injured on the Hogwarts grounds.

North 125AB

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Weyland, Halcyon, Kindred Aerospace, Oh My!: Space Exploration and Big Corps

From Outer Worlds to the Savage Planet, big corporations rule the new worlds of the final frontier. How does this compare to what modern space exploration looks like, and what does corporate control of exploration mean for human progress?

GUEST: Brian Calaway, John Christoph, Carlo Quintanilla
North 131A

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

"I say we sit tight and assess":

Science communication in Don't Look Up

"Don't Look Up" is an ENTIRELY FICTIONAL account of scientists attempting to warn the world of an incoming catastrophe. What lessons can we learn from it when trying to communicate hard truths to policymakers and the public?

GUEST: Bradley Lusk, Greg Vaughan, Christina Forbes
North 131BC

G 4:30PM-5:30PM

Improv Your Dungeon... with Blue Box Improv

Hey TT, RPG, GM/DM's and Players! Is your dungeon a bit of a downer? Characters a little cheesy? Worlds sort of wimpy? Blue Box Improv can help! Using time tested improv techniques, this workshop will teach you how to expand your skills as a DM/GM or Player. Come play with us during this highly interactive and edutaining session that will supercharge your next gaming session!

GUEST: Steve Correia
North 232ABC

18+ 4:30PM-5:30PM

My Hero Randomdamia (18+)

Come Join Skullgirl.Cosplay and friends for a fun and awesome experience.

North 222C



FRIDAY-SUNDAY Gaming Schedule

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12:00pm - 12:30pm				10:30 AM-2:30 PM Stockpile	
12:30pm - 1:00pm				10:30 AM-2:30 PM Coups, Fluxx, Dungeon Mayhem, The Resistance and Fiasco	
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2:30pm - 3:00pm				3:00 PM-7:00 PM Funfair	The Gaming Zone - Modern Game Tournaments and Open Play
3:00pm - 3:30pm		REGISTER: 11:00 AM-1:15 PM NBA Jam Tournament Edition (Super Nintendo)		3:00 PM-11:30 PM Shining Shadows Saga Collectible Card Game	10:00 AM-11:00 PM Super Smash Bros Ultimate Tournament Registration
3:30pm - 4:00pm				3:00 PM-5:00 PM Munchkin Zombies	10:00 AM-11:00 PM Street Fighter V Tournament Registration
4:00pm - 4:30pm		REGISTER: 11:30 AM-5:45 PM Street Fighter II Turbo (Super Nintendo)		6:00 PM-10:00 PM Dark Souls The Board Game hosted by Doomcastle	10:00 AM-11:00 PM Nintendo Switch and PS4 Open Play
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Classic Arcade games by Cobra Arcade Bar		Mr. E Tabletop Gaming Library hosted by Mr. E Comics	7:00 PM-9:00 PM Munchkin Crazy Cooks	
5:00pm - 5:30pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM Fiasco - Classic Edition	
5:30pm - 6:00pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM Thrilling Adventure!	
6:00pm - 6:30pm		PLAY: 1:30 PM-4:30 PM NBA Jam Tournament Edition (Super Nintendo)		7:30 PM-11:30 PM Alien RPG - Flight of the Malaga (Two Tables)	
6:30pm - 7:00pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM Lord's of Waterdeep	
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7:30pm - 8:00pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition One-Shots	
8:00pm - 8:30pm				10:00 PM-11:30 PM Blood Red Skies Hosted by Doomcastle	
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11:30am - 12:00pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM Character Creation Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
12:00pm - 12:30pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM The Rookery: City of the Dead (WBW-DC-Rook-1-3)
12:30pm - 1:00pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM DDAL05-01 Treasure of the Broken Hoard
1:00pm - 1:30pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM The Care and Maintenance of the Rookery
1:30pm - 2:00pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM DDHC-CM 06 The Price of Beauty
2:00pm - 2:30pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM Homebrewed Oneshot: Attack of the Big Blue!
2:30pm - 3:00pm					2:00 PM-6:00 PM CCC-RPSG-01 Ooze There?
3:00pm - 3:30pm					2:00 PM-6:00 PM Ladies Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
3:30pm - 4:00pm					2:00 PM-6:00 PM DDEX01-10 Tyranny in Phlan
4:00pm - 4:30pm					2:00 PM-6:00 PM DDAL07-16 Pools of Cerulean
4:30pm - 5:00pm					2:00 PM-6:00 PM Deadlands The Train from Roswell
5:00pm - 5:30pm					5:00 PM-9:00 PM Character Creation Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
5:30pm - 6:00pm					5:00 PM-9:00 PM The Rookery: Long Live the Goblins (WBW-DC-Rook-1-4)
6:00pm - 6:30pm					5:00 PM-9:00 PM Shadow of the Brood Mother
6:30pm - 7:00pm					5:00 PM-9:00 PM Homebrewed Oneshot: Rampaging Monster!
7:00pm - 7:30pm					7:00 PM-11:00 PM Intro Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
7:30pm - 8:00pm					7:00 PM-11:00 PM An Adventuring Party Walks into a Bar...
8:00pm - 8:30pm					7:00 PM-11:00 PM DDHC-MORD-02 The Lich-Queen's Begotten
8:30pm - 9:00pm					
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10:00am - 10:30am				10:00 AM-12:00 PM - Munchkin Apocalypse	
10:30am - 11:00am				10:00 AM-12:00 PM - Ninja Burger	
11:00am - 11:30am				10:00 AM-12:00 PM Slaine Miniatures Game hosted by Doomcastle	
11:30am - 12:00pm				10:30 AM-7:00 PM - Boss Battle	
12:00pm - 12:30pm				10:30 AM-2:30 PM - Unfair	
12:30pm - 1:00pm				10:30 AM-2:30 PM Coup, Fluxx, Dungeon Mayhem, The Resistance and Fiasco	
1:00pm - 1:30pm				10:30 AM-7:00 PM - Fiasco RPG	
1:30pm - 2:00pm				10:30 AM-2:30 PM Tails of Equestria (My Little Pony RPG); Dracula Dossier RPG; Let's Kill Hitler; Tales from the Arabian Nights (boardgame)	
2:00pm - 2:30pm				12:00 PM-2:00 PM - Munchkin Crazy Cooks	
2:30pm - 3:00pm				12:00 PM-4:00 PM - DFRPG (Threlhaven)	
3:00pm - 3:30pm		REGISTER: 10:00 AM-11:00 PM Mario Kart 64 - single elimination		12:00 PM-2:00 PM Strontium Dog Miniatures Game hosted by Doomcastle	The Gaming Zone - Modern Game Tournaments and Open Play
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4:00pm - 4:30pm				3:00 PM-5:00 PM - Munchkin	10:00 AM-11:00 PM Mario Kart 8 Tournament Registration
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6:00pm - 6:30pm				3:00 PM-7:00 PM - Funfair	
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7:00pm - 7:30pm				4:00 PM-8:00 PM - GURPS Cyberpunk	
7:30pm - 8:00pm				4:00 PM-6:00 PM Bolt Action hosted by Doomcastle	
8:00pm - 8:30pm				6:00 PM-8:00 PM - Car Wars 6E	
8:30pm - 9:00pm				6:00 PM-10:00 PM Mork Borg hosted by Doomcastle	
9:00pm - 9:30pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM - Fiasco - Classic Edition	
9:30pm - 10:00pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM Epyllion	
10:00pm - 10:30pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM Settlers of Cattan and Smallworld	
10:30pm - 11:00pm				7:30 PM-11:30 PM Root, Captain Sonar, Cover Me, Dusk City Outlaws (RPG), Succession, and Summer of Rock (playtest).	
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				8:00 PM-10:00 PM - Munchkin Bites	
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				10:00 PM-11:30 PM Beyond the Gates of Antares Miniatures Game hosted by Doomcastle	

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2:30pm - 3:00pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM DDAL08-04 A Wrinkle in the Weave
3:00pm - 3:30pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM The Rookery: Rise of the Everplume
3:30pm - 4:00pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM Rapid Resettlement in the Rookery (WBW-DC-Rook-2-1)
4:00pm - 4:30pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM DDHC-CM 09 Lore of Lurue
4:30pm - 5:00pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM Sagas and Six-Guns for Savage Worlds - Troll Patrol
5:00pm - 5:30pm					12:00 PM-4:00 PM Deadlands - Boomtown
5:30pm - 6:00pm					5:00 PM-9:00 PM EPIC Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
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1:00pm - 1:30pm		11:30 AM-4:00 PM Dr. Mario (NES) - Highest score challenge		10:30 AM-2:30 PM - Tokaido	
1:30pm - 2:00pm				12:00 PM-2:00 PM - Munchkin (surprise edition)	
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4:30pm - 5:00pm				12:30 PM-4:30 PM - Lords of Waterdeep	
				12:30 PM-4:30 PM Tails of Equestria (My Little Pony RPG); Dracula Dossier RPG; Let's Kill Hitler; Tales from the Arabian Nights (boardgame)	
				2:00 PM-4:00 PM - Small Games	
				3:00 PM-5:00 PM - Munchkin (players choice)	

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FRI FRIDAY 5/27**10:00AM-2:00PM****Bolt Action Hosted by Doomcastle****North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area****10:00AM-11:00PM****Super Smash Bros (N64) REGISTER**

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North 121AB_Escape Room_3 PAID EVENT**10:00AM-11:30PM****Classic Arcade games by Cobra Arcade Bar**

Free play classic arcade cabinet games hosted by Cobra Arcade.

North 120AB Cobra Arcade Bar Area**10:00AM-11:30PM****The Gaming Zone -****Modern Game Tournaments and Open Play**

Smash Brothers Ultimate, Street Fighter V and Tekken tournaments along with open play for modern video gaming.

North 120AB The Gaming Zone Area**G 10:30AM-2:30PM****Stockpile****GUEST: Tim Munsil****North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area****G 10:30AM-2:30PM****Coup, Fluxx, Dungeon Mayhem,****The Resistance and Fiasco****GUEST: Amanda Sharkey****North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area****G 10:30AM-7:00PM****Boss Battle**

Producer - Robert Graham Philip Vilsaint 480-720-0375 Matt Martin at 602-531-7618.

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West 103AB PAID EVENT**10:30AM-11:30PM****Dungeons and Dragons presented by****Phoenix RPGs**

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West 212ABC**11:00AM-1:15PM****NBA Jam Tournament Edition****(Super Nintendo) REGISTER**

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North 120AB Game On Expo Area**11:30 AM-5:45PM****Street Fighter II Turbo****(Super Nintendo) REGISTER**

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North 120AB Game On Expo Area**12:00PM-4:00PM****Character Creation****Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition****West 212ABC****12:00PM-4:00PM****The Rookery: City of the Dead****(WBW-DC-Rook-1-3)**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition News of a metropolis to the west spawns a mission to investigate. The last known reports of the city are from a sailing crew that has been missing for seventy-five years. A Four-Hour Adventure for Tier I Characters. Optimized for APL 3.

West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM**DDAL05-01 Treasure of the Broken Hoard**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "A famous relic hunter seeks adventurers to help her find caches of treasure hidden by the now-defeated followers of the Cult of the Dragon. Her maps and notes may lead the way to great wealth or a terrible death. And do other parties have designs on the treasure as well? Five One-Hour Storm King's Thunder Introductory Mini-Adventures for 1st and 2nd Level Characters. Optimized for APL 1.

West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM**The Care and Maintenance of the Rookery**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition A lost nature preserve has been rediscovered! Help its new caretaker secure and restore its once glorious Bastion of Rebirth, so examination of the demiplane can begin. The Rookery is a magical tome containing a fey wild demiplane dedicated to the preservation and rehabilitation of endangered species. The land inside consists of several islands containing diverse habitats such that any creature needing care had terrain similar to home. Once the species recovered or flourished, they were reintroduced to their native plane. Unfortunately, before the domain truly flourished, the book along with an entire Fey queen's library was banned and then lost. It was ultimately forgotten, and the land within it left to its own devices for many hundreds of years. As time passed, the original monitoring facilities became a forgotten ruin on a distant island. It has recently been rediscovered and its new caretaker need assistance rebuilding the former Visitor's Center so he can use it to base his operations out of as he investigates what has happened in the demiplane all the centuries it was neglected.

West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM**DDHC-CM 06 The Price of Beauty**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "A book about beauty shows the way to a secluded temple where beauty is only skin deep. An adventure for Tier 2 characters. Optimized for APL 5.

West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM**Homebrewed Oneshot: Attack of the Big Blue!**

Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition A Blue Greatwyrms Attacks a city! The city of Scarcity; a city of goblins, Orcs, Tabaxi's, and other monstrous races; is under attack by Lorzarhas, The Great Storm and his Blue Dragon army attempting to destroy the city and claim as the Great Storms Territory. You are there to help Scarcity in fending off the invasion and are tasked with taking on Lorzarhas himself. He has taken the capital building for himself clearly wishing to make it Lair and making Scarcity a desert for him to rule. While you fight Lorzarhas the city officials and guard and citizens will be fighting off the rest of the invasion. This is designed as APL 20, but contains adjustment information to run at any level within Tier 4

West 212ABC

G 12:00PM-4:00PM**Car Wars 6E**

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

1:30PM-4:30PM**NBA Jam Tournament Edition (Super Nintendo) PLAY**

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North 120AB Game On Expo Area

2:00PM-6:00PM**CCC-RPSG-01 Ooze There?**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "As the City of Danger struggles to rebuild, a spate of unexplained disappearances in the Zhent Ghettos threatens to erupt into fresh chaos. The factions are hard pressed to investigate, and it falls upon you to uncover the truth behind this new menace." Part 1 of The Neverdusk Trilogy. A 4-hour Mulmaster adventure for Tier 1 characters. Optimized for APL 3."

West 212ABC

2:00PM-6:00PM**Ladies Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition**

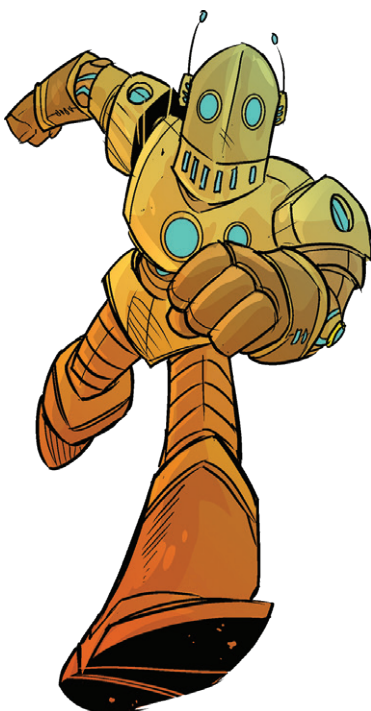
D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition

West 212ABC

2:00PM-6:00PM**DDEX01-10 Tyranny in Phlan**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "The Maimed Virulence has come. The future of the Cinnabar Throne and the lives of the denizens of Phlan are in jeopardy. The Cult of the Dragon rejoices, and the Black Fist is powerless to stop them. How will the factions of the city respond to this threat? Can Phlan be saved this time? Part One of Under Emerald Claws. A 4-hour Tyranny of Dragons adventure for 5th-10th level characters (optimized for APL 6).

West 212ABC

**2:00PM-6:00PM****DDAL07-16 Pools of Cerulean**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "The Land of Ash and Smoke was once home to a wizard's sprawling complex and although the balor and its minions are now destroyed, evidence has come to light that more than a little of the arcane enclave was shifted into the Abyss. Where such magics take hold, the world strains to contain such power. Some speak of the land rippling like water, and the air boiling into murderous mist, and of powerful abominations that step out of thin air. Part Two of the Broken Chains Series. A 4-hour Tomb of Annihilation adventure for Tier 4 characters (optimized for APL 18).

West 212ABC

2:00PM-6:00PM**Deadlands The Train from Roswell**

Savage Worlds Adventure Edition The train chugs along, rocking gently as miles of desert and brush stretch out as far as the eye can see. The ride from Roswell to Phoenix has been pleasantly uneventful, and it sure beats getting saddle sore or attacked by highwaymen on the open trail. A few passengers sit quietly in the dining car, unaware of the fog beginning to form outside the windows. Soon the fog is thicker than day ol' pea soup, blocking out all visibility past the glass windows. The whistle sounds like a forlorn call in the night. The brakes hiss and screech when the train slows down to a stop. The fog clears just enough to reveal a single platform, sahuaro and open desert have been replaced by dense towering pines. It would appear the train took a wrong turn at Albuquerque...This will be a one-shot using material converted from the Curse of Strahd to the Deadlands setting. Players will be using Seasoned Rank characters, I have plenty of pre-made archetypes ready to play, or can create their own using the SWADE edition Core Rule book and the SWADE edition Deadlands book. Phoenix RPGs is committed to an open and safe playing environment. You can visit our Code of Conduct at phoenixrpgs.com with any questions.

West 212ABC

2:00PM-6:00PM**Shadows of Brimstone hosted by Doomcastle**

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-5:00PM**Munchkin Zombies**

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-7:00PM**Root, Captain Sonar, Cover Me, Dusk City Outlaws (RPG), Succession, and Summer of Rock (playtest).**

GUEST: MAP Boardgames

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-7:00PM**Funfair**

GUEST: Tim Munsil

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-11:30PM**Shining Shadows Saga****Collectible Card Game**

GUEST: S3CCG Demo Lounge

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

5:00PM-9:00PM**Character Creation****Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition

West 212ABC

5:00PM-9:00PM**The Rookery: Long Live the Goblins (WBW-DC-Rook-1-4)**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition An adventuring party is required to investigate rumors of a goblinoid nation to the east and bring back any information that gathered.

West 212ABC

5:00PM-9:00PM**Shadow of the Brood Mother**

Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition The Unending Curse. The party overhears an argument; Dr. Doolots accuses the Fearsome Five (jokingly called the Fearful Five for their tendency to give up when hunting especially ferocious beasts) of lying. The Five claimed to have killed the beast responsible for the "swamp curse"; they have one of the beast's offspring to prove it. However, Doolots, their patron for this mission, claims that the local swallybogs are still behaving oddly. If anything, the curse is now worse! Adventure League rules for creating a fifth level character. It is in beta, using the rules provide by Heliana's Guide to Monster Hunting

West 212ABC

5:00PM-9:00PM**Homebrewed Oneshot: Rampaging Monster!**

Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition The City of Lati sees a Gigantic monster on its horizon rampaging towards it seeking to destroy it, see if you can stop it before it reaches the city and lays waste to it. the reports state the monster is resistant to pretty much whatever they've thrown at it and all the attempts thus far have failed as it seems this monster is immortal and invincible, and you are Lati's last hope in vanquishing the monster. It has been last spotted far west of the city rampaging eastward toward covering about 5 miles a day easily going through anything before it and never stopping. This is designed as APL 20, but contains adjustment information to run at any level within Tier 4

West 212ABC

6:00PM-9:00PM**Street Fighter II Turbo (Super Nintendo) PLAY**

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North 120AB Game On Expo Area

6:00PM-10:00PM**Dark Souls The Board Game hosted by Doomcastle**

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

**7:00PM-9:00 PM****Munchkin Crazy Cooks**

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

7:00PM-11:00PM**Intro Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition

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7:00PM-11:00PM**An Adventuring Party Walks into a Bar...**

Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition There have been strange accounts from several of the heavier drinkers in Hillsfar; all are reports of monsters plaguing the woods near the city. Are these simply the ravings of those who have overindulged... or is there a more sinister plot to uncover? Your party is hired to go on a pub crawl and uncover any mischievous mixologists or spiteful servers in order to get to the bottom of these claims. There is no better drink than that of justice served! But adventurers should probably try them all, just to be sure... this is a pub crawl after all. Notes: This table DOES NOT play under Adventurer's League rules. Physical dice only. Absolutely NO digital dice rollers allowed under any circumstance. A set of dice can be provided if needed. The screens of all digital devices MUST be visible to the DM at all times. Characters must be built using the standard spread (15, 14, 13, 12, 10, 8) or point buy. All characters MUST be built using the rules and racial bonuses as printed in the resources below. No other source books allowed. Feel free to mix and match these sources any way you see fit. Acceptable resources: • Player's Handbook • Sword Coast Adventurer's Guide • Volo's Guide to Monsters • Xanathar's Guide to Everything • The Turtle Package • Mordenkainen's Tome of Foes.

West 212ABC

7:00PM-11:00PM**DDHC-MORD-02 The Lich-Queen's Begotten**

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "The Lich-Queen of the Githyanki is one of the most malevolent beings in existence, and she is scheming to become more powerful than ever

before. Our heroes must journey to the Astral Plane where they will encounter astonishing new locations and terrible new enemies. Can they thwart the diabolical plans of the Lich-Queen and save the multiverse? Contains new creatures and story elements from Mordenkainen's Tome of Foes. A 4-6 hour adventure for 11th to 16th level characters."

West 212ABC

G 7:30PM-11:30PM**Fiasco - Classic Edition**

GUEST: Fiasco Knights

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM**Thrilling Adventure!**

GUEST: Craig Kinsel

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM**Alien RPG - Flight of the Malaga (Two Tables)**

GUEST: MAP Boardgames

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM**Lord's of Waterdeep**

GUEST: Dawn Lott

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM**Lords of Waterdeep**

GUEST: William Jones

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM**Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition One-Shots**

GUEST: Nick Grotto

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

10:00PM-11:30PM**Blood Red Skies Hosted by Doomcastle**

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

SAT SATURDAY 5/28**G 10:00AM-12:00PM****Munchkin Apocalypse**

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 10:00AM-12:00PM**Ninja Burger**

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Mario Kart 8 Tournament Registration

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North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

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Dracula Dossier RPG: Let's Kill Hitler; Tales

from the Arabian Nights (boardgame)

GUEST: MAP Boardgames

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

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Intro Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition

West 212ABC

11:30AM-1:30PM

Non-AL DDAL05-02 The Black Road

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "Caravans are having a difficult time getting through to Parnast via the Black Road. Organized attacks by orcs and other monstrous humanoid working in concert with one another have folks baffled. Little do they know that an unusually intelligent hill giant, going by the name of Bad Fruul is to blame. SEER has sent her emissary HSING, to task your group to accompany a caravan with a very special cargo destined for the Shrine of Axes in Parnast, and to figure out who is responsible. A 2-hour Storm King's Thunder adventure for Tier 1 characters. Optimized for APL 3.

West 212ABC

11:30AM-2:45PM

Super Smash Bros (N64) REGISTER

Registration SATURDAY 11:30am-2:45pm Players may bring their own controllers. All tournaments are free to enter, so be sure to register early as it's a first come first serve basis. All participants must be checked in at least 15 minutes prior to the start of each tournament to secure a spot. Those who show up at the time of the tournament beginning, or after, risk getting replaced.

North 120AB Game On Expo Area

11:30AM-6:00PM

Tetris (NES) - Highest score challenge

North 120AB Game On Expo Area

G 12:00PM-2:00PM
Munchkin Crazy Cooks
 GUEST: Arizona MIB
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

12:00PM-2:00PM
Strontium Dog Miniatures Game hosted by Doomcastle
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 12:00PM-4:00PM
DFRPG (Threlhaven)
 GUEST: Arizona MIB
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

12:00PM-4:00PM
Character Creation Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
 Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
 West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM
DDAL08-04 A Wrinkle in the Weave
 D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "The Blackstaff has discovered an oddity in the Weave that surrounds Waterdeep. The enigma may have been there all along or it might be new and the Blackstaff intends to figure it out using an ancient artifact from the reign of Emperor Shoon III. Part One of the Folded Time Trilogy. A 2-4 hour Dragon Heist adventure for Tier 1 characters. Optimized for APL 3.
 West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM
The Rookery: Rise of the Everplume
 D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition The perimeter of a volcanic island needs secured! Help a nature preserve's new caretaker assure the area surrounding his base of operations is safe. The Rookery is a magical tome containing a feywild demiplane dedicated to the preservation and rehabilitation of endangered species. The land inside consists of several islands containing diverse habitats such that any creature needing care had terrain similar to home. Once the species recovered or flourished, they were reintroduced to their native plane. Unfortunately, before the domain truly flourished, the book along with an entire Fey queen's library was banned and then lost. It was ultimately forgotten, and the land within it left to its own devices for many hundreds of years. As time passed, the original monitoring facilities became a forgotten ruin on a distant island. The domain has recently been reclaimed and a new caretaker is rebuilding the former Visitor's Center. Now he needs help securing the rest of the island on which it resides, so he can start investigating the long-lost domain. The party will need to deal with a wild beast, assess an active volcano, locate a lost village, and uncover a terrible story.
 West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM
Rapid Resettlement in the Rookery (WBW-DC-Rook-2-1)
 D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition A request has been made to help an endangered species. A rare blood dragon requires aid relocating its lair before the predator that killed its mate returns for the clutch. This is designed as APL 8, but contains adjustment information to run at any level within Tier 2.
 West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM
DDHC-CM 09 Lore of Lurue
 D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons

5th Edition" Adventurers become immersed in a storybook conflict involving Lurue the Unicorn Queen and Malar the Beast Lord. An adventure for Tier 2 characters. Optimized for APL 8.
 West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM
Sagas and Six-Guns for Savage Worlds - Troll Patrol

Savage Worlds Adventure Edition Six-Gun Sven and his posse arrive in the resort town of Wyrmsbreath and learn of a strange series of killings purportedly committed by an abnormally cunning troll. Sagas and Six-Guns is a cowboy-Viking hybrid setting, where gunslingers seek a glorious death worthy of Valhalla, so that their sagas may be retold in the saloons across Midgard West.
 West 212ABC

12:00PM-4:00PM
Deadlands - Boomtown

Savage Worlds Adventure Edition Marshal Burn welcomes any help he can get with the little thievery problem in his bustlin' boomtown. Of course, this is Deadlands, so things are rarely as they seem... A Savage Worlds One Sheet & Trade; by Philipp Christophel! When gold was found in the surrounding hills, the town of Avery's Bluff came into existence practically overnight. Now that some of the townsfolk have stumbled upon ghost rock, it truly is a boomtown. In all the commotion it almost went unnoticed that more and more silver and gold trinkets began to disappear. Eventually, people started saying either thieving magpies must be gathering all the shineys or a gang of thieves is responsible for the missing items. Players will be using Seasoned Rank characters, I have plenty of pre-made archetypes ready to play or can create their own using the SWADE edition Core Rule book and the SWADE edition Deadlands book. Phoenix RPGs is committed to an open and safe playing environment. You can visit our Code of Conduct at phoenixrpgs.com with any questions.
 West 212ABC

2:00PM-4:00PM
Judge Dredd Miniature Game hosted by Doomcastle
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-5:00PM
Munchkin
 GUEST: Arizona MIB
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

3:00PM-6:00PM
Super Smash Bros (N64) PLAY
 Tournament SATURDAY 3:00pm-6:00pm Players may bring their own controllers. All tournaments are free to enter, so be sure to register early as it's a first come first serve basis. All participants must be checked in at least 15 minutes prior to the start of each tournament to secure a spot. Those who show up at the time of the tournament beginning, or after, risk getting replaced.
 North 120AB Game On Expo Area

G 3:00PM-7:00PM
Root, Captain Sonar, Cover Me, Dusk City Outlaws (RPG), Succession, and Summer of Rock (playtest).
 GUEST: MAP Boardgames
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-7:00PM
Funfair
 GUEST: Tim Munsil
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-7:00PM
Star Wars: Age of Rebellion
 GUEST: Matt Sanders
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-11:30PM
Shining Shadows Saga Collectible Card Game
 GUEST: S3CCG Demo Lounge
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 3:00PM-11:30PM
Savage Worlds
 GUEST: Robert Buckley
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

4:00PM-6:00PM
Bolt Action hosted by Doomcastle
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 4:00PM-8:00PM
GURPS Cyberpunk
 GUEST: Arizona MIB
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

5:00PM-9:00PM
EPIC Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition
 D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition
 West 212ABC

G 6:00PM-8:00PM
Car Wars 6E
 GUEST: Arizona MIB
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

6:00PM-10:00PM
Mork Borg hosted by Doomcastle
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM
Fiasco - Classic Edition
 GUEST: Fiasco Knights
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM
Epyllion
 GUEST: Craig Kinsel
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM
Settlers of Cattan and Smallworld
 GUEST: Heather Colb
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM
Root, Captain Sonar, Cover Me, Dusk City Outlaws (RPG), Succession, and Summer of Rock (playtest).
 GUEST: MAP Boardgames
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 7:30PM-11:30PM
Tails of Equestria (My Little Pony RPG); Dracula Dossier RPG: Let's Kill Hitler; Tales from the Arabian Nights (boardgame)
 GUEST: MAP Boardgames
 North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 8:00PM-10:00PM

Munchkin Bites

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 8:00PM-10:00PM

SPANC

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

10:00PM-11:30 PM

Beyond the Gates of Antares Miniatures Game hosted by Doomcastle

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

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G 10:00AM-12:00PM

SPANC

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

10:00AM-12:00PM

Judge Dredd Miniatures Game hosted by Doomcastle

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

10:00AM-4:00PM

Mr. E Tabletop Gaming Library hosted by Mr. E Comics

Enjoy free access to our expansive Mr. E tabletop library with hundreds of popular Tabletop and boardgames! From Fantasy adventures to Mystery Thrillers, there is a game for everyone of any age. Bring the whole family and enjoy any game of your choice.

North 120AB Mr. E Comics Tabletop Game Area

10:00AM-4:00PM

The Gaming Zone - Modern Game Tournaments and Open Play

Smash Brothers Ultimate, Street Fighter V and Tekken tournaments along with open play for modern video gaming.

North 120AB The Gaming Zone Area

10:00AM-4:00PM

Guilty Gear Strive Tournament

Guilty Gear Strive Tournament schedule will be posted in the Gaming Hall. Sign-ups for the tournament can be done on Friday or Saturday at The Gaming Zone table in the Gaming Hall.

North 120AB The Gaming Zone Area

10:00AM-4:00PM

Mario Kart 8 Tournament

Mario Kart 8 Tournament schedule will be posted in the Gaming Hall. Sign-ups for the tournament can be done on Friday or Saturday at The Gaming Zone table in the Gaming Hall.

North 120AB The Gaming Zone Area

10:00AM-4:00PM

Nintendo Switch and PS4

Open Play

Join The Gaming Zone in the Gaming Hall for open play on Nintendo Switch or PS4 consoles. Open spots may be limited when a tournament is happening. Better

yet, join in on the tournaments yourself and sign up for Super Smash Brothers Ultimate or Street Fighter V tournaments being held on Saturday or Mario Kart 8 or Guilty Gear Strive tournaments being held on Sunday.

North 120AB The Gaming Zone Area

PE 10:00AM-4:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit:

The Captain's Mutiny

Captain Black is an old Sea Dog who has always told his crew "Share and share alike." Recent plunders have been very fruitful! But, you and your suspect the captain has been keeping more than his share. The last person to mention this out loud quickly walked the plank. The crew has opposed your request for a mutiny. The captain is ashore in search of more rum. You must quickly locate the hidden treasure or be forced to walk the plank. Hurry! This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_1 PAID EVENT

PE 10:00AM-4:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit:

Steampunk Revolution

The industrial revolution is alive and well with fresh ideas and wild new fashion. Inventor Cyrus Pennyworth has grown tired of being marginalized and is out to prove that he is the best inventor ever. His time machine is nearly finished and, if completed, he will secure his legendary status. Can you and your team help him complete it and escape before rival inventors show up to steal his ideas? This 25-35 minute adventure offers start times every 15 minutes from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 5pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. (8 player max) Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_2 PAID EVENT

PE 10:00AM-4:30PM

Escape room by Time Bandit: Tohua Island

Tohua Island is the perfect Polynesian getaway with a rich lore! The locals love and worship their god of

weather, Tawhirimātea as well as her children who are said to influence the various weather elements. You've just arrived to a huge luau, but someone has stolen and locked up all of Tawhirimātea's little Tiki children. She has conjured up storm clouds that are fast approaching and threatening the entire island. The Tiki children must be found and returned to please Tawhirimātea and save the island. Can you find and return them in time? To increase your odds, you will be one of six teams all working towards the same goal. (Teams may have up to 8 players.) This roughly 45-50 minute adventure offers begins at the top of every hour from 10am to 11pm Friday and Saturday, 10am to 4pm on Sunday. \$15 per player. Can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

North 121AB_Escape Room_3 PAID EVENT

10:00AM-5:00PM

Classic Arcade games by Cobra Arcade Bar

Free play classic arcade cabinet games hosted by Cobra Arcade.

North 120AB Cobra Arcade Bar Area

10:30AM-1:00PM

Mario Kart 64 - single elimination REGISTER

Registration SUNDAY 10:30am-1:15pm Players may bring their own controllers. All tournaments are free to enter, so be sure to register early as it's a first come first serve basis. All participants must be checked in at least 15 minutes prior to the start of each tournament to secure a spot. Those who show up at the time of the tournament beginning, or after, risk getting replaced.

North 120AB Game On Expo Area

G 10:30AM-2:30PM

Savage Worlds

GUEST: Robert Buckley

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 10:30AM-2:30PM

Star Wars: Edge of the Empire

GUEST: Matt Sanders

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 10:30AM-2:30PM

Tokaido

GUEST: William Jones

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 10:30AM-4:30PM

Boss Battle

GUEST: Boss Battle Games

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 10:30AM-4:30PM

Shining Shadows Saga Collectible Card Game

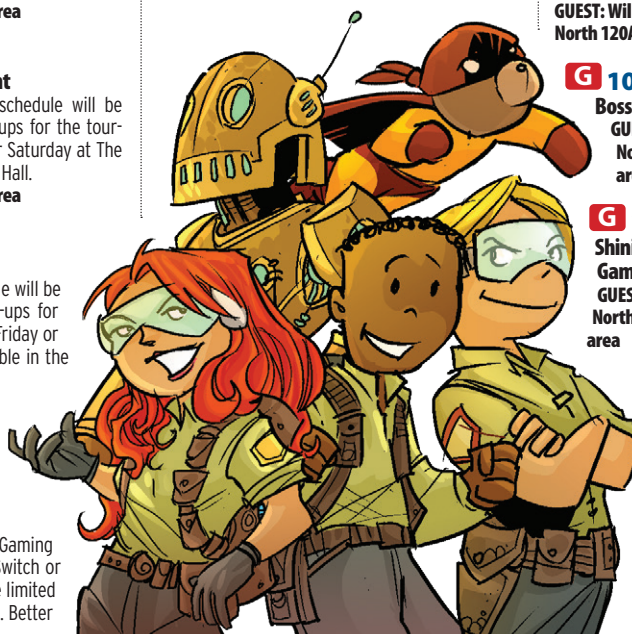
GUEST: S3CCG Demo Lounge

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

PE 10:30AM-4:30PM

Altered Combat laser tag

Altered Combat brings high-energy, high-tech tactical laser tag to Phoenix Fan Fusion! Take part in a non-stop, arcade-style battle where you will fight for your team's dominance and a spot as one of the top 5 players. Every experience includes a briefing, equipment outfitting, 10 minutes of Team Deathmatch gameplay, and a debriefing. The battle begins



each day at 10:30AM and ends at 11:00PM on Friday/Saturday and 4:30PM on Sunday. The cost is \$15 per player per flexible time slot (16 players max) or \$25 per player for an unlimited day pass while supplies last. Flexible time slots and unlimited day passes can be booked in advance via our website or at the event, subject to availability.

West 103AB PAID EVENT

10:30AM-5:00PM

Dungeons and Dragons presented by Phoenix RPGs

D&D makes its return to Phoenix Fan Fusion 2022. Join us for 3 days of D&D and Savage Worlds organized by Phoenix RPGs

West 212ABC

11:30AM-1:30PM

DDEX02-05 Flames of Kythorn

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "During a summer drought, Mulmaster is threatened by a series of arson attacks. As the populace riots, accusations fly blaming Thayans, residents of the ghettos, rowdy sailors, the refugees from Phlan and dozens of others. Can you solve the mystery before the city burns? Playtime: 4 hours

West 212ABC

11:30AM-4:00PM

Dr. Mario (NES) - Highest score challenge

North 120AB Game On Expo Area

G 12:00PM-2:00PM

Munchkin (surprise edition)

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 12:00PM-2:00PM

Car Wars 6E

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

12:00PM-4:00PM

Shadows of Brimstone hosted by Doomcastle

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

12:00PM-4:00PM

Character Creation Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition

Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition

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12:00PM-4:00PM

The Rookery: Into the Velarium (WBW-DC-Rook-2-2)

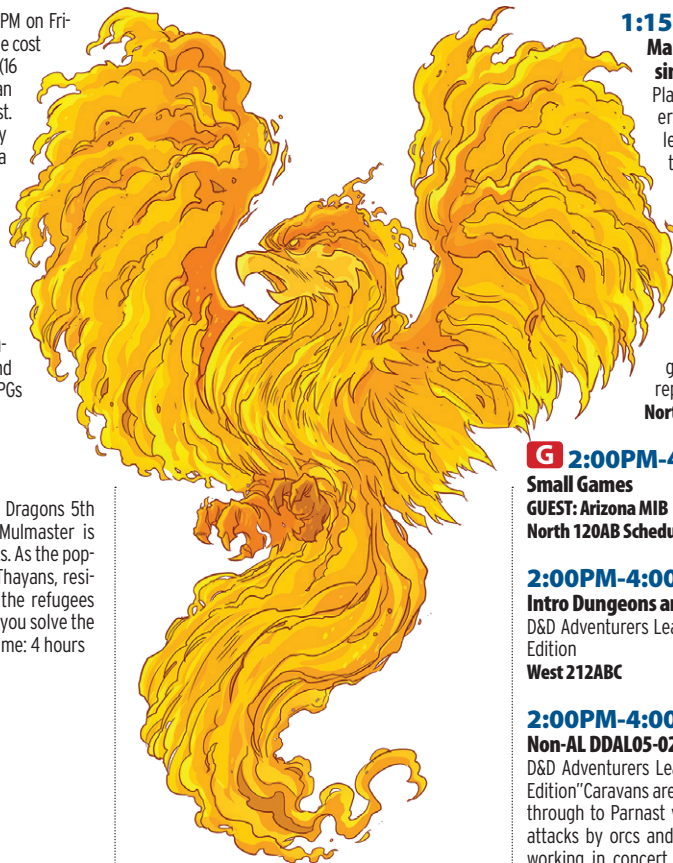
D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition Forest-dwelling elves may be at the heart of disappearances in the eastern nation. A brave party must enter the Velarium, a dark forest under a sun-blocking canopy, and investigate its mysteries.

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12:00PM-4:00PM

Gunsmoke and Goblins for Savage Worlds- Range War

Savage Worlds Adventure Edition Tempests are flaring between two ranching families, one goblin, one dwarf, threatening to spill over into the nearby town of Good Enough. The posse believes that there may be something more sinister afoot, how-



ever. Can they prevent the dispute from erupting into full-scale war, consuming the entire county? Gunsmoke and Goblins is a homebrewed Savage Worlds campaign set in a fantasy world with all your favorite classic fantasy races, but the technology and culture is on par with the late 1800s.

West 212ABC

G 12:30PM-4:30PM

Fiasco - Classic Edition

GUEST: Fiasco Knights

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 12:30PM-4:30PM

Root, Captain Sonar, Cover Me, Dusk City Outlaws (RPG), Succession, and Summer of Rock (playtest).

GUEST: MAP Boardgames

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 12:30PM-4:30PM

Joking Hazard, Trial By Trolley, Betrayal at the House on the Haunted Hill

GUEST: Corrina Green

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 12:30PM-4:30PM

Lords of Waterdeep

GUEST: Dawn Lott

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

G 12:30PM-4:30PM

Tails of Equestria (My Little Pony RPG); Dracula Dossier RPG: Let's Kill Hitler; Tales from the Arabian Nights (boardgame)

GUEST: MAP Boardgames

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

1:15 PM-4:15 PM

Mario Kart 64 -

single elimination PLAY

Play SUNDAY 1:15pm-4:15pm Players may bring their own controllers. All tournaments are free to enter, so be sure to register early as it's a first come first serve basis. All participants must be checked in at least 15 minutes prior to the start of each tournament to secure a spot. Those who show up at the time of the tournament beginning, or after, risk getting replaced.

North 120AB Game On Expo Area

G 2:00PM-4:00PM

Small Games

GUEST: Arizona MIB

North 120AB Scheduled tabletop games area

2:00PM-4:00PM

Intro Dungeons and Dragons 5th Edition

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition

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2:00PM-4:00PM

Non-AL DDAL05-02 The Black Road

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "Caravans are having a difficult time getting through to Parnast via the Black Road. Organized attacks by orcs and other monstrous humanoids working in concert with one another have folks baffled. Little do they know that an unusually intelligent hill giant, going by the name of Bad Fruul is to blame. SEER has sent her emissary HSING, to task your group to accompany a caravan with a very special cargo destined for the Shrine of Axes in Parnast, and to figure out who is responsible. A 2-hour Storm King's Thunder adventure for Tier 1 characters. Optimized for APL 3.

West 212ABC

2:00PM-4:00PM

CCC-YLRA01-02 Uneasy Lies the Head

D&D Adventurers League Dungeons & Dragons 5th Edition "Refugees from Mulmaster have flooded the rough-and-tumble town of Ylraphon. Poverty, shortages, overcrowding, and an unnatural heat-wave have tempers running high. When a series of mysterious crimes erupt, the people are desperate for someone to blame. Can you find the connection and the culprit, or will the angry mob deal its own form of justice? A 4-hour D&D Adventurers League adventure for 5th-10th level characters (optimized for 8th-level)." **West 212ABC**

G 3:00PM-5:00PM

Munchkin (players choice)

GUEST: Arizona MIB

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