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## LETTER FROM THE CHAIR

Hi everyone!

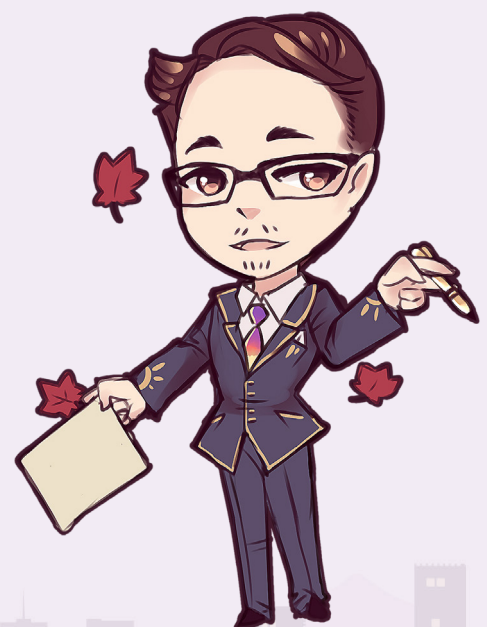
It's been a crazy year, with a lot of interesting twists and turns, on the way to making this convention happen. With all that in mind, there's one thing I always need to remind myself: we are all united together with our love and passion for anime. Or, as my friends like to call it, "Brian, please stop talking about your nerd stuff."

Well, I will **never** stop, and I want us to take a moment to reflect on that; no matter who we are, where we're from, whether we're attending or working for the convention, we are all here because we have a distinct passion for anime, Japanese culture, or even just being able to spend time with other nerdy people, doing nerdy things. Whatever you're looking for, whether it's new friends, some of our awesome content, or anything else, I hope that you find it here, and that you enjoy yourself. Unmitigated effort, passion, blood, sweat and tears go into putting this convention on every year (sometimes literally, but hopefully not), and we do it all for you guys. Thank you for coming to our show, we truly appreciate it, and we hope that you have a great time geeking out.

I could list out all the fun things we have for you to attend (and almost did), but I realized that's literally what the rest of this program book is for. I remember back when this was a small convention with only a few panels run by fans, and it blows my mind seeing some of the guests we get these days! I still want us to maintain that small convention feel, and I'm happy to see how much fan-provided content we still have, in addition to the big marquee events. For as long as I keep running this crazy thing, I really want to maintain that feel; we're by fans, for fans, even though we can get the big, hype things now. Though if any of our guests are reading this, I want to thank you for coming and let you know how welcome you are to be here, too! It's awesome to have you here, bringing joy to our attendees!

Just like last year, I want to mention that our convention is completely sustainable. The Oregon Convention Center strives to be the greenest convention center in the world, and works with each event to be as green as they can be, in order to keep our land, air and water clean. We have kept to their stringent policies for two years now, and are officially a "Sustainability Partner!" We even get a cool-looking badge for it! I like to think this gives us even more of a sense of being a uniquely Portland anime convention.

Please check out the rest of this book to find out what cool stuff we've got in store and, above all else, enjoy yourself!



*Brian*

# HOURS OF OPERATION

## Registration

Thu: 12pm-10pm  
(pre-reg only)  
Fri: 8am-8pm  
Sat: 8am-8pm  
Sun: 8am-3pm

## Operations Office

Thu: 12pm-10pm  
Fri: 7am-2:30am  
Sat: 7am-2:30am  
Sun: 8am-4pm

## Programming Office

Fri: 7am-2am  
Sat: 7am-2am  
Sun: 7am-5pm

## Late Night Umbrella Lounge

Fri: 8pm-2am  
Sat: 9pm-2am  
Sun: Closed

## Maid Café

Fri: 4pm-7pm  
Sat: 11am-8pm  
Sun: 11am-2pm

## Info Booth

Upstairs location  
Fri: 9am-5pm  
Sat: 10am-6pm  
Sun: 10am-2pm

## Info Booth

Downstairs location  
Thu: 12pm-8pm  
Fri: 8am-9pm  
Sat: 8am-10pm  
Sun: 9am-4pm

## Merchandise Booth

Downstairs location  
Fri: 8am-10:30pm  
Sat: 8am-10:30pm  
Sun: 8am-4pm

## Merchandise Booth

Upstairs location  
Fri: 11am-11pm  
Sat: 8am-10:30pm  
Sun: 9am-4pm

## KumoriMarket

(Exhibits Hall, Artist Alley,  
and Small Press)  
Fri: 11am-7pm  
Sat: 11am-7pm  
Sun: 10am-4pm

## Art Show

Fri: 11am-7pm  
Sat: 11am-7pm  
Sun: 10am-4pm

## Charity Auction

Fri: 11am-7pm  
Sat: 11am-7pm  
Sun: 10am-12pm

## Karaoke

Fri: 10am-2am  
Sat: 8am-2am  
Sun: 8am-4pm

## Video and Tabletop Gaming

Fri: 8am-2am  
Sat: 8am-2am  
Sun: 8am-5pm

## Manga Library

Fri: 10am-2am  
Sat: 8am-2am  
Sun: 8am-4pm

## Open Art Room

Fri: 6:30pm-2am  
Sat: 6:30pm-2am  
Sun: Closed

## Cosplay Repair

Fri: 9am-9pm  
Sat: 9am-9pm  
Sun: 9am-3pm

## Chibi Room

Fri: 11:30am-12:30pm &  
2pm-5:30pm  
Sat: 10am-12:30pm &  
2pm-5:30pm  
Sun: 10am-12:30pm &  
1:30pm-4pm

## Minor Curfew

12am-6am All days  
(Applies if under age 18)



## CHECK OUT THE KUMORICON 2019 MERCH BOOTH!

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PopSockets • Lanyard  
Power Bank • Umbrella  
Wireless Phone Charger  
Water Bottle • Bag  
Hoodie • Hat • Socks  
Scarf • Selfie Stick  
and more!

**Come see us near Ballrooms  
and in Pre-Function A!**



# CODE OF CONDUCT

## KUMORICON CONVENTION CODE OF CONDUCT

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Everyone must present **valid, government-issued photo ID** to buy a membership or to check in.
- Your badge is your proof of membership. You must wear it at all times in convention space.

### AGE RESTRICTIONS

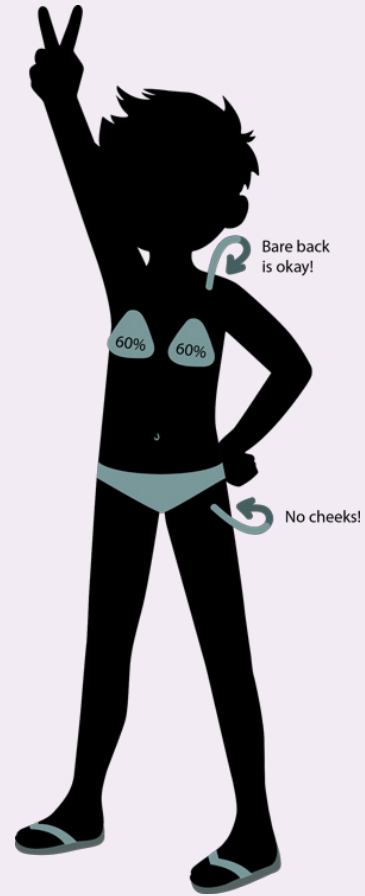
- Attendees under age 18 must present a signed **parent permission and liability release** form at time of entry.
- Attendees under age 18 must leave convention space between the **curfew** hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:00 am. (There is no exception for parent accompaniment.)
- Attendees under age 13 must be **accompanied by a parent or legal guardian** at all times.
- To attend an event marked age 18+, you must have a **hand stamp**. ID will **not** be accepted at the door of the event. To get a hand stamp, please present both your badge and valid government-issued photo ID to the Programming Booth. (There is no exception to the hand stamp requirement for parent accompaniment.)

### EVENT RESTRICTIONS

- Please do not line up more than 30 minutes ahead of any event.
- All guest autograph sessions require an advance pass to enter which are given out in a random drawing earlier that day. No passes are given out at entry to the signing session. Please review our Autograph Passes procedure for instructions.
- The Oregon Convention Center prohibits all animals on its campus. This includes therapy or anxiety pets. Only animals trained to provide assistance to an individual with a disability, through a specific action, are allowed. For any official Kumoricon programming held outside the Oregon Convention Center, the policies for the venue where that programming is held apply.

### COSPLAY, CLOTHING, AND COVERAGE

- Our coverage policy is gender-neutral. Costumes or clothing must cover the following: complete groin and buttocks, and approximately 60% of the breast area, including 100% nipple coverage. Coverage may not be sheer or transparent, painted on, or overly form-fitting to the point where it reveals the details of genitalia.
- Masks or face coverings may not be worn in registration areas or hotel lobbies.
- Footwear must be worn which covers the bottom of the feet.
- Costume props that may be potentially dangerous, or may appear to be potentially dangerous (even if they aren't), must be **peace-bonded** upon entry to the convention, or upon purchase of the item in the Exhibits Hall.



**Peace-bonding** is an agreement to carry your prop safely, and requires signing an acknowledgement of the requirements of safe carry. A staff member will attach a peace-tie to your item which signals to all staff that your item has been reviewed.

Peace-bonding is conducted outside Registration and outside the Exhibits Hall. After Exhibits Hall hours, this location will move to the Operations Office.

### HARASSMENT AND OTHER PROHIBITED BEHAVIOR

- Harassment, and any behavior that disrupts another person's experience, are prohibited. Disallowed behavior includes unwanted physical contact, threats, heckling or jeering, or any other form of rude, offensive, or disruptive behavior. This policy applies regardless of whether the behavior is aimed at a specific person.
- If another person no longer wishes to speak to or interact with you, you must immediately cease your conversation and interaction with them, and you may not follow them to another area.

**If you experience harassment or other unwanted behavior**, please visit the Operations Office to discuss or report an incident or concern. We strongly encourage attendees to report an incident as soon as possible after it occurs.

## OTHER PROHIBITED BEHAVIOR

- Consumption of alcohol (unless presented as part of an official convention event), consumption of illegal drugs (including marijuana), smoking or use of e-cigarettes, or intoxication
- Lewd conduct
- Unsafe behavior, including real or play fighting
- Selling or soliciting items or services
- Distribution of flyers or literature
- Brandishing, waving around, or pointing prop weapons

Prop firearms and blades must always stay holstered, slung, or sheathed, except while posing for photos.

## THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE PROHIBITED:

- Functional firearms or ammunition (no exception for concealed carry)
- Functioning projectile weapons, devices, toys, including items meant to be thrown; or paddles
- Swords and props which contain live steel (sharp enough to cut)
- Any prop firearm that does not have a highly visible orange tip, or that for any other reason looks like it could be functional from 10 feet away, even if they are non functioning
- Potentially dangerous props which are not part of a bona fide costume
- Any props or items that inhibit traffic due to their size
- Any signage or clothing containing profanity, explicit or graphic language or imagery, slurs, insults, threats, solicitations, or room party advertisements
- Costumes, props, or items of clothing which are vulgar, obscene, graphic, or sexually themed

Projectile items or replica firearms are allowed only if they are, or have been made, permanently non-functional. "Permanently" means it is not possible to repair or restore the item to functionality. In most cases this means the item must be filled with glue and all moving parts rendered immobile.

We may limit any other offensive, disruptive, or unsafe costumes, props, signs, or clothing in our sole discretion.

## PHOTOGRAPHY RESTRICTIONS

Be polite with your camera and how you conduct your photography or video recording. Photography and video recording are generally permitted. However:

- It is strictly prohibited to take a photo of any person who asks you not to, or shows by their body language that they do not wish to be photographed.
- It is also prohibited to take a photo if a reasonable person would know the subject(s) would probably not want to be photographed under the circumstances.
- Photography is not allowed in any event where the event host asks you not to, there is a sign prohibiting it, or in

viewing rooms, Artist Alley, Small Press, or the Art Show; except with on-the-spot artist permission.

## VIOLATIONS

- Any violation of this code of conduct or illegal action may be handled by a warning, temporary convention suspension, permanent membership revocation, or longer ban, in our sole discretion.
- Allowable activity at the convention is at our sole discretion. If an authorized staff member asks you to stop doing something, remove an item, or leave an area, then it has the weight of this code of conduct, even if it's not printed in this code of conduct.

## CHANGES

This code of conduct may be changed without notice. [www.kumoricon.org/code-of-conduct](http://www.kumoricon.org/code-of-conduct) will always contain the latest version, and printed copies are available at the convention.



## GUESTS OF HONOR



### BRINA PALENCIA

Brina Palencia is a Honduran-American actress and musician from Dallas, TX, best known for her voice work in such projects as **Black Butler**, **One Piece**, **My Hero Academia**, **Fairy Tail**, and **Snow White with the Red Hair**. Brina has also music-

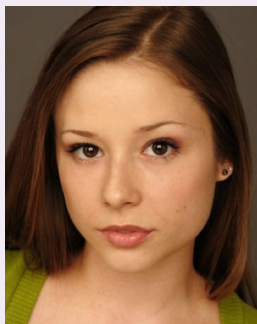
directed many shows at Funimation such as **Space Dandy**, **Dragon Ball Super**, and **Show By Rock**. She posts original music and too many cat pics on her Instagram, [@brinakins](#). Find more cat pics and keep up to date with her convention travels on Twitter, [@brinapalencia](#).



### JOEL MCDONALD

Joel McDonald has been acting for over thirty years and directing VO for twelve. Most of his directing career so far was spent at Funimation, where he directed shows like **One Piece**, **Space Dandy**, **Sgt. Frog**, **Big Windup**, and many more.

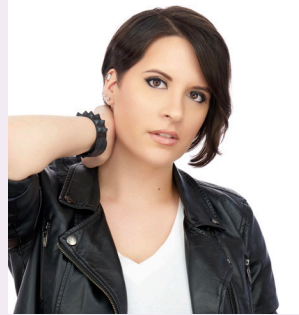
He's also appeared as Aoyama (**My Hero Academia**), Pichit Chulanont (**Yuri!!! on ICE**), Ronald Knox (**Black Butler**), Takumi (**Initial D**), Zeref (**Fairy Tail**), Meow (**Space Dandy**), and others. Joel made the move to video games in February of 2018 and is now working as Gearbox Software's very first **VO**verlord, where he runs auditions, oversees casting, and directs VO for all in-house Gearbox properties.



### BRITTNEY KARBOWSKI

Brittney Karbowski has been voice acting for 14 years. Some of her notable roles include Pride (**Fullmetal Alchemist: Brotherhood**), Migi (**Parasyte: The Maxim**), Ikaros (**Heaven's Lost Property**), Yuri (**Angel Beats**), Hisako (**Food Wars**), Karen (**Gamers**), Papi (**Monster Musume**), Hitoka (**Haikyuu!!**), Papika (**Flip**

**Flappers**), Apis and The Going Merry (**One Piece**), Yamada (**B Gata H Kei**), young Hide (**Tokyo Ghoul**), Melinda (**Nomad of Nowhere**), Hitch (**Attack on Titan**), Kusu (**Dragon Ball Super**), Mikoto Misaka (**Railgun** and **Index** series), Nanachi (**Made in Abyss**), Popuko (**Pop Team Epic**), Karen (**Revue Starlight**), Kotoha (**Mitsuboshi Colors**), Black Star (**Soul Eater**), Camie (**My Hero Academia**), Wendy (**Fairy Tail**), Rimuru (**That Time I Got Reincarnated as a Slime**), and the list just keeps going! Check out a more extensive list of her many roles at Anime News Network. Brittney spends her free time with her husband, daughter, and her three fur babies in Houston, TX.



### MORGAN BERRY

Morgan Berry is a voice actor best known for her work in various anime shows, movies, video games, and web series; many appearing on Cartoon Network's Adult Swim and Disney XD. Some of her most notable roles are in **Dragon Ball Super**, **My Hero Academia**,

**Miraculous Ladybug**, **One Piece**, **Tokyo Ghoul**, **Beyblade Burst Turbo**, and the award winning film **The Boy and the Beast**. Morgan is also in many major titles including **Fairy Tail**, **Attack on Titan**, and **JoJo's Bizarre Adventure**. Her most notable video game titles include **Marvel Avengers Academy**, **Smite**, and **Freedom Planet 2**. She also voices for several web series including Team Four Star's **Final Fantasy VII: Machinabridged**, ScrewAttack's **DEATH BATTLE!**, and is the main protagonist Eris in **Gods' School**. On top of voice acting, Morgan is a professional recording artist and YouTube personality under the name "The Unknown Songbird" with over 7 million views in total.



### DAVID WALD

David Wald began voice acting for English dubs of anime in 2005 with ADV Films' **Shadow Skill**. In the years since, David has continued to voice characters for ADV, Sentai Filmworks, Funimation, and others, including Gajeel (**Fairy Tail**), Napapa and

Hyssop (**Dragon Ball Super**), Tetsutetsu and Snipe (**My Hero Academia**), Rei (**Love Stage**), Hannes (**Attack On Titan**), Keishin (**Haikyuu!!**), German Luis (**GARO: The Animation**), Berg Katze (**Gatchaman Crowds**), Master Chief (**Halo Legends**), Dr. Ozaki (**Shiki**), Charlie (**Fullmetal Alchemist: Brotherhood**), Paulie and Tamago (**One Piece**), Reiji (Diabolik Lovers), Teppei (**Toriko**), Yoji Itami (**GATE**), Mutsumi (**Kiss Him, Not Me!**), King Victor (**The Royal Tutor**), Count Magnus (**Vampire Hunter D**), and Riki Nendou (**The Disastrous Life of Saiki K**).

From outside the vocal booth, David has served as ADR Director for titles including **Hitorijime My Hero**, **Love Stage**, **Bloom Into You**, **Aura: Koga Maryuin's Last War**, **Kokkoku**, and **Tada Never Falls In Love**, and has adapted scripts for titles including **Diabolik Lovers: More Blood**, **Chivalry of a Failed Knight**, **Love Stage**, and **Hitorijime My Hero**.

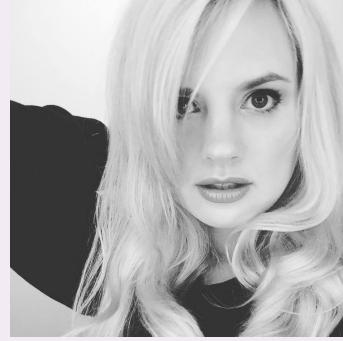




## LUCI CHRISTIAN

Luci Christian is a professional actor living in Houston, Texas, known internationally for her voice work. Notable anime roles include Ren (**Made in Abyss**), Ochaco (**My Hero Academia**), Honey (**Ouran High School Host Club**), Kaname (**Full Metal Panic!**), Psiren/Wrath (**Fullmetal Alchemist**), Nami (**One Piece**), Kyuta (**The Boy and the Beast**), Lenalee (**D.Gray-man**), Asuna (**Negima**), Alois (**Black Butler**),

Tenma (**School Rumble**), Rico (**Gunslinger Girl**), Ophelia (**Claymore**), Birdy (**Birdy the Mighty Decode**), Hungary (**Hetalia**), Medusa (**Soul Eater**), Yuki (**Food Wars**), Satomi Murano (**Parasyte: The Maxim**), Deunan (**Appleseed**), Ringo (**Air Gear**), Mako (**Nerima Daikon Brothers**), Milia Fallyna (**Macross**), Risa (**D.N.Angel**), Duck/Tutu (**Princess Tutu**), Yukari (**Azumanga Daioh**), Jinpei (**Gatchaman**) and Paiman (**Gatchaman Crowds**). You can even let her read you books on Audible! She is [@lucilovesmic](#) on Twitter and can be found online at [www.lucichristian.com](#). Ms. Christian holds an M.F.A. in Acting from Louisiana State University, and when she's not working she's usually happily hanging out with her husband and daughters and trying to use her powers for good.



## TIA BALLARD

Tia Ballard is a Texas gal who has worked professionally as an actor, writer, and director. She graduated with a double Bachelors in Speech & Communication and Theatre Arts from Texas A&M, and also holds both an Associates and a teaching

degree from Paris Junior College. Tia has had a number of anime roles in her career which includes Zero Two (**Darling in the Franxx**), Happy (**Fairy Tail**), Kagura (**Fruits Basket 2019**), Marron (**Dragon Ball Z**), Ragdoll (**My Hero Academia**), Mizore (**Rosario+Vampire**), and Shao May (**Fullmetal Alchemist**). A few of her video game credits include Velvet (**Them's Fightin' Herds**), JianYu and Ms Marlowe (**Street Fighter V**), and Riyu (**Akiba's Beat**).

Tia also directed **The Royal Tutor**, SEGA's **Chain Chronicle**, **Zombieland**, and **Kono Oto Tomare**, and both wrote and directed the English adaptation of **Kiss Him, Not Me**. A gardner, artist, and writer as well, she is currently working on a children's book, an audio drama, and many other personal projects. She loves spending her spare time with her family, friends, and dog, Tom Hanx.



## KAREN STRASSMAN

Karen Strassman is an actress, voice-over artist, and dialect coach, known for hundreds of characters she has created. She delights in crafting characters that touch the brilliant human spirit and entertain the child within all of us.

She has created hundreds of voice-over characters of all shapes, sizes, genders, ages, and species, from classic Disney princesses, to iconic villainesses, to talking jellyfish and shy tadpoles. Karen stars as Jinja in the new Nicktoons series **Monsuno**, and she also voices every other female character in the show (over 24 at last count).

An extensive list of Karen's credits are on IMDb or her website, but some of her favorite VO projects include: **League of Legends**, **LEGO Friends**, **Monster High**, **Rugrats: All Grown Up**, **Bleach**, **StarCraft II**, **World of Warcraft**, **Final Fantasy**, **Fallout**, **EverQuest**, **Persona**, **BioShock 2**, **Castlevania**, **Mortal Kombat**, **Silent Hill**, **Star Wars: The Old Republic**, **Valkyria**, **Street Fighter X Tekken**, **Van Helsing**, **Buffy the Vampire Slayer**, **Dead or Alive**, **Resident Evil**, and more.



## CIARÁN STRANGE AND WE ARE THE CHAOS

You may have heard him as the under-caffeinated NPC Lorelei

(**Borderlands 3**) or the sweet but sassy Luca Esposito (**Astra: Lost In Space**)—but I.R.L. he's Ciarán Strange, an LGBTQ+ voice actor, Twitch affiliate, mental health advocate, urban fantasy author, and indie performing artist.

After touring multiple countries and performing at shows, conventions, and festivals, Ciarán joined forces with Dave Kitsberg (Spoony Bards, Time Crash). The two now do geeky covers and parodies as well as original material in sub-genres of pop-rock influenced by their fandom inspirations. They have new music set to be released in 2019/20 under the project name **We Are The Chaos**. The band's debut single, LEGACY, is available on all music streaming services, along with some of Ciarán's older solo tunes (some of which can be found under his old artist name "Kieran Strange").

Ciarán also has multiple book series. His main project, "Black Tie", is a M/M paranormal romance series of action thriller novels he's pitched as "gay James Bond in a world of superheroes".

## GUESTS OF HONOR



### SHIGETO KOYAMA

Shigeto Koyama (born in 1975, Tokyo), an active designer in Japan's media industry. Starting his career by participating in **Aim for the Top 2! (Diebuster)** in 2004, Shigeto took part in numerous animation titles.

Some of these notable titles includes: **HEROMAN, Eureka Seven, Gurren Lagann, STAR DRIVER, Panty & Stocking with Garterbelt, Rebuild of Evangelion, KILL la KILL, and Big Hero 6**. In 2015, Shigeto directed his first short animation film **Obake-chan**, and his latest participation in the industry includes **Darling in the Franxx, Hisone and Masotan, and SSSS.Gridman**. Shigeto is currently working with Hiroyuki Imaishi of Studio TRIGGER on **Promare**.



### HIROMI WAKABAYASHI

Previously a member of Studio GAINAX, Hiromi Wakabayashi has been involved in several works with Hiroyuki Imaishi. Some of his more notable work includes design production for **Gurren Lagann**. Hiromi has also participated in **Panty & Stocking with Garterbelt** as

co-creator, writer, and episodic director.

After joining TRIGGER, Hiromi wrote the script for the fourth episode of **KILL la KILL** and directed the 2nd ending sequence for the series. More importantly, he assisted and oversaw the design team of **KILL la KILL** as its creative producer. Later on, he took part in numerous TRIGGER titles such as **Little Witch Academia, Inferno Cop, Space Patrol Luluco, and Darling in the Franxx**. Hiromi's most recently worked on Hiroyuki Imaishi's latest project, **Promare**.



### CALEB HYLES

Disney, anime, Broadway, top 40: Caleb Hyles has done it all when it comes to cover songs! With his big heart and an even bigger voice, Caleb has wowed millions with his musical stylings and an infectious, positive attitude. Ever since his viral hit, "Let It Go", dropped in 2014, Caleb has not stopped growing his YouTube channel which has grown over 1 million subscribers. By holding live Q&As, and hosting a private Discord server with fans, Caleb has nurtured a growing community.

He produces new content weekly, and is expanding his reach onto other platforms, such as Twitch! This endeavor, along with his YouTube Gaming channel of the same name, Peace Love and Gaming, make it evident that big things are happening with Caleb. He hopes that everyone will join him for the ride. As Caleb says at the end of every video, "Peace, love, and metal!!"



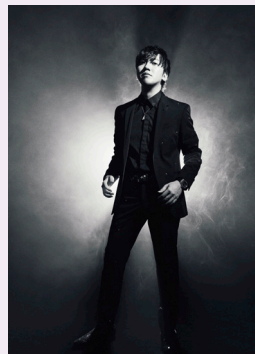
### STARMARIE

STARMARIE is a five-member girl band formed in 2008. Their songs and choreography express fantasy tales of life and

death. The girls invite spectators into their mysterious fantasy world with songs consisting of unique titles and story-like lyrics, fierce-yet-delicate choreographies and expressions, and theatrical stage presence.

In 2018 they played at the Nakano Sun Plaza Hall without any supporting acts. In addition to being active in Japan, they are also active abroad. Today they have performed more than 100 shows overseas, focusing particularly on the Asian market with solo shows in Taiwan, the Philippines, and Hong Kong.

Their song "Natsu ni nare!" was selected as the ending theme of the anime **Cardfight!! Vanguard G: NEXT** (TV Tokyo). Previously, their song "Hime wa Rankiryuu☆Goikkou-sama" was used as the opening theme of the anime **Onigiri** (TOKYO MX, BS Fuji), in which two of the members also made their debut as voice actresses. Furthermore, "Mekurumeku Yuuki!" serves as the ending theme of **Cardfight!! Vanguard G** (TV Tokyo).



### TEDDYLOID

TeddyLoid started as MIYAVI's DJ/sound producer, producing the OST for **Panty & Stocking with Garterbelt**, Square Enix's **Mugen∞Knights**, WRECKING CREW ORCHESTRA's **SUPERLOSERZ SAVE THE EARTH**, "Neo STARGATE" for Momoiro Clover Z, Vocaloid IA tracks/remixes, and the music for **ME!ME!ME!** He provided BGM to **Mekakucity Actors** and produced

songs for **18if, Space Patrol Luluco, and Yuzu**.

TeddyLoid's solo debut was with his 2014 EP "**UNDER THE BLACK MOON**" and his first album "**BLACK MOON RISING**". In 2015 he started "Momoiro Clover Z×TeddyLoid Remix Project", releasing an official remix album, "**Re:MOMOIRO CLOVER Z**", and collaboration product "**SILENT PLANET**". In 2016 TeddyLoid produced two tracks for HAL College of Technology & Design. In 2018 he released albums "**SILENT PLANET: INFINITY**" and collaborative "**SILENT PLANET: RELOADED**". He has experience in units with Shibasaki Ko & DECO\*27, established galaxias!, and worked on the album "**TOXIC**" for the GazettE.

TeddyLoid has performed at Momoshinsai, on Music Station Super Live, and on Ultra Japan Festival's main stage.

[www.teddyloid.com](http://www.teddyloid.com)

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【amnesiA&paramnesiA】 is a creative brand expressing both surreal and decadent in the form of gathering of clothes that seems to have fallen from the era of industrial revolution and have been buried in time while

receiving the love of Victoria by GO SOUTH.

With sampled graphic sources from all times and places, all made thoroughly in a custom manufacturing setting (through vandalism close to graffiti art) to create an edgy, surreal, rock style, we continue to reach for and seek a new way of fashion entertainment.

「amnesiA」 = a partial or total loss of memory.

—the loss of memories, white clothes.

「paramnesiA」 = a condition or phenomenon involving distorted memory or confusions of fact and fantasy, such as confabulation or déjà vu.

—the confusing mist of memories, black clothes.

Designer Daisuke Ichikawa (born in 1976).

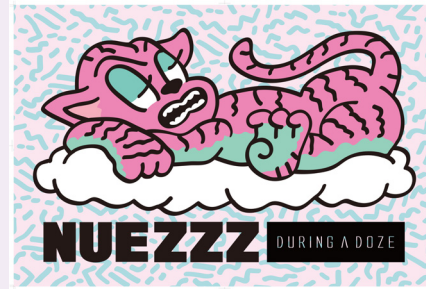
A designer at h.NAOTO, in 2007, the fashion design unit guild GO SOUTH is established. Besides the collaboration activities, Daisuke also created his own brand Acryl agitt, Acryl CANDY and 【amnesiA&paramnesiA】, fusing music and fashion.

# IBI DESIGN WORK



IBI has self-studied illustration and graphic expression since his school days. After joining an apparel company, he worked on graphic design for the brand as well as sales. Later, as a brand designer inspired by the goth and visual

kei scene, he worked on graphic, apparel, and goods design as well as modeling. His work involved developing stores across Japan and organizing fashion shows, such as Tokyo Collection and overseas. In addition, IBI also played in a band and made costumes for artists, as well as collaboration works with game and anime titles. Inspired by rock, mode, and subculture since 2018, IBI launches new original works mainly with unique graphic design. In addition to various graphic productions, his original apparel brand “IBI” was launched in 2019. He is presenting new expressions to the world.



# NUEZZ

Using the hyper-colorful, street-ready designs of the 80s as a motif, graphic designer and fashion designer moji8fresh has his eyes set on

a new era of streetwear with the launch of his ambitious new brand NUEZZZ. Based out of Japan, NUEZZZ is set to totally flip the conventions and perceptions of Tokyo’s broadening fashion scene by utilizing moji8fresh’s massively diverse color palette and design sensibility. With a special focus on an international audience, NUEZZZ has already announced plans to bring the brand overseas with international shipping.

# 50%DANGEROUS



50%DANGEROUS is an American-based fashion brand that creates one-of-a-kind fashion ensembles for musicians and entertainers. Designs inspired by Japanese street fashion and pop culture, 50%DANGEROUS bring

masculine and feminine styles/cuts to their followers. Shop at 50DANGEROUS.COM

# ATELIER PIERROT



ATELIER PIERROT is a Gothic Lolita brand. Their flagship store was established in the famed Harajuku LA FORET building when it first opened in 1978. ATELIER PIERROT creates and sells Classical Lolita and Elegant Gothic Lolita designs, with well-tailored styles ranging from exquisite gothic tastes to elegant Rococo influence.

Operating over 30 years, they helped create and influence the Gothic Lolita scene both in Japan and abroad.

<http://atelier-pierrot.jp>

## GUESTS OF HONOR



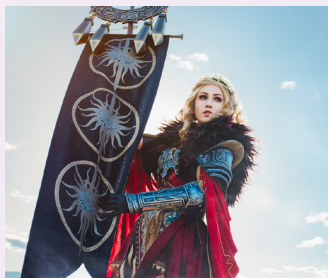
### MINORI

MINORI: Shironuri Artist a.k.a. Japanese alternative fashion icon

MINORI first became involved in shironuri art in 2009. After appearing on the fashion snap page on TokyoFashion.com in Harajuku, her art became popular on the internet, and her Instagram currently has ~71,000 followers. Her work is strongly inspired by nature. Starting with her first original work "Ajisai (hydrangea)" in

2011, she has showcased series of work including a "language of flowers" collection and a "nature" collection.

Her first appearance overseas was in 2014. She has been featured in the International Business Times in the UK, and her original costume and photos are in the collection of the Honolulu Museum of Art. In 2016, she appeared on Joanna Lumley's Japan (iTV) and Chelsea Handler (Netflix). In 2017, she was featured on BBC News, attracting attention around the world, and was also invited as a special guest of Japan Expo Thailand and Malaysia.



### ENAYLA COSPLAY

Enayla is a cosplayer, armorsmith, and propmaker based in Washington state. Inspired by the lavish costumes at a local comic con, she bought a garage-sale sewing machine and taught herself the basics. Twelve

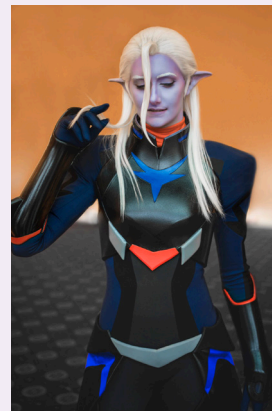
years later, she actively works with fabric, foam, feathers, thermoplastics, resin, and a host of other materials (whatever will get the job done!). In that time, she has been featured by a wide variety of publications, hosted panels on various aspects of cosplay, and judged competitions both locally and internationally. Specializing in costumes with meticulous detail, massive scale, and complex engineering, she is always looking for ways to expand her skills and challenge reality. When not working on a project, she is active in sharing techniques and encouragement with the cosplay community. She is constantly inspired by the work of others, and is excited to see what attendees bring to Kumoricon 2019!



### KIONCLOUD

With a love for creativity and a passion for hands-on crafts, KionCloud found themselves intrigued with the idea of cosplay when it was first introduced into their life. Kion began their own cosplay journey in autumn of 2013 about a year after discovering the exciting new hobby. They enjoy honing their skills in the many artistic aspects of cosplay encompassing making costumes, creating YouTube videos,

as well as in-person performances in front of audiences. While attending several cosplay and Japanese cultural conventions throughout Washington and Oregon, Kion has participated in many live events including cosplay chess and several in-character panels. In addition to enjoying the various facets of cosplay they also strive to be a positive influence in the cosplay community and enjoy the interactions they have with their followers on social media platforms such as Instagram. KionCloud loves meeting and seeing new faces, so don't hesitate to say hello!



### UPTOWN COSPLAY

Uptown is a cosplayer who has been creating their own costumes and styling wigs by hand since they began in 2012, gaining recognition for their highly successful in-character panels and lip sync performances on their YouTube channel. They host many events at conventions primarily around the Pacific Northwest and share their panels, tutorials, and reviews with their broad audience as a social media personality. Some of their

most beloved cosplays include Chat Noir from Miraculous Ladybug and Lotor from Voltron: Legendary Defender. Uptown loves meeting new people and encourages you to never be afraid to say hello!

*Photo credit: Kictor Cosplay*





ALISA FREEDMAN

Alisa Freedman is a Professor of Japanese Literature, Cultural Studies, and Gender at the University of Oregon, the Editor-in-Chief of the U.S.-Japan Women’s Journal, and the Chair of the Northeast Asia Council of the Association for Asian Studies (2019-2020).

Her books include **Tokyo in Transit: Japanese Culture on the Rails and Road**, an annotated translation of Kawabata Yasunari’s **The Scarlet Gang of Asakusa**, and co-edited volumes on **Modern Girls on the Go: Gender, Mobility, and Labor in Japan** and **Introducing Japanese Popular Culture**. She has published widely on Japanese modernism, Tokyo studies, youth culture, gender, television, humor as social critique, teaching pedagogies, and digital media, along with publishing translations of Japanese literature. She is writing a book about Japanese women who studied in the U.S. between 1949 and 1966. Alisa has been nationally recognized for excellence in mentoring.



CHARLES DUNBAR

Charles Dunbar is a consummate fan. And they never expected their fandom to become such a huge part of their life. After deciding (on the road back from a con, no less) to study con culture back in 2008, they have spent the next decade of their life devoted to not only Japan (and its history, monsters, and culture) but to building their own base of knowledge from which they can draw and teach others.

Since then, they have lectured at over 150 cons (including Anime Boston, from 2010-2014, before a triumphant return in 2017!), libraries, and universities on all manners of fandom, history, culture, and folklore, and anything else that strikes their fancy, in hopes of bringing new perspectives and points of view to the appreciation of Japanese animation, and everything else associated with it. You can keep track of their ramblings on **www.facebook.com/studyofanime**.



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(513) 512-4379

KUMORICON 2020

Pre-registrations available for purchase on Sunday, November 17th.  
\$30 for a regular Weekend Membership or \$400 for a VIP Membership.

Visit us at the Registration Manager’s booth in Hall A from 8am to 3pm or in Pre-Function A from 5pm-7pm.



## FRIDAY NIGHT DJs



### E-TURN

Orlando-based rapper/singer E-Turn released her 3rd album *Young World* (2018) on Fake Four Inc. Backed by the soulful, melodic boom bap of Swamburger (Solillaquists of Sound), E-Turn utilizes a multitude of deliveries and croons to issue a call to arms

against the maladies of modernity, expressing hope that the tools at our disposal can be used for the greater good of humanity.

E-Turn grew up amongst mixed cultures. Her father came from Iran to America during the revolution, and her mom, a San Diegan of hispanic/native descent, had a volatile upbringing. E began singing at a young age, rapping in 7th grade, performing with a cover band at 17, and then open mic circuits at 19. *Young World* was created during a tumultuous stretch in E-Turn's life, marked by the highs of touring Europe and the lows of loss.

Drawing influence everywhere from Mos Def to Stevie Nicks, E's writing conveys urgency, mindfulness, and resilience in the face of pain. For many lost in the now, E-Turn's *Young World* offers hope that we can rise to the surface and find something real and lasting.



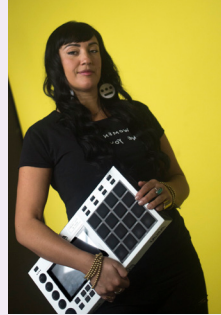
### EYEQ

EyeQ is an Orlando, FL-based emcee, entrepreneur, event coordinator, content curator, and inspirational force of nature who consistently enraptures audiences around the US and internationally with his passionate live performances and powerful lyrics. Entering the hip-hop world as a videographer, EyeQ has worked

behind the camera for your favorite rapper's favorite rapper, becoming an easy mainstay at festivals like A3C and SXSW in the process.

EyeQ has developed his own national reputation as an esteemed rapper, dominating main stages and after parties for some of the most important pop culture conventions in the U.S. These include Otakon, Anime Expo, PAX, San Diego Comic Con, MAGfest, and many others. His 2015 release, *Walls of Maria*, an Attack on Titan-inspired solo album, was heavily praised by entities such as Funimation and the official Attack on Titan brand.

EyeQ curates the official soundtrack for CEO Gaming, and actively works to coordinate events for numerous conventions and organizations around the US such as the Library of Congress. He is a co-founding member of the Nerdy People of Color Collective, where he works with many talented influencers to advocate for marginalized groups in nerd and geek spaces.



### LISA VAZQUEZ

Lisa Vazquez is an Argentine-bred Wonder Woman in all aspects of her craft. A hip-hop / soul producer, vocalist, and multi-instrumentalist, Lisa blends worldly and jazz flavors with sultry vocals and deep lyrics all over a classic hip-hop thump to get you moving. She has shared stages with

Just Blaze, Talib Kweli, Chali 2na, and KRS One while being featured at festivals such as Soundset, Summer Meltdown, and Oregon Country Fair. Lisa was also a finalist in the 2018 International Goldie Awards DJ and Beat Battle, garnering herself esteem in the eyes of well known producers and DJs.

Lisa is the answer to what hip-hop has been lacking in recent years. She creates her beats live, while layering her vocals to create a rich canvas for her lyrics and sultry vocals. Truly a one-woman show like no other. Lisa taps into her creative world further with her Beatmaking Series, Flip It Friday, which you can find on YouTube.



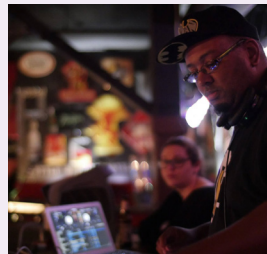
### AMANDA LEPRE

With rich soprano vocals and heavy acoustic riffs, Amanda Lepre's music feels like strapping on armor and suiting up for an epic journey. It is not difficult to picture the heroes of classic

literature and video games that often inspire her songwriting.

Amanda Lepre (pronounced "leh-PREE") is a singer/songwriter whose stylistic approach encompasses a mixture of alternative-pop with acoustic metal influences. Her love for video games and their stories is evident in her melodies and lyrics.

Besides her work as a solo artist, Amanda is a live guitarist for rock icon Andrew W.K., as well as the frontwoman and guitarist for video game music tribute band Descendants of Erdrick. Amanda is based in Austin, Texas.



### DJ R.O.C.K.M.A.N.

DJ R.O.C.K.M.A.N., is an Austin, TX, native who first touched a turntable at the early age of 3. Mentored by his father, a notable hip-hop DJ from California, Vince developed an early ear for doo-wap, funk, and classic hip-hop sounds which have stayed with him across the years.

Since the early 2000s, Vince has been playing shows in and around Austin, TX, with a specific focus on nerdcore while also weaving in hip-hop, R&B, house, and DnB into his sets where appropriate. He's opened for notable artists such as Quest Love, Mega Ran, Janet Jackson, and Random Movement and he runs several recurring parties including Blaxiumum Overdrive, Nerdcore Night, and DJ Sessions. He is also a part of the Everyday Junglist, Drum-Soul, and The Friday Night Get Down crews and is the official DJ of Classic Game Fest.

## FRIDAY NIGHT DJS

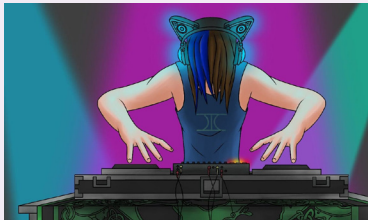


### SKYBLEW

SkyBlew, is a young BUZZING emcee who resides in North Carolina by way of Auburn, Alabama. He is becoming the hip-hop voice for a new generation, with a NEW SOUND...

His music is very positive and inspirational but it still gets the fans attention with infectious beats and lyrics. This kid sounds like NOTHING out right now! Speaking from his life experiences such as: foster care, homelessness, etc, he uses his message in hopes to make a difference. He chose to rise above the dire circumstances and share his story. SkyBlew also uniquely incorporates anime, cartoon, and video game references/ themes into his repertoire to create hip-hop like you've never heard before! He doesn't want to put himself in a box, so he strays away from putting certain labels on his style. He simply titles it Painting The Sky,Blew!!! Most say he is a breath of fresh air actually! Although he is an underdog, this young man still perseveres and has built a following that reaches far beyond the borders of the US. Following the narrative "I Don't Rap, I Paint The Sky,Blew!!!" he's the coolest nerd you ever heard!

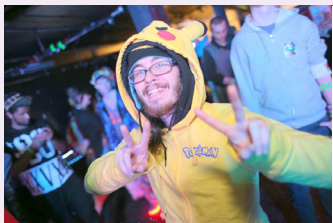
## SATURDAY NIGHT DJS



### DJ JTC

Co-owner of Shattered Emerald Production, this Portland native cat-scratch DJ has been mixing and scratching since 2011. Beware of the

cat when they're on the tables. I'm not kitten you, there's a meownton of mixed electronic music melting away.



Remnant has been in the Portland/Seattle rave scene since 2005. After this time he decided to found a new production company in Portland called Shattered Emerald Productions. Over the last 3 years he has spent his time creating events and working at raves behind the scenes and behind the decks spinning J-core/happy hardcore to all who will listen. He has also as of 2018 has become a resident with HJU (Hardcore Junglist United) based in California. With his super kawaii beats Remnant aims to keep you dancing all night and beyond!



E\*Tank is a producer and DJ of all things he finds the most energetic and raw. He has been diligently working with solo as

well as in his tag acts, "Duo Dai Gu Ren" with Skellie as well as "Adamantium" with A.N.T. Along with his local success, E\*Tank is also a proud resident artist of Hardcore Junglists United out of San Francisco and Ice Queen Productions out of Pennsylvania and has appeared at a large number of major anime conventions throughout the Midwest. This comes as no surprise when you hear how much he lets his adoration of retro gaming and nerd culture seep into his music and personality. He has several releases through Alby Loud's Loudcore and BWBO labels out of Mexico and has multiple tracks about to hit the scene through major hardcore/hard dance labels (spoilers!). Through these releases as well as a lengthy reputation of providing a uniquely intense experience in his sets, he is pushing harder than ever in his growing headliner status as he is constantly playing across the states.

His mixing is fast and flawless, his tracks are penetrating and wild, and his eagerness to provide a powerful performance has completely lived up to the "E" in his name—energy.



Shimotsukei is a multi-genre DJ and producer based out of Arlington, TX. She began DJing shortly after becoming

involved with the Lucky Lotus Online Electronic Music Festival organized by DJ COSMiXXX.

Together with DJ COSMiXXX, she's run the Lucky Lotus Online Festival with great success, featuring many artists and DJs from all over the world, both big and small, representing a myriad of different styles. In 2014 she branched off from the Online Festival to start a net label under the Lucky Lotus name. She has since released 3 CDs in Japan at events such as Comiket and M3 featuring tracks of her own along with many of her biggest influences. In 2018 she made her live debut at Anime Expo, closing out the AX Dance with an over-the-top set that exceeded all expectations.

As a DJ, her style is greatly varied, playing countless different genres and styles with a special focus on freeform, funkot, J-core, and artcore. She loves to surprise her audience while creating a fun, emotional, and memorable atmosphere that keeps people wanting more, while her productions flirt the boundaries between gritty darkness and uplifting vibrance that toy with your emotions.



# AUTOGRAPH PASSES

All autograph sessions **require an advance pass**, which will be distributed by random drawing **earlier in the day**. Entry for each random drawing usually closes two hours in advance of the autograph session, but occasionally ends earlier. Please check the schedule for exact times.

The drawing will be performed a few minutes after the close of entries, and pass distribution will then run until the autograph session. Please note that pass distribution is at a different location than the autograph session. There will be no pass distribution at the autograph session.

## STEP 1 – ENTER THE AUTOGRAPH PASS DRAWING

- To enter the random drawing for a pass, please **bring your photo ID** and visit the autograph pass kiosks in the Registration Hall or by the Info Booths in Lower and Upper lobbies **at any time during the convention** until entry close and complete the pass entry form.
- To sign up, you will need to enter your name as it appears on your ID (first and last), phone number, and email address.
- Drawing entrants will be notified via email and/or text message. Pass winners will also have their entry confirmation codes displayed by the pass distribution area.
- Winning passes are divided into two priority groups. “Group A” passes receive first priority, and “Group B” passes are time-available waitlist passes which are served after all “Group A” passholders.
- Passes are free, and no purchase is required to enter the drawing.
- Passes cannot be given away or sold. Passes will be authenticated at distribution and when redeemed at the autograph session.
- When multiple autograph sessions are scheduled at the same time, you may only participate in one. If you win a pass for more than one session occurring at the same time, you may choose which one to redeem. There is no limit to the number of passes you may redeem if they are occurring at different times.
- **If there are passes remaining after the drawing, they will be available first-come, first-served while supplies last.**
- We will not replace lost passes.
- Due to the possibility of unforeseen circumstances, we reserve the right to end a drawing early or cancel a drawing session.

*Need accessibility accommodations? Please stop by the Autograph Pass distribution desk in Registration (Hall A), visit our website, or check Guidebook!*

## STEP 2 – ATTEND THE GUEST SIGNING SESSION

- To enter the signing line, you must hold a winning pass from the drawing for that guest, date, and session time. You must also present your valid Kumoricon 2019 badge.
- We apologize, but members of your group who do not hold winning passes cannot stand in line with you, except for parents/guardians accompanying minors, or persons providing disabilities assistance.
- Passholders may arrive at the signing session line up to 30 minutes early, but early arrival is not required.
- There are separate lines for “Group A” and “Group B” passholders. “Group A” passholders receive first priority until Group B begins.
- Group A must arrive no later than 30 minutes into the autograph session to receive priority.
- Late arrivals may enter the line, but may receive lower priority, even if holding a “Group A” pass.
- We apologize for any inconvenience, but if you miss the signing session for your pass, it cannot be transferred to a later session.
- Although we intend there to be enough time to serve all “Group A” passholders and some “Group B” passholders, due to the possibility of unforeseen circumstances or guest emergencies, we cannot guarantee any passholder will receive an autograph. We cannot transfer your pass to a different session in this situation.

## AUTOGRAPH RULES

- All autographs are at the guest’s discretion. We cannot guarantee an autograph from any specific guest. Guests have the right to refuse to autograph anything or for anyone at their individual discretion. Some guests may have special requests, such as: no photos, only one item, etc. All limitation requests from the Guest and Autograph staff must be followed.
- Autographs are limited to a maximum of 2 free autographs per person. Gifts, photos, and recordings are included in the 2 item limit. Items for guests to sign must be official, licensed products (no bootlegs). Fan art is acceptable for some guests; please confirm with Autograph staff before you reach the guest. Guests may have merchandise or prints available for purchase while at the session, at their discretion. Please have items ready for autographing or payment ready for making a purchase when you are near the front of the line.
- Guests may refuse gifts, photos, or recordings individually or entirely at their discretion.
- To provide a fair signing opportunity to all attendees, please limit your time with a guest to one minute or less.
- You may take photos while your guest signs your items, but to save time, we ask that guests don’t pose or pause for photos. A member of the Autograph staff can take a photo for you while your item(s) is signed.
- No touching guests without permission. Ask first for hugs, handshakes, etc., and respect that a guest may be sick, tired, or have some other reason for not wanting to give hugs.



# AUTOGRAPH PASSES

- The following gifts are prohibited: gifts of homemade food, gifts of pre-packaged consumables that have been opened, or gifts of pre-packaged consumables with tampered packaging. All consumable gifts must be pre-packaged with visible seals intact, without exception. If you have a consumable gift, you must present your gift to a Guest Relations handler for approval prior to presenting the gift to a guest.
- Please remember that items to be signed or gifts must follow Kumoricon policies, such as props and weapons. Please review our Code of Conduct if you have questions about if your item would be allowed.

For general or specific autograph questions, stop by the Autograph Pass distribution desk in Registration (Hall A), visit our website, or check Guidebook!

**Want to skip the kiosk line?**



**Sign up for autographs online!**



**CHECK OUT THE  
KUMORICON 2019  
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Plushies • Collectible Pins  
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Power Bank • Umbrella  
Wireless Phone Charger  
Water Bottle • Bag  
Hoodie • Hat • Socks  
Scarf • Selfie Stick  
and more!

**Come see us near Ballrooms  
and in Pre-Function A!**





# KUMORICON EVENTS



## LATE NIGHT UMBRELLA LOUNGE

Kumoricon is excited to announce the return of our premier anime bar, The Umbrella: Late Night Lounge, featuring a custom drink menu designed around our Guests of Honor as well as your well classics. Cash and credit cards

are accepted. You must be age 21+ to enter, so have your ID ready!

Late Saturday night, Ciarán Strange humbly requests to borrow you tonight in the Anime Bar for some bizarre tour tales, singalong-worthy covers, and hilarious geeky parodies! D&D dudebros, convention horror stories, road trip blunders, #nerdproblems, and even poop (yes, we said poop). Nothing is off the table as the British punk and his lieutenant dork Dave share some songs and stories that will leave you snickering for weeks.

## SAKE TASTING

Sake is fermented rice wine that serves an important role in Japanese culture and history. The popularity of sake has supported the growth of breweries all over the world. Join us on a guided tour of various traditional Japanese sake as well as American sake. While you partake in small samples of each, our local sommelier, Marcus Pakiser, will teach you about the various types of sake and how the production process affects the flavor. This experience is great for both those new to sake and those experienced with the drink.

This panel is held at the DoubleTree hotel. Tickets for Sake Tasting must be purchased or picked up at the Programming Booth prior to the special event. Valid, government-issued photo ID is required to pick up ticket/wristband and at the door for each session.



*You're invited!*



Held at the DoubleTree by Hilton. Sessions run Friday through Sunday. Each session combines the experience of a Japanese maid cafe with the community of an American convention.

Each table is under the dedicated attention of a maid or butler, with games, food, and prizes. The maid cafe is a great place for a snack or to get away from the crowds at the OCC. Memorialize your experience with an exclusive pin and a signed polaroid from our staff.

The Maid Café offers both reservations and walk-ins (subject to seat availability). Reserve your seats early to get guaranteed access to this special event!

*Make your reservation!*

Time	Firday	Saturday	Sunday
11:00 AM		Session 3	Session 8
12:00 PM			
1:00 PM		Session 4	Session 9
2:00 PM			
3:00 PM		Session 5	
4:00 PM	Session 1		
5:00 PM		Session 6	
6:00 PM	Session 2		
7:00 PM		Session 7	



*Exclusive pin!*

## CHARITY AUCTION

For Kumoricon 2019, we are excited to feature a silent auction, followed by a live auction event. Attendees will be able to browse items and place bids at their convenience throughout the convention. All Silent Auction winners must be present at the closing of the bids on Sunday. Purchases will be able to be made after the clock runs out. Winning bidders of the Live Auction must be present during the event to pick up/pay for their item(s).

### CHARITY AUCTION BENEFICIARIES



#### The International School

For over 27 years, The International School has been educating future global citizens through their unique blend of full language immersion, dynamic academics, and warm, multicultural community. They are the only school in Portland to offer a full immersion program in Japanese language and culture.

#### The Greeney Family Fund for Japanese Track Scholarships

Help a child discover a world of possibilities! Gifts made to the Greeney Family Fund provide need-based scholarships to children entering The International School's full immersion Japanese Program. Helping to cover the near-full cost of tuition, these scholarships give children from across the city the gift of learning another language and culture, and a future full of opportunities.

#### OHSU Doernbecher Children's Hospital

OHSU Doernbecher is recognized as one of America's leading children's hospitals, providing more specialists than anywhere else in Oregon, a kid-friendly environment, and family focused care. We are honored to make OHSU Doernbecher a charity recipient for our 2019 Charity Auction.

#### Kumoricon 2019 Charity Silent Auction Hours

Friday: 11:00am-7:00pm  
Saturday: 11:00am-7:00pm  
Sunday: 10:00am-12:00pm

#### Kumoricon 2019 Charity Live Auction Hours

Live Auction will be from 2:30pm to 4:00pm on Sunday.

#### Bidding

**Place a bid** – An attendee can place a bid on an item by entering their bid and badge number on the bid sheet during the Silent Auction. All bids must be in whole dollar increments, and must not be less than the minimum bid price.

**Winning an item** – Highest bid. Winning bid payment will be done at the Live Auction or Silent Auction on Sunday.

## ART SHOW

### HOURS

Friday: 11:00am-7:00pm  
Saturday: 11:00am-7:00pm  
Sunday: 10:00am-2:00pm  
Closeout is between 2:00pm and 4:00pm on Sunday.

#### What sort of items are available at the Auction?

Contributions range from rare signed prints and keepsakes, gift certificates, or even certificates for services (subscriptions, commissions, etc.).

#### Bidding

**Place a bid** – An attendee can place a bid on an item by entering their bid and badge number on the bid sheet. All bids must be in whole dollar increments, and must not be less than the minimum bid price set by the artist.

**Winning an item** – The last bid must be completed by 2:00pm on Sunday.

"If you have any further questions, please contact [artshow@kumoricon.org](mailto:artshow@kumoricon.org) and we will be very happy to assist." "If you have any further questions, please speak with staff at the Charity control desk and we will be very happy to assist."

## FOOD DRIVE

### FOOD FOR YOUR WAIFU OR HUSBANDO

Join Kumoricon in supporting the Portland Police Bureau Sunshine Division for the "Food for your Waifu or Husbando" food wars! This year, barrels will be marked with some of your favorite anime characters. The character whose barrel is filled with the most donations will result in their English voice actor receiving an invitation to attend Kumoricon 2020 as a special Guest of Honor!



## CHARITY PHOTOBOOTH

Kumoricon will be hosting a photobooth in the KumoriMarket, where you can get your photo taken in front of a simple backdrop at no cost to you. Cosplay and photography require a lot of time, planning, and dedication, so let photographers at the Kumoricon Charity photobooth help make this experience simpler for you. The team working behind the scenes is a dedicated group of cosplayers and photographers who have been in the convention scene for more than a decade. Kumoricon is filled with so many keepsake moments, and we are happy to help you relive and treasure your Kumoricon memories.

Donations are always welcomed. All proceeds from the photobooth will be going to help those at Doernbecher Children's Hospital and to the International School.



# PROGRAMMING

## Main Events

### Opening Ceremonies

Fri 10:00am-11:00am – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Join us as we kick off our convention for 2019! Find out what's in store for the weekend.

### AMV Contest

Fri 4:00pm-6:00pm – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Kumoricon's International Anime Music Video Competition. Editors from around the world compete in different categories that are judged by the audience during the contest. Awards go to the first-place winner of each category, as well as Best in Show. Winners are announced during Closing Ceremonies.

### AMV Contest Results

Sun 4:00pm-4:30pm – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Come see the results of the Kumoricon AMV Contest—Did the one you voted for win?

### AMV After Show

Fri 6:00pm-6:30pm – **Main Events** (Hall B)

After the AMV Contest, stay and watch AMVs that didn't make it into this year's contest.

### AMV Contest Re-Run

Sun 9:00am-11:00am – **Main Events** (Hall B)

For those who missed the AMV Contest, here is another chance to watch this year's greatest entries. Voting will not be held at this showing.

### BytesAnBeats

Fri 10:30pm-2:00am – **Main Events** (Hall B)

BytesAnBeats brings together hip-hop artists and DJs inspired by anime and pop culture for a unique show like nothing Kumoricon has hosted before. Featuring: Amanda Lepre, DJ R.O.C.K.M.A.N., E-Turn, EyeQ, Lisa Vazquez, and SkyBlew.

### Cosplay Chess

Sun 11:00am-12:30pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Come see your favorite characters battle it out on a giant chessboard stage! Cosplay Chess is an event where convention attendees in cosplay serve as the pieces, and at the direction of two chess masters, will move, fight, and die on stage. The combats are not pre-scripted—anything can happen!

### Cosplay Chess Pre-Meet

Sun 9:00am-10:00am – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Meeting for Cosplay Chess participants. This is an opportunity to discuss battle techniques and work out strategies. **Mandatory for all participants.**

### Late-Night Cosplay Chess

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:30am-2:00am – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Come see your favorite characters battle it out on a giant chessboard stage while dressed in cosplay—but at night! Late Night Cosplay Chess is an event where convention attendees in cosplay serve as the pieces, and at the direction of two chess masters, will move, fight, die, and

live on stage. The combats are not pre-scripted—anything can happen after dark!

### Late-Night Cosplay Chess Pre-Meet

Sat 11:00pm-12:00am – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Meeting for LateNightCosplayChess participants. This is an opportunity to discuss battle techniques and work out strategies. **Mandatory for all participants.**

### Cosplay Contest

Sat 5:30pm-8:30pm – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Whether you prefer competing as a contestant on stage or viewing the skits and costumes from the audience, the Cosplay Competition is Kumoricon's main costume event where entrants compete for recognition and top prizes. Join in the fun yourself, or cheer on your favorite characters as they perform original skits and dazzle the audience with amazing costumes.

### Cosplay Contest Pre-Meet

Fri 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

For those who are participating in the Cosplay Contest, this is your opportunity to connect with the Cosplay Coordinators and ask any questions you may have. **Mandatory for all skit performers.** Recommended for first time contestants. Costumes are not required.

### Cosplay Contest Tech Rehearsal

Sat 8:00am-11:00am – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Technical rehearsal for all Cosplay Contest entrants. This is a quick walk-through of the Cosplay Contest to coordinate ninja assistance, adjust lighting, and test music and audio. Mandatory for all Cosplay Contest Participants. Costumes are not required at the rehearsal. **For Cosplay Contest participants only.**

### Cosplay Judging

Fri 2:00pm-10:00pm – **Workshop 2** (B117)

Costume Workmanship judging for costume entries in the Cosplay Contest. Prior to convention, entrants will be assigned a time slot for judging. Be sure to arrive at least 5-10 minutes prior to your scheduled time slot. Costumes required. **For Cosplay Contest participants only.**

### Cosplay Contest Feedback

Sun 4:00pm-5:00pm – **Workshop 1** (A105)

For those who participated in Kumoricon's 2019 Cosplay Contest. You can come pick up your judging forms from the Cosplay Contest and speak to the judges if you had questions.

### Cosplay Lingerie Fashion Show

Fri 10:00pm-12:00am – **Auditorium** (Oregon Ballroom 201)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

This show was created to make all models feel empowered, beautiful, and creative. We have asked them to feel amazing in their own skins and rock some lingerie looks that their respective characters might actually wear. This is a fun, respectful, and inspiring event, so come rock the runway with us.

## Cosplay Lip Sync Showdown

Sun 1:00pm-3:00pm – **Main Events** (Hall B)

You asked for it and we're here to deliver! Join us for the return of the Cosplay Lip Sync Showdown, where cosplayers of all fandoms get on stage and lip-sync for their lives.

## Cosplay Lip Sync Showdown Check-In/ Rehearsal

Sun 11:00am-12:30pm – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Check-in and rehearsal for Cosplay Lip Sync Showdown participants. This is the final check-in for participants and your chance to get comfortable on the stage. **Mandatory for Cosplay Lip Sync Showdown participants.**

## Ghost Neko's Purranormal Maid Café

Fri 4:00pm-7:00pm – **DoubleTree Hotel** (Alaska/Idaho)

Sat 11:00am-8:00pm – **DoubleTree Hotel** (Alaska/Idaho)

Sun 11:00am-2:00pm – **DoubleTree Hotel** (Alaska/Idaho)

**Ticket purchase required.**

Seatings are every two hours with sessions lasting one hour. Please see the Kumoricon schedule for session start times. The last seating of the day is one hour prior to the listed close times above.

We're proud to present Kumoricon's premier maid cafe—Ghost Neko's Purranormal Maid Café.

We kindly invite you to Kumoricon's premier Maid Café at the DoubleTree by Hilton, with sessions running Friday through Sunday afternoon. Each session combines a sampling of a Japanese maid cafe experience with the community of an American convention, presented as a special dining event.

Each table is under the dedicated attention of a maid or butler, with games, food, and prizes. The maid cafe is a great place for a snack or to get away from the crowds at the OCC. Memorialize your experience with an exclusive pin and a signed instant photograph from our staff. Reserve your seats early to lock in your table!

The Maid Café offers both pre-booked and on-site reservations, as well as accommodating walk-ins, subject to seat availability. Parties may be grouped together when seated.

## Japanese Field Day

Sun 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Welcome, students of Kumori Academy! It's October, and in Japan that means just one thing—it's time for a traditional school field day! Do a few stretches, tie on a colorful headband, and represent your team in wacky relay races and other wild events! Maybe this year, Senpai will notice you!!

## KumoriBall: Galactic Gala!

Sat 7:30pm-10:00pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

You are hereby cordially invited to the Galactic Gala! Star Guardians, Space Cowboys, Astronauts, and Super Sayans, get your dance shoes ready and prepare to waltz your way through an elegant evening. We hope you all will join us for a majestic time! **Attendees must follow the dress code. Staff reserve the right to deny entry to anyone inappropriately attired.**

## Kumoricon Fashion Show

Sat 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Kumoricon is excited to bring you the latest fashions inspired by and from Japan. 50%DANGEROUS, ATELIER PIERROT, amnesia&paramnesia, IBI, and NUEZZZ will be showcasing pieces from their latest lines. Presented by FakeStar USA and 50%DANGEROUS.

## KumoriProm

Fri 8:30pm-10:30pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Dance in all your finery to a more relaxed version of the ball—without the strict dress code! Bring your favorite partner, find a new one among the other dancers, or even dance with one of our hosts. Who will be crowned the KumoriProm King and Queen?

## Manga Library – Open Reading

Fri 10:00am-2:00am – **Manga Library** (G129-G130)

Sat 8:00am-2:00am – **Manga Library** (G129-G130)

Sun 8:00am-4:00pm – **Manga Library** (G129-G130)

Come sit, relax, and read your favorite manga in Kumoricon's very own manga library! It's a great place to take a break from all the con chaos!

## Pro-Bending Dodgeball Tournament

Sat 4:30pm-6:30pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

If you can dodge a wrench, you can dodge a ball! Come watch the best pro-benders compete for the championship in our 7th and final KumoriLeague Pro-Bending Dodgeball Tournament! Eight teams will enter the arena, but only one will be left standing. Cheer, scream, and find out who will reign supreme!

## Pro-Bending Dodgeball Check-In

Sat 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Ready for some adrenaline-fueled pro-bending action? If you've ever wanted to bend the elements, this year is your last chance! We'll organize the bracket and go over the rules to prepare you to enter the arena. This is a required meeting for **all** competing teams, including wait-list hopefuls!

## Pro-Bending Dodgeball Warmups

Sat 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

From the hit TV show The Legend of Korra, Kumoricon is proud to present: The 7th and final KumoriLeague Pro-Bending Dodgeball Tournament! Eight teams will enter the arena to battle for one last chance at fame and glory! Come cheer on our brave dodgeball players as they train to compete in the tournament!

## Slipping through the Clouds

Sat 10:00pm-2:00am – **Main Events** (Hall B)

Returning faves and new faces are ready to guide you through your rave. Featuring: E\*Tank, JTC, Remnant, Shimotsukei, and guest of honor TeddyLoid.

# PROGRAMMING

## The Umbrella: Late Night Lounge

Fri 8:00pm-2:00am – **DoubleTree Hotel (Oregon)**  
Sat 9:00pm-2:00am – **DoubleTree Hotel (Oregon)**

**Age 21+ only—ID required at door.**

Kumoricon is excited to announce the introduction of our premier anime bar, The Umbrella: Late Night Lounge, featuring a custom drink menu designed around our Guests of Honor as well as your well classics. Cash and credit cards are accepted. You must be age 21+ to enter, so have your ID ready!

## Exhibits Hall

Fri 11:00am-7:00pm – **KumoriMarket (Hall C)**  
Sat 11:00am-7:00pm – **KumoriMarket (Hall C)**  
Sun 10:00am-4:00pm – **KumoriMarket (Hall C)**

The KumoriMarket is proud to feature a curated collection of artists, exhibitors, and independent creators from around the world.

The Exhibits Hall portion of the KumoriMarket provides space to retailers and other dealers selling a wide range of goods at the convention.

## Artist Alley

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The Artist Alley portion of the KumoriMarket welcomes amateur and

professional artists to showcase their work and original merchandise. Artist Alley merchandise traditionally includes fan art prints, manga, models, paintings, and novelty crafts, but is limited only by your imagination.

## Small Press

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The Small Press portion of the KumoriMarket welcomes freelance artists and creators by providing space to sell their personal works at the convention. Kumoricon defines the Small Press section as independently-developed artist businesses featuring original content. This includes companies that focus on fashion apparel, tabletop games, webcomics, plushies, and much more!

## Charity Photobooth

Fri 11:00am-7:00pm – **KumoriMarket (Hall C)**  
Sat 11:00am-7:00pm – **KumoriMarket (Hall C)**  
Sun 10:00am-4:00pm – **KumoriMarket (Hall C)**

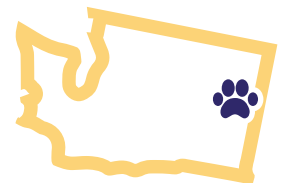
Kumoricon will be hosting a photobooth in the KumoriMarket, where you can get your photo taken in front of a simple backdrop at no cost to you. Cosplay and photography require a lot of time, planning, and dedication, so let photographers at the Kumoricon Charity photobooth help make this experience simpler for you. The team working behind the scenes is a dedicated group of cosplayers and photographers who have been in the convention scene for more than a decade. Kumoricon



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is filled with so many keepsake moments, and we are happy to help you relive and treasure your Kumoricon memories.

Donations are always welcomed. All proceeds from the photobooth will be going to help those at Doernbecher Children's Hospital and to the International School.

## Live Charity Auction

Sun 2:00pm-4:00pm – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

Every year, the Kumoricon community dedicates time, effort, goods, services, and significant funds toward bettering lives through charitable donations. Come bid on unique items brought to you by our industry friends and valued community.

## Silent Charity Auction

Fri 11:00am-7:00pm – **KumoriMarket** (*Hall C*)

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## Closing Ceremonies

Sun 4:30pm-6:00pm – **Main Events** (*Hall B*)

Join us as we wind down our amazing weekend of fun. This final event is where contest winners are announced, we replay the best moments of the year, and celebrate everything that was accomplished. Be the first to know the dates for 2020 and who our next mascot will be!

## Rant and Rave

Sun 6:00pm-7:30pm – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

Was there something you loved, or something you thought could be improved? Good feedback or bad, we want to hear your thoughts. Stop by after Closing Ceremonies to tell the staff what you thought of the con.

## Guests of Honor

### Adding Structure: Corsets, Hoop Skirts, and Beyond (Enayla Cosplay)

Sun 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Panel 1** (*A107-A109*)

Characters we cosplay often have unusual silhouettes, impossible body types, or costumes that defy gravity. This works fine in a fictional universe, but how do we take these costumes from imaginary to reality? That's where structure comes in! Learn all about boning, interfacing, corsets, bustles, hoop skirts, and much more as we discuss everything you need to recreate your favorite characters.

### Ask Brittney Anything

Sun 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Live Events 2** (*B113-B114*)

You know who Brittney Karbowski is, now come find out what her favorite flavor of pie is. Or ice cream. Or is she's more a cat or a dog person.

## Auditioning for Animation

Sat 11:00am-1:00pm – **Live Events 1** (*B115-B116*)

Want to be in cartoons?! Join actor/director Tia Ballard (Happy the Cat, Zero Two, etc.) to get your questions answered from A to Z, or cheer your fellow attendees on as they audition for parts! This panel is part instruction, part comedy act. Come join the fun!!

## Bad Games for Worse Prizes

Fri 10:30pm-12:00am – **Live Events 2** (*B113-B114*)

Back for another year! Hosted by Zaxel and Uptown, come join a panel where you can test your merit in horrible challenges all for the chance to win really bad prizes! And when we say these are bad games and even worse prizes, we really... **really** mean that.

## Bloom Into You (Luci Christian, David Wald, Brittney Karbowski)

Fri 6:30pm-8:30pm – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

Yuu has always loved shoujo manga and awaits the day she gets a love confession that sends her heart aflutter with bubbles and hearts, and yet when a junior high classmate confesses his feelings to her... she feels nothing. Disappointed and confused, Yuu enters high school still unsure how to respond. That's when Yuu sees the beautiful student council president Nanami turn down a suitor with such maturity that she's inspired to ask her for help. But when the next person to confess to Yuu is Nanami herself, has her shoujo romance finally begun?

## Borderlands: Let's Make Some Mayhem!

Sun 11:00am-12:00pm – **Live Events 1** (*B115-B116*)

Come join the Crimson Raiders and friends—Joel McDonald, Brina Palencia, Ciarán Strange, Morgan Berry, and David Wald—as they answer questions about their stay on Earth as they search for the hidden Vault here at Kumoricon in this Q&A panel.

## Branding Yourself

Fri 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Live Events 2** (*B113-B114*)

Want to take your skills and expand on them?! Make them into a career or business? Join 50%DANGEROUS and let's discuss how to market your skills and what steps you can take to turn your hobby into your own brand! Be it cosplay, artwork, fashion, singing, you name it! Let's make your skill a marketable, personal brand!

## Cosplay Fabrics (Enayla Cosplay)

Fri 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Live Events 2** (*B113-B114*)

Picking the right fabric for a project can be an overwhelming process, but it's easy with a basic knowledge of textile properties and techniques. From fabric types to matching a reference and even customizing fabric, we'll cover everything you need to know to get the perfect materials for your cosplay!

## Disney Anime Sing-Along with Caleb Hyles

Sun 11:00am-12:00pm – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

Love Disney and anime? Come sing along with fellow fans on stage your favorite tunes led by Caleb Hyles who will sing along right beside you!

## Engineering Big Costumes (Enayla Cosplay)

Sun 11:30am-12:30pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Whether you're compensating for something or just like taking up **space**, this panel is for you! With years of experience blocking hallways and barely squeezing through doors, we'll cover our full process for building larger-than-life cosplays, from planning to structuring to breaking down for transport.

## Fashion Modeling Workshop (50%DANGEROUS)

Sun 9:30am-10:30am – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

Interested in getting into modeling? Be in for runway or cosplay, come join in for a crash course in modeling. We'll go over everything from the application process, tricks of the trade, posing for still photos, and even practice our runway walks.

## Geeky Drinks and (Mostly) Geeky Ditties with Ciarán Strange

Sat 11:00pm-12:00am – **DoubleTree Hotel (Oregon)**

**Age 21+ only—ID required at door.**

Ciarán Strange humbly requests to borrow you tonight in the Anime Bar for some bizarre tour tales, singalong-worthy covers, and hilarious geeky parodies! D&D dudebros, convention horror stories, road trip blunders, #nerdproblems, and even poop (yes, we said poop). **Nothing** is off the table as the British punk and his lieutenant dork Dave share some songs and stories that will leave you snickering for weeks.

## How to Book a Gig (Joel McDonald)

Fri 5:30pm-7:00pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

Learn the tricks that are sure to get you a gig in the world of voice-overs. You can be trained and talented and still blow your big chance. Now's the time to learn how to audition, how to impress, and how to get work as a voice actor.

## An Intro to Accents and Dialects for Voice Acting (Karen Strassman)

Sun 1:00pm-2:00pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Karen has been a professional dialect coach for over 20 years and has coached hundreds of actors to do many different accents for TV, film and voiceover. In this panel she will give an introduction to learning accents and dialects, covering information about the nature of different dialects, where they come from, and the best ways to learn them. Lots of fun examples, lots of really useful information, tricks and tools.

## An Intro to Voice Acting for Anime, Video Games, and Cartoons (Karen Strassman)

Fri 11:00am-12:00pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

As it has often been said, voice acting is a lot more complex than just making a "funny voice". This panel is an introduction to the different elements in creating characters that can touch an audience, compel them, move them to tears, laughter, delightful endearment, or simply make them want to hear that voice over and over again. Karen will bring in examples of characters and typical voice-over audition copy, and members of the audience will be invited to come up to the mic and try their hand (...or their voice) at it! This panel is very informative and tons of fun.

## Intro to Voice Acting with Morgan Berry!

Sat 2:00pm-3:00pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Have you ever wondered what it takes to break in to show business? Specifically the voice acting industry? Learn from Funimation voice actress Morgan Berry and learn the "dos and don'ts" of the voice-over world!

## Kase-san and Morning Glories Screening and Discussion (David Wald, Morgan Berry)

Sat 11:00am-1:00pm – **Auditorium (Oregon Ballroom 201)**

Come attend a special viewing of the 2018 OVA, Kase-san and Morning Glories, along with Director David Wald.

## Kumoricon Presents: Starmarie LIVE! Ft Caleb Hyles and Ciarán Strange

Fri 7:30pm-10:00pm – **Main Events (Hall B)**

Come experience the inspiring, exhilarating, and energetic performances by Kumoricon Guests of Honor: STARMARIE, Caleb Hyles, and Ciarán Strange and WE ARE THE CHAOS!

## The Life of an Artist – How to Create a Life Based on Your Passions and Succeed Doing What You Love (Karen Strassman)

Sat 3:30pm-4:30pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

I feel so incredibly lucky to spend my life doing what I love. I am lucky, but living the life that I do also takes a lot of focus, care and intention. Life is short and precious. What a wonderful thing to be able to spend your life doing the things that you love... How do you make your dream a reality? What qualities are needed to live life in such a way that you are not just "dreaming", but actually taking the concrete steps to do what you yearn to do? A provocative, magical (and even potentially life-changing) heart to heart conversation...

## Meet Luci Christian Q&A

Sun 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Live Events 2 (B113-B114)**

After voice acting for 20 years and with over 300 credits under her belt, Luci Christian is here to answer your questions! Whether you're curious about a particular role or just want to know what's it like in her world, it's sure to be an hour of fun.

## PROMARE Unlocked with Studio TRIGGER

Sat 6:30pm-8:30pm – **Auditorium (Oregon Ballroom 201)**

PROMARE is the first feature film by Studio TRIGGER. Join guests of honor Shigetō Koyama and Hiromi Wakabayashi for an in-depth look at the making of PROMARE!

## Q&A Panel with Caleb Hyles

Sat 2:00pm-3:00pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

Ever wondered what got Caleb Hyles started on YouTube? Want to know what equipment he uses? Does he have a favorite waifu? Come and ask your questions at this Q&A panel with Caleb Hyles.

## Q&A with TeddyLoid

Fri 7:30pm-9:00pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

From remixing Kanye West to being a judge at the 2015 Japan Beatboxing Championships, there's a lot you probably don't know about TeddyLoid. Come and find out more about this amazing music producer!



## Raindrops on Roses: A Lolita Tea Party

Sun 11:00am-2:00pm – **DoubleTree Hotel (Oregon)**

**Ticket purchase required.**

We cordially invite you to Kumoricon's premier Lolita Tea Party at the DoubleTree by Hilton. Dress in your favorite coordinates and meet other lolitas over tea and sweets! This is a formal event and dress code will be in effect. Enjoy delicious cuisine, games, and much more with our special guests MINORI and ATELIER PIERROT designer, Yuko Ashizawa! It's going to be a truly unique dining experience!

## STARMARIE Q&A

Sat 7:00pm-8:00pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Join the members of Starmarie to find out what it's like being a Japanese Idol Group and so much more!

## The Super-Duper LGBTQ+ Panel: Allies Welcome! (Ciarán Strange, David Wald)

Sun 12:30pm-1:30pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

LGBTQ+ issues, nerd culture, and the convention scene have been likely partners for many years now. Our panel of LGBTQ- and Ally-identifying hosts will guide a thoughtful, tolerant discussion on queer characters and themes, safety and inclusion at conventions, and how we have learned to use various fan works to express and explore our own genders and sexualities. This is a great panel for Allies old and new who may have questions about certain aspects of the queer community that will help make them better Allies, as our super-duper inclusive atmosphere allows you to learn in a judgement-free space!

## The Time I Got Reincarnated as a Slime – About the Good Slime (Brittney Karbowski)

Sat 5:00pm-6:00pm – **Live Events 2 (B113-B114)**

Come play with your favorite slime. Not the type made by YouTubers.

## Transparency and the Dark Side of YouTube with Caleb Hyles

Fri 5:00pm-6:00pm – **Auditorium (Oregon Ballroom 201)**

With 10+ years uploading content to the internet, Caleb Hyles shares his thoughts on the ever-growing, video-uploading platform and some of the difficult realities of being an online influence and creator. Caleb invites you to have some honest dialogue with him about YouTube and having a social media presence. Let's chat and learn from each other!

## Turning Art into Fashion

Sun 2:00pm-3:30pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

Fashion as an art form is nothing new, and brands are constantly pushing boundaries and taking new risks with their art. J-fashion is especially known for wild silhouettes, wacky concepts, and bringing back the neon of the 1980s. Join IBI, Daisuke Ichikawa, and NUEZZZ to learn about their workflow from concept to finished product.

## UptownCloud Q&A

Sun 9:00am-11:00am – **Live Events 2 (B113-B114)**

Kick back and chill with KionCloud and Uptown Cosplay as they answer your questions! Whether you're fishing for cosplay tips, random stories, or just wondering what their favorite colors are, they've got answers!

## Voice Acting Auditions

Sat 2:30pm-4:30pm – **Live Events 2 (B113-B114)**

Getting an audition for voice acting work can be really hard, but at Kumoricon it's really easy! Come try your hand at creating a character and showing off your skill for Joel McDonald, a professional voice actor and ADR director with Funimation Entertainment. Don't let your big break pass you by.

## Voice Acting in Video Games

Sat 6:30pm-7:30pm – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

Just what goes into bringing your favorite video game characters to life? Come find out from the actors themselves! Join Luci Christian, Joel McDonald, Brina Palencia, and Ciarán Strange as they discuss the ins and outs of video game voicing.

## Women in Anime (Brittney Karbowski, Luci Christian, Brina Palencia, Morgan Berry)

Fri 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Auditorium (Oregon Ballroom 201)**

These actresses have worked hard to get where they are! Find out what it takes to make it in the geek industry. And be a woman.

## Autographs

### 50%DANGEROUS Autographs

Fri 3:30pm-5:00pm – **Autographs Line 3 (KumoriMarket)**

### Brina Palencia Autographs

Sat 11:00am-1:00pm – **Autographs Line 2 (KumoriMarket)**

Sun 2:30pm-4:30pm – **Autographs Line 2 (KumoriMarket)**

### Brittney Karbowski Autographs

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Sat 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Autographs Line 2 (KumoriMarket)**

### David Wald Autographs

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Sat 2:00pm-4:00pm – **Autographs Line 2 (KumoriMarket)**

Sun 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Autographs Line 1 (KumoriMarket)**

### Joel McDonald Autographs

Sat 11:30am-1:00pm – **Autographs Line 1 (KumoriMarket)**

Sun 1:00pm-2:30pm – **Autographs Line 4 (KumoriMarket)**

### Karen Strassman Autographs

Fri 1:30pm-3:30pm – **Autographs Line 2 (KumoriMarket)**

Sat 5:30pm-7:00pm – **Autographs Line 1 (KumoriMarket)**

Sun 3:30pm-4:30pm – **Autographs Line 3 (KumoriMarket)**



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## Luci Christian Autographs

Fri 12:30pm-2:00pm – **Autographs Line 1** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sat 3:30pm-4:30pm – **Autographs Line 4** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sun 11:00am-12:30pm – **Autographs Line 1** (*KumoriMarket*)

## MINORI Autographs

Sat 5:00pm-6:30pm – **Autographs Line 4** (*KumoriMarket*)

## Morgan Berry Autographs

Fri 6:00pm-7:00pm – **Autographs Line 1** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sat 3:30pm-5:00pm – **Autographs Line 1** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sun 12:30pm-2:00pm – **Autographs Line 2** (*KumoriMarket*)

## Staff Autograph Signing

Fri 1:30pm-2:00pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)  
Sat 12:30pm-1:00pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)  
Sun 12:30pm-1:00pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

Special staff-only autograph signing event.

## STARMARIE Autographs

Fri 10:00pm-11:00pm – **Autographs Line 1** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sun 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Autographs Line 4** (*KumoriMarket*)

## Studio TRIGGER Autographs

Fri 4:00pm-5:30pm – **Autographs Line 2** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sat 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Autographs Line 3** (*KumoriMarket*)

## TeddyLoid Autographs

Fri 5:30pm-7:00pm – **Autographs Line 3** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sun 1:30pm-3:00pm – **Autographs Line 3** (*KumoriMarket*)

## Tia Ballard Autographs

Sat 1:30pm-3:00pm – **Autographs Line 1** (*KumoriMarket*)  
Sun 11:00am-12:00pm – **Autographs Line 2** (*KumoriMarket*)

## VIP Autograph Signing – Part 1

Fri 12:00pm-1:30pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

A special autograph signing opportunity with our Guests of Honor, for VIP attendees only. Kumoricon staff may also attend, subject to time available. This session (part 1) includes the following Guests of Honor: Brina Palencia, David Wald, Joel McDonald, Morgan Berry, Tia Ballard.

## VIP Autograph Signing – Part 2

Sat 11:00am-12:30pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

This session (part 2) includes the following Guests of Honor: TeddyLoid, Ciarán Strange, Caleb Hyles, Luci Christian, Brittney Karbowski.

## VIP Autograph Signing – Part 3

Sun 11:00am-12:30pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

This session (part 3) includes the following Guests of Honor: STARMARIE, Daisuke Ichikawa, NUEZZZ, Karen Strassman, Studio TRIGGER.

## Industry

### Anime Jeopardy Discipline

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:30am-2:00am – **Live Events 2** (*B113-B114*)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Anime Jeopardy 18+ takes a sex-positive, embrace-your-kink, all-inclusive approach to the classic game show by pulling in a spank bank worth of ecchi, hentai, yuri, and yaoi trivia questions to probe the darker depths of our contestants' minds.

### Dark Horse Manga

Sat 5:00pm-6:00pm – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

Milwaukie's own Dark Horse Comics has been publishing Japanese manga, novels, and artbooks in English since 1988! Our titles include Mob Psycho 100, Berserk, Ms. Koizumi Loves Ramen Noodles, NieR: Automata, Star Blazers 2199, Danganronpa, Final Fantasy, Unofficial Hatsune Mix, Fire Emblem, Elfen Lied, Emanon, I am a Hero, At the Mountains of Madness, and Lone Wolf and Cub. Please come by our panel for a look at the past, present, and future of Dark Horse's Japanese publishing program, bring your questions, and win prizes!

### FAKKU Industry Panel and Q&A

Sat 9:00pm-10:30pm – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

FAKKU is the largest English hentai publisher in the world and now an official publisher of manga, games, and anime. Join the company as they talk about their history, current projects, and find out what FAKKU has planned next!

### Hentai Worth Reading

Fri 9:30pm-11:00pm – **Live Events 1** (*B115-B116*)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Come join FAKKU as they take you on a journey through outrageous and entertaining chapters of hentai manga. Discover new artists, laugh along to the "plot", and mingle with other like-minded perverts.

### Japanime Games: Bringing Japanese Board Games to the West

Fri 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Panel 1** (*A107-A109*)

Join tabletop game publisher Japanime Games as they give a presentation on board gaming in Japan. They will discuss their publishing process, touching on the Tokyo game market, licensing, localization, and the future of the Japanese tabletop scene and Japanime Games itself.

### Penguin Highway

Sat 1:30pm-4:30pm – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

Budding genius Aoyama is only in the 4th grade, but already lives his life like a scientist. When penguins start appearing in his sleepy suburb hundreds of miles from the sea, Aoyama vows to solve the mystery. When he finds the source of the penguins is a woman from his dentist's office, they team up for an unforgettable summer adventure! Enjoy this movie on the big screen where it should be seen, brought to you by Eleven Arts!

## Anime Music Videos

### 16 Years of Award-Winning Kumoricon AMVs

Sat 8:00am-10:30am – **Auditorium** (Oregon Ballroom 201)

Come and celebrate 16 years of incredible AMV submissions into our Kumoricon AMV Contest. Featuring videos from 2004 onwards, this showing will fill you with nostalgia and appreciation for the creators who have come and gone throughout the years.

### AMV Battle Royale!!!

Sat 12:30pm-2:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Watch how anime music videos are created as multiple video editors compete in a live contest to see who can create the best AMV within a time limit. Contestants will receive surprise bonus content to incorporate as the contest begins. We will have live commentary, games, and the opportunity to win prizes throughout the competition. Q&A is encouraged with the audience!

### AMV Gameshow

Sat 8:00pm-9:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

A game show built around AMVs returns for more competitive action. Yes, we have prizes and the chance to become the AMV 2019 Gameshow Champion!

### AMVs That Ruined the Song (in a good way...)

Sat 11:00pm-12:00am – **Panel 5** (B110)

The title says it all... You won't be able to listen to these songs the same way again!

### Children of Daicon

Fri 10:30am-11:30am – **Panel 3** (C123)

You might not recognize the name "Daicon", but you'll definitely recognize its descendants: Gainax and Studio TRIGGER, two companies whose roots actually trace back to what can arguably be considered one of the very first AMVs ever made. Join us for a fun bit of history as we showcase a medley of AMVs made to Gainax and Studio TRIGGER titles from yesteryear to today!

### Comedy and Parody AMVs

Fri 10:30pm-11:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

The most popular AMV block is back. Get your seat earlier as this block fills up fast!

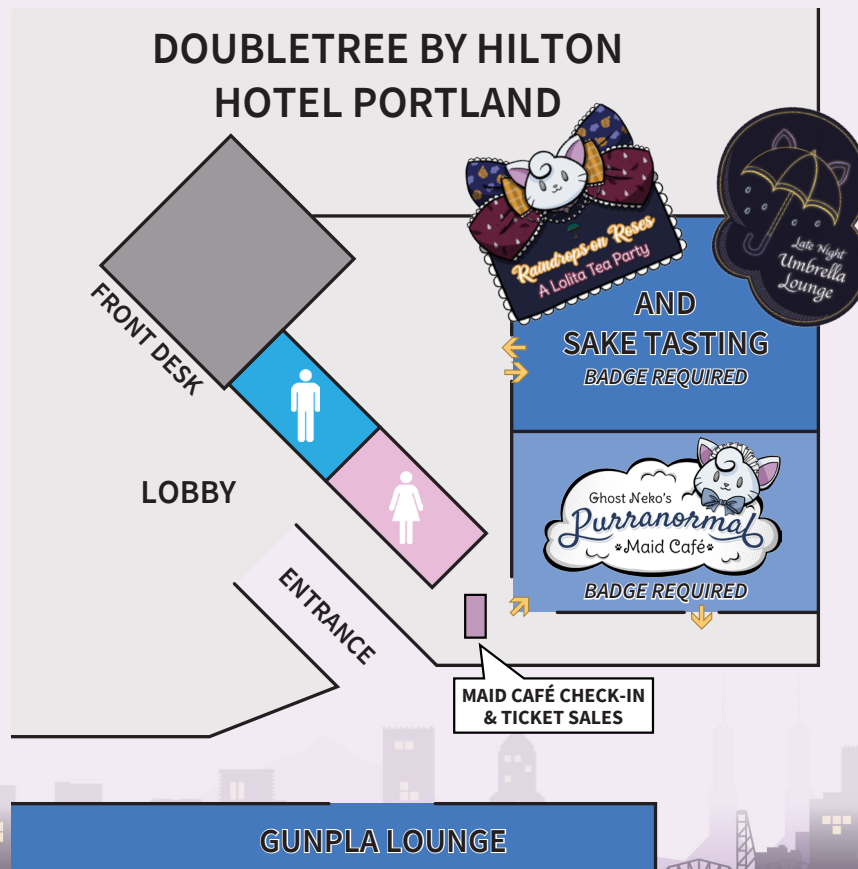
### Pixel-Perfect GMVs

Fri 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

It's like Rock Band, but less expensive... and your friend won't pick "Eye of the Tiger" for the 50th time. These Game Music Videos are sure to set you on a nostalgic journey through some of gaming's greatest titles.

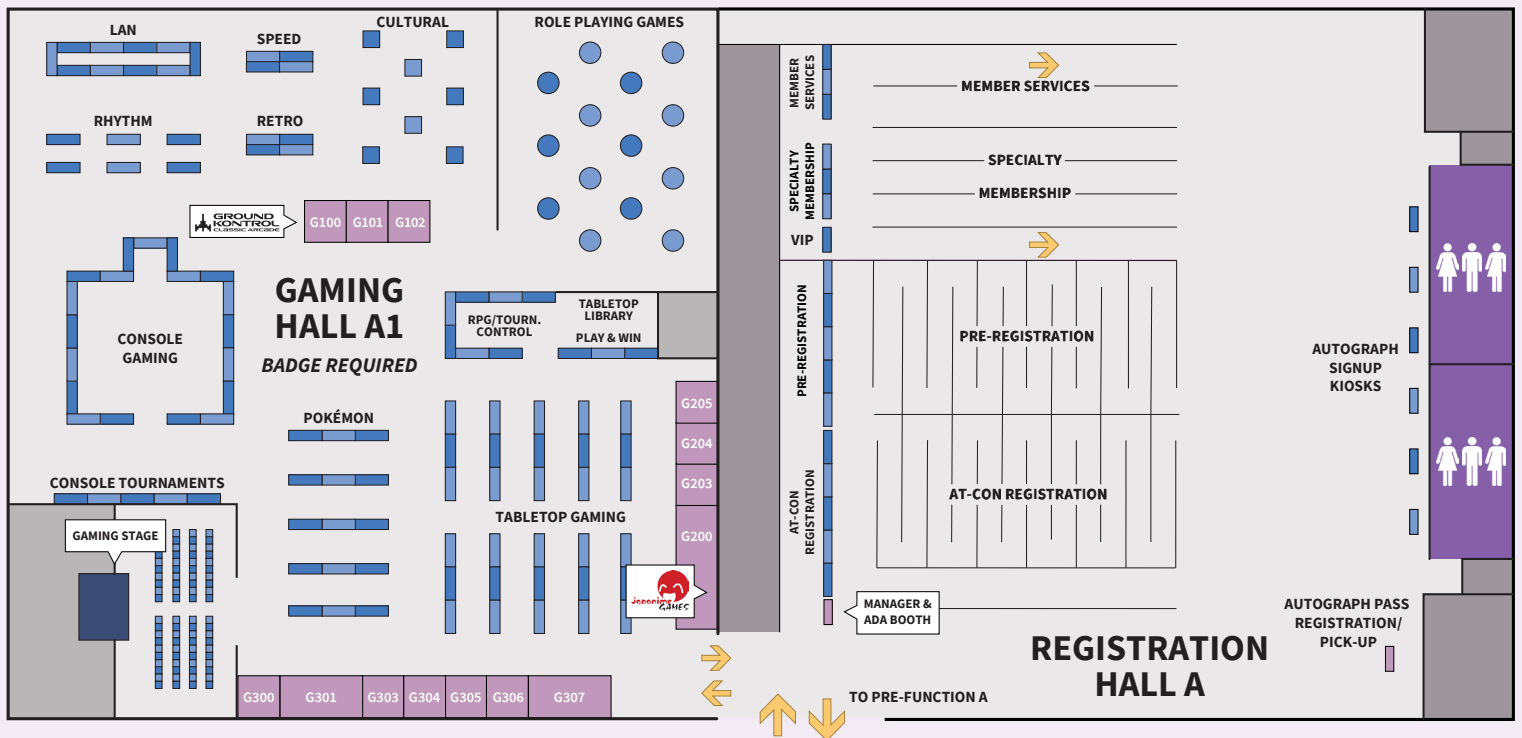
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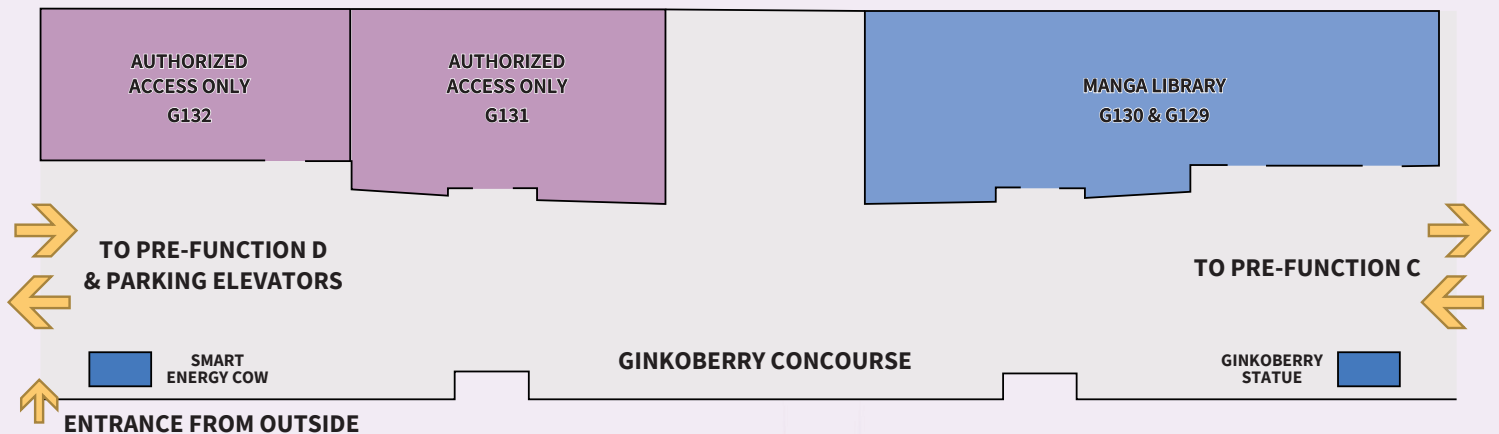




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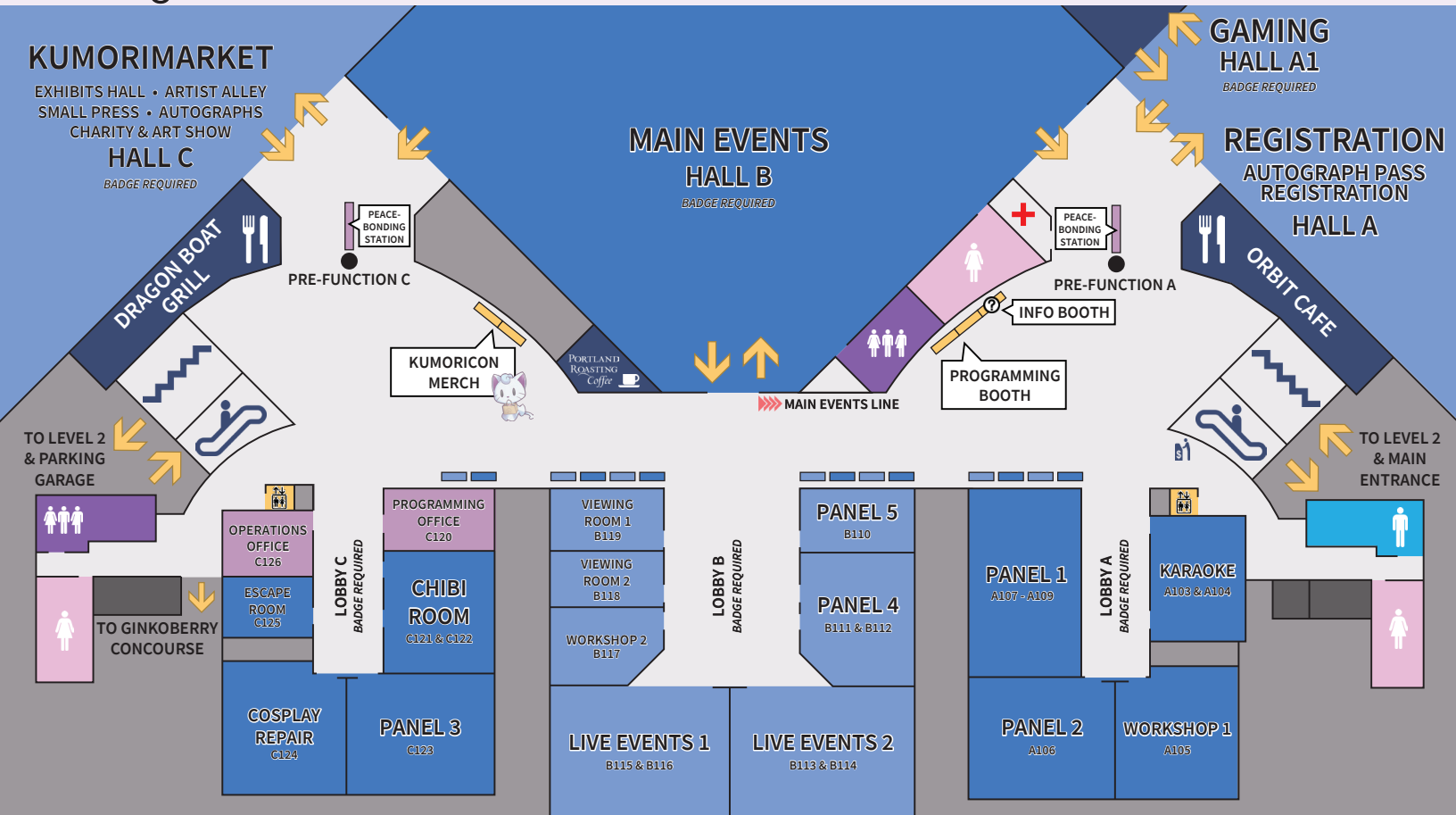
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# KUMORIMARKET MAP



**CAT EARS BOOTH**

**KUMORIMARKET CONTROL BOOTH**

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**SMALL PRESS**

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**CHARITY & ART SHOW**

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**ARTIST ALLEY**





# KUMORIMARKET KEY

## Exhibitors

824	KumoriMarket Staff Control Booth	211	C&L Anime	110	JK2 Hawaii LLC	407	Signing Booth 1
302	168 Dragon Trading	411	Collectors Universe and Anime	226	JPUSA Enterprises LLC	506	Signing Booth 2
115	Akiba Doujin Unlimited	127	Colorworld	526	KINOKUNIYA - BEAVERTON	327	Sorbet Jungle LLC
202	Anime Palace	100	cosplaymooomoo	126	Kiru-co Kimono	107	Stardreamer Studios
321	Anime Palace	212	Creators Guild	821	Kumori Cat Ears	622	STL Ocarina
620	Anime Pavilion	111	Darkmoon Faire	811	LunaCatz	G304	Tempest VR
114	Anime Pop	815	Delish Beads	626	Miss Haley's Handbags of Holding	311	The Green Wolf
227	Anime world	222	digital discs	427	Necropolis Tattoo	410	Toy Mandala
807	Animebooks.com	503	Discotek Media	121	New Anime	303	ToysLogic
609	ARSENICxCYANIDE	426	Dragonsong Forge	123	Noms Designs	124	Trash Panda Sews
307	BISHIEBOX	415	EpicCosplay Wigs	223	ohmonah	106	Triple Click Photo
213	Bishounen Boutique	221	Everett Comics	422	Portland Kpop Co.	214	Twinbells Doujinshi & Gifts
622	Bling Up, Inc.	G301	Evoloot Marketplace	G305	Portland Retro Gaming Expo	421	Uwajimaya Inc.
313	C&L Anime	403	FakeStar	804	Purple Plum Inc	323	Valorous Games
403	FakeStar	603	FAKKU	315	SaberForge	810	Whitefox Hats
105	AT&T	527	Fanciful Gift, Pandahat.com	203	Sean's Anime and Other Things	G307	Wild Bill's Olde Fashioned Soda Co.
204	Bibisama	813	Gambits Cards & Hobbies	228	Senpai Squad	507	XP-Pen
307	BISHIEBOX	G100	Ground Kontrol	313	Senpais.jp	511	Yes Anime
210	Bishounen Boutique	G204	Guardian Games	103	Shark Robot		
628	BottiVingelo	521	Hobbyfan.com	322	Siamurai Apparel		
		G200	Japanime Games				

## Artists

G6	Adulture	C8	dreadwyr trance	K5	Loverofscythe	L7	Rockin' Robin
F1	Akaminyan	G8	dunesand	J1	LucidSky	L6	rtil
J5	AKIRAKIRAI Studios	D4	Elefluff	L10	Magister	J2	salmonella_fish
L9	Alex Ahad o_8	I1	fi	K8	Mangoassassin	I4	Sarah Stone
C6	aneworldxtine	A1	frankincensed	A6	Mamobot	A5	Savvy Jensen Art
A8	Angelic Forest	E2	Gibslythe	B10A	MASQUERASE/ Masquerade	D9	Shad Andrews
H4	Art of Chris Metzner	K1	GLITCHBAT	E10	MayteDraws	A3	Shavostars
L1	aSinglePolygon	F8	glitteratigalaxy	I8	Megan Starr	D5	shouaart
E8	Babirousa	B8	Grandma Thunderpants	E3	Melora Mylin	D3	Solosii
C2	Batsoupe	J9	Hahanoodle	B2	Micknagerie	J7B	Spicytunaa
H7	beef eye round	F4	Helen Mask Illustration	F9	Mindy Soung	G7	Squidyjen
G1	BeefxCake	K3	Hexapus Ink	J6	Mint Tea Menagerie	H9	Starlight Deco Dream
C7	Birdzilla Studios	F3	HEYOUWITHEFACE	K4	Mintandapple	I10	STAY☆SOCKY
F7	Blulious	D6	Hien	J3	Misu	H1	StudioLG
K2	Brownrabbits	E6	Hiro Illustration	D2	Moon Kitty Productions	E1	Suni
I6	Cat Gang	K10	HoneyPro	J4	Noble Demons	G3	TAXIKUN
K9	CherryCheezy	F6	Inchells	B4	Non Dairy Confectionery	B6	The Geekpothecary
A7	Chim Arts	C4	IRONPINKY.	L8	Odd Monster	A10	The Gorgonist Illustration
D8	CHIOU!	H6	itsMengo	C10	OfSkySociety	C9	Timeskip Studio
B9	Chiroyo	I3	Jeannie Lee / Junosama	B10B	Oyakoro	L3	Tinymintywolf
E7	Clammy Heart	K7	Jessica Yeung	G10	PeckNOrder	H3	Toastydoodles!
L5	Claudia Law	F10	JimboBox	C3	Pitchgold	H8	toripng
F5	Corpse Cutie	C1	JustMishy	I9	PixiCraft	H2	Tsuchronicl
B1	Crocheted By Rikki	D7	Kaailash	D1	Planet Bunnie	G4	VOX
B3	Crow Party	J8	Kai Texel	H10	PopMuertos	H5	XEECEE
G5	Cypritree	E5	kg table	K6	puppySHAKER!	B5	Xhilyn
L2	Dark Magic Press	E4	Kiiyame	J7A	R.TRIGGER	B7	Yen Pen
D10	Deckitout	J10	KOHI & ANDIE	L4	Riadoodles	E9	YuganShen
I5	DerpTyme	C5	Kyupls		Rimon Illustration and Octodruid Illustration	I2	Zetallis
A2	Digitoonie	A9	Le Tea Leaf			F2	Zombie Makeout Club
A4B	DrawKill	A4A	Lolimoog				

## Small Press

SP2	2 Bros and a Bard	SP3	Coey and Shy	SP19	Little Engine Art	SP12	Reinelaren
SP10	Becky Barnes Art	SP20	DarkChibiShadow	SP8	Modest Medusa and the Magical Land of Yeld	SP7	Sekai Art
SP14	chu nap	SP1	JenJenRose	SP17	N & N	SP9	Sweet Mildred
SP5	Cirque de Fantomes	SP4	Jessica H. Voice	SP13	Puvithel	SP11	The Art of Lori Collins
SP6	CJ Joughin	SP18	Kateles Mermaid Leather	SP15	Reckless Conventions	SP16	Ty Hulse



## Studio Ghibli AMVs: Part 2

Sun 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

Journey once again into the mind of Studio Ghibli with brand new videos. Experience the magic and adventure of what makes Ghibli so awesome.

## Cosplay

### Commissioning 101

Fri 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Want to be a cosplay or art commissioner? Want to know what a contract is and how to protect yourself as a client/commissioner? Want to know the tricks of finding good commissioners or lots of clients? These questions (and more!) will be answered, and every attendee gets a take-home info packet!

### Cosplay and Lingerie

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:30am-1:30am – **Auditorium** (Oregon Ballroom 201)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Cosplay and Lingerie is a lingerie creation and discussion panel focusing on turning characters into lingerie designs. We will discuss design adaptation, materials, photography, display, empowerment, and culture.

### Cosplay Lingerie Check-In/Rehearsal

Fri 8:30pm-9:30pm – **Auditorium** (Oregon Ballroom 201)

Check-in and rehearsal for Cosplay Lingerie Fashion Show.

### Cosplay Price Is Right

Fri 5:00pm-6:30pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Come on down! Welcome to The Price Is Right, Cosplay Edition! Watch or participate for a chance to win prizes as you test your cosplay shopping knowledge or just guessing skills with bids and mini games based on a variety of cosplay crafting related items.

### Cosplay Sewing 101

Fri 11:30am-12:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Do you want to sew your own cosplays? Then this is the panel for you. Come join local cosplayers as they teach you how to get started with sewing your own costumes. We will discuss sewing equipment, patterning, fabric choice, finishing and costume comfort.

### The Cosplay Survival Guide

Fri 12:30pm-1:30pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

So you think you can cosplay? Good news—you're right! Raiphin Cosplay brings 17 years of experience and exploits ready to take on anything you've ever wanted to know about about the cosplay experience. There's more to the story than hot glue and hope! ...but definitely have both on hand, just in case.

### Cosplay to Dye For

Fri 6:00pm-7:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Finding the right fabric in the perfect color can be impossible! On top of that, sometimes you need a special design that simply doesn't exist. In this panel, The Mystic Artisan will share her years of experience to demystify the complexities of dyeing on both synthetic and natural fabrics.

## Cosplay Tools 101

Sun 11:30am-12:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

A great tool belt is the start to a great project! But what all do you need to build your cosplays? Minty Poison Cosplay and Mishi Chan Cosplay are here to help! Joining them as they discuss the successful cosplayers tool kit. This won't be your mom's sewing basket.

## Creative and Cost-Effective Cosplay Prop Solutions

Sat 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Don't have \$100s to shell out on Black Widow's batons or Wastelander armor? Don't despair! We'll show you a variety of ways to get props together without breaking the bank in the process.

## Creepy Pasta Cosplay Panel

Sun 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

Just a little fun with your favorite Creepypasta characters! Join us for some party games and a spooky time!

## Fantastic Foam Fabrication

Sat 1:00pm-2:00pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Have you ever looked at an awesome armored cosplay and wondered "How'd they do that?" In this panel, experienced cosplayers and builders will answer those questions!

## From Closet to Con: The Cosplay Community of TikTok

Fri 4:00pm-5:00pm – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

Do you get those between-con blues? Antsy for your next photo shoot? Or have you always wanted to cosplay but hesitated because you didn't know what to do with it? Come talk about cosplay culture on the video app TikTok and learn some tips and tricks on getting started and making quality videos!

## Genderbends, Crossplays and Mash-Ups, Oh My!

Sat 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Ever wanted to cosplay a character of the opposite gender or switch a character's gender? Are you interested in creating an original design? How about a mash-up of your favorite characters from different universes? If so, then this is the panel for you!

## Greener Cosplay

Fri 6:30pm-7:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Cosplay can be a lot of fun, but it can also be incredibly wasteful. Many of the most commonly used materials in this crafty hobby have a very negative impact on our environment! Learn about the problems, alternatives, ways that you can cut down on your waste, and cosplay in more sustainable ways.

## Intro to Competitive Cosplay

Fri 11:30am-12:30pm – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

Join members of IFP and special guest Minty Poison Cosplay as they talk about their experiences, supplying tips, tricks, and useful information to get you ready for the Cosplay Contest! Bring your questions for them to answer!



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## Lolita on a Budget 2: Electric Boogaloo

Fri 5:00pm-6:00pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Are you concerned about maintaining a budget, but also want to look absolutely stunning at the same time? Well fear not! Lolita on a Budget is back, and better than ever, updated with new fresh new shop list and price tiers. Come on down, and save some money with us!

### Make it Comfortable

Fri 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

In this panel we go over how to adjust cosplays to make them more comfortable. Everyone has a different body type and have different comfort levels. We'll help with ideas and how to make sure you're comfortable in those cosplay you've been wanting to wear.

### Making a Good Costume GREAT – Selecting the Right Fabrics

Sat 10:00am-11:00am – **Panel 2** (A106)

What's the difference between chiffon, organdy, and organza? Wool gabardine or polyester? Does it matter? A crash course on fibers, weaves, and fabric types, what they're most suitable for, and when it's okay to buy the cheap stuff—presented by the author of fabricforcosplayers.com

### Making a Good Costume GREAT – Foundation Garments

Sun 1:00pm-2:00pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Corsets, hoops, dance belts—these are all foundation garments and they really matter in costuming. Advice on selecting and making foundations and visual examples of the **huge** difference they can make to a costume. Also discussed: linings and interlinings.

### Plus Size Lolita 102: Return of the Boobloaf

Sat 4:30pm-6:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

You got lampshading? You got boob loaf? Don't know what either of those mean? Come on down to Plus Size 102, a body-positive panel aimed at those a US size 12 or higher, and learn. We'll be giving tips on the plus-size market, identifying and suiting different body builds, dress cuts, and more!

### The Practical Art of Sewing

Sat 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Are you frustrated by how hard it is to make your sewing look crisp and clean? Do you want to know how to take your sewing from “meh” to “great”? This panel, for both experienced and new sewers, will give you the tools you need to express your love in cosplay for your favorite characters.

### Raiphin's Super Awesome Posing Panel

Fri 2:00pm-3:00pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

A posing panel dedicated to the lighter side of cosplay photography! A sprinkling of advice and a ton of games aimed at getting you comfortable in front of a camera and being in (or out) of character. You will have pictures taken of you! You may take pictures of others! Be excited—and be prepared!

## Sew You Want to Cosplay: The Beginner's Guide to Cosplaying

Fri 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Are you a new cosplayer, amateur cosplayer, or perhaps wondering what the heck cosplay is? Well, you've come to the right place! We will cover the cosplay basics and what to expect while cosplaying at conventions! This panel is perfect for parents, kids, amateur cosplayers, and cosplay enthusiasts.

## Understanding Race, Gender, and Body Type in Cosplay

Fri 3:30pm-4:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Have you ever felt like you couldn't cosplay some of your favorite characters because of the physical limitations that the community has placed on you? Are you confused as to what is and is not okay to cosplay? Come join a conversation about positive body image and cosplay sensitivity.

## World Class Cosplay: International Cosplay Competitions

Sat 11:00am-12:00pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Have you ever wanted to know more about international cosplay competitions like World Cosplay Summit, and what makes them different from your average cosplay contest? Come check out this intro to international competitions and Q&A with someone who has first-hand experience with several of them!

## Karaoke

### Karaoke Contest Auditions

Fri 6:00pm-8:00pm – **Karaoke** (A103-A104)

Interested in being a part of the Kumoricon Idol and Karaoke Cosplay Hybrid? Come try out, or even get a sneak peek at just who might be performing at the Hybrid!

### Kumoricon Idol/Cosplay Karaoke Hybrid Contest

Sat 9:00pm-10:30pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

See cosplay and karaoke collide once again at Kumoricon's Cosplay Hybrid contest. Contestants will put on skits, perform artistic acts, and go for audience appeal, all the while performing songs to complement their performance. MCed by Caleb Hyles.

### Open Mic

Fri 10:00am-6:00pm – **Karaoke** (A103-A104)

Fri 8:00pm-2:00am – **Karaoke** (A103-A104)

Sat 8:00am-2:00am – **Karaoke** (A103-A104)

Sun 8:00am-4:00pm – **Karaoke** (A103-A104)

Come sing your heart out, or have a seat and relax. Last, but not most of all, enjoy the music!

## Dance Lessons

### Ballroom Dance Lessons

All of our instructors are skilled dancers with years of experience. From ballroom competitions to social dance clubs to the professional classroom, our staff aim to help you feel comfortable and confident on the dance floor. Please feel free to come to us with any questions you may have, and we will assist you to the best of our ability. Thank you for your enthusiastic support!

### Dance Lesson – American Tango

Fri 6:00pm-7:00pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)  
Sat 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Coliseum** (*Oregon Ballroom 203/204*)

Developed out of the first styles of Tango from North America and Europe, American Tango is a simplified version of Argentine Tango that is danced by everyone from beginners to world champion competitors. American Tango uses sharper movements than its Argentinian sibling, and is known for its characteristic head snaps.

### Dance Lesson – Salsa

Fri 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)  
Sat 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

Is it a Colombian dance? Is it a Cuban dance? Well, there are a plethora of adherents to both and both enjoy a popular following throughout the United States. We are proud to announce that... we're only teaching the LA style. Ok, so there's some (or a lot) of room we won't cover, but that shouldn't stop you from learning what is probably the most famous and popular social dance in the US. If you want to learn how to shake your hips at any outing, you have to learn salsa.

### Dance Lesson – Single Time Swing

Fri 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Coliseum** (*Oregon Ballroom 203/204*)  
Sat 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

The modern adaptation of the iconic Lindy Hop, the Single Time, or East Coast Swing is the star-child to inherit the swing genre in the modern age. True to its stylistic roots, it enjoys a huge following, danced all over the states for the aficionados of suspenders, polka dots, and big band jazz. If your look is so out of style that it's totally in style, don't miss the Single Time Swing.

### Dance Lesson – Slow Waltz

Fri 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Coliseum** (*Oregon Ballroom 203/204*)  
Sat 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

Originally known as the Boston Waltz, having taken form on our east coast, the slow waltz as it is now called is perhaps the most widely practiced International Standard dance. Usually serving as both the greenhorn's first foray into the genre as well as being the perfect intro into the more iconic Viennese version (the word version perhaps being unfit here as it is the originator of "waltzing"). This is a must-learn if one wants to master the International Standard styles.

### Dance Lesson – Viennese Waltz

Fri 2:30pm-4:00pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)  
Sat 10:00am-11:30am – **Coliseum** (*Oregon Ballroom 203/204*)

If you're thinking about dancing hand-to-hand under ornate chandeliers with hoop skirts twisting and turning while seamlessly transitioning from partner to partner, you're thinking about the Minuet, not the Viennese Waltz. Although it eventually rose its way to prominence among high social circles, the Waltz, with its emphasis on rotation and improvisational nature, required relatively little training

to execute and scandalously exposed the bare ankles of the women participating. Despite the prevalence of lewdly exposed ankles, we will continue forward with teaching you the elegant and timeless Viennese Waltz.

### Japanese Bon Odori (folk dancing)

Sat 6:00pm-8:00pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

Bon odori is folk dancing that is done at the Obon festival in the Buddhist temples. We will do dances from Japan as well as dances created in America. These are circle dances to bring the community together so they are simple to do and fun! All dances will be taught.

### K-Pop Mix

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:30am-2:00am – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

Are you a fan of K-pop? Love the groups and their dancing? Then come join us for our mix of teaching and half an hour of straight medley dancing so everyone can show off their moves!

### Learn K-Pop Beginner Level

Fri 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Coliseum** (*Oregon Ballroom 203/204*)

Are you a fan of K-pop and have always wanted to learn how to dance to your favorite songs but don't really have a lot of experience dancing? No problem! Come join us and we'll teach you!

### Learn K-Pop Intermediate Level

Fri 10:00pm-11:30pm – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

Are you a fan of K-pop and have a love for dancing? Come join us at our panel for our intermediate selection of songs! The choreography may be a bit challenging to get down, but we'll have fun being with one another and doing what we enjoy!

### Learn K-Pop Advanced Level Panel

Sat 11:00pm-12:00am – **Arena** (*Oregon Ballroom 202*)

Are you a fan of K-pop and have a love for dancing? Come join us at our panel for our advanced selection of songs! The choreography may be a bit challenging to get down, but we'll have fun being with one another and doing what we enjoy!

## General Programming

### Abridging with JChippers and BridgeBrains

Sat 2:00pm-3:00pm – **Workshop 1** (A105)

Learn what goes into making anime parodies on the Internet! Come catch clips of abridged series, get to know local abridger JChippers and his abridging group BridgeBrains, and participate in a Q&A!

### Adventures in Fan Translation

Sat 6:00pm-7:00pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Has this ever happened to you: there's a series you love, but most of the content isn't available in English! We've been there! In this panel we'll show you tips and tricks to take charge of translating your favorite Japanese series. We might even help you translate something afterwards!



# PROGRAMMING

## All Might's American Dream Plan: Diet and Exercise for You!

Sat 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Panel 3 (C123)**

Get ready to get in shape! This panel was designed to help find the perfect American dream plan of your own! Advice on dieting and exercising to improve your health and life. Learn about the dos and don'ts of the anime workouts seen in some of your favorite shows.

## American Anime: The Ultimate Oxymoron

Sun 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Panel 3 (C123)**

“Western anime” has long been considered an impossibility—anime is Japanese, so how can Western nations lay claim to it? But in the contemporary world, these lines blur more and more. This panel explores the mechanical and cultural definition of Japanese anime, and tackles three different lines of thinking: products inspired by anime aesthetics; culturally sensitive and respectful storytelling; and the outright adaptation style found in series like Avatar, Teen Titans GO!, Neo Yokio, and the recent live-action Death Note.

## Amtgard LARPing Exhibition

Fri 7:30pm-9:30pm – **Arena (Oregon Ballroom 202)**

Amtgard is a live-action role-play, taking place in parks all over the world. Take to the battlefield as 1 of 10 classes ranging from Archer to Wizard. With a thriving community and massive “Kingdom Level Events” at regular intervals, come join us and add to the fun. More info at Amtgard.com

## Anime Family Feud

Sat 11:30pm-1:00am – **Panel 3 (C123)**

Know your anime and video game knowledge? Test your knowledge against a survey of 100 people and see if you can correctly guess popular answers. Prizes will be awarded to audience members and participants.

## Anime Guess That Tune Part 3: Return of the Tunes

Fri 8:30pm-10:30pm – **Panel 2 (A106)**

Returning for our third year in a row! Ready to test your anime tunes knowledge? Come and prove it! We'll have a brand new selection of songs, some great new prizes that can be won, and the same old great time you can expect.

## Anime Influence – Popular Culture and Global Creativity

Fri 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Auditorium (Oregon Ballroom 201)**

Anime is changing America. Global fans of Japanese popular culture are transforming education and communication. Knowledge of anime is useful in a range of jobs. Anime has inspired American architecture, entertainment, sports, fashions, food, and other aspects of daily life. Anime has shaped Japan's international image and created an explosion of cultural influence and hybrid creativity. We will explore how anime became so influential and what the globalization of anime says about the relationship between Japan and the United States.

## Anime Jeopardy Contestant Selection

Sat 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

Wanna compete on Kumoricon's #1 anime-themed game show? Take our 10-minute quiz for a chance to win a spot competing in Anime Jeopardy! All participants will be entered to win prizes, and the very best will compete to demonstrate their anime trivia knowledge.

## Anime Jeopardy XII

Sat 10:30pm-12:00am – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

On its 12th year of con syndication, this Kumoricon classic features trivia pulled from popular anime, manga, pop culture, and video games. What is Anime Jeopardy? (Attend “Contestant Selection” for a chance to play and win prizes.) Prizes for participants and the audience!

## Anime Offensive Show

Sat 11:00pm-12:00am – **Live Events 2 (B113-B114)**

Wanna poke fun at the anime fanbase? Do you have some hot take anime related opinions that you want to be heard? Do you like laughing at other people's antics within the anime community? Do you also want us to show you some examples of why Japan is the best **and** craziest country in the world? Then come to the Anime Offensive Show! We'll take a deep dive at some of the most outrageous anime related stories that'll make you question whether you joined the right fandom or not.

## Anime OST (original soundtrack)

Sun 10:30am-11:30am – **Panel 5 (B110)**

A discussion on what makes an anime soundtrack the best. Also what top favorite songs/soundtracks in anime. Also a trivia game on music/anime facts.

## Anime Song Parodies

Fri 6:30pm-7:30pm – **Panel 5 (B110)**

Wild about Weird Al? Crazy about Doctor Demento? Get the rundown on fandom song parodies (or “filks”) at this musically hilarious panel! Watch a performance by Kumoricon's own FilkAeris, perform your own work at the open mic, then join in as we write a brand new filk, right here at the con!

## Anime that Scarred Me for Life

Sat 8:30pm-10:00pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Come to share stories of psychological horror seared into your soul by anime. Be in a room full of people who know what you've been through because they've been there too. You'll laugh (hopefully), you'll cry (hopefully from laughing), and you might even make a list of shows to go home and watch.

## Apocalypse in Anime

Sat 9:00am-10:00am – **Live Events 2 (B113-B114)**

From rogue technology to supernatural threats, societal collapse to peasant uprising, fears of destruction had allowed Japan to embrace the end of its own world with aplomb. This panel explores how Japan approaches fatalism and destruction through media and games, highlighting how it might all come to pass, or possibly survive.

## “Are YOU Worthy?” with Captain America

Fri 4:00pm-5:00pm – **Live Events 1** (B115-B116)

Ever asked... “Am I worthy?” Well the answer’s yes! Course you are! Stop doubting yourself! But sometimes magical space hammers need extra convincing. Care to prove you’re worthy of Thor’s Hammer in a series of competitions? Or spectate as Captain America puts contestants to the test?

## Aum Shinrikyo and You: An Introduction to the Japanese Cult

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:30am-1:30am – **Panel 5** (B110)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Aum Shinrikyo was a Japanese doomsday cult that committed one of the most infamous acts of Japanese domestic terrorism in 1995. From yoga classes, to sci-fi magazines, nuclear weapons, to drinking bathwater—we’ll learn about the cult, its legacy and impact, and how it still persists today.

## Ball-Jointed Dolls: An Introduction to the Hobby

Sat 4:30pm-6:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

Are you interested in ball-jointed dolls (or BJDs), but not really sure what they are, where to get them, or what to do with them once you have them? In this panel, we will go over all the information a beginner needs to get started in the BJD hobby.

## Battle of the Fandoms

Fri 4:30pm-6:30pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

An exciting, tournament-like panel comes to Kumoricon! 6 fandom-themed teams battle head-to-head in an intense series of mini games til one stands victorious! Panel is audience participation so come, cheer, maybe fight! Win a prize and bring your beloved fandoms to victory!

## BotW Adventures with Zelda

Sat 10:30pm-12:00am – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

Come and join Princess Zelda on her quest to find fun. There will be games, prizes, and laughs all around. Try your hand at cooking, storytelling, and evading enemy attacks while on this adventure.

## By the Numbers: A Course on Japanese Math Rock

Sat 9:00pm-10:00pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Take a deep dive into the origins and evolution of Japanese math rock! In this interactive panel, we will take a look at the origins of math rock in Japan, its departure and evolution from other forms of J-rock, and rising artists within the genre.

# Bring Your Drawings To Life With An Artist 15.6 Pro Pen Display!



Visit our Booth in the Exhibit Hall!

Try out our newest lineup of XP-PEN Pen Displays and Pen Tablets.

Check out our live drawing sessions on **How to Draw Manga, Characters and Creatures** at Kumoricon!

At each **How to Draw** panel one XP-PEN Pen Tablet will be given away to a lucky attendee as well as other Prizes.

**Saturday, 3:30 – 4:30 (Workshop 1)**

How to Draw Manga with XP-Pen and Anthony Holden.

**Sunday, 12:00 – 1:00 (Workshop 1)**

How to Draw Monsters Digitally with XP-Pen and Chris Tran.





# PROGRAMMING

## Changing Sex in Manga and Anime

Sun 1:00pm-2:00pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Why do boys become girls in manga and anime? Why are space aliens behind so many of these changes? And why did all this start in the late 1990s? Hear from panelists with decades of experience as “tojisha” and learn how manga and anime reflect Japanese society’s changing views on changing sex.

## Chillin’ Like Villians Slumber Party Edition

Fri 11:30pm-1:00am – **Panel 2** (A106)

Have you ever noticed that sleepover parties with heroes are soo boring? Come be chaotic with your favorite crazy people! Bring your pajamas and your evil attitude for some games and Q&A!

## Convention Etiquette 101

Fri 7:30pm-8:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Is this your first time at an anime convention? Or maybe you’re just curious as to how to appreciate your favorite anime while having fun? Stop on by to learn about convention etiquette so everyone can have a safe, fun con!

## Critical Role Fan Panel

Fri 8:30pm-10:00pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

Has it already been 2 years since campaign 1 ended and over 4 years since the very beginning? Come join other fans and reminisce about the past and look forward to the future of this game that’s consumed our lives!

## The Crystal Clods

Sat 12:30pm-2:00pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

Now that the Earth is safe from Homeworld, the Crystal Gems have decided to take a much-needed break, and you’re invited for the fun! Join us for fun, games, and prizes! (But be prepared for spoilers!)

## Danganronpa V2

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:30am-2:00am – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Welcome to Danganronpa V2 18+! We left monokuma behind so we can have a bit more fun than usual, so join us with our various games and Q&As!

## A Day in the Host Club

Sat 3:30pm-5:00pm – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

Greetings my lovely princesses! The Host Club would like to invite you to the Third Music Room to spend a day with Tamari Cosplay and friends! We will play games, answer questions, and even perform for you! Sound like fun? Well then, the Ouran Host Club will be waiting for you. We’ll see you then!

## Dipper and Mabel’s (belated) Halloween Party!

Sun 9:00am-10:30am – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

It’s November and all the Halloween candy has been eaten, but we have a little bit left saved just for you! Last year we had a blast playing audience-inclusive games, doing Q&A, and giving away prizes, so we’re back to do it all again! Join in on the fun and be prepared to laugh!

## Dive into the Endless Abyss! An Intro to Mobile Gacha Gaming

Fri 12:30pm-1:30pm – **Workshop 2** (B117)

Oh Gacha Games, why do you break my heart so? Wait, what? You don’t know what I’m talking about? Well my friend, we need to change that! After all, we’re at an anime convention! Dive headfirst with us into the endless abyss of mobile anime characters and side stories that are Mobile Gacha Games!

## Dungeons and Decisions: 100 Players; 1 Character

Sat 7:00pm-8:30pm – **Workshop 1** (A105)

Gather round as we continue the tale of Ehverie Bahdy, a feeble knight who goes on a great quest. Join us on a choose-your-own-adventure game of Dungeons & Dragons where everyone in the audience plays a part in the decisions made by our single character. This time MORE PROPS!

## Enter the Stage!! a Hypnosis Mic Fan Panel

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:00am-1:30am – **Panel 2** (A106)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Straight from the streets of Ikebukuro, Yokohama, Shibuya, and Shinjuku, the cast of Hypnosis Mic has come to meet and greet fans and answer questions. Improv skits, rap battles, and general shenanigans will ensue.

## Family Feud: Dekusquad vs. Bakusquad!

Fri 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

UA students square off in the ultimate arena: Family Feud. Watch as they compete to guess the most popular responses to survey questions. Who will win the glory? Who will throw a tantrum if they aren’t given a fair fight? Who will come up with the worst euphemisms? Hosted by Aizawa and Open Mic!

## Fight Like a Girl: Importance and Impact of Magical Girls

Sat 9:00am-10:00am – **Panel 3** (C123)

How exactly are Magical Girls different than other lady heroes? And what makes a Magical Girl powerful? We’ll discuss all that and more. Learn how there’s power in pink frills and how strength can be found in sparkles and friendship.

## Fire Emblem: Meet the Heroes (Q&A)

Sat 9:30am-10:30am – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Got a burning question for your favorite Fire Emblem Hero? Come on by for some Q&A, games, and shipping fun. Shipping wars not allowed.

## For The Team!!

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:30am-2:00am – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Are you a sports anime fan? Do you enjoy team-building, gameplay that breaks the laws of physics, and gratuitous manservice? Come join your favorite athletes from various sports series for some fun interactive games and Q&A, and a chance to win prizes!

## From Out of This World! The Realm of Isekai Anime

Fri 8:00pm-9:00pm – **Panel 5 (B110)**

Who doesn't need an escape from this world sometimes? But doing so would be so hard. Fortunately, Isekai anime does this for us, usually to its ultimate logical conclusion. So join our panel where we dive into all aspects of Isekai and ask the hard question: Is there such a thing as too much Isekai?

## Fruits Basket Party

Sat 4:00pm-6:00pm – **Panel 2 (A106)**

Come hang out with Tohru and the Sohma family as we tell stories, play pin the tail on the cat, card matching game, and other fun activities to build up friendships and mend old wounds.

## Garfle Warfle Snick with Voltron

Fri 5:30pm-7:30pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

The Team of Voltron will be answering some of your questions about how it was like to save the universe from the Galra and anything and everything! Come join us, there will be games and prizes involved.

## Gender Expression in Cosplay and Anime

Fri 11:30pm-1:30am – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Join us in an 18+, open discussion on how cosplayers express their gender and creativity through cosplay. Discuss how anime has influenced gender expression, and LGBTQ+ inclusivity in anime. Non-cosplayers welcome.

## GM Gameplan: Running the Game and You!

Sat 8:30pm-10:30pm – **Panel 5 (B110)**

Dungeons & Dragons, Critical Role, Shadowrun, FATE, other buzzwords. You've heard these all before, you've rolled the dice, and now you want to run your own. Other places will give you a list of things to run by, that "these things make you a good GM!" but we seek nothing short of mastery.

## Goddesses and Totoros

Sun 10:00am-11:00am – **Panel 2 (A106)**

Miyazaki was fond of saying he liked to build his worlds before his stories, and it shows. They have this mysterious and sacred aspects that often define them, and their characters. This panel explores some of the ways in which Mononoke to mystery can be depicted and transformed through his works and how he loves to intersect Shinto lore with Celtic elements. Because how he creates them is an interesting blend of folklore and pop thought, among so many other things.

## Great Geek Video Game Trivia

Fri 10:00pm-11:30pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

Come test your video game knowledge with you and a team of 5! Prizes for the top 3 teams!

## Guess That Scout (Attack on Titan)

Sun 9:30am-11:00am – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Join the Attack on Titan scouts in playing a creative interactive game, and a small Q&A!

## Guess That Stand! A Fun-Filled Bizarre Adventure!

Sat 10:00pm-11:30pm – **Panel 2 (A106)**

Come join us with a round of Guess That Stand! and absolutely ridiculous trivia, featuring the Jos and Bros we all love. Prizes for the winners and a quacky consolation for missed guesses!

## Happy Hyper Kawaii Music Time – Kumoricon 2019

Sun 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Panel 5 (B110)**

Do you love anime-related music with vocals that just ooze kawaii? Of course you do! So come and join the Happy Hyper Kawaii Music Time panel and check out some of the best kawaii music from 2019! We'll cover a wide range of music including anime, Vocaloid, denpa, rhythm game music, and more.

## Haunting Tales in the Dark

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:00am-2:00am – **Panel 4 (B111-B112)**

Bring your blankets and a pillow, maybe even a friend to hold tightly! Snuggle in for a cozy evening of ghouly tales that will haunt you through the night, sending shivers down your spine. Join Zaxel as he reads a selection of grim stories that will leave you wishing the lights were left on!

## Here Be Futas: A Comic Survey

Sat 11:00pm-12:00am – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Presented by 2D Market and hosted by the only person who's read more porn than you, an underfunded anthropological survey of The Futanari. Join us for an evening of ding-dongs and delight. Of packages and prizes.\* Phalli and... phollies? You'll SPLART! (With laughter!) \*packages 2D, prizes actual

## Hero's Test by Cloudy Shenanigans

Fri 10:00am-12:30am (past midnight) – **Escape Room (C125)**

Sat 10:00am-12:30am (past midnight) – **Escape Room (C125)**

Sun 10:00am-4:30pm – **Escape Room (C125)**

Not all heroics need a quirk. U.A. High School is conducting a special exam for citizens and students alike to test their mettle. You have 30 minutes to piece together the hidden clues in the room to deactivate the villain's trap. 4-10 people per session. Go to the Programming Booth to sign up for a session.

## The History of Ads and Promos for Legend of Zelda

Sat 11:30am-12:30pm – **Panel 2 (A106)**

In this panel we will go over the fascinating and sometimes tumultuous history of brand tie-ins, promotions, collabs, and advertising that has been used to promote the Legend of Zelda series over the years. We will cover TV commercials, breakfast cereals, CD-i games, and more!

## The History of Japanese Superheroes

Sat 11:00am-12:00pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Before there was All-Might and One-Punch Man, there was Anpanman and the Science Ninja Gatchaman! Learn about the trailblazers that paved the way and set the stage for today's beloved heroes!



## PROGRAMMING

### How to Improv(e) your Improv

Fri 12:30pm-1:30pm – **Live Events 1** (B115-B116)

Being in cosplay means bringing the character to life, and being able to act like them is a bonus too! This panel will spend time with the basics of improv, followed by plenty of improv games for all to join! This way everyone will be loose and ready to take on any character!

### Idol Dance Workshop

Fri 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Have you always wanted to be an idol? Me too! Together we will get one step closer as we learn a fun dance! Be sure to arrive on time so we can choose what dance to learn. Come prepared with water and be ready to shine! Let's do our best!

### Iron Cosplay

Sun 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

In this fast-paced game show panel, teams of four must create and model a cosplay from dollar store materials in mere minutes! Can they incorporate the Secret Ingredient? Can they win the audience's applause? Prizes await! The timer is ticking! The heat is on! Allez... COSPLAY!

### Jojo's Bizarre Panel: Vento Aureo Edition

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:00am-1:30am – **Panel 3** (C123)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Join the gang-stars in a Passione-filled night featuring fun games, Q&As, and opportunities to win prizes from your favorite Buccellati squad member!

### Kendo Demonstration

Sun 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

An introduction to the art of kendo and its history and influence in Japan. The members of the Obukan Kendo Club will demonstrate basic form and technique as well as going over terminology often used during the demonstration.

### Late Night Official Ghost Neko Kigu Party!

Fri 11:00pm-12:30am – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Join the members of the Cosplay Coven for an evening of fun and games while all in the comfort of your kigurumis! Make new friends and great memories playing games with fellow attendees. There will be team race-to-wins, ice-breakers, and games with anime twists. Kigus and PJs are not required, just highly encouraged.

### Learn to Play Ocarina!

Fri 1:00pm-3:00pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Come on in for a musical experience and learn to play the instrument popularized by the Legend of Zelda games! Participation is encouraged, but not required. Ocarinas will be available to purchase for \$5 and come with free learning booklets. Bring your own (4-12 hole) ocarina if you have one.



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## Let's Play Horror Games

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:30am-1:30am – **Panel 5** (B110)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

You like horror/thriller games. You like watching people play them? You like watching people jump from how scared they are? Do you wanna help play the game but not actually take control? Well, come and join!

## MAD Anime

Sat 6:30pm-8:30pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

When different fandoms meet, what happens? I'll tell you what happens: Things go MAD. Join us in a hilariously entertaining panel where characters from different shows meet for the first time and go head to head.

## Maid Cafe Culture

Sat 10:30am-11:30am – **Panel 3** (C123)

Returning for a second year, your pretty-in-pink maids are back to teach all the masters and princesses about maid cafes. Our maids will go over topics such as the concept of maid cafes, the portrayal of maid cafes in anime, maid cafes in the USA, and more. Let us see your "moe" smile and join us!

## Meet a Summon

Sat 9:30am-10:30am – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

Come meet your favorite summons from the Fate series. Ask questions and play games.

## Meiji Era Bustle Gowns

Sun 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

As part of a royal edict to modernize, women of the Imperial Court recut their kimonos into bustle gowns during the 1870s and 80s. Many examples, extant and in art, still remain to charm and inspire this unique fashion mash-up.

## A Miraculous Mystery!

Fri 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Workshop 1** (A105)

To show appreciation of North American fans, the Agrestes are throwing a Meet and Greet and inviting their friends along! Unfortunately, someone's been akumatized, but we don't know who. Without the help of Ladybug and Cat Noir, it's up to you to help save the day and stop the evil Hawkmoth!

## Mystic Messenger After Dark

Sat (Fri after midnight) 1:00am-2:00am – **Panel 2** (A106)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

The Mystic Messenger boys are still here and now we have no filter ;) Come and visit to see all your shipping dreams come to life. Join our after dark party for a great time with lots of laughs.

## A Mystic Mystery

Sat 4:30pm-5:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

You are cordially invited to the R.F.A. party. We hope it to be a meaningful event, able to keep your mind at work with our planned events and entertainment via our exceptional members. We request the pleasure of your company and hope you grace the occasion with your presence.

## NEW JAPAN PRO WRESTLING! The Evolving Saga

Fri 10:00pm-11:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Grab your strap as we slow-burn our way through the story of professional wrestling in Japan. From the the life and times of Kenny Omega, to Captain New Japan himself, and all the way up to newest Muta Scale macho men in the business! Come on down and witness the cream of the crop in this panel!

## Noboru Sugimura: From Lupin III to Super Sentai and Beyond

Sat 8:30pm-9:30pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Noboru Sugimura has had an extensive career in his short lifespan, working on Lupin III, Super Sentai, and several video games. Let's celebrate his genius with a look at his work through discussion and a series of video clips that made this man infamous even after death.

## Oh My Gacha! Kumoricon's Gacha Games Support Group

Sat 6:30pm-7:30pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Did you hit the gacha lottery? Or waste all your savings for nothing? Or are you somewhere in between? No matter your story, come join Kumoricon's Mobile Gacha Games Support Group for another go-around as we discuss more of our gacha triumphs and disasters and maybe leave with some extra luck!

## Otaku 25+

Sun 2:30pm-3:30pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Here's a chance for us older anime fans to get together and swap fun stories, beloved fandoms, and the otaku-life from the past. (Don't worry: you don't have to be 25 or older to attend.)

## Otaku History

Fri 8:00pm-9:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

Did you hear about the time Luke Skywalker called upon the LAPD? How about that time a psychic tried to sue Nintendo because they featured spoons in a game? Neither have we! Come join our panel of Weeaboo Historians as we go through absurd yet memorable moments in Otaku History!

## Panelist Meeting

Fri 10:30am-11:00am – **Panel 5** (B110)

Running a panel this year at Kumoricon? Come to this meeting to learn more about running panels during the convention, as well as to ask any questions you may have. If you have any last-minute tech needs or just want to confirm what you requested, this is also the place to get it taken care of.

## Parent's Guide to Anme

Fri 11:00am-12:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

This is a panel for all those selfless parents and guardians who come every year, yet don't know much about anime. We will help you understand the rating systems, where to get anime for your kids, how to supervise what they're watching, and best of all, answer your questions. Find out what is so great about anime to begin with and how you can be a part of your child's world.



# PROGRAMMING

## Play Quidditch!

Sat 9:00am-10:30am – **Arena** (Oregon Ballroom 202)

A mix of basketball, soccer, dodge ball, capture the flag, and more; quidditch is a fast-paced, co-ed, sport born from Harry Potter but carried on by athletes. Come learn how to play!

You can also find us on Facebook as “Portland Quidditch Club”.

## Pokémon In Context: Spirits, Mythology, and Monsters

Fri 3:30pm-4:30pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Come learn about the Japanese cultural, religious, and mythological ideas surrounding the designs of your favorite Pokémon! It’s not always easy to localize certain ideas, myths, and puns that are specific to Japanese culture. At this panel we will take a dive into all of these and more.

## Rainbow Releases: LGBTQ Anime and Manga of 2019

Sat 6:30pm-8:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

It’s a good year to be LGBTQ and a fan of anime and manga. More and more manga by LGBTQ authors (Akiko Morishima, Yuhki Kamatani, etc.) are coming to the US officially, as well as other LGBTQ-themed anime and manga (Sarazanmai, Kase-san and Morning Glories, etc.). LGBTQ or ally, don’t miss them!

## Random K-Pop Dance Panel

Fri 6:00pm-8:00pm – **Coliseum** (Oregon Ballroom 203/204)

Come on in and dance your hearts out to a wide variety of K-pop hits! Mingle with other K-pop fans and share your passion!

## The Re;surrection of Code Geass

Sat 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

Lelouch of the Re;surrection, the hit alternate universe sequel film, is only the first entry in the next ten-year plan for Code Geass. What does the past TV series hold for newcomers, what do future installments have in store for longtime fans, and why are you buying clothes at the soup store?

## Return of the Avatar Bending School

Sat 8:30pm-10:30pm – **Arena** (Oregon Ballroom 202)

Raava calls upon you to join Zuko, Katara, Aang, Toph, Korra, Mako, Bolin, and more in the spirit world for a special gathering! Now you can learn how to bend your favorite elements and be taught about the styles of each nation! Join Mustang Fire Cosplay once again. Element class... is in session.

## Return to Sword Art Online 2019

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:00am-1:00am – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Akihiko Kayaba invites you to interview for his relaunch of Sword Art Online, after an unnamed “hero” stole GM credentials and broke the servers after getting a sword in the gut. The exalted game master, after obtaining some fairies, gunmen, and integrity knights, requires a new team for SAO.

## The Road to Becoming a Magical Girl

Sat 5:30pm-6:30pm – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

So we hear a lot about magical girls, but how does one actually define them? Joseph Campbell wrote extensively on the hero. But he left out the heroine. While her journey mimics his, it has its own markers and transformations, and her outcome is hers alone. This panel explores the different types of magical girls and how their stories are timeless.

## Sailor Moon: Crisis on Three Dark Kingdoms

Fri 7:00pm-8:00pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

Sailor Moon’s Dark Kingdom arc has had a couple of adaptations over the years. In this panel, I will be comparing and contrasting the original 90s anime, Crystal, and the live action series from 2003 through both discussion and a series of video clips.

## Sake Tasting

Sat 3:30pm-5:00pm – **DoubleTree Hotel** (Oregon)

Sat 5:00pm-6:30pm – **DoubleTree Hotel** (Oregon)

Sat 6:30pm-8:00pm – **DoubleTree Hotel** (Oregon)

**Age 21+ only—ID required at door.**

**Ticket purchase required.**

Sake is fermented rice wine that serves an important role in Japanese culture and history. The popularity of sake has supported the growth of breweries all over the world. Join us on a guided tour of various traditional Japanese sake as well as American sake. While you partake in small samples of each, our local sommelier, Marcus Pakiser, will teach you about the various types of sake and how the production process affects the flavor. This experience is great for both those new to sake and those experienced with the drink. **This panel is held at the DoubleTree hotel. Tickets for Sake Tasting must be purchased or picked up at the Programming Booth prior to the special event. Tickets are in the form of wristbands and must be worn, untampered, to the tasting. Valid, government-issued photo ID is required to pick up ticket/wristband and at the door for each session. Ticket fee: \$15.**

## Selling Yourself

Sun 9:00am-10:00am – **Panel 5** (B110)

Unless you have an agent, or are just really lucky, you need to put yourself out there if you want to get noticed. Be you an artist, a writer, or any other kind of creator, the initial impetus is on you. That said, other people have learned some of the hard lessons, so learn from them.

## Seriously? There’s Even More Anime for That?

Sun 1:00pm-2:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

You asked, so you’ll receive! Wait, was that weird to say? Whatever, who cares! This panel is back after another year of weird anime! So come join the fun learning about even more series that made us double-take and go “What?” And be prepared for some zany antics we’ve saved for this time around!

## She-Ra, for the Honor of Game-Skull

Sat 6:30pm-8:00pm – **Panel 2** (A106)

Come and play games with some of your favorite She-Ra characters. Trivia, Q&A, and more!

## Shibari—Japanese Rope Bondage Art

Sat 11:00pm-12:00am – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

Introduce yourself to the art and practice of shibari, an ancient Japanese artistic style of rope bondage. Learn about the origins of this art form and the aesthetics of tying rope on a human body to create intricate patterns and shapes and foster intimate connection between partners. This panel is informational, but parents are strongly cautioned to consider the material.

## Shibari—Japanese Rope Bondage Art Performance

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:00am-1:30am – **Auditorium** (*Oregon Ballroom 201*)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Shibari practitioners and performers strive to create beautiful imagery by combining intricate and beautiful knot work with the natural curves and contortions of the human body. Witness a demonstration of this erotic and spiritual art form, and learn about the process involved in bringing shibari to life.

## Shinto for Otaku

Sun 11:30am-12:30pm – **Panel 2** (*A106*)

A Weeb's Guide to Respecting the Kami: There's a lot to think about. Plenty of panels have gone over the history of Shinto in Japan, both in terms of ritual practice and cultural context. But as an anime fan, sometimes it's the little things that we see over and over again. This panel covers exactly that—the kami you never heard of that pop up in media, the festivals that are alluded to in flavor text, the signs and symbols that might pass you by, but carry within them significance nonetheless.

## The Shy Con-Goer's Guide to Con

Fri 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Panel 5** (*B110*)

First time at con? Want to make friends but still find it hard to break out of your shell? Or just want a place to sit? Come hang out with us as we discuss what to expect and ways to improve your con experience.

## A Sleepover for Heroes!!

Fri 10:00pm-11:00pm – **Panel 1** (*A107-A109*)

Tired after a long day of con? Join your favorite heroes-in-training for a night of fun games, silly shenanigans, and epic PJs.

## Slightly Anime Dating Game

Sat 8:00pm-10:00pm – **Live Events 1** (*B115-B116*)

Slightly Anime is back at Kumo with our kilts and our take on the 70s dating game show. Our game has cosplayers, loaded questions, and some of the strangest match-ups ever. Don't worry, the dates aren't real... just like The Line.

## So You Think You Want To Be A Hero? – Social Anxiety?

Sun 11:00am-12:30pm – **Panel 4** (*B111-B112*)

Join the students and teachers of the popular school UA, while they are in detention, to talk about having social anxiety when it comes to being a hero cosplayer. So that you too can become a hero! There will be improv games, a discussion about social anxiety, and a Q&A! PLUS ULTRA

## So You Want to Run a Panel?

Sat 9:00am-10:00am – **Workshop 2** (*B117*)

A panel on running panels! Info about panels, for panelists, by panelists! The panel will be hosted by staff who are experienced panelists to help answer any questions and provide basic information ranging from submitting your application to enthralling your audience.

## So... which Yakuza games should I play?

Sat 7:30pm-8:30pm – **Panel 4** (*B111-B112*)

Yakuza 0? Yakuza Kiwami? Yakuza Dead Souls? Which game do I start with? Do I have to play them all, and in what order? Who's the eyepatch guy? Which is the one about kin drama? The answers to these questions and more are in this no-spoilers panel for folks wanting to get into the Yakuza series.

## Stage Performance Tips and Tricks

Sun 10:00am-11:00am – **Panel 3** (*C123*)

Whether you're just looking for tips on getting started performing or you've already lost count of your appearances on stage, join the veteran performers of The Muffin Society to brush up on techniques in choreography, lipsyncing, improvising and other stage-related endeavors.

## Study Abroad in Japan: History, Culture, and Advice

Sat 9:30am-10:30am – **Live Events 1** (*B115-B116*)

Join Alisa Freedman, Associate Professor of Japanese Literature and Film at University of Oregon, as she explores the value of studying abroad and offers advice for people of all ages who want to learn language and culture in Japan. We will discuss important ways that exchange students from the United States and Japan have shaped the development of both countries, while learning about themselves. Study abroad is a life-changing experience that has altered the course of world history. This panel is based on my research on Japanese women who studied abroad in the United States between 1949 and 1966 and on my experience leading exchange programs in Japan.

## Successful Failures: Game-Changing Popular Culture Mistakes

Fri 7:00pm-8:00pm – **Panel 2** (*A106*)

We examine notable mistakes, missteps, misunderstandings, and mistranslations that have led to great successes and have forever changed manga, anime, and other popular culture, along with their fandoms. In addition to learning about popular culture, we will discuss how inspiration truly comes from unlikely places.

## Surviving the Shopping Frenzy: Vendor Hall 101s

Fri 11:00am-12:00pm – **Panel 2** (*A106*)

Who doesn't love the magic of merch? And where better to get some than at a vendor hall of a con? But wait! Before spending all your hard-earned money, there are certain things to consider to get exclusive items or nifty deals. In this panel, we'll cover some topics to become a well-informed buyer.



# PROGRAMMING

## Swap Meet

Sun 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Arena** (Oregon Ballroom 202)

Bring your manga, anime, figures, and grab bag cast-offs to the swap meet! Make some new friends and go home with cool new swag. All for free! Please no money exchange.

## Taiko Drumming Exhibition

Sun 12:30pm-1:30pm – **Auditorium** (Oregon Ballroom 201)

Taiko drummers will showcase their skills and explain their drums and the significance of their performances.

## Taiko Drumming Workshop

Sun 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Arena** (Oregon Ballroom 202)

Taiko drummers will perform/demonstrate their skills and teach some of the basic concepts that make a great taiko drummer. Select attendees may get the opportunity to practice on a real taiko drum!

## That's A Refreshing Anime! 2019's Best Palette Cleansers

Sat 10:00pm-11:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Need a break from that way too intense anime? Did too many break-ups happen or characters die? Are you just full of nope right now? Well then, we've got what you need! A palette cleanser! Come and check out some of this year's most refreshing and easy to watch anime when you just need a break.

## Threads of Time, a History of Conventions and Cosplay

Fri 9:00pm-10:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Pop quiz! When was the first cosplay? How did cosplayers get reference images in the 70s? Why is it called a Masquerade? How did this whole thing even start? Pencils down! Want to know the answers? Join us for a hilarious good time as we take you back through the history of cosplay and conventions.

## Too Many Fridges: Women in Comics

Sat 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

Whether you're a new fan from movies and television shows or a lifetime fan from comics themselves, it's hard to miss the treatment of women in comics. Come listen to the dissection of tropes and characters that make up the media we love—but that we wish was a little better.

## Total Dangan Island!

Fri 2:00pm-3:30pm – **Live Events 1** (B115-B116)

Join the cast of Super Danganronpa 2 as they offer you horrible advice and accuse each other of murder! If you liked last year's Panel Happy Havoc, get ready for even more exciting mini games, ridiculous interactions, and a thrilling murder mystery!

## UA Declassified – A BNHA Panel

Sat 10:30am-12:00pm – **Live Events 2** (B113-B114)

The physical training to become a pro hero is rigorous, but what about our mental training? Join us as we participate in improv games and Q&A to hone our pro hero skills. Let's Go Beyond!

## Very Real Anime Facts 101

Fri 8:00pm-9:30pm – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

Have you ever attended classes and thought, "I sure wish this was about very real and not made up anime facts?" Fear not, for this course taught by world renowned Professor Zach Marsh of Anime Science will give you the primer needed to pursue your education in anime.

## Waifu Arena Showdown

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:30am-1:30am – **Workshop 2** (B117)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Asuka vs. Rei. Seibaa vs. Rin. Sebastian vs. ?. Since anime existed our waifus and husbandos have been battling it out to be the best. No more. Battle for your husbando or waifu against the fools who know not. 18+ for language, adult material and language.

## What Makes an Anime Villain?

Sat 10:30pm-11:30pm – **Panel 4** (B111-B112)

You love villains? If so, we have what you are looking for. In this panel we look at the common tropes of villains and highlight the characters that best suit them.

## The Wonderful World of CLAMP

Fri 1:00pm-2:00pm – **Panel 1** (A107-A109)

Come discuss the world of CLAMP and why we love it. CLAMP is an all-female Japanese manga artist group that created beloved works such as Magic Knight Rayearth, Cardcaptor Sakura, Chobits, xxxHolic, Gate 7, and many more!

## Yanki Girls, Sukeban and Schoolgirl Gangs: A Celebration

Sat 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

Move over magical girls! With sailor-style school uniforms and weapons like yo-yos, Japan's delinquent girls are a genre all their own. From the streets of Japan to movies, manga, and anime, Yanki girls deal with the world on their own terms!

## The Yaoi Panel!!

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:30am-2:00am – **Live Events 1** (B115-B116)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

We're back at it again with the boys and the stuff and the \*wink wonk\*! The Yaoi Panel is here to fulfill your need for some action! Join us for games, jokes, and everyone's favorite part—the live readings.

## Yokai Nation

Fri 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Auditorium** (Oregon Ballroom 201)

Japan has one of the most developed monster cultures of any country. Yokai Nation attempts to trace how the Japanese fascination with ghosts, goblins and other creepy denizens of the world have been born out of Japanese cultural ideas, and how they in turn have influenced Japanese culture and history, all the while serving as ambassadors to the world. Drawing examples from literary works, Japanese cinema, anime, manga and video games, this panel will take a closer look at some of the popular monsters, trace their histories and contexts, and look how yokai have been used as cinematic devices, cautionary tales, cultural ambassadors to the West, and representations of Japanese fears and hopes.



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# PROGRAMMING

## You Can Become a Hero!

Sat 5:00pm-6:00pm – **Live Events 1** (B115-B116)

Grab your hero costume and power up your Quirk, because we're diving deep into the anime and manga of My Hero Academia! What is it about this super-powered world that pulls us in? There's a little "hero" in us all... and to bring it out, we'll need to go beyond! PLUS ULTRA!!!

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Sun 10:00am-12:30pm, 1:30pm-4:00pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

The Chibi Room is a place for exploring the natural cultural curiosity of children and teens through simple arts and crafts. A wonderful variety is offered from manga-style artwork to Japanese woodblock painting. The Chibi Room will help nurture the ever-growing creative bonds through these simple arts and crafts. Come join in the fun and enjoy taking your creations home! Please remember that children ages 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

### Beginners Origami

Sun 1:45pm-2:45pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

We have a fairly good-sized selection of items that we will be going over and learning how to fold. We also have lots of fun designed paper to choose from.

### Cherry Blossom Tree

Sun 10:00am-11:00am – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Come and make your own cherry blossom tree to chase away the winter blues!

### Coloring

Fri 11:30am-12:30pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Sun 2:45pm-4:00pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

During these periods we will have manga-style artwork, and open tabletop drawing for your creative imaginations to color.

### Japanese Style Fans

Sat 11:15am-12:30pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Create your own Japanese-style fans. There will be two styles to choose from, created with fantastic designed paper, and an option for hanging beads to give your fan a special touch.

### Koi Fish Kites

Sat 3:30pm-5:30pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Make a colorful koi fish kite to hang and let it gracefully fly in the wind.

### Lanterns

Sat 10:00am-11:15am – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Create wonderful lanterns with beautiful, specially designed paper.

### Promise Bracelets

Fri 2:00pm-3:15pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

A Japanese bracelet is a symbol of good luck. Make one for yourself, or give it to a friend or loved one.

## Sea Dragon Wind Spinners

Sat 2:00pm-3:00pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Craft a sea dragon wind spinner and watch as it swirls in the wind for you!

## Soot Sprites

Fri 3:15pm-5:30pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Make your own soot sprite from the movie Spirited Away to take home.

## Teru Teru Bozu

Sun 11:15am-12:15pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

How do you stop the rain in Japan? Make your own teru teru bozu doll and bring the sunshine!

## Writing/Art

### Art Show

Fri 11:00am-7:00pm – **KumoriMarket** (Hall C)

Sat 11:00am-7:00pm – **KumoriMarket** (Hall C)

Sun 10:00am-2:00pm – **KumoriMarket** (Hall C)

Showcasing a variety of artists' works, walk through and bid on unique art pieces!

**Notice:** No cameras of any sort are allowed in the Art Show, except for supervised press or staff. If you are found taking video or photos of artwork, you will be asked to leave.

### Artist Meetup

Fri 10:30pm-11:30pm – **Workshop 2** (B117)

Do you art? Wanna meet other people that do the art too? Whether art is a newfound hobby or your longtime profession, all are welcome. Come make some new friends and meet other cool artists!

### Character Building

Sat 9:00am-10:00am – **Panel 5** (B110)

Those beings that often drive your stories and games, the characters. How does one write/build a character so that it is believable and enjoyable? From the hero to the villain, the most beloved characters are those we can relate to. But what makes a character relatable?

### Character Design Challenge

Sat 5:00pm-6:30pm – **Workshop 1** (A105)

Come join us for a fun creative challenge! We bring supplies, and give you prompts to design characters with! Bases and blank paper will be provided! Prizes will be given out each round!

### Communicating Between Writers and Artists

Sat 10:30am-11:30am – **Panel 5** (B110)

If your creative work has art and you aren't an artist/writer, you are going to need a partner. Learn some communication tools that will allow you to better communicate as a writer/artist to the other type so that your creation will match your vision without you wanting to slam your face into a wall.

## Elements of Good Storytelling

Sat 7:30pm-9:00pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

Writing is an Art and knowing the difference between 1st and 3rd person, or why pacing matters can elevate your art from “back button” to “Holy cow, Bob, you have GOT to read this story!”

## Fan Art Contest Awards and Feedback

Sun 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

Meetup with fellow artists who have submitted to the Fan Art Contest. Get critiques from the judges, and get tips and tricks from fellow artists! Open to those who entered and are interested in entering.

## Fan Fiction Bedtime Stories

Fri 9:30pm-11:30pm – **Panel 5 (B110)**

Tired from a long day of Kumoricon fun? Grab a pillow, and join us for a cozy evening of casual open-mic storytelling! Bring your own work (or any favorite fanfic) and take a turn reading out loud, or just relax and listen. All writers are welcome... just keep it PG-13 and always warn for spoilers!

## Fan Fiction Contest Results

Sun 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

Meet up with fellow authors who have submitted to the Fan Fiction Contest. Get critiques from the judges, and get tips and tricks from fellow authors! Open to those who entered and are interested in entering.

## Fanfic from a Hat

Sat 1:30pm-2:30pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

A fun game where we give you random story elements and characters, you write up your favorite scene from this “anime” or “manga”. The audience will decide on the title.

## Five Minute Fics

Sat 5:00pm-7:00pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

Write, Read, Win! Come join the fun! You will be given random prompts and five minutes to come up with a scene or very short story. Stunt readers are available upon request. Audience helps judge, so even if you don't write, come and listen!

## Gotta Go Fast Art Challenge: Gotta Go Faster!

Sat 9:00pm-10:30pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

We're back, and so are you! Are you a passionate and skilled artist? Irrelevant! Compete for the title of Fastest Draw in the West in a series of quick doodle challenges. In a contest where style and pizzazz matters more than accuracy and technique, all you gotta do is go fast!

## Gotta Go Fast Art Challenge: Hentai Edition!

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:30am-1:30am – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Wanna draw some naughty bits? Do you have a need to share your sexy scribbles with the world (see: panel room)? Look no further! Join our 18+ speed drawing contest where skill doesn't matter. But let your passion shine through and you just might come out on top!

## How to Draw Manga with XP-Pen and Anthony Holden

Sat 3:30pm-4:30pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

Get the latest tips and tricks on creating your own characters using an XP-Pen Pen Display with Anthony Holden who will be sharing how to bring your Manga and Anime Characters to Life! Anthony is a cartoonist in the Portland area. He has worked for over a decade in film and television animation as well as print media and comics. One XP-Pen tablet will be given away to a lucky attendee, as well as other prizes.

## How to Draw Monsters Digitally with XP-Pen and Chris Tran

Sun 12:00pm-1:00pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

Get the latest tips and tricks on creating your own characters using an XP-Pen Pen Display with Anthony Holden who will be sharing how to bring your Manga and Anime Characters to Life! Anthony is a cartoonist in the Portland area. He has worked for over a decade in film and television animation as well as print media and comics. One XP-Pen tablet will be given away to a lucky attendee, as well as other prizes.

## How to Write Bad Fan Fiction: A Course for Beginners

Sat 11:00pm-12:30am – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Ever wanted to learn how to write a “great” fanfic? Join us as we teach you the rules and show you examples from some of our favorite fanfics. Class is in session, hope to see you there!

## Open Art

Fri 6:30pm-7:00pm – **Chibi Room (C121-C122)**

Fri 7:30pm-2:00am – **Chibi Room (C121-C122)**

Sat 6:30pm-2:00am – **Chibi Room (C121-C122)**

A place to come draw or color to your heart's content. Paper and a variety of art supplies will be available.

## Round Robin Writing Game

Fri 4:30pm-6:00pm – **Panel 5 (B110)**

Let's write a story together! A science fiction, historical fantasy about giant robots in a boys band saving the world with their stuffed panda by moonlight... or wherever our imaginations take us.

## Valuing Your Creations (Don't Be a Starving Artist)

Sat 12:30pm-1:30pm – **Panel 1 (A107-A109)**

Making things is a passion. Now you have decided to monetize that passion, but don't know how to price your work. Tips and suggestions on how to come up with a price that people will pay, and you can eat. Don't be a starving artist.

## Where Fanfic Goes to Die

Fri 11:30pm-1:30am – **Live Events 1 (B115-B116)**

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

We have journeyed far and wide, through prose far too purple and descriptions eye-bleedingly too specific to bring you the finest selection of terrible fan fiction from the land of the internet (and beyond) that the world has never seen.



# PROGRAMMING

## World Building

Fri 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Panel 5** (B110)

Be it a game, a literary world, short stories, or a comic, your stories need to take place somewhere. Let's talk about building those worlds, be them simple settings, to full-on solar systems.

## Writing Non-Traditional Haiku

Sun 10:30am-11:30am – **Workshop 2** (B117)

Haiku for the modern fan. Learn the forms, learn the history, then twist it into something all your own.

Write stories in five seven five. Poetry does not have to be hard.

## Writing Smut

Fri 8:00pm-9:30pm – **Workshop 1** (A105)

**Age 18+ only—hand stamp required—see Programming Booth.**

Don't lose your readers with bad smut. In this candid panel we will discuss the things that go into good smut: language, pacing, **physics**, and other elements of good writing.

## Writing Workshop, Small Group

Fri 7:00pm-7:30pm – **Chibi Room** (C121-C122)

Sat 9:00am-9:30am – **Workshop 1** (A105)

Exactly what it says on the box. Got a plot that is bothering you, or have questions about pacing? Meet up in a small group and we'll talk about what you are writing now.

## Writing: Blocks and Inspirations

Sat 10:30am-11:30am – **Workshop 2** (B117)

Two things can make or break a story. Your inspiration, the heart and soul, the breath that brings your imagination to life... and writer's block, that nightmare of half-finished stories and heartache. Come discuss where to find the first, and dispose of the second.

## Crafts

### Amigurumi

Sat 12:00pm-1:30pm – **Workshop 1** (A105)

Amigurumi is the art of crocheting small stuffed yarn creatures. Use the skills from "Basics of Crochet" to make your own tiny creation.

### Basics of Crochet

Sat 10:00am-11:30am – **Workshop 1** (A105)

Learn the basic crochet skills needed to craft amigurumi! From simple chains to increasing, decreasing, and reading patterns. Everything you need for making some tiny critters.

## Cosplay for Your Anime Figures – Figure Customization!

Sat 3:00pm-4:00pm – **Panel 3** (C123)

Heartbroken your favorite character doesn't have a figure? Want to turn your regular Link into a Dark Link? We'll offer tips on painting, sculpting, carving, and otherwise modifying authentic anime figures to create one-of-a-kind otaku works of art.



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## Dolly Making

Fri 10:30am-12:30pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**  
Sun 9:30am-11:30am – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

Come make dollies with us! We will supply the felt, stuffing, needles, and know-how; you supply the fingers and frontal lobes. Each person will get to make their very own dolly, and be able to dress it, too! Make your favorite character from anime, horror, or something original. Beginning crafters welcome. Tiny fingers may need help with sewing and scissors.

## Fiber Arts Meet Up

Sat 9:30pm-10:30pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

Are you a fiber artist? Do you knit, crochet, embroider, spin, tat, dye, felt... the list goes on! Come meet other fiber fans! Projects welcome!

## Gundam Model Build and Take (For Beginners!)

Fri 6:00pm-8:00pm – **Gunpla Lounge (DoubleTree Exhibit Hall)**  
Sun 2:00pm-4:00pm – **Gunpla Lounge (DoubleTree Exhibit Hall)**

Come learn how to build Gundam Plastic (Gunpla) Models! Tools and customization materials will be provided. Whatever you build is yours to keep! Bring your own set or purchase one from our selection of models (as supplies last, limit 1 per person). Models on hand range from \$6 to \$10.

## Gundam Model Showcase

Sat 12:00pm-4:00pm – **Gunpla Lounge (DoubleTree Exhibit Hall)**

Do you have a model that you want to show off to other gunpla fans? Bring your best model(s) to participate in this showcase for a chance to win fun prizes. There'll be 4 categories: 1/144 scale and smaller, Larger than 1/144, Super Deformed/Petit/Mascot/Bust/Other, and Dioramas (all scales). Models will be graded by IPMS standards, so make sure those paint jobs are clean! All models are welcome! Judging starts at 3pm, with the winners announced at 4pm. Please stop by and vote for the people's choice!

## Gunpla Lounge – Open Build

**Gunpla Lounge (DoubleTree Exhibit Hall)**

Fri 10:00am-2:00pm, 3:00pm-6:00pm, 8:00pm-10:00pm  
Sat 8:00am-12:00pm, 4:00pm-6:00pm, 7:00pm-10:00pm  
Sun 8:00am-2:00pm

The Gunpla Lounge is a place to hang out and build Gundam Models, but other sci-fi and anime models are welcome, as well! Beginners and experts alike are encouraged to stop in. Come talk about models, compare techniques, or just chit-chat while putting together that new model you picked up. There will be tools you can use, award-winning Gunpla professionals you can ask for help, and a healthy helping of witty mecha banter. Bring a model, or just yourself, and relax at the Gunpla Lounge!

## Hands-on Dry Brushing Tutorial

Fri 2:00pm-3:00pm – **Gunpla Lounge (DoubleTree Exhibit Hall)**  
Sat 6:00pm-7:00pm – **Gunpla Lounge (DoubleTree Exhibit Hall)**

Bring a model or some spare parts to try out dry brushing on! This simple modelling technique works on painted or unpainted models, and quickly adds a whole dimension of weathering to your models! We'll provide materials and expertise so you can learn how to make your Gundams look a little battle damaged. No robots will be harmed during this tutorial!

## Ita Bag Workshop

Fri 1:00pm-2:00pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

Come get help making your ita bag look perfect! We can help with de-cluttering and removing chains, making an insert, and tips for arranging your collection. Just BYOBAM (bring your own bag and merchandise)!

## Kanzashi Making

Fri 2:30pm-4:00pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**  
Sun 1:30pm-3:30pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**

Kanzashi tsumami is the art of making three-dimensional flower hair ornaments out of folded fabric squares. Learn to create a simplified variation followed by one of the more difficult petal formations. Tiny fingers may need help with sewing, scissors, and hot glue.

## Kumihimo

Fri 6:00pm-7:30pm – **Workshop 1 (A105)**  
Sat 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Workshop 2 (B117)**

Traditionally used by samurai as both a functional and decorative way to lace their armor. Kumihimo cords are now popular as obi and haori ties. Come learn the most common braiding technique and use your newly found skills to create a bracelet or strap.

## Tabletop Gaming

### Open Gaming

Fri 8:00am-2:00am – **TCGs and Board Gaming (Hall A1)**  
Sat 8:00am-2:00am – **TCGs and Board Gaming (Hall A1)**  
Sun 8:00am-5:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming (Hall A1)**

Board games, RPGs, TCGs, and more! Located in the Gaming Hall, Tabletop Gaming is your destination for, well, games you play on tables. Open gaming is available in Tabletop throughout the weekend. Bring your own games or check out something from our library. Looking for players? Grab an orange cone from the Game Library to let people know! Do you have a group of players and a GM? Then come play some RPGs! We even have a small library of games you can borrow.

### Play and Win Gaming

Fri 9:00am-2:00am – **TCGs and Board Gaming (Hall A1)**  
Sat 8:00am-2:00am – **TCGs and Board Gaming (Hall A1)**  
Sun 8:00am-12:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming (Hall A1)**

Do you like playing tabletop games? Do you like free things? If you answered yes to either of these questions, you should come check out our Play and Win program (PAW)! The rules are simple: everyone who plays one of our PAW games is entered into a drawing for that game at the end of con. You only get one entry per game, but you can enter every game's drawing! Winners will be announced at 2:00pm on Sunday at the PAW Library, and they have until 3:00pm to pick up their game(s). At 3:00pm we will begin drawing new winners for any unclaimed games, but these new winners must be present to receive the game. For more information, please see PAW staff.

### Game Library Featuring GameStorm

We've teamed up with GameStorm to bring you the best tabletop gaming library at Kumoricon yet! Hundreds of games from both of our collections will be available for you to borrow and play! GameStorm is an annual gaming convention. The next GameStorm is being held at the Red Lion Jantzen Beach on March 26-29, 2020. See their website at [www.gamestorm.org](http://www.gamestorm.org) for more details.



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## Aeon's End

Sat 10:00pm-12:00am – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Aeon's End is a cooperative deck-building game in which you and your fellow breach mages are the only standing between the last remnants of humanity and terrifying horrors intent on their destruction.

## Cards Against Humanity

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:00am-1:30am – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:00am-1:30am – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

A party game for horrible people. If you don't know what this is, imagine Apples to Apples, but extremely offensive.

## Core Connection Deck-Building Game Tournament

Sat 4:00pm-6:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Core Connection is a deck-building game where you play as the pilots of Resonants, giant mecha that fight to free society from the tyrannical reign of its oppressors! Pilot your Resonant with unique tactics and upgrade it with enhancements to defeat the army of Atlantis!

## Cowboy Bebop: Boardgame Boogie

Fri 5:00pm-8:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Sun 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

In this cooperative storytelling board game players work together to complete each character's story arc and win the game, encountering iconic characters and obstacles from the anime series along the way.

## Heart of Crown: Fairy Garden Deck-Building Game Tournament

Fri 4:00pm-6:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

The great emperor has fallen victim to disease, having never declared a successor... Now multiple claimants vie for the throne. Which princess will you choose to back in this deck-building game?

## Kamigami Battles Deck-Building Game Tournament

Sun 12:00pm-2:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

You are a God defending your realm from the claim of other mighty deities with the aid of Disciples and Warriors you recruit. Through the efforts of these valiant heroes, you will collect the energy that is your life force. By reducing your foe to 0 energy, you can either vanquish him or make him bend the knee and join you!

## Munchkin

Fri 11:00am-1:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Fri 9:00pm-11:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 8:00pm-10:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 2:30pm-4:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Go into the dungeon. Kill everything you meet. Backstab your friends and steal their stuff. Grab the treasure and run. This award-winning card game captures the essence of the dungeon experience... with none of that stupid role-playing stuff.

## Ninja Burger

Sat 2:00pm-4:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Now you can join the elite Ninja Burger delivery team! You will learn to deliver tasty burgers and fries anywhere. You will bring honor to your franchise. Failure is not an option.

## Secret Hitler

Sat (Fri after midnight) 12:00am-1:30am – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun (Sat after midnight) 12:00am-1:30am – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Secret Hitler is a social deduction game about finding and stopping the Secret Hitler. Players are secretly divided into two teams: the liberals, who have a majority, and the fascists, who are hidden to everyone but each other. If the liberals can learn to trust each other, they have enough votes to control the elections and save the day. But the fascists will say whatever it takes to get elected, advance their agenda, and win the game.

## SPANC: Space Pirate Amazon Ninja Catgirls

Sat 10:00am-12:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Life is good when you're a Space Pirate Amazon Ninja Catgirl. Enjoy a life of larceny and mayhem as you embark on one caper after another. Defeat every challenge the galaxy throws at you, grab more fame than anyone else, and watch your tail... because the other catgirls want what you've got!

## Steve Jackson Games Select

Fri 7:00pm-9:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 10:00am-12:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Choose what you want to play from a selection of Steve Jackson Games.

## The Terrifying Girl Disorder

Fri 3:00pm-4:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

An anime-themed set collection card game about young girls with terrifying powers trying to recover their identities.

## Cultural Gaming

### Open Gaming

Fri 8:00am-2:00am – **Cultural Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 8:00am-2:00am – **Cultural Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 8:00am-5:00pm – **Cultural Gaming** (Hall A1)

Come learn to play the traditional Asian board games of mahjong, go, and shogi! Japanese mahjong, also known as riichi mahjong, is a skill game with chance elements similar to the Western card game of rummy. Go is a two-player strategy game in which players compete to surround the most territory on the board. Shogi is a popular chess variant native to Japan.

All three of these games are widely played throughout Japan and have served as the subject matter for popular anime/manga series such as Saki, Akagi, Hikaru no Go, and 3-gatsu no Lion. Members of the PDX Riichi Mahjong Club, the Portland Go Club, and the Portland Shogi Club will be on hand to teach and play during the convention. No prior experience is needed—all skill levels are welcome.

## Riichi Mahjong Tournament

Sat 1:00pm-5:00pm – **Cultural Gaming** (Hall A1)

Tournament will use the World Riichi Championship rule-set. All participants will play two tonpuusen (East round only) rounds capped at 1 hour each. After these rounds, the top four finishers point-wise will proceed to play a full hanchan (East and South rounds) to determine 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place. Max players: 20

## Saki Mahjong Mini-Tournament

Fri 3:00pm-5:00pm – **Cultural Gaming** (Hall A1)

Tournament will use the World Riichi Championship rule-set with a special twist! Each player will be assigned a special power, simulating the ability of a character in the mahjong anime series Saki. These powers will allow the player to bend some of the base rules to their advantage. This mini-tournament will consist of two tonpuusen (East round only games), capped at 1 hour in length each. Final standings will be determined by total points from the two rounds. Max players: 8

## Role-Playing Games

### Role-Playing Games

Games for everyone! This year we have gone out of our way to make our department accessible to all players. Zero experience needed. All ages welcome. Almost all content is ready for you to walk up and play! Sign-ups are at HQ. Pre-generated characters are available. Please arrive at least 5 minutes before your game.

### Character Creation Station

Fri 10:00am-11:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Sat 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Sat 7:00pm-11:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Sun 10:00am-4:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Need some help building your character? We have character creation help available for most of our RPGs this year, as well as pre-gens for every adventure. (Character creation can take up to 1 hour so please factor this into your plans.)

### Actual Cannibal Shia LaBeouf: The RPG

Sat 6:30pm-9:30pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

You are one of the unlucky ones. You have been caught up in a deadly struggle with the deadliest force in this known universe: Shia LaBeouf. Band together with other strangers to escape, outwit, and possibly even kill actual cannibal Shia LaBeouf. (Suggested age 13+)

### At the Mountain Village (Call of Cthulhu)

Sun 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

This is a 1920s scenario set in a small village located around Aokigahara in Yamanashi Prefecture. It takes place during the winter, as powdered snow gently engulfs the surroundings. The Investigators receive a letter from their common friend, Akira Kawakami, informing them of mysterious earthquakes around the village. As the Investigators are about to approach the village, they are assaulted by a sudden earthquake. Will the Investigators be able to find the cause of the Earthquake and save the village? (Suggested age 13+)

### Best in Class Demo (Valor: the Heroic Tabletop RPG)

Fri 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Sat 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

A sneak peek at the upcoming adventure path Best in Class! Play as students at the prestigious Mercurial University as they study for finals, fight mobsters and, worst of all, challenge the dreaded Karaoke Room. Games run for one hour, beginners welcome!

### Big Eyes, Small Brains

Sat 9:30pm-12:30am – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Sun 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

A call just came in at the adventure agency, another villain has threatened another big concert and your team is next in line to vanquish their evil plan and, if you want to get paid, keep the arena from getting blown sky high.

Big Eyes, Small Brains is a satirical jab at anime and role-playing that includes a long list of anime tropes. The system is designed for quick character creation, simple rules and all sorts of silly mayhem. Learn more at <https://www.attentionspangames.com/bigeyessmallbrains> (Suggested age 13+)

### Camp Sunny (Call of Cthulhu)

Fri 8:30pm-12:30am – **RPG** (Hall A1)

It's been a good semester but the workload has been tough. Your uncle has arranged for you and some friends to rent cheap cabins at a coastal summer camp—Camp Sunny! It's a little run down and car trouble means you arrive at 11pm but surely the rest of your vacation will be peaceful, right?

### Cthulhu Invictus (Call of Cthulhu)

Fri 1:00pm-5:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Investigating Eldritch Horrors in the Roman Empire. (Suggested age 13+)

### Cutie Mark Crusaders (My Little Pony: Tales of Equestria)

Sat 6:30pm-9:30pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Sun 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Make a blank flank character and learn to play the official My Little Pony RPG in this exciting mini adventure!

### Isle of Bake-Kujira

Sat 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Set in medieval Tovar during the Edo period, Elves on the continent of Kunjar follow the strict code of Bushido. Samurai rule the territory between the Orcs to the South and the kingdom of Men to the North. The Shogun has called for each of the five major daimyo to send one representative fit for a quest back to the Elven homeland to recover a sacred artifact—the Helmet of Lord Toshima. Toshima's clan alone defended the evacuation of the island, against an onslaught of unnatural beings. Failure is not an option. Return with glory or forfeit your life for honor. (Suggested age 13+)

### Mizuumi no Bakemono (Call of Cthulhu)

Sat 9:30pm-12:30am – **RPG** (Hall A1)

Keiko Satou, a Japanese high school girl, drowns in the Abugawa River. It's up to her classmates to investigate what really happened to her!

## One Page RPGs

Fri 5:00pm-8:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Fri 8:30pm-11:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 6:30pm-9:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Tired of having to memorize tons of rules to role-play? Look no further, for the solution is here! These drop-in sessions are quick, fun, silly, and best of all, everything you need to know about playing fits on a single sheet of paper. Drop by and play your choice of One Page RPG the assortment your GM has on hand.

## Robotics Destructive Education (Dungeon Crawl Classics)

Fri 4:30pm-8:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Play as malfunctioning robots in this silly, role-play heavy game!

## Sailors on the Starless Sea (Dungeon Crawl Classics)

Fri 8:30pm-12:30am – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Since time immemorial, you and your people have toiled in the shadow of the cyclopean ruins. Of mysterious origins and the source of many superstitions, they have always been considered a secret best left unknown by your hamlet. But now something stirs beneath the crumbling blocks. Beasts howl in the night and your fellow villagers are snatched from their beds. With no heroes to defend you, who will rise to stand against the encircling darkness? The secrets of Chaos are yours to unearth, but at what cost to sanity and soul? This adventure comes with scratch off mystery characters for surprise RP fun! (Suggested age 13+)

## Shadowrun

Fri 5:00pm-8:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 10:00am-1:00pm, 9:30pm-12:30am – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sun 10:00am-1:00pm, 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Shadowrun is a science fantasy RPG set in a near-future universe in which cybernetics, magic and fantasy creatures co-exist. It combines genres of cyberpunk, urban fantasy, and crime, with occasional elements of conspiracy, horror, and detective fiction.

## Star Wars: Edge of the Empire

Sat 9:30pm-12:30am – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sun 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Embark on grim and gritty adventures in places where morality is gray and nothing is certain. Ply your trade as a smuggler in the Outer Rim, collect bounties on the scum that live in the shadows of Coruscant, or try to establish a new colony on a planet beneath the Empire's notice...

## Organized Role-Playing Games

### Dungeons and Dragons Adventurers League

D&D Adventurers League is a public 5E D&D campaign, growing and changing as events resolve and new threats emerge. Each storyline visits a different area affecting some changes there, and all the factions are involved. As you defeat enemies, solve puzzles, finish quests, and perform heroic deeds, you'll earn experience and renown that you can take with you to other D&D Adventurers League Events! You can bring a character, or a pre-generated character can be provided for you. Visit [dnd.wizards.com](http://dnd.wizards.com) for basic rules and the Adventurers League Players Guide. All games at Kumoricon are for 3 to 7 players, levels 1-4 (unless noted otherwise).

## Adventurers League Premieres

These special D&D modules are written by local authors for just you! Past Kumoricon exclusive premieres have gone on to be played all over the world but you get to be the first to try them out.

### CCC-Kumori-03-01 Protégé of the Trampling Forest

Each session 3 hours – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Fri 10:00am, 1:30pm, 5:00pm, 8:30pm  
 Sat 10:00am, 6:30pm, 9:30pm  
 Sun 10:00am, 1:30pm

Written by Ma'at Crook

Rather than the adventurers traveling through a forest, an entire forest thunders toward them, running on its roots and trampling everything in its path! Now, after receiving some transformative help, it's up to the party to get past frightened forest creatures and frightening constructs, and right to the heart of the problem. Can they stop the protégé of the trampling forest?

### CCC-Kumori-03-02 The Millwright of Gond

Each session 3 hours – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Fri 10:00am, 1:30pm, 5:00pm, 8:30pm  
 Sat 10:00am, 6:30pm, 9:30pm  
 Sun 10:00am, 1:30pm

Written by William Murakami-Brundage

Seburil, rock gnome priestess of Gond, has ordered his followers to harvest trees in the Quivering Forest. This has caused conflict with Avumat, verdant lord of the Circle of the Forest. The adventurers must intercede and negotiate a peace between the two factions.

### CCC-Kumori-03-03 Scales of Justice

Each session 3 hours – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Fri 10:00am, 1:30pm, 5:00pm, 8:30pm  
 Sat 10:00am, 6:30pm, 9:30pm  
 Sun 10:00am, 1:30pm

Written by Karren and Pol Jackson

Lyrezix the Gleaming has watched over the village of Volla for thirteen generations. When she fails to show up for a festival in her honor, the townspeople grow worried. It's up to a hearty band of adventurers to discover what happened to their beloved dragon.

## Adventurers League Season 9

### Learn to Play D&D! DDAL09-01 Escape from Eturel

Sessions start 90 minutes apart – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Fri 10:00am-11:30pm  
 Sat 10:00am-12:30am  
 Sun 10:00am-4:30pm

Levels 1-2

Damnation! The Companion that once stood as a beacon of hope and goodness above the city of Eturel has been extinguished and the entire city—along with its denizens—have been drawn into Avernus, the first layer of the Nine Hells! While those fortunate enough to have been outside of the city's walls during its departure have been spared that fate, but they're not yet out of danger! The refugees formed a caravan bound for the nearby city of Baldur's Gate. Can you keep them safe from devils, bandits, and one another until they reach safety?

**DDAL09-02 Stopped at the Gate**

Fri 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Fri 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Fri 8:30pm-11:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 9:30pm-12:30am – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sun 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

It's been a long, arduous trip, but you're finally here—Baldur's Gate. You're not out of peril yet, however, even if you're leaving the lawless wilds behind you, the streets of the Gate still run red with blood. But you quickly find that arriving at the city wasn't the biggest challenge at all, now you must convince the city's rulers to grant asylum to you and those in your charge. Part One of the Betrayal is in the Blood series of adventures.

**DDAL09-03 Hungry Shadows**

Fri 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Fri 5:00pm-8:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 6:30pm-9:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sun 10:00am-1:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sun 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

Bodies continue to pile up, and the Flaming Fist still has nothing but a name. Thankfully, the perpetrator of the murders has slipped up and the Flaming Fist has captured one of their underlings who, in turn, has revealed the presence of a cult hideout in the sewers beneath the city. The Flaming Fist has asked you to investigate. Are you up for the task? Part Two of the Betrayal is in the Blood series of adventures.

**DDAL09-04 Day of the Devil**

Fri 5:00pm-8:00pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Fri 8:30pm-11:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 6:30pm-9:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sat 9:30pm-12:30am – **RPG (Hall A1)**  
 Sun 1:30pm-4:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

The streets of Baldur's Gate run red with blood. Old blood. The blood of Hellriders. Someone or something is punishing the children for the sins of the father and it's time to put it to an end. Who and where is Gharzol? Part Three of the Betrayal is in the Blood series of adventures.

**D&D Epic DDEP09-03 Liar's Night**

Sat 1:00pm-6:30pm – **RPG (Hall A1)**

An Epic Multi-Table Event for Level 1-10

On this holy day of Leira and Mask, folk of all walks of life don masks and costumes to disguise themselves and play at being other than what they are. Festivities begin in the evening, when candles are placed in hollowed-out pumpkins carved with faces. Tricks and pranks of all kinds are common on this night, and pickpockets are rife on this day, so few carry much coin with them, having secreted it away somewhere the previous evening. Instead, people fill their pockets and belt pouches with candies. Come celebrate with us on the darkened streets of Baldur's Gate.



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# PROGRAMMING

## Trading Card Games

### Cardfight!! Vanguard Tournament

Sat 12:30pm-3:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

A constructed deck tournament for the Cardfight!! Vanguard TCG. Entry: Free

### Dragon Ball Super TCG Tournament

Fri 7:00pm-10:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 3:30pm-6:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 1:00pm-4:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

A constructed deck tournament for the Dragon Ball Super TCG. Entry: Free

### Force of Will TCG Tournament

Sun 12:30pm-3:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

A constructed deck tournament for the Force of Will TCG. Entry: Free

### Magic: the Gathering Chaos Booster Draft

Sat 6:00pm-10:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Buy any 3 packs or bring your own! Any sealed 15-card Magic: the Gathering booster packs are legal choices in this fan-favorite draft format. Entry: Variable (min \$3)

### Magic: the Gathering Commander Free Play

Fri 10:30pm-1:30am – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 10:30pm-1:30am – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Come jam some casual Commander games.

### Magic: the Gathering Commander Tournament

Sat 12:00pm-2:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

A multiplayer Commander constructed deck tournament for the the Magic: the Gathering TCG. Entry: Free

### Magic: the Gathering Grab Bag Draft

Fri 12:00pm-4:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Draft old cards no one loves anymore in a silly, synergy-free environment. At least draft chaff isn't utter garbage! Entry: \$3

### Magic: the Gathering Modern Tournament

Sun 12:00pm-4:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

A Modern constructed deck tournament for the the Magic: the Gathering TCG. Entry: Free

### Magic: the Gathering Throne of Eldraine Sealed Deck League

Fri 9:00am-4:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Is it just us or does the plot of Throne of Eldraine sound like it should be an isekai? We even came up with a new name for the set: "That Time I Died Along with My Twin but was Brought Back to Life By My Mother Who is Really Our Stepmother but Now We Can Travel to Other Worlds and Have to Find Our Missing Father the High King... with a Smartphone". More importantly, if Throne of Eldraine is an isekai, does that make Garruk truck-kun? We're not really sure, but we do know that Rowan and Will need your help! Join the league and help the royal twins track down their father, the High King, by playing against other league participants! Each game you win brings the twins closer to their goal. Win enough games and the twins will reward you with extra booster packs to add to your card pool. At the end of the event, those few brave knights who proved most helpful to Rowan and Will will be handsomely rewarded. Oh, we were kidding about the phone... Maybe. Entry: \$25

### Magic: the Gathering Unstable Booster Draft

Fri 6:00pm-10:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Play the third "Un" set in format it was designed for, booster draft. Entry: \$15

### TCG Learn to Play: Dragon Ball Super, Force of Will, & Weiß Schwarz

Fri 1:00pm-3:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 1:00pm-3:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 7:00pm-9:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 10:00am-12:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Drop in and learn how to play the Dragon Ball Super, Force of Will, and Weiß Schwarz TCGs.

### Weiß Schwarz Neo Standard Tournament

Fri 5:00pm-7:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 3:00pm-5:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

A Neo Standard constructed deck tournament for the Weiß Schwarz TCG. Entry: Free

### Yu-Gi-Oh! Advanced Format Tournament

Fri 8:00pm-10:30pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

An Advanced Format constructed deck tournament for the Yu-Gi-Oh! TCG. Entry: Free

### Yu-Gi-Oh! TCG Sealed Deck Tournament

Sat 7:00pm-11:00pm – **TCGs and Board Gaming** (Hall A1)

Build your Yu-Gi-Oh deck from the packs you open in this sealed deck tournament. Entry: \$10

## Pokémon Gaming

### Open Gaming

Fri 8:00am-2:00am – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 8:00am-2:00am – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 8:00am-5:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Located in the Gaming Hall, join us for free Pokémon fun all weekend long!

Don't know how to play the card game? Want tips on how to create the perfect team in the video game? We'll have experts available to answer questions. Learn to play sessions will be ongoing throughout the day.

We'll have coloring pages and art supplies available, a special giveaway for anyone stopping by in a Pokémon themed cosplay, and if you beat a Gym Leader in any battle you'll receive an extra Pokémon themed prize! Of course, momma\_june's store will be there again this year featuring all kinds of Pokémon items!

We're always having a blast in the Pokémon area so come on over and join the fun!

### Pokémon Art Contest

Fri 8:00pm-8:30pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 8:00pm-8:30pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 3:00pm-3:30pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Pokémon art contest entries will be taken throughout each day, Friday through Sunday. Winners will be determined by the crowd daily at 8pm (3pm on Sunday), so stop by to vote for your favorite. We'll be handing out Pokémon-themed prizes to a new winner each day!

## Pokémon GO Tournament

Sat 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Join us for Kumoricon's first Pokémon GO tournament! Do you have what it takes to be the very best?

## Pokémon TCG Booster Draft

Fri 1:00pm-3:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Fri 6:00pm-8:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

6 Booster packs will be provided to construct a deck with. You walk away with all the cards you draft and at least one prize pack! Entry: \$25

## Pokémon TCG Cosmic Eclipse Sealed Deck Tournament

Sat 1:00pm-3:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 1:00pm-3:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Build your 40-card deck from a 22 card "seed" pack and 4 Cosmic Eclipse booster packs. In addition to taking home the cards you open for the tournament, you will receive 2 more packs of cards upon finishing the tournament! Entry: \$30

## Pokémon TCG Theme Deck Challenge

Fri 10:00am-11:30am – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Fri 3:00pm-4:30pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 10:00am-11:30am – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 4:30pm-6:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 10:00am-11:30am – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Battle in a free constructed deck tournament using your choice of theme decks. Theme decks will be provided, or you can bring your own! Entry: Free

## Pokémon Ultra Sun and Ultra Moon DS Tournament

Fri 11:30am-1:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Fri 4:30pm-6:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 11:30am-1:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sat 6:00pm-7:30pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Sun 11:30am-1:00pm – **Pokémon Gaming** (Hall A1)

Bring your DS and your best Pokémon team and battle other Pokémon trainers for the top spot!

## Video Gaming

### Open Gaming

Fri 8:00am-2:00am – **Video Gaming (LAN)** (Hall A1)

Sat 8:00am-2:00am – **Video Gaming (LAN)** (Hall A1)

Sun 8:00am-5:00pm – **Video Gaming (LAN)** (Hall A1)

Video gaming is your destination for all your digital gaming needs at con. Drop in and play some games in any of our gaming areas: Console, LAN, retro, rhythm, speedrunning, or watch Kumoricon's top competitors on the main stage.

Time between panels? Looking to play some games with friends or on your own? Come visit our check-in/out booth and our staff will happily assist you. For LAN gaming, hop on an open computer and play!

### Retro Gaming Featuring Ground Kontrol

Come play the classics! This year, in addition to the usual consoles, we'll have a selection of cabinets from Ground Kontrol. Who knew cathode-ray tubes could be this much fun?

Ground Kontrol is the West Coast's premier classic arcade. They preserve and celebrate video gaming's "golden age" by operating over

150 classic video games and pinball machines. They also run a full-service bar serving from noon until late, host DJs, comedy shows, high score competitions, game tournaments, and Rock Band karaoke, and are available for public and private event rentals.

### Retro Speedrunning Challenge

Enjoy beating classic games quickly? Have 30 minutes or less? Drop in any time and attempt to get as far as you can in Super Mario Bros. 3, Super Metroid, or Super Mario World. Win prizes for being the quickest controller in the West.

### BlazBlue: Cross Tag Battle Tournament

Sat 6:00pm-8:00pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

THE COLLISION IS INEVITABLE! THE IMPACT WILL BE UNAVOIDABLE! Play as characters from the BlazBlue, Persona, Under Night In-Birth, and RWBY series! Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)

### BlazBlue: Cross Tag Battle Tournament Finals

Sat 8:00pm-9:30pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the BlazBlue: Cross Tag Battle tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

### Dance Dance Revolution Tournament

Sat 7:00pm-10:00pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Get up out of your seat and get down on the stage! Join the Dance Dance Revolution tournament and face off against dancers new and old. It's an arrow smashin' party! Don't be shy, come show us your moves!

### Dragon Ball FighterZ Tournament

Fri 1:30pm-3:30pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Dragon Ball FighterZ is born from what makes the Dragon Ball so loved and famous: endless spectacular fights between all-powerful fighters. Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)

### Dragon Ball FighterZ Tournament Finals

Fri 5:30pm-7:00pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Dragon Ball FighterZ tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

### Mario Kart 8 Tournament

Fri 4:00pm-7:30pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Race and battle all challengers in this Mario Kart 8 tournament. Top players will advance to the finals.

### Mario Kart 8 Tournament Finals

Fri 8:00pm-9:30pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top players in the Mario Kart 8 tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

### Mortal Kombat 11 Tournament

Sat 9:00pm-11:00pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Mortal Kombat is back and better than ever in the next evolution of the iconic franchise. Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)



## Mortal Kombat 11 Tournament Finals

Sat 11:30pm-1:00am – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Mortal Kombat 11 tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Mystery Game Showcase Tournament

Sat 10:00pm-11:00pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

Our tournament winners return to the stage, this time with no idea what game they'll be competing in! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Puyo Puyo Tetris Tournament

Sun 8:30am-10:30am – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Two puzzle game juggernauts collide as global phenomenon Tetris and SEGA's Puyo Puyo combine in a super mash-up of ferocious competition, adorable looks, and addictive puzzle fun! (PS4)

## Puyo Puyo Tetris Tournament Finals

Sun 10:30am-12:00pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top players in the Puyo Puyo Tetris tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Samurai Shodown Tournament

Fri 8:00pm-10:00pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

11 years have passed since the last series installment, and it is now time for Samurai Shodown to return in a brand-new game featuring high-end visuals and a faithful reproduction of classic game mechanics. Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)

## Samurai Shodown Tournament Finals

Fri 10:30pm-12:00am – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Samurai Shodown tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Soulcalibur VI Tournament

Sat 1:30pm-3:30pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Bring more than your fists to the fight! Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)

## Soulcalibur VI Tournament Finals

Sat 4:00pm-5:30pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Soulcalibur VI tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Street Fighter V Tournament

Sun 10:00am-12:00pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)

## Street Fighter V Tournament Finals

Sun 12:30pm-2:00pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Street Fighter V tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament

Sat 11:00am-5:30pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

The biggest Super Smash Bros. game ever! With 74+ playable characters, 100+ stages, and more. Top 8 players advance to the finals. (Switch)

## Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tournament Finals

Sat 6:00pm-7:30pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Super Smash Bros. Ultimate tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## TeddyLoid vs. Kumoricon's Finest

Fri 4:00pm-5:00pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

Do you have what it takes to face off against the TeddyLoid? Join guests for a friendly competition of gaming!

## Tekken 7 Tournament

Sun 12:00pm-2:00pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)

## Tekken 7 Tournament Finals

Sun 2:30pm-4:00pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Tekken 7 tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Tetris Attack Tournament

Sat 9:00am-11:00am – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

The classic Nintendo puzzler. Top players advance to the finals. (SNES)

## Tetris Attack Tournament Finals

Sat 12:00pm-1:30pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top players in the Tetris Attack tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Under Night in-Birth EXE:Late[st] Tournament

Sat 11:00am-1:00pm – **Video Gaming (Console)** (Hall A1)

Fight your way through the dangers of the "Hollow Night", and claim your victory over those who would get in your way. Top 8 players advance to the finals. (PS4)

## Under Night in-Birth EXE:Late[st] Tournament Finals

Sat 2:00pm-3:30pm – **Video Gaming (Main Stage)** (Hall A1)

The top 8 players in the Under Night in-Birth EXE:Late[st] tournament face off on the main stage! Commentary provided by Battle Lounge.

## Artemis War Server

**Video Gaming (LAN)** (Hall A1)

Fri 12:00pm, 2:30pm, 5:00pm, 7:30pm, 10:00pm

Artemis is a multiplayer starship bridge simulator where players perform the various tasks essential to space travel. Tell your friends what to do as captain, nuke space whales as a tactical officer, multiply your repair estimates by a factor of four as the engineer, become stranded as a fighter pilot when navigation jumps away without telling you, and more! Gather you crew and take to the stars in on our PVP War Server. Scheduled breaks every two hours.

## League of Legends Tournament

Sat 12:00pm-8:00pm – **Video Gaming (LAN)** (Hall A1)

Gather your teammates and take part in our League of Legends tournament.

## Overwatch Tournament

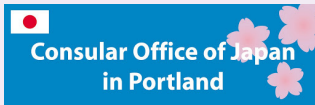
Sun 9:30am-4:00pm – **Video Gaming (LAN)** (Hall A1)

The world needs heroes. Gather your teammates and take part in our Overwatch tournament.



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Additionally, Kumoricon would like to thank the convention running community as a whole. It's with this community's help that we are able to grow, share ideas, and continue to run amazing events. Please continue being awesome, geeky, weird, and fabulous! We would also like to thank you, the attendees. We could never do this without your support!

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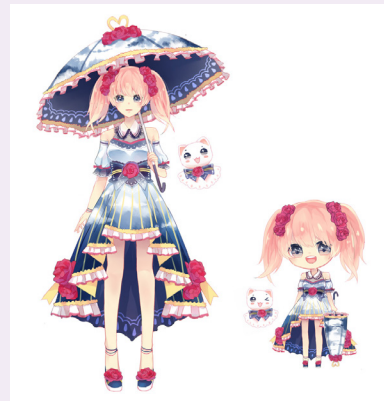
Kumoricon would like to extend our thanks to everyone who donated items to our charity auction, those that assisted in getting items signed, and all our charity bidders and food drive donors! We strive to serve our community, and hope to continue to bring our attendees new charity activities.



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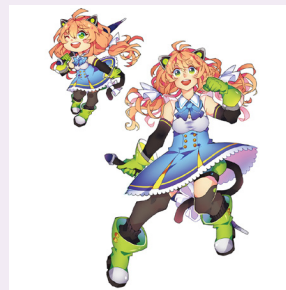
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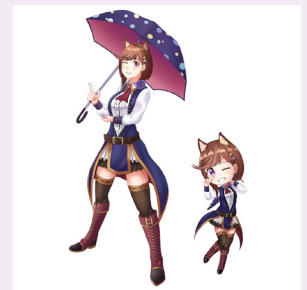
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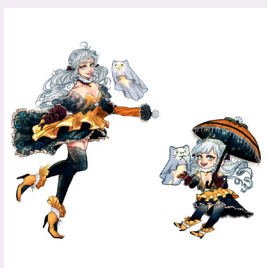
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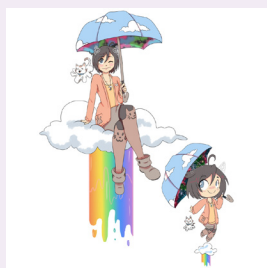
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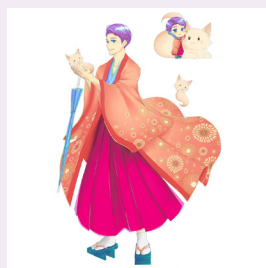
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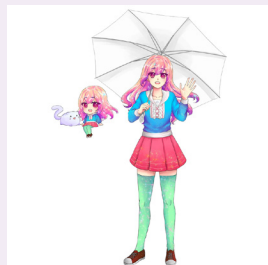
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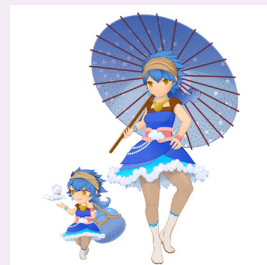
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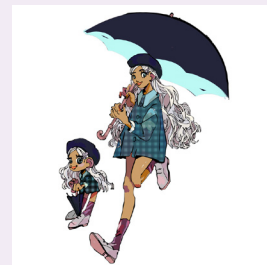
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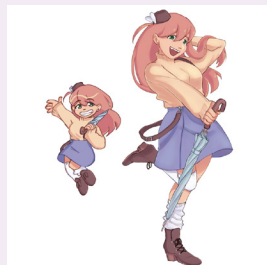
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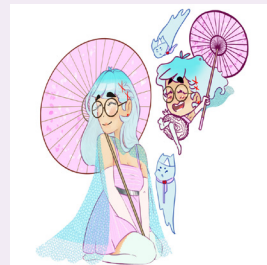
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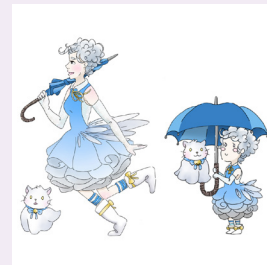
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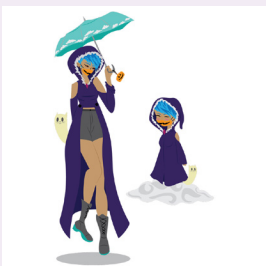
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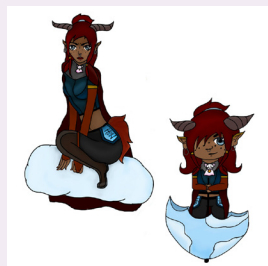
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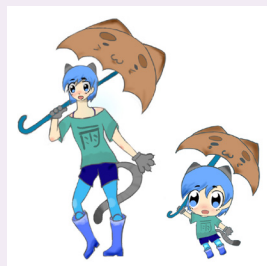
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Console Gaming Staff  
Graphic Design Staff  
Yoimbo Assistant Manager  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Cosplay Coordinator  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Cosplay Repair Manager  
Specialty and VIP Registration Staff

RPG Staff  
Yoimbo Staff  
TCG Staff  
Panelist Staff  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
RPG Staff  
Ballroom Staff  
Ballroom Coordinator  
IT Staff  
Website Development Staff  
Art Show Coordinator  
Panel Manager  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Staff Registration Check-In Coordinator

Charity Staff  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
RPG Staff  
KumoriMarket Staff  
RPG Staff  
Manga Library Staff  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Guest Driver  
Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Dispatch Staff  
Manga Library Staff  
Yoimbo Coordinator  
Social Media Staff  
Charity Staff  
Hall Cosplay Coordinator  
Guest Manager  
Facilities Liaison  
Manga Library Staff  
Panel Tech Staff  
Live Events Staff  
Hitsujikai Staff  
Assistant Director of Publicity  
Autograph Manager  
Con Suite Coordinator  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Con Suite Staff  
Info Booth Staff  
Facilities Liaison  
Press Manager  
RPG Assistant  
RPG Staff  
RPG Staff

Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
Major Events Manager  
Con Suite Staff  
Assistant Director of Programming  
Website Development Staff  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
Console Gaming Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Console Gaming Staff  
Assistant Live Events Manager  
Con Suite Assistant Manager  
Social Media Staff  
Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
Archivist Coordinator  
Yoimbo Staff  
Dispatch Staff  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Escape Room Staff  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
IT Staff  
Manager of Information Technologies  
Cosplay Chess Coordinator  
Panel Tech Staff  
Publicity Office Coordinator  
Assistant to the Director of Publicity (Email Coordinator)

Pro-Bending Staff  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Pokémon Gaming Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Charity Staff  
Art Show Staff

Pro-Bending Staff  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Pokémon Gaming Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Charity Staff  
Art Show Staff

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Assistant Director of Infrastructure (Hotel Relations)  
Yoimbo Staff  
Hotel Liaison  
Merchandise Staff  
RPG Staff  
Yoimbo Coordinator  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Maid/Butler  
Con Suite Staff  
Yoimbo Coordinator  
Website Development Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Assistant Director of Relations (Guests, Industry, Hospitality)

RPG Assistant  
RPG Staff  
RPG Staff  
Bartender  
Maid/Butler  
Yoimbo Staff  
Assistant to the Director of Programming  
Viewing Room Coordinator  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
Accessibility Staff  
Panel Tech Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Autograph Staff  
Maid/Butler  
KumoriMarket Coordinator (Exhibits)

Art Show Staff  
Chibi Room Staff  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
Programming Office Staff  
KumoriMarket Coordinator (Exhibits)  
Maid/Butler  
Hospitality Manager

Classic Console Coordinator  
Hitsujikai Staff  
Charity Staff  
Live Events Manager  
Social Media Staff  
Merchandise Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Tabletop Gaming Staff  
Console Tournament Coordinator

Cosplay Staff  
Charity Staff  
Art Show Staff  
Vice Chair (Oversight)  
Assistant Director of Programming  
Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Assistant Merchandise Manager  
Gunpla Lounge Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Merchandise Staff  
Dispatch Coordinator  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Specialty and VIP Registration Staff

Console Gaming Staff  
LAN Gaming Staff  
Hall Cosplay Staff  
Ballroom Staff  
Fashion and Music Coordinator  
Registration Software Development Staff  
Photography Staff  
Escape Room Staff  
Karaoke Staff  
IT Staff  
Attendee Registration Assistant Manager

Marketing Manager  
Cosplay Coordinator  
Attendee Registration Coordinator (in Training)  
Craft Staff  
Facilities Liaison Manager  
Yoimbo Coordinator  
Karaoke Coordinator  
Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
Newsletter Staff

Assistant Director of Relations (Artists, Exhibitors, Charity, Maid Cafe)

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Panel Tech Staff  
RPG Staff  
Karaoke Staff  
Facilities Liaison  
Console Tournament Assistant  
Karaoke Staff  
Green Lounge Coordinator  
Specialty Registration  
Coordinator  
Hitsujikai Staff  
Info Booth Staff  
Dispatch Manager  
Guest Liaison  
Industry Manager  
Console Gaming Staff  
Assistant Director of  
Membership

Locker Coordinator  
Staff and Attendee Services  
Support  
Relations Logistics Coordinator  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Escape Room Staff  
Pro-Bending Staff  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Autograph Staff  
Hitsujikai Manager  
Facilities Liaison  
Registration Software  
Development Coordinator

Gunpla Lounge Coordinator  
Cultural Gaming Coordinator  
Maid/Butler  
Treasury Staff  
Treasury Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Assistant Dispatch Manager  
Assistant to the Director of  
Infrastructure  
Ballroom Staff  
KumoriMarket Staff  
LAN Gaming Staff  
Ballroom Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Head Maid/Butler  
Karaoke Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Chibi Room Assistant  
Console Gaming Staff  
Programming Office Staff  
Con Suite Coordinator  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Merchandise Staff  
RPG Coordinator  
Attendee Registration Staff  
RPG Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Programming Office Coordinator  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
Con Suite Coordinator  
Con Suite Coordinator  
Assistant Major Events Manager  
(Tech)

Autograph Staff  
Console Gaming Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Panel Tech Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Escape Room Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Guest Liaison  
RPG Staff  
Autograph Staff  
Accessibility Manager  
Treasury Staff  
Attendee Registration  
Coordinator  
Assistant Accessibility Manager  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Graphic Design Staff  
Videography Staff  
Videography Coordinator  
Con Suite Shopper/Runner  
Website Development Staff  
Tabletop Library Staff  
Cosplay Staff  
Charity Staff  
Yojimbo Staff  
Craft Staff  
Ballroom Staff  
Panel Tech Coordinator  
Manga Library Staff

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Autograph Staff  
Console Gaming Staff  
AMV Coordinator  
Console Gaming Staff  
AMV Assistant  
Console Gaming Staff  
Maid/Butler  
LAN Gaming Staff  
LAN Gaming Staff  
IT Staff  
Info Booth Manager  
Lighting Equipment Coordinator  
Cultural Coordinator  
Graphic Design Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Treasury Staff  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Con Suite Manager  
Attendee Registration Staff  
RPG Staff  
Manga Library Coordinator  
Merchandise Staff  
Assistant Merchandise Manager  
Merchandise Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Assistant Director of Operations  
Staff and Attendee Services  
Coordinator

Art Show Staff  
Programming Office Staff  
Social Media Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Green Lounge Staff  
Assistant Hitsujikai Manager  
Hall Cosplay Staff  
Videography Staff  
Merchandise Staff  
RPG Staff  
LAN Gaming Staff  
Maid/Butler

Lip Sync Coordinator  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Console Gaming Staff  
Console Gaming Staff  
Console Assistant  
Autograph Staff  
Info Booth Staff

Tabletop Library Staff  
Yojimbo Staff  
Hotel Liaison  
Maid/Butler  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Cosplay Repair Coordinator  
Assistant Treasurer  
Photography Staff  
Registration Software  
Development Manager  
Attendee Registration Manager  
Charity Staff  
Manga Library Staff  
Assistant Tabletop Gaming  
Manager  
Specialty and VIP Registration  
Staff

IT Staff  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Info Booth Staff  
Tabletop Gaming Staff  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Tabletop Gaming Staff  
Maid/Butler  
Karaoke Staff  
KumoriMarket Manager (Artists)  
AMV Staff  
Fan Fiction Coordinator  
Craft Coordinator  
Maid/Butler  
Maid/Butler  
Merchandise Manager  
Merchandise Staff  
Design and Publications Manager  
Manga Library Staff  
Guest Driver  
Treasury Staff  
Info Booth Staff  
Con Suite Staff  
Con Suite Staff  
IT Staff

Major Events Tech Staff  
Attendee Registration  
Coordinator

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Staff Registration Check-In  
Coordinator  
Staff Registration Coordinator  
Guest Driver  
Graphic Design Staff  
Merchandise Manager  
Staff Education Manager  
Merchandise Staff  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Locker Coordinator  
TCG Coordinator  
Attendee Registration Staff  
Tabletop Gaming Staff  
Assistant Director of  
Infrastructure (Convention)

Panel Tech Staff  
Autograph Staff  
Quartermaster  
Chibi Room Staff  
Manga Library Staff  
Karaoke Staff  
Manga Library Staff  
KumoriMarket Coordinator  
(Artists)

Hitsujikai Staff  
Assistant Hitsujikai Manager  
Head Maid/Butler  
Tabletop Gaming Staff  
Play and Win Assistant  
Con Suite Staff  
Dispatch Staff  
Major Events Tech Staff  
Specialty and VIP Registration  
Staff

Social Media Staff  
Social Media Manager  
RPG Staff  
Social Media Staff  
Maitre d'Sweet  
Assistant Major Events Manager  
(Events)

Specialty Registration Manager  
Assistant Director of Operations  
KumoriMarket Staff  
Video Gaming Manager  
Panel Mod Staff  
Staff Registration Check-In  
Assistant Manager

Guest Gopher  
Assistant Video Gaming Manager  
(Console)  
Load-In/Load-Out Staff  
Chibi Room Coordinator  
Autograph Staff  
RPG Staff  
Info Booth Staff  
Assistant Video Gaming Manager  
(LAN)

Staff Registration Check-In Staff  
Con Suite Staff  
Cabinet Coordinator  
Autograph Staff  
Staff Registration Check-In  
Manager

Info Booth Staff  
TCG Staff  
Tabletop Gaming Staff  
LAN Gaming Staff  
Green Room Coordinator  
Autograph Staff  
Partner Table Coordinator  
Specialty and VIP Registration  
Staff

Hall Cosplay Staff  
Cosplay Repair Staff  
Specialty Event Manager  
Merchandise Staff  
Staff and Attendee Services  
Support  
Panelist Staff  
Console Gaming Staff  
Vice Chair (Staff and Attendee  
Services)

Maid/Butler  
Assistant Director of  
Membership

Locker Coordinator  
RPG Staff  
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