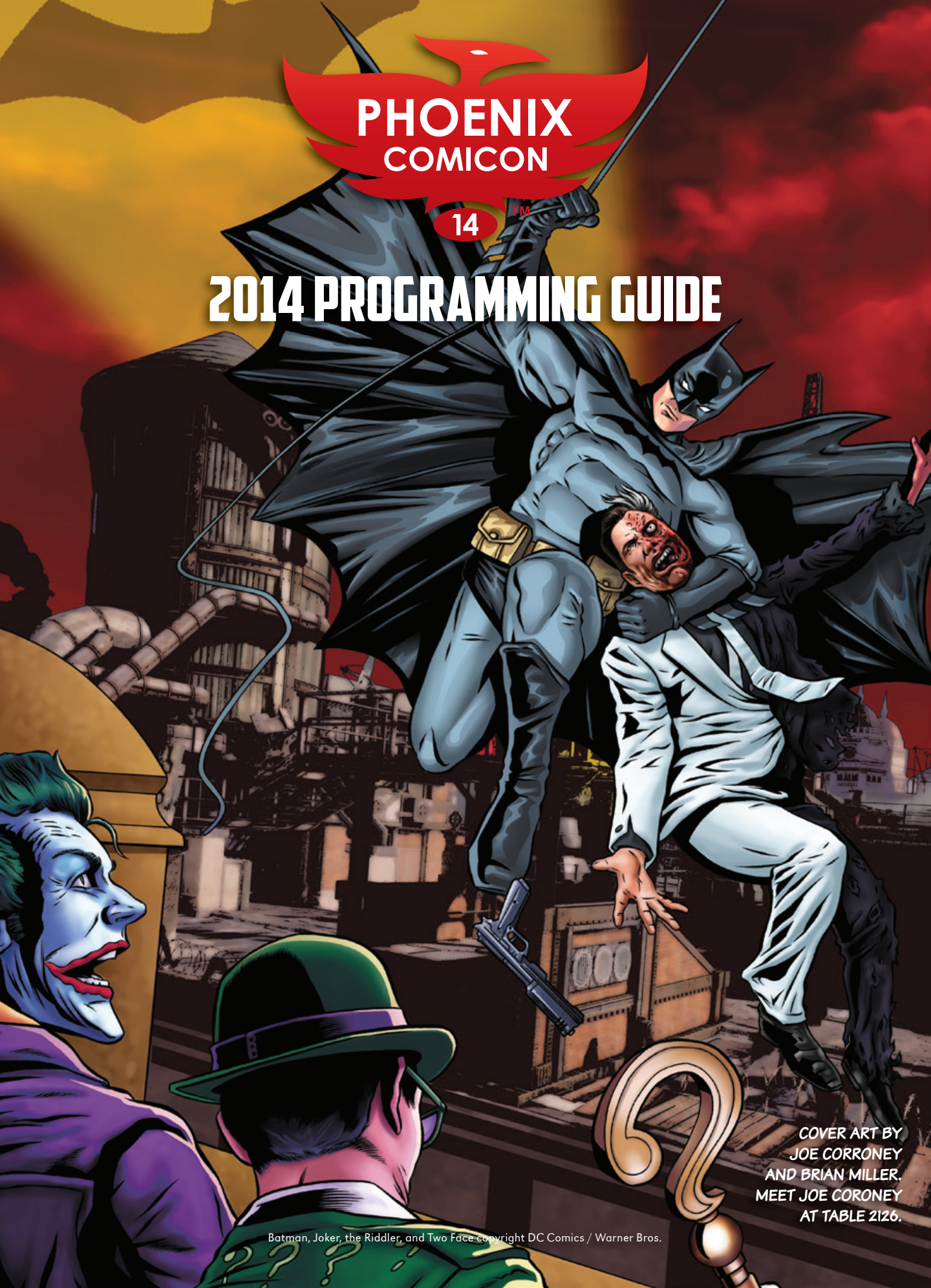




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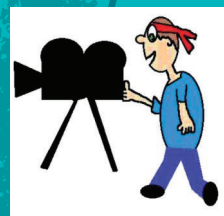
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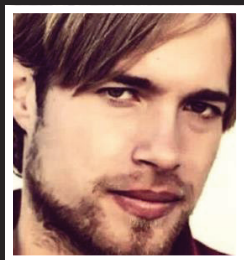
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PANEL GUESTS!*



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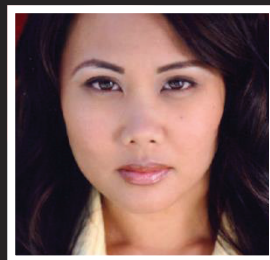
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and summer in Arizona!

Comic books and water typically don't mix well. Water can destroy comic books and within comic book mythology, us land walkers regularly get attacked by Prince Namor and Aquaman has to consistently answer criticisms that his power is somehow lame.

Yet water features prominently in Phoenix Comicon with our Peter Pan Pirate Pool Party (Sheraton pool, Saturday at 2PM) along with Mermaids lounging outside the South Building (every day).

Most importantly: We want you to drink water. We want you to drink lots of it all weekend.

One of the main medical calls we receive during Phoenix Comicon is dehydration and heat stroke. By the time you realize you're thirsty you are already dehydrated.

It's easy to forget to drink water. We're inside air conditioned spaces having fun with friends, maybe dressed up in costume, excited to meet our favorite creator or actor. Even without any physical activity the Arizona desert and heat will dehydrate you. It's important to remember to drink water regularly throughout the day and into the night. (And its water we want you to drink: soda, coffee, and tea will not help hydrate you, while water will).

There are drinking fountains throughout the building. Bring in a water jug and fill it regularly. Or swing by any of the numerous food kiosks and buy a bottle of water.

Remind your friends and family to drink water and we'll all have a fun (and safe) Phoenix Comicon!

Hail Hydrate!

MATT SOLBERG
Convention Director

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HOURS

Exhibitor Hall

(located in North Building Lower Level Halls 1-6):

Thursday	6PM - 9PM
Friday	10AM - 7PM
Saturday	10AM - 7PM
Sunday	10AM - 6PM

Registration

(located in South Building Hall F):

Thursday	Noon - 9PM
Friday	9AM - 8PM
Saturday	8AM - 8PM
Sunday	9AM - 5PM

PROGRAMMING HOURS:

North Building First and Second Floors:

Thursday	4:30 PM - 11:30PM
Friday	10:30 AM - 11:30 PM
Saturday	10:30 AM - 11:30 PM
Sunday	10:30 AM - 5:30 PM

Hyatt Regency Programming:

Thursday	2:00 PM - 2:00 AM
Friday	10:00 AM - 2:00 AM
Saturday	10:00 AM - 2:00 AM
Sunday	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Sheraton Programming:

Thursday	9:00 PM - 12:00AM
Friday	10:30 AM - 12:00 AM
Saturday	10:30 AM - 12:00 AM
Sunday	10:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Renaissance Downtown Programming:

Thursday	6:30 PM - 2:00 AM
Friday	5:00 PM - 2:00 AM
Saturday	5:00 PM - 2:00 AM

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Our policies are to ensure the safety and enjoyment of all of our attendees, guests, volunteers, and exhibitors while working in conjunction with federal, state, and local laws along with the policies of the Phoenix Convention Center and the Hyatt Regency.

Phoenix Comicon reserves the right to revoke the membership badge of anyone found in violation of these policies. Any violation which involves activities prohibited by law will result in notification of the proper authorities.

MEMBERSHIP FEES/BADGES

- Membership fees are non-refundable
- Badges must be worn and visible at all times. Individuals without badges will not be allowed in convention space.
- Acceptance of a Phoenix Comicon membership badge and admission to the convention constitutes an agreement to allow Phoenix Comicon, its agents, or assignees to use your image and/or likeness for advertising or promotion by the Phoenix Comicon by any media now known or hereafter devised.
- It is unlawful to duplicate Phoenix Comicon membership badges.
- Each badge admits one person to the Phoenix Comicon.
- Badges are non-transferable and non-replaceable.

ANIMALS

Service and assistance animals are permitted in all public areas and at all times. No other animals will be permitted in convention space.

FIREARMS

As a licensed liquor establishment, the Phoenix Convention Center is

governed by Arizona law which prohibits the possession of firearms at the Phoenix Convention Center by any person other than a law enforcement officer. Personal possession of firearms is therefore prohibited, including concealed and non-concealed firearms and weapons.

PROPS/WEAPONS

Please refer to the Phoenix Comicon Weapons Policy on our website for complete information about props/weapons.

CHILDREN

All children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult (18+) at all times.

CURFEW

Daily curfew hours for the city of Phoenix are from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m. for children 15 years old and younger and midnight to 5 a.m. for 16 and 17 years old. Curfew hours apply seven days a week year round. Children that are on legitimate business authorized by a parent or guardian, or in the care and custody of another adult, are not in violation of the curfew ordinance. Phoenix city ordinance code (pcc 22-3) places responsibility on parents and guardians to supervise their juvenile children and to take custody of them if they violate curfew.

BELONGINGS

Phoenix Comicon is not liable for missing belongings. Lost and Found is located at the Phoenix Comicon Information Desk at the North Building lower level lobby.

DISTRIBUTION OF FLIERS AND OTHER MATERIALS

There will be no distribution of fliers or other materials without prior

approval of Phoenix Comicon. Fliers and other materials left in convention space without approval will be discarded.

CONVENTION BEHAVIOR

The following behaviors are not allowed at Phoenix Comicon:

- Disruptive or unsafe behavior that disturbs attendees, volunteers, guests, or exhibitors
- Sleeping in convention space
- Physical or verbal harassment of volunteers, guests, exhibitors, or other attendees
- Destruction or defacement of Convention Center or hotel property
- Sexual misconduct such as indecent exposure, offensive touching, or sexual harassment
- Unwanted touching without permission of the individual such as glomping, hugging, etc.
- Any activity prohibited by law

HOTEL SPACE

- Hotel elevators are for hotel guests and convention staff only. Please do not loiter in hotel elevators.
- Please behave respectfully in the hotel space and take care not to disturb non-convention hotel guests. Convention attendees who are found disturbing other hotel guests on hotel property are subject to disciplinary action, including revocation of membership badge.

MUSIC

Amplified music is prohibited in convention space.

DANCING

Dancing is not permitted in the Exhibitor Hall at any time. Dancing is not permitted in hallways or walkways. If

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you would like to dance, please do so outside in an open area that does not disrupt convention activity.

SIGNS

- The construction and display of signs by attendees is not allowed. This includes but is not limited to such signs as "Free Hugs", "Will Yuri for Yaoi", or "Glomps for Cash". Attendees carrying such signage will be warned and have the sign confiscated. Phoenix Comicon staff reserves the right to revoke the badges of attendees carrying such signs. Signs that are a necessary part of a costume may be permitted with the approval of convention staff. For questions regarding acceptable signs, please contact: costuming@phoenixcomicon.com
- The posting of signs is prohibited in all convention space.

PHOTOGRAPHY

- When taking pictures, please be conscious of traffic around you and do not block walkways for extended periods.
- Please be considerate and ask before taking pictures of other attendees, guests, or staff.

COSTUMES

- Above all, Phoenix Comicon is a family-friendly event. Please exercise modesty when wearing your costume. If Phoenix Comicon staff feels your costume is too revealing or offensive to other attendees, you may be asked to change. If you have questions about what is acceptable, please contact: costuming@phoenixcomicon.com.
- All cosplayers must have a clear line of sight while wearing their costumes.

- Shoes are required to be worn while in convention space. You may remove your shoes for photos if desired, but they must be replaced directly after the photo is taken.
- Roller Skates/Blades may not be worn inside Convention Center or hotel.
- Depictions of swastikas are not allowed and will be asked to be removed.
- If your costume has pieces that extend from it (wings, spikes, armor, etc.) or you are carrying a large prop, please be aware of your surroundings and of people around you. You may be asked to change your costume or remove your prop from convention space if it is found to be disruptive or dangerous.
- Please do not block doorways, walkways, or exits with your costume, props, or costume pieces.

HARASSMENT AND DISCRIMINATION

Phoenix Comicon is firmly committed to providing a positive experience free of discrimination and bias. Each attendee is personally responsible for maintaining such an environment. Phoenix Comicon prohibits any actions, words, jokes, or comments based on an individual's race, sex, sexual preferences, ethnic background, age, religion, physical condition, or other legally protected characteristic. Any conduct or action, whether overt or subtle, which creates an offensive or hostile environment is prohibited and will be grounds for immediate disciplinary action.

Phoenix Comicon prohibits any harassment between volunteers, attendees, or guests on the basis of sex. No person, male or female, should be subjected to unsolicited

or unwelcome sexual overtones and conduct, either verbal or physical. Misconduct applies to both males and females, and includes harassment between individuals of both sexes and the same sex. Any person who believes he or she is a victim of sexual or discriminatory harassment is encouraged to let the harasser know that his or her behavior is unwelcome. In addition, those who believe they have been harassed should immediately report the matter to Convention Security, Police or Phoenix Comicon Staff.

COSPLAY IS NOT CONSENT

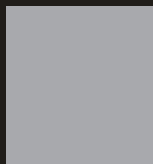
Phoenix Comicon supports the movement "Cosplay is not Consent" to empower fan convention costume enthusiasts (aka "cosplayers") to SPEAK OUT against inappropriate social behavior of a sexual and/or stereotypical nature for themselves and fellow fans... cosplay is NOT consent!

The culture of Cosplay is one of fun, creativity, and mutual respect. Unfortunately, not every fan adheres to the "respect" part. Cosplay is NOT Consent - and cosplayers who dress in (sometimes) revealing costumes should not accept inappropriate behavior from their peers. Speak out; speak up; and help keep cosplay comfortable and fun!

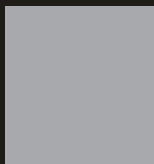
You should make every attempt to gain direct consent on all photographs of cosplay, including all private photographers. All photographers, commercial and private, should refrain from taking secret photos or photos of cosplayers in compromised positions and should not take photos with the intent of commercialization without consent of the subject. Cosplayers love to have their photos taken, so just be polite and ask!

CONVENTION CAMPUS MAP

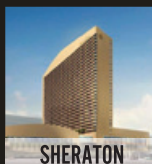
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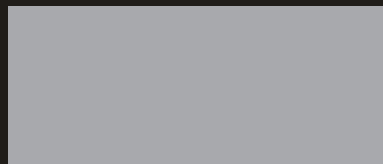


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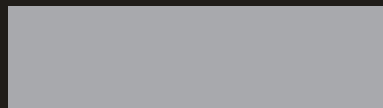


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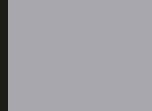
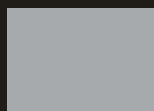
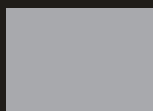


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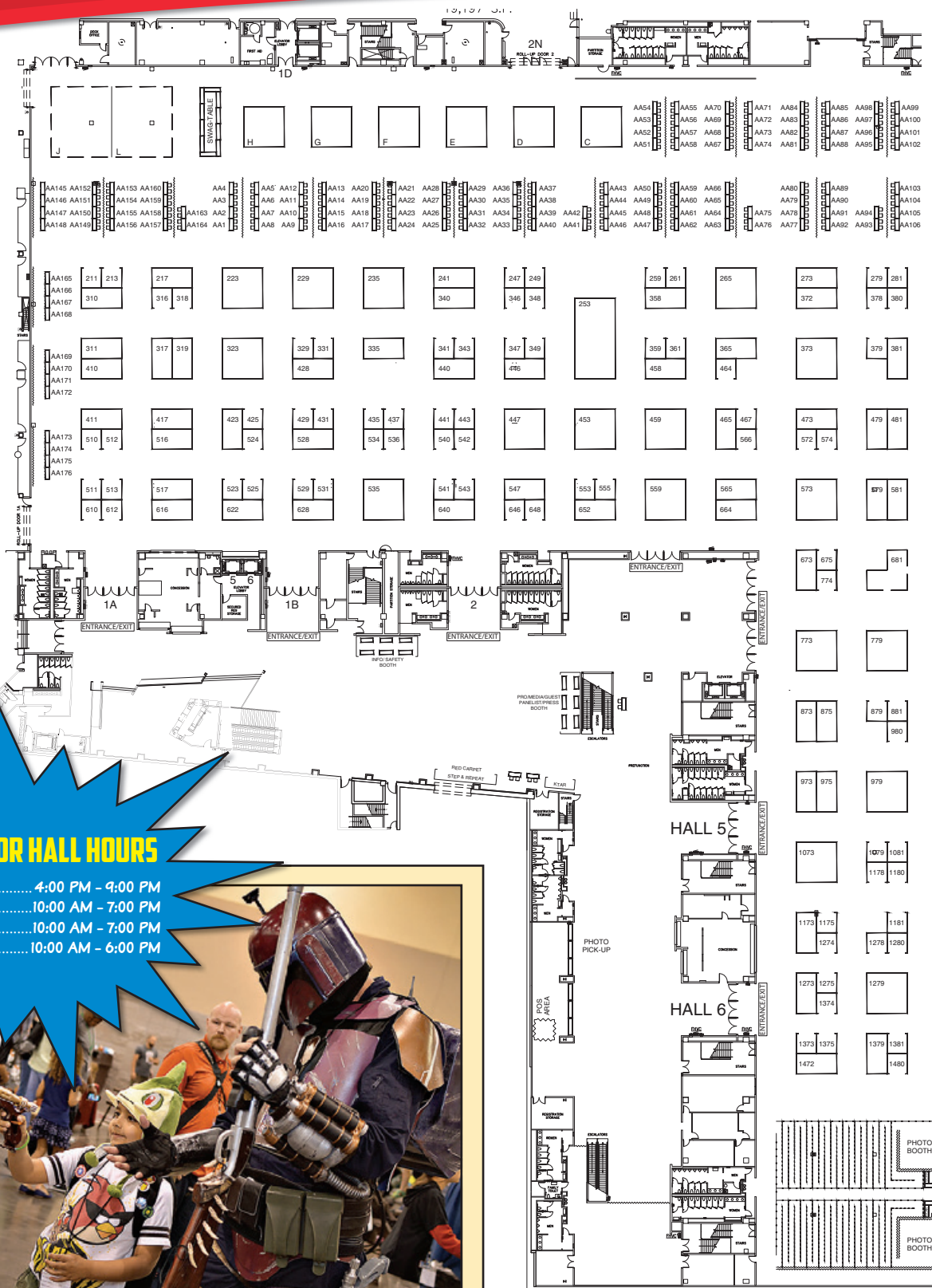
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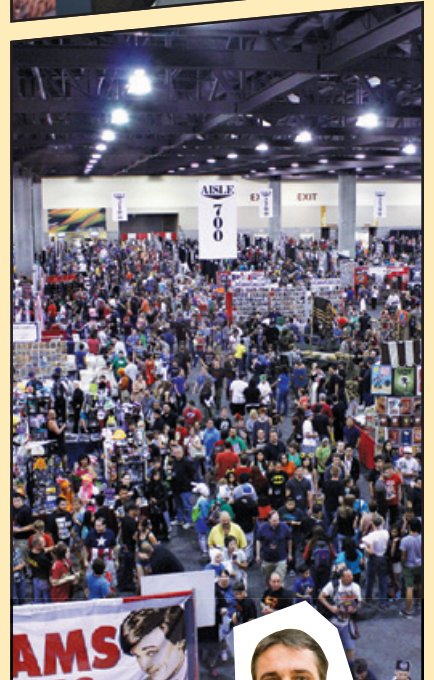
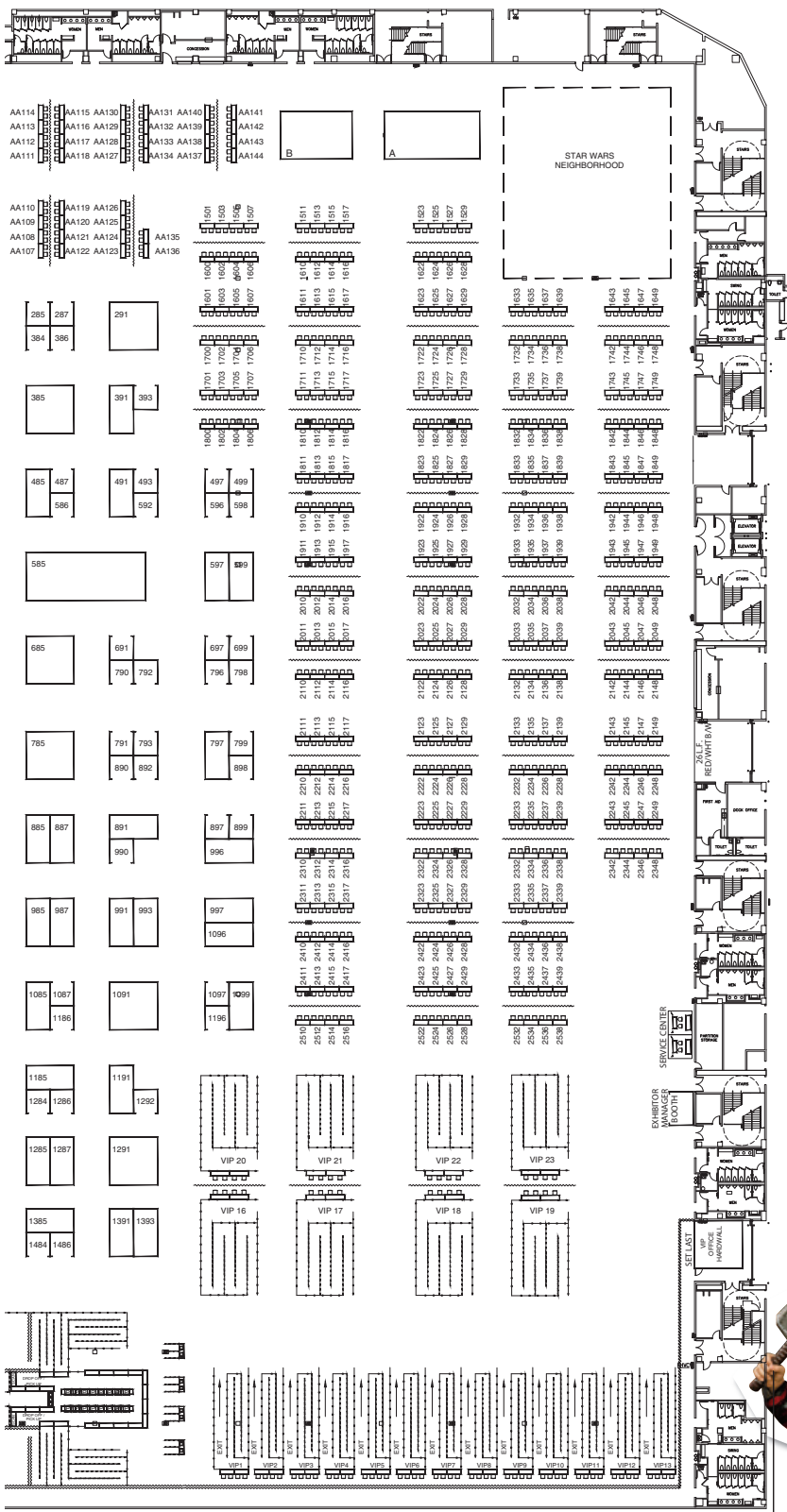
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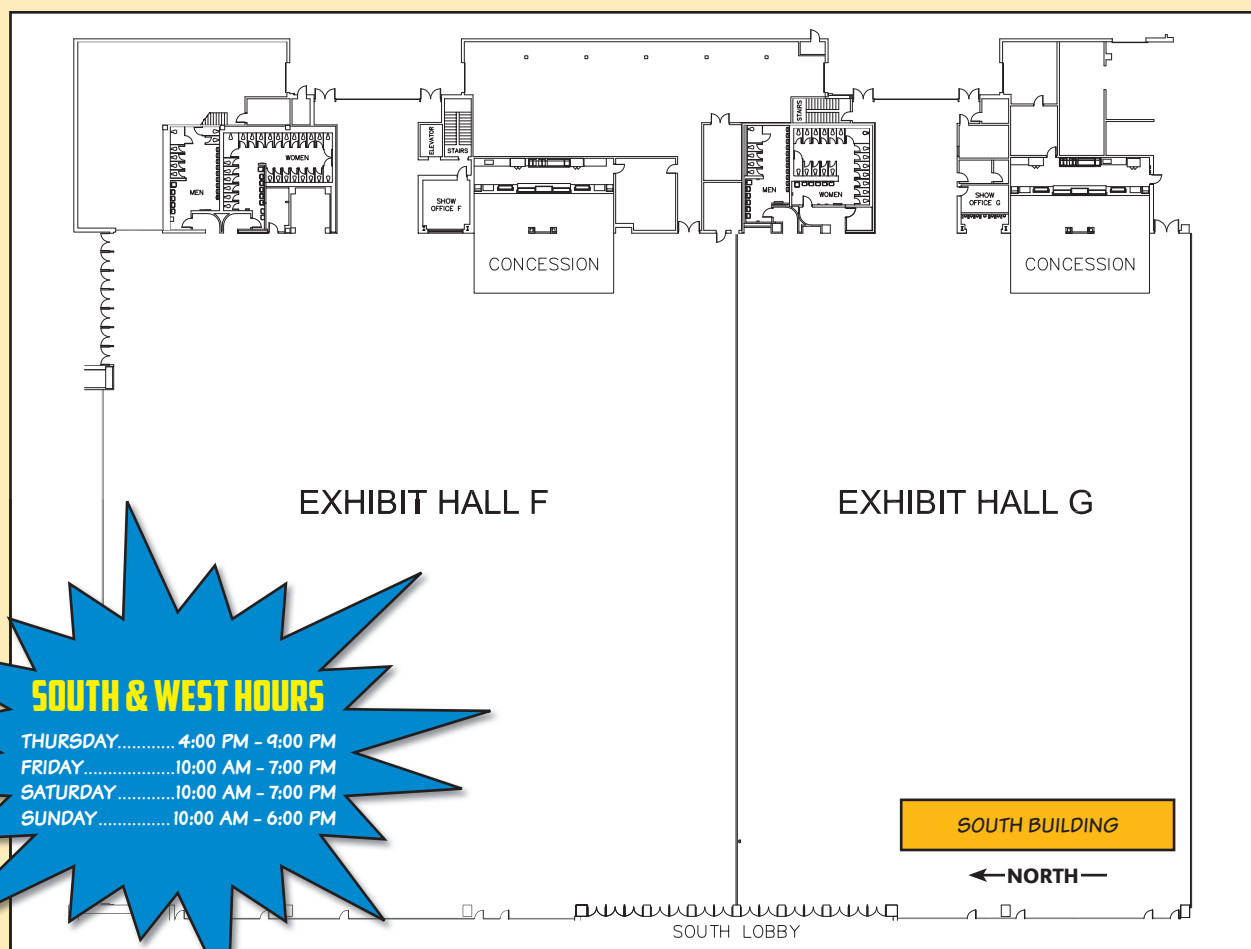
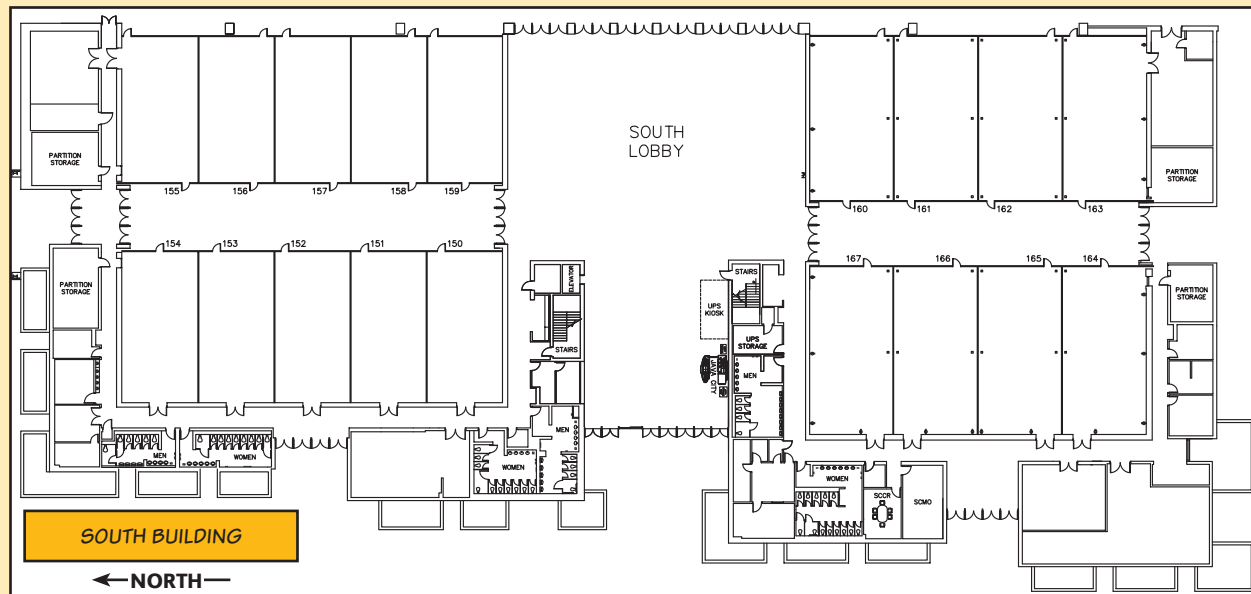
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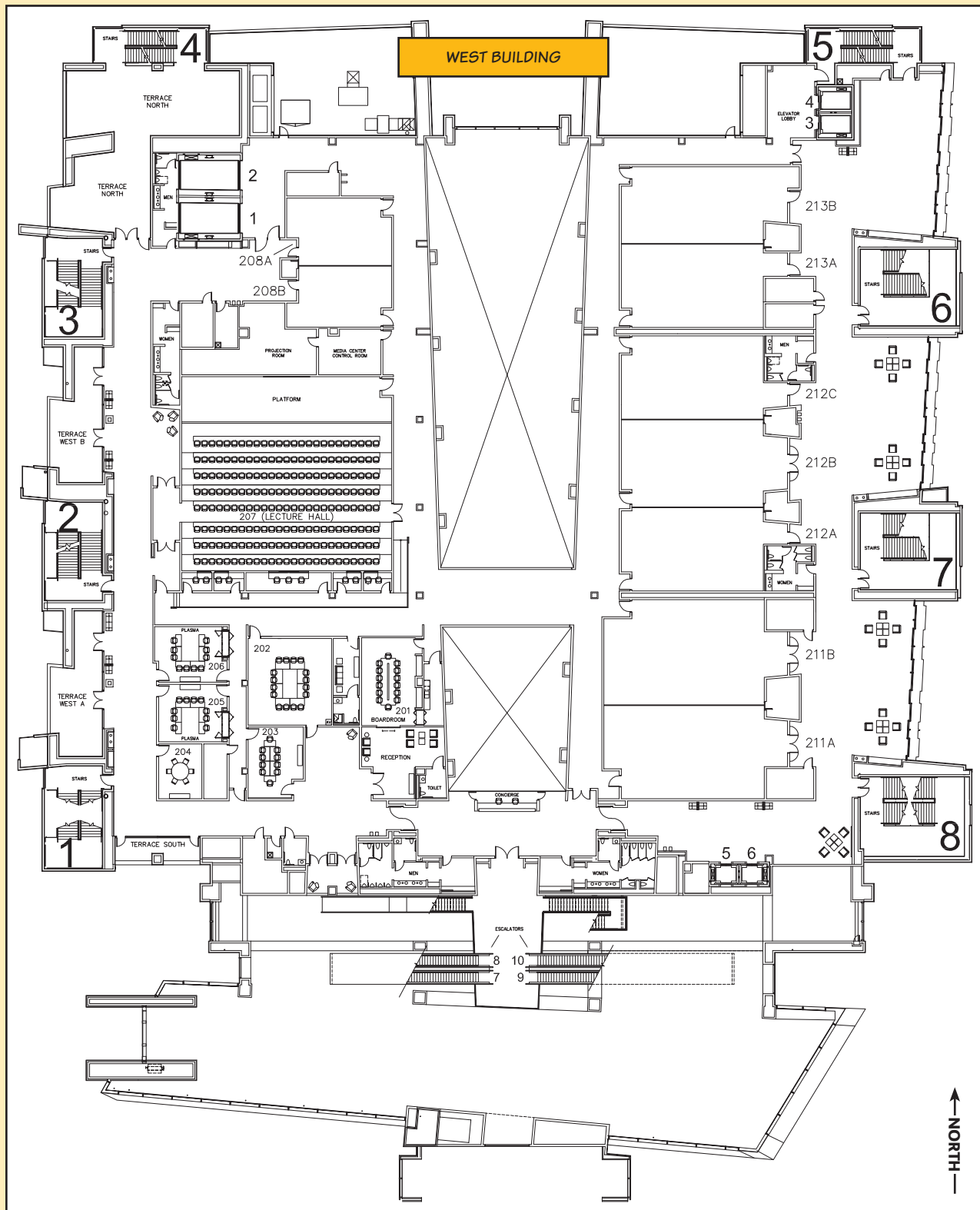
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SOUTH & WEST HOURS

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SOUTH & WEST BUILDING



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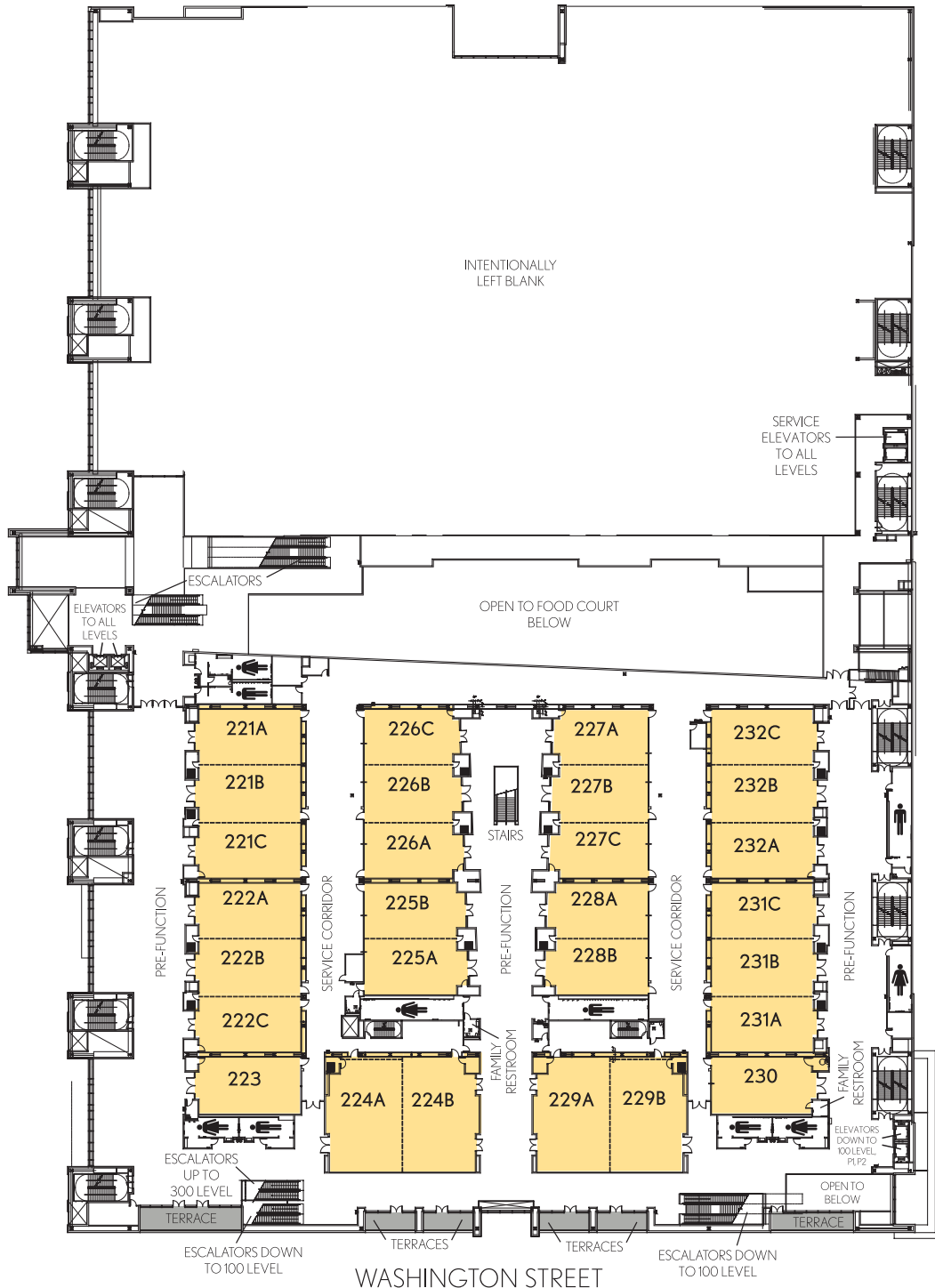
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SECOND FLOOR

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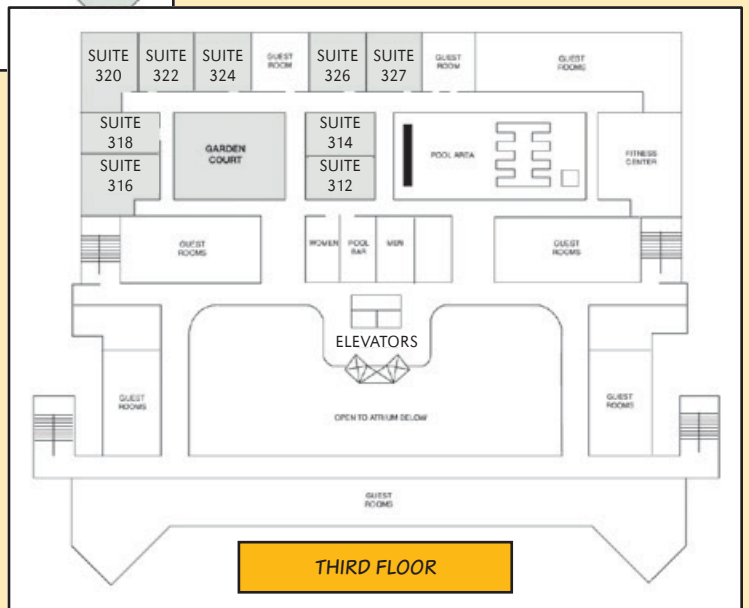
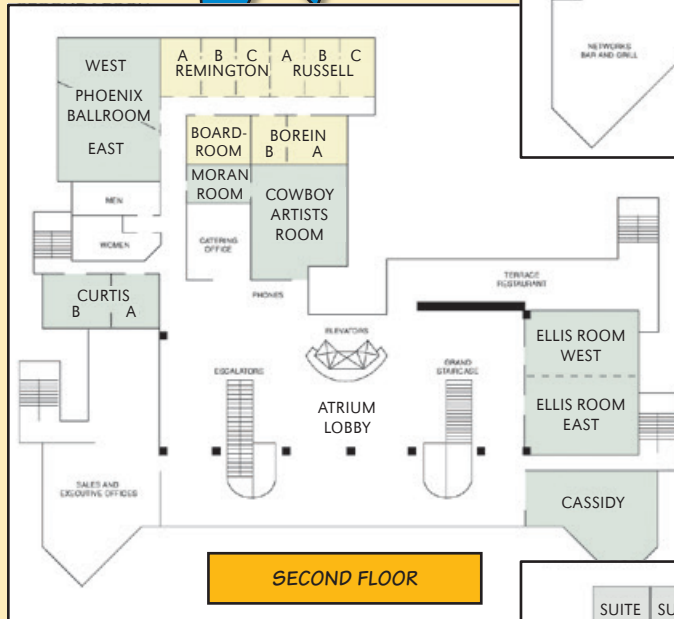
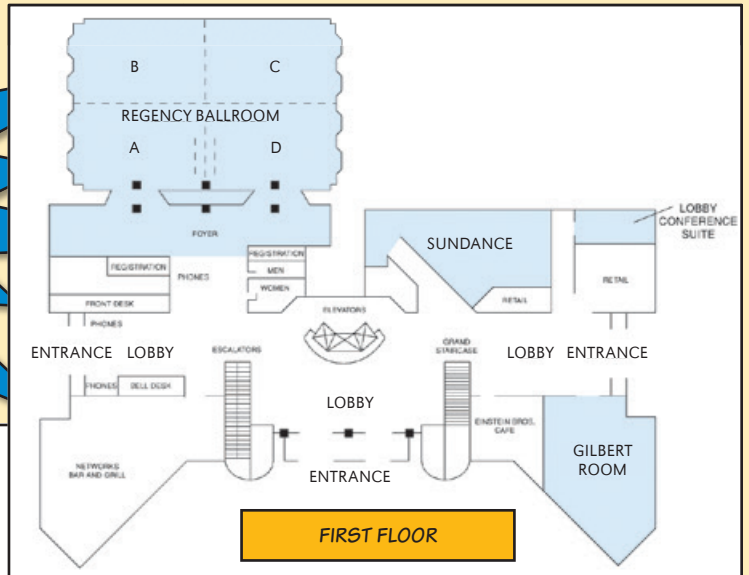
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HYATT PROGRAMMING HOURS

THURSDAY.....2:00 PM - 2:00 AM
FRIDAY.....10:00 AM - 2:00 AM
SATURDAY.....10:00 AM - 2:00 AM
SUNDAY.....10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Tabletop gaming and our extensive gaming schedule begins in the Hyatt atrium Thursday 4:00 PM and continues throughout the day and night till Sunday 4:00 PM



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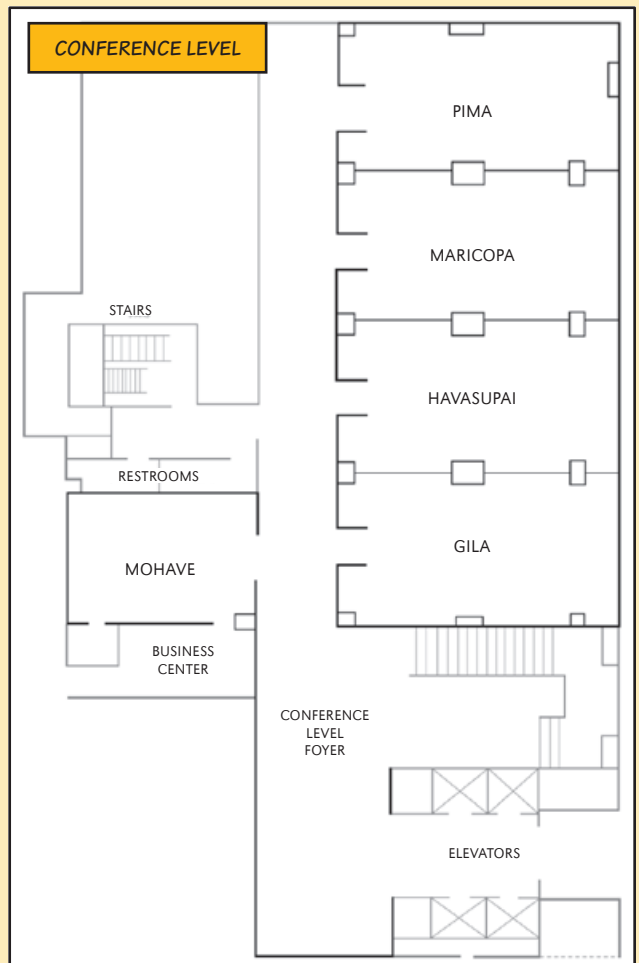
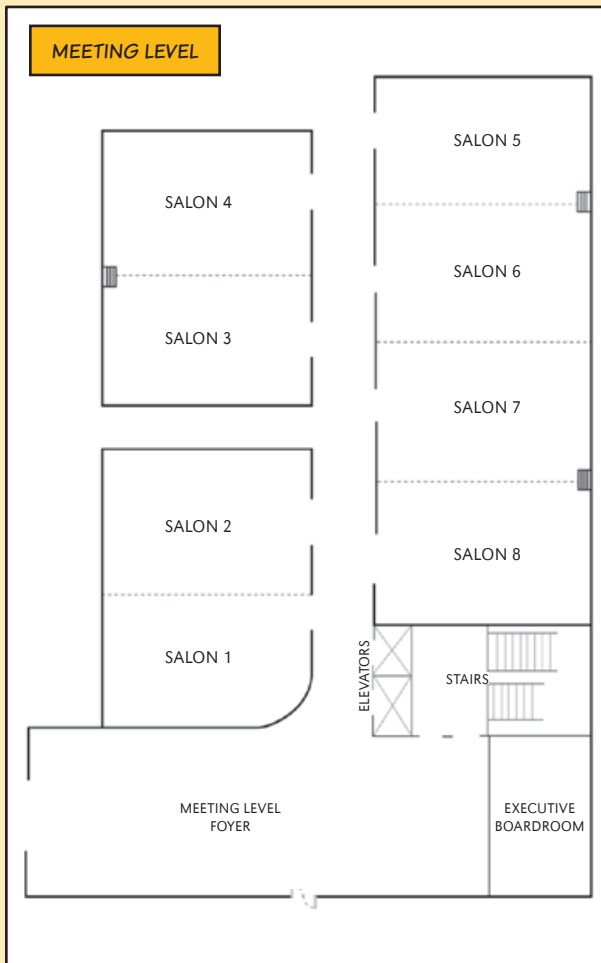
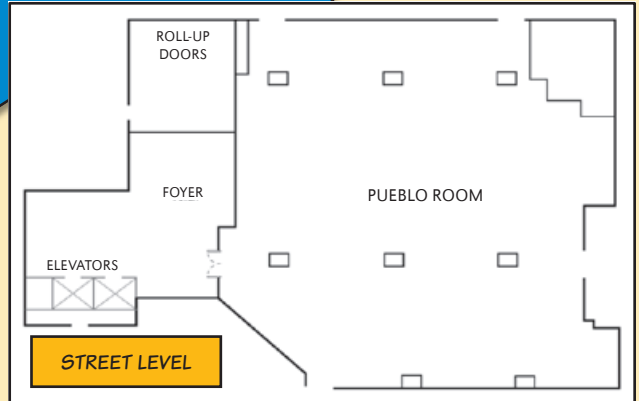
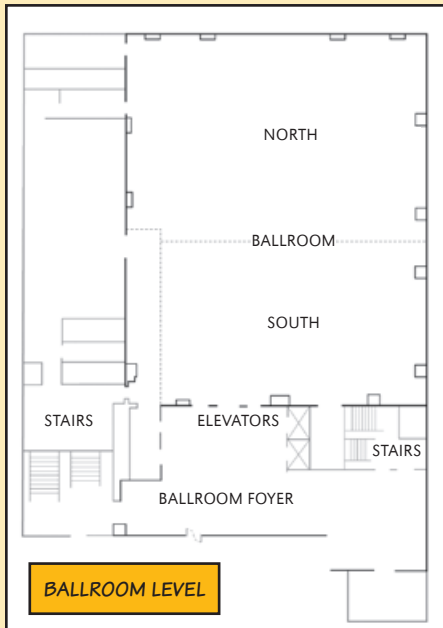
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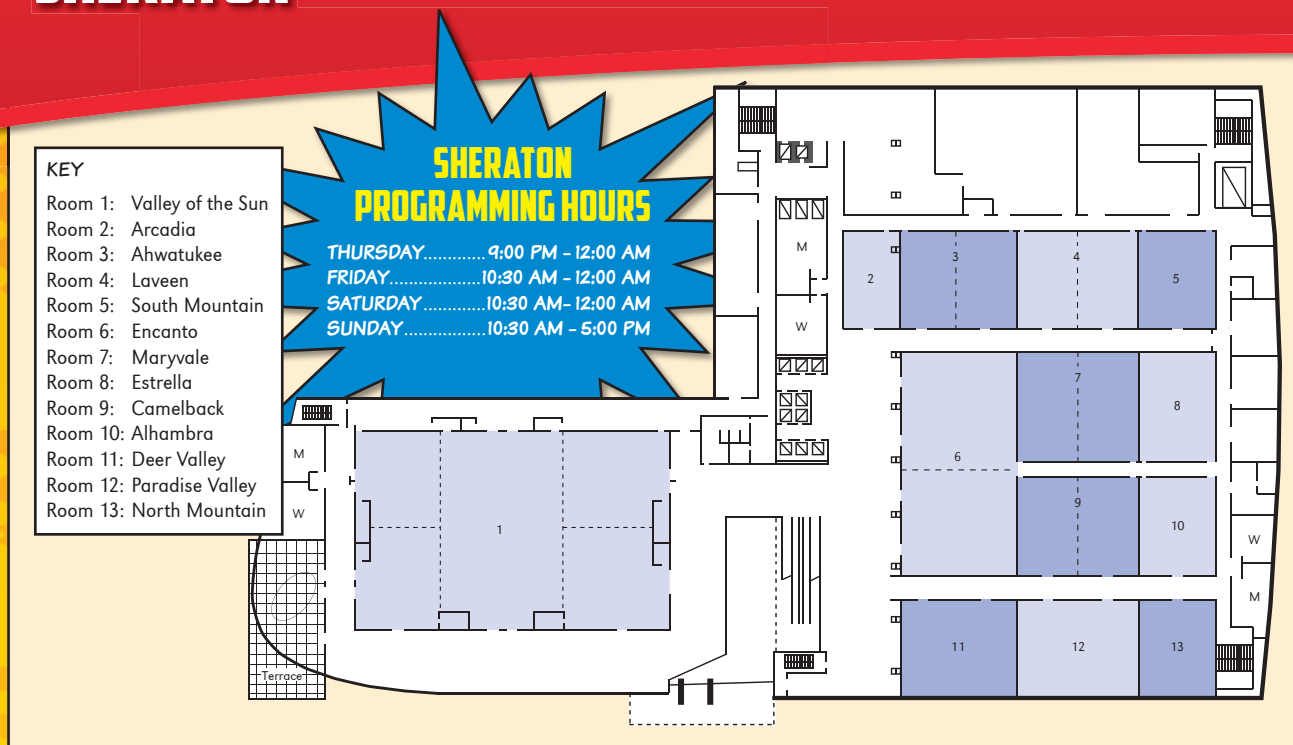
RENAISSANCE DOWNTOWN PROGRAMMING HOURS

THURSDAY..... 6:30 PM - 2:00 AM

FRIDAY..... 5:00 PM - 2:00 AM

SATURDAY..... 5:00 PM - 2:00 AM





OUTDOOR PROGRAMMING ON 3RD STREET

Arizona Chapter of the Society for Creative Anachronism - Thu-Sun

Join the Society for Creative Anachronism artisans and warriors as they present various aspects of the Middle Ages with various activities offered at multiple times throughout the day.

ASU - Arizona Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies Booth - Thu-Sun
Step back in time for medieval weaponry, chain mail, catapults, tapestries and more! Learn about our academic and public programs like Bagwyn Books, the Fearless Females lecture series, our historical fiction imprint and Traveling Classroom Project.

Arizona National Guard Booth - Thu-Sun
Just as the colonial militia served its community first, you will find plenty of opportunity to serve yours with the Arizona National Guard. Cool displays, fun swag and challenging activities from these citizen-soldiers.

Astronomical Viewing with the Phoenix Astronomical Society - Thu-Sat: 7:30-10:00pm
Come learn more about this group at their telescopes as they scan the night sky for highlights including the moon, Jupiter, Saturn, Mars and more!

AZ RESCUE - Fri-Sat
The focus of this non-profit, all-volunteer group is rescuing cats and dogs from county shelters' euthanasia lists and keeping them until they find a home. Come meet a few of our awesome dogs and learn more about volunteering, adopting or donating.

Chalk Drawing - Fri-Sun: 10:30-11:30am
Join us outside on the patio of the South Building and see artists create chalk masterpieces right before your eyes! And while you're there, try your hand at creating your own chalk artwork.

FIRST Robotics Booth - Sat
FIRST is a continuum of programs designed to engage youth in Sport

for the Mind. Come meet their local Lego League (FLL) and Robotics Competition (FRC) teams as they share, not only their experiences, but also the incredible robots they've designed.

Flood Control District of Maricopa County - Thu-Sat
Fun in the sun! Bring your kids so they can learn all about flood water safety from our brand new activity-style comic book. There will also be activities to create a hydrologic cycle and learn about the river systems in Maricopa County.

La Fratellanza della Spada Booth - Sat
This Western Martial Arts Club of Arizona is a modern practitioner of the medieval arts. Come see various types of weapons, learn how they were used, try on some armor and find out if you too have the calling to take up the blade!

Mermaid Lagoon - Thu-Sun
Come get a glimpse into the world of Moon Mermaid and her friends. See mermaids and pirates in their natural habitat in the lagoon outside on the patio area of the South Building.

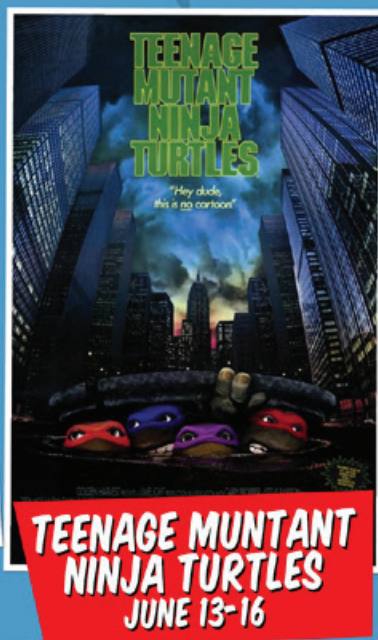
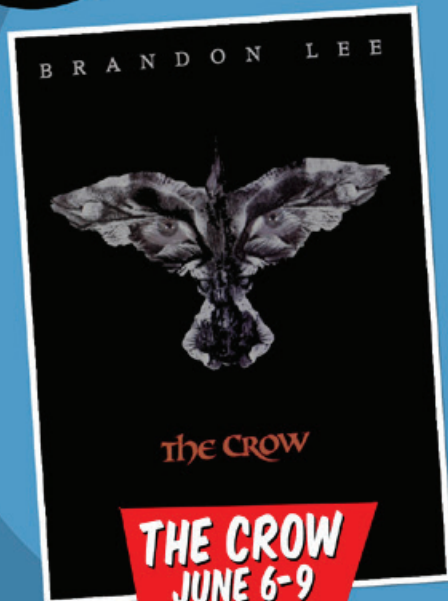
Phoenix Comicon Car Show - Thu-Sun
If you're a fan of fusion-powered time machines, folding robots or retro creek-leaping muscle, jump on the opportunity to see some of your favorite TV and movie cars, along with some of the other righteous rides outside the Con.

Summer Camp Activities with Arizona Camp Sunrise - Sat-Sun
Get your face painted, make a survival bracelet and learn about the exciting programs of Arizona Camp Sunrise! Arizona Camp Sunrise is a non-profit, all volunteer, medically-staffed summer camp for children with cancer and their siblings.

VIPAirsoft Arena Shooting Booth - Thu-Sun
Come test your skills at the VIPAirsoft Shooting Booth for pride and prizes, hosted by Arizona's largest indoor airsoft arena. Come shoot for bragging rights or just show off for your friends - the fastest shooters win guns and gear!

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11:30 AM	Mark Sheppard (\$40)	11:30 AM	Austin St. John (\$40)
12:45 PM	Todd Habberkorn (\$40)	12:45 PM	Walter Jones (\$30)
1:30 PM	David Yost (\$40)	1:30 PM	Eliza Dushku (\$50)
2:15 PM	Danny Glover (\$50)	2:45 PM	Richard Dean Anderson (\$75)
3:15 PM	Power Rangers: Austin St. John, Walter Jones, David Yost (\$80)	4:00 PM	John Ratzenberger (\$50)
4:15 PM	Kelly LeBrock (\$50)	4:45 PM	John Barrowman (\$50)
5:00 PM	Manu Bennett (\$40)		
Saturday		Saturday	
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11:45 AM	Batman- Adam West, Burt Ward, Julie Newmar (\$135)	12:15 PM	Bruce Campbell (\$40)
12:00 PM	Batman- Adam West, Burt Ward (\$105)	2:15 PM	Manu Bennett (\$40)
12:15 PM	Burt Ward (\$60)	3:00 PM	John Ratzenberger (\$50)
12:30 PM	Adam West (\$65)	3:45 PM	Richard Dean Anderson (\$75)
1:30 PM	Crispin Freeman (\$30)	4:45 PM	Catherine Bach (\$50)
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2:45 PM	Kelly LeBrock (\$50)		
3:30 PM	Mark Sheppard (\$40)		
4:15 PM	Danny Glover (\$50)		
5:00 PM	John Barrowman (\$50)		
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2:00 PM	Adam West (\$65)		
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2:45 PM	David Yost (\$40)		
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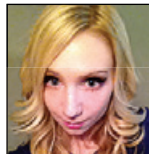
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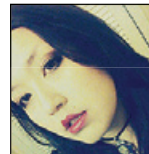
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Smoke, Kat & Mouse,
Valentine



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Wolverine



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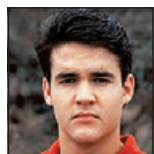
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Darkness, Witch-
blade, The Goon



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Comic Creator: Shi,
Victoria Cross, The
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Record Heat



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PETERSON**
Comic Artist: The
Age of Ultron, X-Men,
Cyberforce



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Comic Artist: Strange
Tales, New Mutants,
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Comic Artist: Back-
lash, The Flash, Teen
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CARRIE VAUGHN
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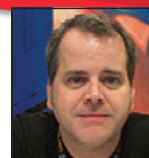
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Comic Artist: Justice League, Flashpoint



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Author, Screenwriter, Producer: The Crazy Ones, Arrested Development



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DOUGLAS PASZKIEWICZ
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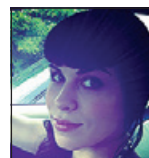
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Artist: Brain Rot, Wizzywig, Deleterious Pedigree



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Avengers, Blackest
Night



GREG VAN EEKHOUT
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Bones, Norse Code,
Kid vs Squid



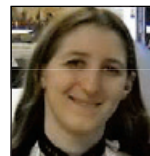
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letproof Monk



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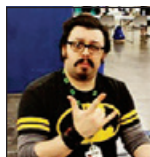
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Costumer: Titan
Maximum, Heroes of
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venture Time, Bravest
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Zombies vs. Cheer-
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Author: The Pros-
pero's War series, The
Sabina Kane series



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Comic Creator: Imag-
inatives, Monkey in
Space, Drunk Robot



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Wolf, River Runs Red,
Zombie Cop



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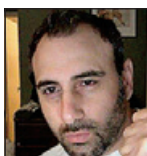
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Author: The Dresden
Files, Codex Alera, The
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JIM CHEUNG
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Avengers: The Child-
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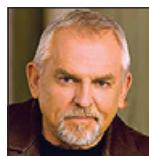
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Anti-Hero Band
Press, Youth in Asia,
Fuzzyface



JOHN EAVES
Designer, Illustrator:
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Deep Space Nine,
Enterprise



JOHN LAYMAN
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Strikes Back, Toy
Story, Cars



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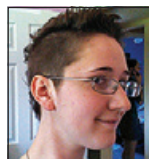
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Quest series, Dead
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lustrator: Validation,
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Death, Crossed,
BloodRayne, Uber,
Hero Worship



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Batman, Avengers



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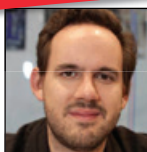


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Comic Writer: Transformers, GI Joe



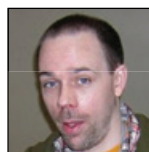
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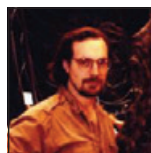
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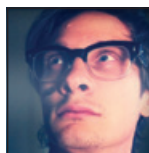
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MIKE TRCIC
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MIKE S. MILLER
Comic Artist, Writer: The Imaginaries, Deal with the Devil, RLC



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MOLLY IDLE



MYKE COLE
Author: Shadow Ops: Control Point, Fortress Frontier, Breach Zone



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Comedian: Comedy Mutant Tour



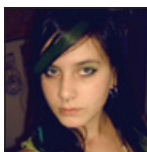
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Comic Artist, Writer: Blindsight, Demon-slayer, Youngblood



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Author: His Majesty's Dragon, Temeraire, Blood of Tyrants



NATHAN FILLION
Actor: Firefly, Castle, Dr. Horrible's Sing Along Blog



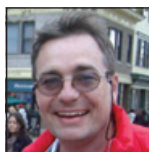
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OLIVER HOLLER
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PAIGE BRADDOCK
Comic Artist: Jane's World, The Martian Confederacy



PATRICK ROTHFUSS
Author: The Name of the Wind, The Wise Man's Fear, The Doors of Stone



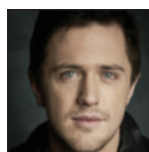
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Musician, Host: Learning Town



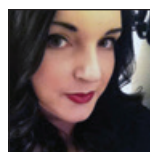
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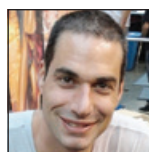
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Author: The Red Rising Trilogy



RACHEL DEERING
Author: Anathema series, In the Dark



RADI LEWIS
Comic Writer: Techwatch



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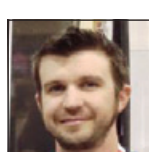
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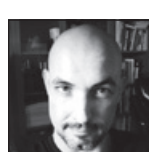
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Actor: MacGyver, Stargate SG-1, Stargate Atlantis



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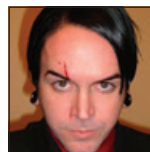
ROB HICKS
Comic Artist: Inspirational Visions, Miserable Dastards, Ronin Illustrated



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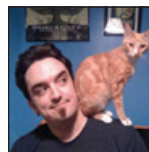
ROMAN DIRGE
Comic Writer, Artist: Lenore, Haunted Manion, Peter the Pirate Squid



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RYAN QUACKENBUSH
Comic Artist: Strange Streets, Peony

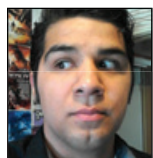


RYAN WINN
Comic Artist: The Darkness, Batman, Green Arrow, Uncanny X-Men

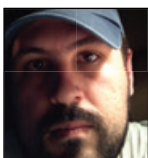


SAM SYKES
Author: The Aeon's Get series, Bring Down Heaven series

GUEST BIOS



SANTINO CASTANEDA
Comic Artist: Ash-Tray
Comics Kids! Ash-Tray
Comics Holiday
Special



SCOTT GODLEWSKI
Comic Artist: Code-
breakers, Dracula,
ICARUS



SCOTT KOLINS
Comic Writer, Artist:
Avengers, The Flash,
Spider-Man, Green
Lantern



SCOTT LYNCH
Author: The Lies of
Locke Lamora, The
Republic of Thieves



SEANAN MCGUIRE
Author: October
Daye, InCryptid se-
ries, Newsflesh series
as Mira Grant



**SHANNON ERIC
DENTON**
Designer, Artist:
Komikwerks, Cartoon
Network, Paramount,
Fox Kids



SHAUN MANNING
Comic Writer: Dark
Horse Presents,
HOPE: New Orleans



SHONNA SLAYTON
Author: Cinderella's
Dress



SINA GRACE
Comic Writer, Artist:
Adventure Time, The
Darkness, The Walk-
ing Dead



SONNY STRAIT
Voice Actor: Drag-
onBall Z, Full Metal
Alchemist, One Piece



**SPENCER
BRINKERHOFF III**
Artist: Star Wars,
Back to the Future,
Lucasfilm



STAN LEE
Comic Creator:
Spider-Man, The
Avengers, X-Men, The
Fantastic Four



STEPHEN AMELL



**STEPHEN
BLACKMOORE**
Author: City of the
Lost, Dead Things,
Broken Souls



STORM DICOSTANZO
Musician, Host: Learn-
ing Town



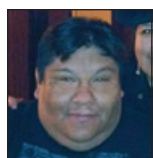
STUART SAYGER
Comic Artist: Shiver
in the Dark, Bionicle,
Infestation 2, Of Wolf
and Woman



SUZANNE YOUNG
Author: The Program,
The Treatment, A
Need So Beautiful, A
Want So Wicked



TED MCKEEVER
Comic Artist: Plastic
Forks, Metropolis, Eddy
Current



TEDDY TSO
Comic Artist:
Indigenous Narratives
Collective, Tales of the
Mighty Code Talkers



TODD HABERKORN
Voice Actor: Bleach,
Naruto, Ghost Hunt,
Soul Eater, Tales of
Xillia



TODD MCFARLANE
Comic Artist &
Creator: Spawn



TODD NAUCK
Comic Artist: Friendly
Neighborhood Spider-
Man, Young Justice,
Wildguard



TOM HODGES
Comic Artist: Star
Wars Webcomics



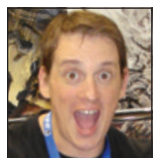
TOM LEEVEN
Author: Zero, Sick,
Manicpixiedreamgirl,
Party



TOM SCIOLI
Comic Writer, Artist:
PopGun, Avengers,
The Myth of 8-Opus



TONY MOORE
Comic Artist: The
Walking Dead, Fear
Agent, The Extermina-
tors



TONY PARKER
Comic Artist:
Warhammer 40,000,
Dead Man's Run,
Mass Effect: Founda-
tion



TRAVIS HANSON
Comic Artist, Creator:
The Bean, Adventures
for a Lazy Afternoon



TY FRANCK
The Expanse, Star
Wars: Empire and
Rebellion, The Butcher
of Anderson Station



TYLER CROOK
Artist:
Petrograd, B.P.R.D.
Hell on Earth, Bad
Blood



VAL HOCHBERG
Artist: Mystery
Babylon



VAN JENSEN
Comic Writer: Pinoc-
chio Vampire Slayer,
Green Lantern Corps



VICKI PETTERSSON
Author: The Scent
of Shadows, Neon
Graveyard, The Taken



VIVEK TIWARY
Author, Theater
Producer: The Fifth
Beagle



WALTER JONES
Actor: Power Rangers



**WENDY
AND RICHARD PINI**
Author: Elquest



WESLEY CHU
Author: The Lives
of Tao, The Deaths
of Tao



WESTON OCHSE
Author: SEAL Team
666, Scarecrow Gods,
Blaze of Glory



WHILCE PORTACIO
Comic Writer, Artist:
The Punisher, X-Factor,
Uncanny X-Men, Iron
Man



YVONNE NAVARRO
Author: AfterAge,
Highborn, Concrete
Savior



ZACH STERLING
Comic Artist: Adventure
Time



ZACHARY JERNIGAN
Author: No Return,
Shower of Stones, The
Bottom of the Sea

THURSDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Thursday at the Convention Center	Anime North 222 AB	Anime North 222C	Anime North 223	Anime North 226 ABC	Anime Renaissance Salon 3	Anime Renaissance Salon 4
6:00pm - 6:30pm					Legend of the Dark King	
6:30pm - 7:00pm		What to look for in an Anime	The World of Tea	Dos and Don'ts of Anime Conventions		Bleach Episodes 1-4
7:00pm - 7:30pm					Darker Than Black Season 2	
7:30pm - 8:00pm						
8:00pm - 8:30pm	Who, Why & WTF of DBZ	Durarara!!! in-character Q&A panel	Do you wanna build a Gunpla?	Key Nagato: Tales of Conventionia	King of Thorn	Golgo 13
8:30pm - 9:00pm						
9:00pm - 9:30pm						
9:30pm - 10:00pm			WTF Anime & Japan?! Must be 18+			
10:00pm - 10:30pm						
10:30pm - 11:00pm						
11:00pm - 11:30pm						

Thursday at the Convention Center	Comics North 129A	Comics North 129B	Comics North 130	Horror South 162-163	Horror South 164-165	Horror South 166	Horror South 167
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Sci-fi Cosplay and Pinups Shoots						
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Phoenix Shooting Locations for Alfred Hitchcock's Psycho	Second Star					
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm						Creating the Jurassic Park T-Rex	How to be Successful on YouTube
7:30pm - 8:00pm	Batman 75: Batman Sketchoff	Comic Book Trivia	Celebrating 50 years of G.I. Joe Action Figures	Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix	Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center		
8:00pm - 8:30pm						Is There Such A Person? Lovecraft's Female Characters	Paranormal Video Evidence
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm							
9:30pm - 10:00pm							
10:00pm - 10:30pm						Trials and Tribulations of the Demonic	Making a Monster
10:30pm - 11:00pm							

Thursday at the Convention Center	Costuming North 229AB	Costuming North 230	Costuming NORTH 231A	Costuming North 231BC	Costuming North 232A	Costuming North 232BC	Film Festival North 225A
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Large Weapons: Looks Can Be Deceiving	Unsung Heros: Cosplay Handlers	What to expect from the Costuming Department	Intro to Costuming: No Sew Methods	Cosplay For All Sizes	
5:00pm - 5:30pm							Abnormal Entertainment's "Banned From iTunes" Must be 18+
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm		PAID EVENT Make Your Own My Little Pony Ears		Cosplay like a Pro: Less stress, more fun!	Tech Test room for panelists	Affordable Costuming 101	
6:30pm - 7:00pm			Abnormal Entertainment's "Myriads of Thought" Must be 18+				
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm		PAID EVENT Parasol Painting Make & Take Workshop	Lolita University	Geek Weddings on a Budget	The Triple R's: Cosplay Style! (Reduce-Reuse-Recycle)	Be a Predator	
8:00pm - 8:30pm	Duct/Duck Tape Costume Contest						
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm			SCA 101 (Society for Creative Anachronism)		Steampunk on a Budget: Tips & Tricks From the Experts		
9:30pm - 10:00pm						Abnormal Entertainment's "The Science of Atomic Head Cheese" Must be 18+	
10:00pm - 10:30pm							

THURSDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Thursday	Film Festival North 227AB	Film Festival North 227C	Books-Authors North 126A	Books-Authors North 127AB	Science Fiction North 121BC	Science Fiction North 122AB	Science Fiction North 122C
4:00pm - 4:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy Block I						
4:30pm - 5:00pm					10 Must See Doctor Who Stories	Getting Jossed	Open AV Checks for Panelists
5:00pm - 5:30pm		Fanboy Rant Must be 18+					
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Chaisson: Quest From Oriud				Doctor Who: The Movie - Wait... How the BLEEP did this happen?!!	Episode VII - Everything YOU NEED TO KNOW!	
6:30pm - 7:00pm		Mission: Irreparable	Phoenix Comicon Education Kickoff				
7:00pm - 7:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Books and Authors Kickoff						
7:30pm - 8:00pm			Torchwood	Beyond the Movies - Star Wars in the Everyday Universe	Dammit Jim, I'm a Doctor, Not a Comicon Panell: Examining the Finest Physicians in Starfleet		
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Science Fiction Block I						
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Horror Block I Must be 18+	What We Learn From A Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle Personality?			Best of Doctor Who	I'm givin' her all she's got, Cap'n!: Our Favorite Starfleet Engineers	By Your Command
9:30pm - 10:00pm							
10:00pm - 10:30pm							
10:30pm - 11:00pm			Freemasonry: Pop Culture vs. Real Life				
11:00pm - 11:30pm							

Thursday	Science Fiction North 124A	Science Fiction North 124B	Science Fiction North 125AB	Misc North 123	Misc North 131	Misc North 132	Misc South 160-161
4:00pm - 4:30pm				The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program			
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Villains Don't Deserve Happy Endings	Spoof & Cinema Mash Up: EWOKS!	Advances in Cheaper/Private Space Travel				
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Pathfinding RPG's outside of Dungeons: A look at Indie Tabletop Gaming	Biohazard (Game Show)	Game of Thrones - A Comparison with Historical Figures Sponsored by Cox Communications			Experiencing Phoenix Comicon Thursday Session	PAID EVENT Zombie Gauntlet by Battlefield Live AZ
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm	The Question, Constable, isn't Where... But When!	Icky Science	You Wake Up From Your Nightmares, We Don't: A Farewell To Being Human (US) Must be 18+				
8:00pm - 8:30pm						Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown	
8:30pm - 9:00pm							
9:00pm - 9:30pm	The Show Runners of Supernatural	What the What? What the Heck is a Nerf-Herder?	Beware the Weird Ones: Oddball Characters and Why we love them				
9:30pm - 10:00pm							

Thursday	Youth South 150	Youth South 151-154	Youth South Art Room - Events Area	Party-Events Renaissance Pueblo	Party-Events Sheraton Valley of the Sun	Outdoor-Events 3rd Street
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Art Room Sponsored by Jerry's Artarama	Explore Art with Jerry's Artarama	Street Pass Quest		Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo
5:00pm - 5:30pm						
5:30pm - 6:00pm	Cosplay for Kids					
6:00pm - 6:30pm						
6:30pm - 7:00pm						
7:00pm - 7:30pm			One Night Only: Rhythm & Blues Cosplay Mixer			
7:30pm - 8:00pm					The Torch presents: The Comichood!	
8:00pm - 8:30pm					Arizona Comedy All-Stars	
8:30pm - 9:00pm						
9:00pm - 9:30pm				Zombie Beauty Pageant sponsored by Filmbar		
9:30pm - 10:00pm					Gabe Kubanda	
10:00pm - 10:30pm					Halocene	
10:30pm - 11:00pm					Captain Squeegee	
11:00pm - 11:30pm						
11:30pm - 12:00am						

FRIDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Friday at the Convention Center	Anime North 221	Anime North 222 AB	Anime North 222C	Anime North 223	Anime North 224AB	Anime North 226 ABC	Anime Renaissance Salon 1-2	Anime Renaissance Salon 3
10:30am - 11:00am	Todd Haberkorn	Death Note: The Corruption of Power, Trivia & Costume Contest & more!	Con-relationships 101	Closet Otaku Confessions	Name that Anime Tune			Sgt. Frog
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Sonny Strait Q&A		Rage Quitters Anonymous	#Shipt	The Worlds of Hayao Miyazaki	PAID EVENT One Piece Cafe	One Piece	
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								One Piece
1:30pm - 2:00pm		Kill la Kill	Disappointing Anime and Adaptations	Steampunk Anime	Whose Line is it Anime?	War and Apocalypse in Anime		
2:00pm - 2:30pm						PAID EVENT One Piece Cafe		
2:30pm - 3:00pm	Crispin Freeman - Giants, Robots and Superheros							
3:00pm - 3:30pm		Raving is Fun	Anime Just Ain't What It Used To Be	Crazy Anime Pop Quiz!	Pokestar Squares			
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm							Blood Lad	
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Crispin Freeman - Mystics, Priestesses, and Warrior Women	Significance of Openings and Endings	Entai	Chrono Trigger: Til the End Of Time	Krav Maga	Delicious Creepypasta		PAID EVENT One Piece Cafe
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm	The Roast: Goku Must be 18+	Team Rocket Training Camp	East vs West	Gainax: Rise and Fall		King of the Otaku		Legend of the Dark King
6:30pm - 7:00pm								
7:00pm - 7:30pm								
7:30pm - 8:00pm				JoJo's Bizarre Adventure		PAID EVENT Bunny Cafe Must be 18+		
8:00pm - 8:30pm								
8:30pm - 9:00pm							The World Only God Knows	
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Team Four Star: Uncensored and Unabridged Must be 18+	The Everything Goes Dating Show 18+ Must be 18+	Let's Play Ero! Must be 18+	Alpaca'jama Party				
9:30pm - 10:00pm								
10:00pm - 10:30pm								
10:30pm - 11:00pm								Karaoke
11:00pm - 11:30pm								
11:30pm - 12:00am								
12:00am - 12:30am								
12:30am - 1:00am								
1:00am - 1:30am								

Friday	Anime Renaissance Salon 4	Comics North 128B	Comics North 129A	Comics North 129B	Comics North 130	Horror South 162-163	Horror South 164-165	Horror South 166
10:30am - 11:00am	Wagnaria!	Batman 75: Batman Villains Sketchoff	G.I. Joe and Marvel Comics: The Larry Hama Run	Collecting and Investing in Comics 101	Sketch Card Artists	Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix	Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center	Mythical Creatures 101
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Desert Punk	Aspen Comics	The Kubert School Panel	Walking Dead: Comics vs. TV Show	An Animated Career			Resurrecting the Dead - Remaking the Films of George A. Romero
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Ouran High School Host Club	Pitching your Comic to Editors	20 years of Shi with Billy Tucci	Nerdist Writer's Panel: Comic Edition Francis Manapul	Adapting Licensed Properties to Comics			American Horror Story: Coven
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Naruto - Eps 1-4	Spotlight: Fred Van Lente	Spotlight: James O'Barr	Webcomics: The Creative Process	How To Make Beer Money with Your Comic or Zine 2.0	Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix	Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center	Intermediate Horror Makeup: Character, Haunted House and Indie Films
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Darker Than Black Season 2	Lion Forge Comics	Adapting Cartoon Characters for Comics	Drawing Expressive Creatures	Before You Launch Your Kickstarter Panel			Left 4 Dead Q&A
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm		Creating a professional independent comic from the ground up	DC's New 52: 2 Years into the Reboot	Batman 75: Batman Rogues	All Ages does not mean watered down			The Dark Truth of Exorcisms VS. Exorcisms in Movies and Other Media
6:30pm - 7:00pm								
7:00pm - 7:30pm								

FRIDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Friday	Anime Renaissance Salon 4	Comics North 128B	Comics North 129A	Comics North 129B	Comics North 130	Horror South 162-163	Horror South 164-165	Horror South 166
7:30pm - 8:00pm	FLCL	Coloring with Markers	Drawing Sexy Women Must be 18+	Alternative Universe - Compare and Contrast the TV/ Movie and Comic Universes	Podcasting with Modern Myth Media	Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix		CreepyPasta Galore
8:00pm - 8:30pm								
8:30pm - 9:00pm								
9:00pm - 9:30pm								
9:30pm - 10:00pm								
10:00pm - 10:30pm						Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center		King of the Creature Features: What is the Best Horror Film Franchise?
10:30pm - 11:00pm								
11:00pm - 11:30pm								PC Horror Gaming

Friday	Horror South 167	Costuming North 229AB	Costuming North 230	Costuming North 231A	Costuming North 231BC	Costuming North 232A	Costuming North 232BC	Costuming West 213	Film Festival North 225A
10:30am - 11:00am	Scare-Izona: A Travel Guide to Arizona's Spookiest Spots		Duct Tape Costuming for Beginners	Cosplay Prop Crafting - The Next Level	Crafting for Cosplay		I Wish I Could Afford To Cosplay	Cosplay Lounge & Cosplay Medic Station	Improv 101
11:00am - 11:30am									
11:30am - 12:00pm									
12:00pm - 12:30pm		Costume/Artisan Mask-Making: Live Demo	How Heraldic Symbols Are Used to Enhance Pop Culture	Behind the Mask of Doom: Meet Ivy Doomkitty Q&A	Prop Building Using 3D Printing Techniques	Be a Cheapskate (And Still Make Awesome Costumes & Props)	Ask A Detective: Sherlocked Edition		
12:30pm - 1:00pm									
1:00pm - 1:30pm									
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Come Meet Fangoria!	PAID EVENT DIY Chainmail Jewelry: Make and Take Workshop	Star Trek Costuming 101- The Federation & Beyond	Mandalorian Mercs	Magic's in the Makeup	Styling Synthetic Wigs 101			Everything About Roosterteeth
2:00pm - 2:30pm									
2:30pm - 3:00pm									
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Prepare for the Zombie Apocalypse with DOZD	My Little Pony Friendship Hour!	Steampunk Gun Painting Techniques Workshop	The Zen of Zombie Cosplay Sponsored by Cox Communications	Feel Good Hour: Cosplay & Conventions! Presented by AmaraSama	Cosplay for Intermediates	Cosplay Horror Stories		
3:30pm - 4:00pm									
4:00pm - 4:30pm									
4:30pm - 5:00pm	What is a "Ghost"?	Japanese Street Fashion Show & Walk	PAID EVENT Leather Steampunk Goggles Make and Take Workshop	40 years of Rocky Horror Costuming	Costumes and Props: Challenges & Rewards of Designs, Builds, & Character Portrayal			Special Effects Makeup and Prosthetics	
5:00pm - 5:30pm									
5:30pm - 6:00pm									
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Paranormal Investigation Techniques			The Magic of Costume Design & Styling with Dawn Ritz	Making Video Game Cosplay Armor: From Concept to Reality	Get Your Zombie On Before the Zombie Walk Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop	Get Your Zombie On Before the Zombie Walk Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop		
6:30pm - 7:00pm									
7:00pm - 7:30pm									
7:30pm - 8:00pm	The Inside Scoop of Paranormal Investigating	The Grand Cosplay Coliseum	PAID EVENT Leather Bracer Make &Take	Dressing the Court of Henry VIII	MARK GREENAWALT AND FRIENDS BODY ART EXTRAVAGANZA Must be 18+			Locker 13	
8:00pm - 8:30pm									
8:30pm - 9:00pm									
9:00pm - 9:30pm	MrCreepyPasta's Storytime		Commercial Pattern Literacy						Confessions Of A Comic Book Nerd
9:30pm - 10:00pm									
10:00pm - 10:30pm									

Friday	Film Festival North 227AB	Film Festival North 227C	Books-Authors North 126A	Books-Authors North 126BC
10:30am - 11:00am	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy Block II	Steampunk Boba Fett: Trial of the Mask Fan Film		What I Learned Writing My Latest Novel
11:00am - 11:30am				
11:30am - 12:00pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Science Fiction Block II	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Financing and Fundraising	Theremin Demonstration	Heather Brewer Spotlight
12:00pm - 12:30pm				
12:30pm - 1:00pm				
1:00pm - 1:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Horror/Science Fiction Block	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Screenwriting	Every Child Tells a Story: Media Literacy for Early Learners	Urban Fantasy and the Real World
1:30pm - 2:00pm				
2:00pm - 2:30pm				
2:30pm - 3:00pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Horror Block II	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Casting Actors	Pop Goes the Classroom: How to Effectively Integrate Pop Culture Into Your Classroom	Spotlight on James S. A. Corey, the creator of The Expanse
3:00pm - 3:30pm				
3:30pm - 4:00pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy Block III			
4:00pm - 4:30pm				
4:30pm - 5:00pm	RUR: Genesis	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Sound and Music	I've Been Talking to Your Kids with Bradley Snyder	Breaking In! Confessions from 2 Hollywood Insiders...
5:00pm - 5:30pm				

FRIDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Friday	Film Festival North 227AB	Film Festival North 227C	Gaming Hyatt Ellis	Gaming Hyatt Phoenix Ballroom	Gaming Hyatt Sundance	Books-Authors North 126A	Books-Authors North 126BC
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Challenge	It's Bigger On The Inside...	Mos Eisley Pub Quiz! Must be 18+			Phoenix Comicon Maker Sharefest	
6:30pm - 7:00pm							
7:00pm - 7:30pm							
7:30pm - 8:00pm		The Making of Mission: Imposter					Evening Erotica Must be 18+
8:00pm - 8:30pm							
8:30pm - 9:00pm				Kids Need to Read Charity Poker Tournament Must be 18+	Scientist - Creator Mixer		
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Legends Of The Knight	Sum Of Its Parts - Screening and Discussion					
9:30pm - 10:00pm							
10:00pm - 10:30pm							
10:30pm - 11:00pm	Found In Time	Four Eyed Radio's "Socially Awkward Studios" Must be 18+					
11:00pm - 11:30pm							

Friday	Books-Authors North 127AB	Books-Authors North 127C	Books-Authors North 128A	Science Fiction North 121BC	Science Fiction North 122AB	Science Fiction North 122C	Science Fiction North 124A	Science Fiction North 124B
10:30am - 11:00am	The Pastiche of Sherlock Holmes Part 1: History		Epic Writer's Quest Kick-Off	Gallifrey Falls No More	Trek Makeup: from Wah Chang to the Orion Slave Girls or "It's not easy making someone green..."	Make it Real	You Don't Know Whedon!	How to Build a Droid!
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm	Pastiche Part 2: Best Practices in the Classroom	Description in Fiction: What Does Joker Smell Like?	Angry Robot Preview Panel	Dalek Construction	What I Learned from Star Trek: The Philosophy of the Future	Agents of STEM	More Than Meets The Eye	R2D2 - The Droid Who Knew Everything!
12:00pm - 12:30pm								
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Penguin Publishing Preview	The Art of Illustration	Cathrynne Valente's Fairyland Stories and Beyond	The Donna Noble Experience	Klingon Language 101	Solar System Pioneers	Back to the Future: Adventures in a DeLorean Time Machine	Makeup 101
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	The Taco Council	Hieroglyph: Blueprints for a Better Future	Spotlight on L.E. Modesitt, Jr.	Pacific Rim - 2,500 tons of Awesome	Hey - that's not William Shatner playing Captain Kirk!: An Exploration of Star Trek Fan Films	Meet the Endless Must be 18+	It All Started with a Big Bang	How the Miniature Star Wars World Was Created
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Deadlands: The Weird West's Wild Future	The Secret Lives of Debut Authors	Thriller Writing	Building Better Sci-Fi	Larry Nemecek's "Trekland: Between the Cracks" show	Golden Age of Tabletop Gaming	A Mess of Mysteries Sponsored by Cox Communications	Star Wars - It's Not Just for Boys!
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Celebrity Nerd Poets			Game of Thrones: Sexuality in Modern Fantasy Must be 18+	This Ain't Your Father's Star Trek or "JJ vs. Gene: A Battle for the Ages!"	The Expanding Universe of Honor Harrington	Nerd Noms	Serenity, We're still Flying!
6:30pm - 7:00pm								
7:00pm - 7:30pm								
7:30pm - 8:00pm	Nerd Poetry Slam			The Doctor and His Companions.	The Science of Drinking Presents: The Miracle Mile Must be 18+	Who Wants to be a One-in-a-Millionaire? (Game Show)	O'Brien Must Suffer!	Spoon & Cinema Mash Up: CLONE WARS! Must be 18+
8:00pm - 8:30pm								
8:30pm - 9:00pm								
9:00pm - 9:30pm				Doctor Who - For the LGBT Whovians	The Geek Comedy Hour Must be 18+	Star Trek Online: The MMORPG	Future Exploration	Star Wars: Rebels? Disney's NEW Animated Series!

Friday	Science Fiction North 125AB	Misc North 123	Misc North 131	Misc North 132	Misc North 225B	Misc North Ballroom 120	Misc South 160-161
10:30am - 11:00am	Alien Languages	The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program	Improbable Dystopias?	Experiencing Phoenix Comicon Friday Session		Manu Bennet Spotlight	PAID EVENT Zombie Gauntlet by Battlefield Live AZ
11:00am - 11:30am							
11:30am - 12:00pm							
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Warehouse Inventory		Supernatural Showdown: Who is the REAL King of Hell?!	Spotlight on Naomi Novik	Pop Culture Astronomy	John Rhys-Davies spotlight	
12:30pm - 1:00pm							
1:00pm - 1:30pm							
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Princess, Prostitute, Priestess, Pirate: Women of A Game of Thrones		Tackling Difficult Subjects in Young Adult	The 13th Floor Haunted House - Creating a World Class Haunted Attraction		Richard Dean Anderson Spotlight	
2:00pm - 2:30pm							
2:30pm - 3:00pm							
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Lucky 8		Carole Barrowman Spotlight	Phil Plait : Where Has Our Curiosity Taken Us?		Mark Sheppard spotlight	
3:30pm - 4:00pm							
4:00pm - 4:30pm							
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Once Upon a Time		Writing for the Long Haul	Magic Systems: Urban Fantasy vs. Epic Fantasy	Basic Costuming: How to Start Machine Sewing and Use a Pattern	Mighty Morphin' Power Rangers Spotlight	
5:00pm - 5:30pm							
5:30pm - 6:00pm							

FRIDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE


Friday	Science Fiction North 125AB	Misc North 131	Misc North 132	Misc North 225B	Misc North Ballroom 120	Misc South 160-161
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Life ... uh ... Finds a Way	Return to the Awesomely Awful '80s	Skynet vs. Zombies	Welcome To Night Vale in-character Q&A	Eliza Dushku Spotlight	PAID EVENT Zombie Gauntlet by Battlefield Live AZ
6:30pm - 7:00pm						
7:00pm - 7:30pm						
7:30pm - 8:00pm	SQUEEFEST 2014: 6-packs, guns and tight buns Must be 18+		Directing Animation for Adults	Justice League Arizona! Arizona's Premiere DC universe Costumers for Causes!		
8:00pm - 8:30pm						
8:30pm - 9:00pm		Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown round 2			Paul and Storm Concert	
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Who is YOUR Alpha?					
9:30pm - 10:00pm						
10:00pm - 10:30pm						
10:30pm - 11:00pm						

Friday	Youth South 150	Youth South 151-154	Youth South 155-158	Youth South 159	Youth South Art Room - Events Area	Party-Events Renaissance Grand Ballroom	Party-Events Renaissance Pueblo	Party-Events Sheraton Laveen
10:30am - 11:00am		Art Room Sponsored by Jerry's Artarama		Pokemon Technical Institute	The Red Cross Pillowcase Project			Diversity Lounge
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Origami for ages 5-197		Avengers Boot Camp	Kids Galore, Disney and More!	Mystic Twistic Steampunk Wings			
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								
1:30pm - 2:00pm	How Robots are Taking over High School		Amtgard LARPing Demo & Games	How to train your D.R.A.G.O.N.	Magic Wand Making	One Man Star Wars Trilogy	Phoenix Public Library Presents: Jedi Reading Academy	
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	How To Create Your Own Custom Action Figure		Valley Youth Theater Presents: Captain Hook, Mr. Smee & An All Hands On Deck-tivity	Cosplay for Kids	Spencer Brinkerhoff Art Demonstration			
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm	I didn't know that existed! Geeky things to do in Arizona.		Mission to The Red Planet! ASU Mars Space Flight Facility Interactive Exhibit	Disney Youth Cosplayers	Drawing Cartoon Emotions	Steampunk Ball		
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm				Custom Action Figures	Explore Art with Jerry's Artarama			
6:30pm - 7:00pm								
7:00pm - 7:30pm								
7:30pm - 8:00pm								
8:00pm - 8:30pm					Creator Connection	The FREE Stand Up Comedy Show by PhoenixComedy.org! Must be 18+		
8:30pm - 9:00pm								
9:00pm - 9:30pm								
9:30pm - 10:00pm								
10:00pm - 10:30pm								
10:30pm - 11:00pm								
11:00pm - 11:30pm						Talk Nerdy to Me: A Byte of Burlesque Must be 18+	Captain's Cantina Sponsored by Geek News Network and Pop Culture Paradise	
11:30pm - 12:00am								
12:00am - 12:30am								
12:30am - 1:00am								
1:00am - 1:30am								
1:30am - 2:00am								

Friday	Party-Events Sheraton Valley of the Sun	Outdoor-Events 3rd Street
10:00am - 10:30am		Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo
10:30am - 11:00am	Putting the Science in Science Fiction	
11:00am - 11:30am		Photo Capture Scavenger Hunt
11:30am - 12:00pm		
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Spotlight on Charlaïne Harris	High Noon Water Showdown
12:30pm - 1:00pm		Fun Time Game Challenge
1:00pm - 1:30pm		

FRIDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Friday	Party-Events Renaissance Salon 5-8	Party-Events Sheraton Valley of the Sun	Party-Events Sheraton-Ahwatukee	Outdoor-Events 3rd Street
1:30pm - 2:00pm		Comedy's Hard- The Secrets of How and When to be Funny		
2:00pm - 2:30pm				Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo
2:30pm - 3:00pm				
3:00pm - 3:30pm				
3:30pm - 4:00pm				Amtgard Staged Battle
4:00pm - 4:30pm		Doctor Who: Party Like a Time Lord sponsored by AZ Renaissance Festival		HEMA Renaissance Rapier Demo
4:30pm - 5:00pm			PAID EVENT Sci-Fi Speed Dating Must be 18+	Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo
5:00pm - 5:30pm				
5:30pm - 6:00pm				
6:00pm - 6:30pm				
6:30pm - 7:00pm				
7:00pm - 7:30pm				
7:30pm - 8:00pm			PAID EVENT Sci-Fi Speed Dating Must be 18+	Zombie Walk Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop
8:00pm - 8:30pm				Grave Danger (@ Desert Dolls Roller Derby Bout)
8:30pm - 9:00pm		Desert Dolls Roller Derby Bout		
9:00pm - 9:30pm		Geek Prom sponsored by Bookmans		Kevin Daly's Chicken & Waffles (@ AZ Roller Derby Bout)
9:30pm - 10:00pm				AZ Roller Derby Bout
10:00pm - 10:30pm	Rocky Horror Show			
10:30pm - 11:00pm				
11:00pm - 11:30pm				
11:30pm - 12:00am				



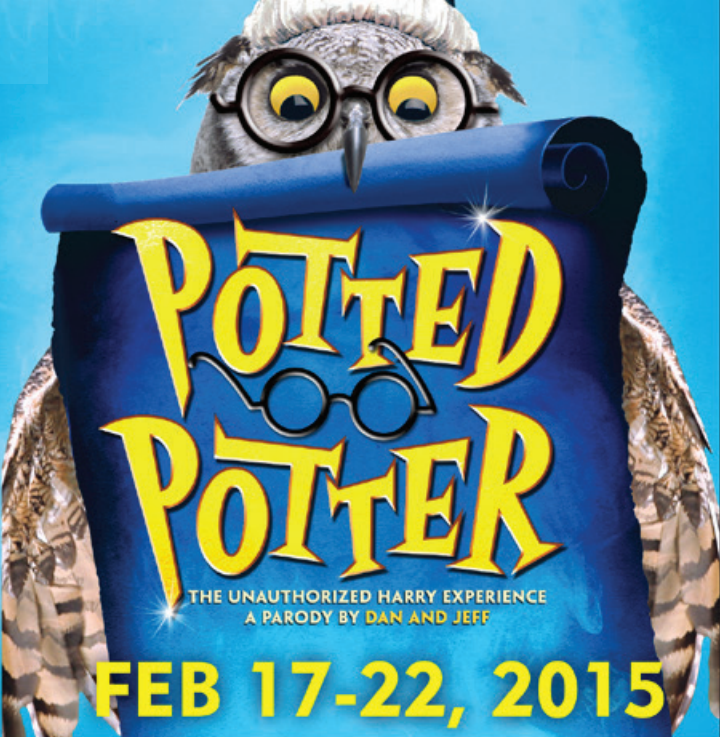
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SATURDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Saturday at the convention center	Anime North 221	Anime North 222 AB	Anime North 222C	Anime North 223	Anime North 224AB	Anime North 226 ABC	Anime Renaissance Salon 1-2	Anime Renaissance Salon 3
10:30am - 11:00am	Crispin Freeman - VA Workshop	The Hottest of J-Pop	Abridged Appreciation			Soul Eater Q&A		
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm								Sgt. Frog
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Sonny Strait and Dragon Ball Z	The Hottest of K-Pop	Tales of Historia	Kingdom Hearts Q&A			PAID EVENT Maid Cafe	
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm					The Bronies of Phoenix Present: Harmonic Discourse	Super Nailbat Party Blowout		
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Todd Haberkorn	Avatar: Beyond the Last Airbender	Are you smarter than a Rocket Grunt?	Best RPGs You've Never Played				
2:00pm - 2:30pm							PAID EVENT Maid Cafe	Is This A Zombie?
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm		Otaku Dance It!	Imports R Us	Welcome to Genshoku: Touhou 101		Hetalia Ask a Nation		
3:30pm - 4:00pm	Team Four Star: The Abridged Panel				Music Video Contest			
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Sailor Moon Music Videos	Puella Magi Madoka Magica	The Art of Anime Fighting		Last Otaku Standing	PAID EVENT Maid Cafe	One Piece
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm		How to be a B/A/M/F Must be 18+	Recent Anime from Japan	Welcome to the Velvet Room: Persona Discussion		Promstuck: Social of the Sweep!		
6:30pm - 7:00pm	Crispin Freeman - Knights and Dragons							
7:00pm - 7:30pm								
7:30pm - 8:00pm		Room "Hates"	The Wildest Deaths in Anime Must be 18+	JoJo's A-GoGo		Eroge 101 Must be 18+		
8:00pm - 8:30pm								
8:30pm - 9:00pm								
9:00pm - 9:30pm			King's Game Must be 18+			Strange, Awkward, and Totally Bizarre Ways to Win Must be 18+		
9:30pm - 10:00pm								
10:00pm - 10:30pm								
10:30pm - 11:00pm								
11:00pm - 11:30pm								
11:30pm - 12:00am								
12:00am - 12:30am								Karaoke
12:30am - 1:00am								
1:00am - 1:30am								
Saturday	Anime Renaissance Salon 4	Comics North 128B	Comics North 129A	Comics North 129B	Comics North 130	Horror South 162-163	Horror South 164-165	Horror South 166
10:30am - 11:00am	Usagi Drop (Bunny Drop)	It's All Connected!!!	So You Want to Own a Comic Book Store?	The Official Handbook to the AZ Universe	Comic Book Creator Rights			From Small Page to Big Screen. The History of the Zombie Sponsored by Cox Communications
11:00am - 11:30am						Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix		
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm								
12:30pm - 1:00pm	Desert Punk	Action Lab Danger Zone	ElfQuest: The Final Quest	Marvel vs DC	During your Kickstarter campaign: Make the most of it		Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center	The Video Nasties! VHS Violence & Censorship
1:00pm - 1:30pm								
1:30pm - 2:00pm								
2:00pm - 2:30pm		Valiant First: Rai, Armor Hunters and Beyond	Spotlight: Mark Evanier	Watercolor Fantasy Art	Comics and Graphic Narratives			
2:30pm - 3:00pm	Brave 10							
3:00pm - 3:30pm		Breaking into Comics with Matt Hawkins/Top Cow Productions	Spotlight: Chris Claremont	Drawing on Your Nightmares: Modern Horror in Comics!	Webcomics: Marketing and Self Promotion			
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm	Legends of the Dark King					Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix	Department of Zombie Defense (DOZD) Boot Camp- 16yrs and older	Advanced Horror Makeup: Character, Haunted House and Indie Films
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Zenoscope	Art Auction	DIY Comics	Telling Our Stories: Indigenous Sequential Art			
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Baccano	Batman 75: Justice League Sketchoff	Transformers Comics: More Than Meets The IDW	Jack Kirby: King of Comic Books	Social Media and The Comic Book Industry		Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center	Brain Eating Contest sponsored by Halo Piercings and Jewelry
6:30pm - 7:00pm								Anatomy of a Murder Investigation Must be 18+
7:00pm - 7:30pm								
7:30pm - 8:00pm								
8:00pm - 8:30pm								Horror Heroes and Villains
8:30pm - 9:00pm								
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Golgo 13					Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix	Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center	Life After Death
9:30pm - 10:00pm								
10:00pm - 10:30pm								
10:30pm - 11:00pm								
11:00pm - 11:30pm								

SATURDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Saturday	Horror South 167	Costuming North 229AB	Costuming North 230	Costuming North 231A	Costuming North 231BC	Costuming North 232A	Costuming North 232BC	Costuming West 213	Film Festival North 225A
10:30am - 11:00am	Mythical Creatures 102		Making Faces: The Art of Cosplay Makeup	J-Fashion Style Guide	Costume Construction: From 2D Page to 3D Cosplay with Ivy Doomkitty	Star Trek Costuming 201 - How to be more than "Just" Human	The Carousel Boutique	Cosplay Lounge & Cosplay Medic Station	Zhon: The Alien Interviews (Making Quality Film On A Tiny Budget)
11:00am - 11:30am									
11:30am - 12:00pm									
12:00pm - 12:30pm	The State of Paranormal	Cosplay Fashion Show - Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop	Costume Armor Weathering Techniques	Cosplay For All Sizes	Cosplay, Fandom and Mainstream Media	Nerdlesque Costuming: From Concept to Completion	Celebrity Dressing w/ Dawn Ritz and a Special Surprise Celebrity		Voyage Trekkers: From Web Series to Feature Film
12:30pm - 1:00pm									
1:00pm - 1:30pm									
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Syfy Creature Features with Mike MacLean		PAID EVENT Leather Steampunk /Cyberpunk Gas Mask Make & Take Workshop		In-Character Cosplay Challenge Presented by Priapella Corp	Cosplay in the Making - featuring ADHD Cosplay	Fruity Rumpus Ask Panel	Cosplay Scavenger Hunt!	Spirits of the Force: 10-Year Reunion
2:00pm - 2:30pm									
2:30pm - 3:00pm									
3:00pm - 3:30pm	MVD Ghostchasers International	Steampunk Fashion Show		Masquerade Pre-Judging	So They Say You Shouldn't Cosplay presented by Ivy Doomkitty	Illusion: The Art of Cross-play	Disney Cosplay		Talk Nerdy To Me! Must be 18+
3:30pm - 4:00pm									
4:00pm - 4:30pm									
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Bloody Good Horror Screenwriters Party!		Pin-Up Hair and Makeup with Pearl Necklace		Stormtroopers: 'Armor' Accurate	Intermediate Costuming	Measurements for Costuming: Workshop		Producing Independent Film in Arizona
5:00pm - 5:30pm									
5:30pm - 6:00pm									
6:00pm - 6:30pm	CreepyPasta Galore	Predator Themed Wedding seating starts	PAID EVENT - Learn to Wire LED Lights for Costumes and Props: Make & Take Workshop	How to Become a Better Cosplayer Without Even Trying	Sew ...You Want To Join The Empire?	Cosplay for Beginners	Arizona Avengers 5th Anniversary Celebration	Cosplay Lounge & Cosplay Medic Station	The Making of Locker 13
6:30pm - 7:00pm									
7:00pm - 7:30pm									
7:30pm - 8:00pm	Hell's Kitty - The Possessed Pussycat!	Predator Themed Wedding	PAID EVENT Steampunk Teacup Hair Accessory: Make & Take Workshop	The Tudor Project					Improv 101
8:00pm - 8:30pm									
8:30pm - 9:00pm									
9:00pm - 9:30pm									
9:30pm - 10:00pm	PC Horror Gaming								Guts and Glory: Horror Movies From The Inside Out! Must be 18+
10:00pm - 10:30pm		Men Strut Your Stuff							
10:30pm - 11:00pm									
11:00pm - 11:30pm									

Saturday	Film Festival North 227AB	Film Festival North 227C	Books-Authors North 126A	Books-Authors North 126BC	Books-Authors North 127AB	Books-Authors North 127C	Books-Authors North 128A	Science Fiction North 121BC
10:30am - 11:00am	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy/ Animation Block	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Production Design	Best Practices in Pop Culture Integration	Using Zombies or Something Like Them	Beyond Thor and His Hammer	Science Fiction and Fantasy Poets	Star Wars, Star Trek, & The Terminator All Had It-What Is It?	It started in a junkyard in 1963
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm	Gaming In Color	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Financing and Fundraising	The Truth about Kids and Video Games	Dean Lorey - Arrested and Crazy in Hollywood	Close to Home: Stories of the Solar System	Fantasy that Defies Description	Speculative Fiction Editing	Astrobiology of Mass Effect
12:00pm - 12:30pm								
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Science Fiction Block III	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Making Documentaries	Cool Things I'm Reading	Spotlight on Carrie Vaughn	Star Wars Legends (Previously Known as The Expanded Universe)	Mixing History with the Fantastic	Crime Writing for Non-crime Writers	Never Judge a Book by its Movie Adaptation
1:30pm - 2:00pm								
2:00pm - 2:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Music Video Block							
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Spirits of the Force Trilogy	Phoenix Comicon Film School: Costuming for Film/TV	Comics in the Classroom: Sequential Art and Critical Thinking	Worldbuilding: Economics	Creating Your Fantasy World	True Natures, Hidden Identities in Young Adult Fiction	Writing for the Middle Grade Audience	The ULTIMATE Rock-Paper-Scissors CHAMPIONSHIP!
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Supernatural: In-Character Q&A	ComiCornucopia: Culinary Life Skills in Comics, Games & Film	The Eternal Dragon	Tor Publishing Preview		Author Collaboration	Chap With Wings, Five Rounds Rapid! The Brigadier and Nicholas Courtney
5:00pm - 5:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Fan Films/ Superheroes Block							
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm		Mission: Imposter	Lights, Camera, Learn!				Writing Critique Session Saturday	WHO's the Best?
6:30pm - 7:00pm								
7:00pm - 7:30pm	Moontrap							Spoof N Cinema: Doctor Who
7:30pm - 8:00pm								
8:00pm - 8:30pm		A Couple of Nobody's Go To Comicon	Explore PBS Online					
8:30pm - 9:00pm								
9:00pm - 9:30pm	Sleepworking Must be 18+							The Best Doctor: Reboot Edition
9:30pm - 10:00pm								
10:00pm - 10:30pm	Truth Or Dare Must be 18+	4 Shows, 1 Day: A Podcast Network						
10:30pm - 11:00pm								
11:00pm - 11:30pm								

SATURDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Saturday	Science Fiction North 122AB	Science Fiction North 122C	Science Fiction North 124A	Science Fiction North 124B	Science Fiction North 125AB	Misc North 123	Misc North 131	Misc North 132	
10:30am - 11:00am	SCORE!: The Movie Soundtrack Panel	Search for Extraterrestrial Intelligence	Star Trek 101: The History of the Future	Two Words - First Word Sounds like - AAAARRR WGH GGWAAA!	The Evolution of Villains in the Buffyverse	The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program		From Page to Screen: Redshirts and The Expanse	
11:00am - 11:30am									
11:30am - 12:00pm									
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Culmination or Bastardization: Pacific Rim Deconstructed	Worldbuilding Horror	Spoof & Cinema Mashup: Star Trek: The Animated Series!	Make up 102	HOW MANY GODZILLAS ARE THERE, ANYWAY????		So You Want to be a Sith Apprentice?	Wolverine: The Most Dangerous Mutant	
12:30pm - 1:00pm									
1:00pm - 1:30pm									
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Star Trek Ongoing: Continuing Comic Book Adventures in the JJ Abrams Universe	Being a Nerdy Parent	Pseudoscience: Splitting Fact from Fiction	Exoplanet Survivor (Game Show)	The Evolution of the Modern Day Fairytale Must be 18+		Introducing PBS Digital Studios and the IDEA Channel	Spotlight on Laini Taylor	
2:00pm - 2:30pm									
2:30pm - 3:00pm									
3:00pm - 3:30pm	The "State of the Trek" Forum: Larry Nemecek and All of Us	Why The Looking Glass Wars hasn't been made into a movie: Challenges of Transmedia Storytelling	Adventures in Science	Jedipardy!	Blending gaming and learning: Creating a Live Role-Playing Game		Game of Thrones - All Men Must Die Sponsored by Cox Communications Must be 18+	Harry Potter and the Panel of Fandom	
3:30pm - 4:00pm									
4:00pm - 4:30pm									
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Why You Should Leave Firefly Alone	Nerd Ink	Majel Barrett: The First Lady of Star Trek	No One Lives Forever: A True Blood Panel	Arrow: Green is the new Black		Star Wars v. Star Trek III - The FINAL SHOWDOWN	Author Batsu Game	
5:00pm - 5:30pm									
5:30pm - 6:00pm									
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them	The Mythology of Sleepy Hollow Must be 18+	Ask a Scientist	So You Want to be a Jedi?	The Glorious Empire of Kahless the Unforgettable: Klingon Culture 101		Batman 75: The Many Faces of Batman	Talk Shop With The Artists From Face Off Sponsored by Cox Communications	
6:30pm - 7:00pm									
7:00pm - 7:30pm									
7:30pm - 8:00pm	Careers in Science	I HATE Temporal Mechanics: It's Deja Vu, All Over Again!	Beneath The Surface Must be 18+	Sandworms the Size of WHAT?!	The Family We Choose Must be 18+			Making Magic in SFX	
8:00pm - 8:30pm									
8:30pm - 9:00pm									
9:00pm - 9:30pm	How the heck did we get here? A brief history of fandom culture.		Sexuality in The Star Trek Universe Must be 18+	Living Like a Mando!	Super Science		Phoenix Comicon Puppet Slam Must be 18+		
9:30pm - 10:00pm									

Saturday	Misc North 225B	Misc North Ballroom 120	Misc South 160-161	Misc West 211	Misc West 212	Youth South 150	Youth South 151-154	Youth South 155-158
10:30am - 11:00am	Harry Potter Astronomy	Batman: with Adam West, Burt Ward and Julie Newmar	PAID EVENT Battlefield Live AZ - 1st Annual Clan War Tournament	Deadliest Warrior Superheros	Constructing a Mystery Plot	Sonic Ether's Unbelievable Minecraft Panel	Art Room Sponsored by Jerry's Artarama	Side-Kick Training with East Valley Krav Maga
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm		John Barrowman spotlight		Movies of 2015-2017 With Gareth Von Kallenbach of Skewed and Reviewed	PodCRASH with That Chris Gore LIVE	Mermaid 101		Feats of Strength with Justice League Arizona
12:00pm - 12:30pm								
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								
1:30pm - 2:00pm		Bruce Campbell spotlight		Upcoming Video Games and Tech.	SF Squeecast Panel	From Bullying to Harmony: Understanding and Dealing with Bullying		Hunger Games Archery
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm		Stephen Amell spotlight		The Fifth Beatle	The Art of Marvel	I didn't know that existed! Geeky things to do in Arizona.		Allyoyo.com Performance Team
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Doctor Who Astronomy	Nathan Fillion spotlight		The Death of Superman Lives: What Happened?	Setting and Place in Urban Fantasy	LEGO: Everything is Awesome		The Dread Fleet - Young Pirate Training
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								
6:00pm - 6:30pm				Supernatural "ETHICS": The Ambiguity of Heaven vs Hell	The Art of Star Trek			The DREAD Fleet Presents: That DREADful Show
6:30pm - 7:00pm								
7:00pm - 7:30pm								
7:30pm - 8:00pm								
8:00pm - 8:30pm					Supernatural Q&A Must be 18+	Moving LGBT Characters Past Token		
8:30pm - 9:00pm								
9:00pm - 9:30pm		Masquerade Costume Contest Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop						
9:30pm - 10:00pm								
10:00pm - 10:30pm								
10:30pm - 11:00pm								

SATURDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Saturday	Youth South 159	Youth South Art Room - Events Area	Party-Events Renaissance Grand Ballroom	Party-Events Renaissance Pueblo	Party-Events Renaissance Salon 5-8	Party-Events Sheraton Laveen	Party-Events Sheraton Pool	Party-Events Sheraton Valley of the Sun	
10:30am - 11:00am	Young Authors Workshop	Draw A Villain with Kevin Coulston				Diversity Lounge		Spotlight on Jim Butcher	
11:00am - 11:30am									
11:30am - 12:00pm									
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Kids Steampunk	Lego Build Off - Youth			Tea Dueling			Spotlight on Patrick Rothfuss	
12:30pm - 1:00pm									
1:00pm - 1:30pm			One Man Star Wars Trilogy						
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Make your own Flipbook with Molly Idle	Learn to draw My Little Pony							The WHO-lywood Squares
2:00pm - 2:30pm				Sherlock Social Media Scavenger Hunt			Peter Pan Pirate Pool Party	Ask SuperWhoLock	
2:30pm - 3:00pm									
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Once Upon a PokeDream	Moon Mermaid Book Reading and Meet and Greet							
3:30pm - 4:00pm									
4:00pm - 4:30pm			Minecraft Block Party						
4:30pm - 5:00pm	Robot Basketball	Illustrator Workshop - Steven Riley		Talk Nerdy to Me: A Byte of Burlesque - Take Deux Must be 18+			Mermaid Sisters demo	FameLab: Exploring Earth and Beyond - Presented by NASA	
5:00pm - 5:30pm									
5:30pm - 6:00pm									
6:00pm - 6:30pm	Gargoyles 20th Anniversary Celebration	Explore Art with Jerry's Artarama							
6:30pm - 7:00pm									
7:00pm - 7:30pm								PAID Comedy Mutant Tour featuring Brian Posehn Must be 18+	
7:30pm - 8:00pm									
8:00pm - 8:30pm		Creator Connection		The FREE Stand Up Comedy Show by PhoenixComedy.org! Must be 18+					
8:30pm - 9:00pm									
9:00pm - 9:30pm					Drinks With Authors		Chris Gore and the Kings of Cosplay Comedy Must be 18+		
9:30pm - 10:00pm									
10:00pm - 10:30pm			Panty & Stocking's Fan Service Pajama Party Must be 18+	Villains Aftermath Party					
10:30pm - 11:00pm									
11:00pm - 11:30pm									
11:30pm - 12:00am									
12:00am - 12:30am									
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1:30am - 2:00am									

Saturday	Party-Events Sheraton-Ahwatukee	Outdoor-Events 3rd Street	Saturday	Party-Events Sheraton-Ahwatukee	Party-Events Sheraton-Oculus	Outdoor-Events 3rd Street	
10:30am - 11:00am		How to Kill Someone with a Sword: Unarmoured longsword fighting demonstration	4:30pm - 5:00pm	PAID EVENT Sci-Fi Speed Dating (LGBT) Must be 18+		Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo	
		DREAD Fleet Fencing Tournament	5:00pm - 5:30pm				
11:00am - 11:30am			5:30pm - 6:00pm				
11:30am - 12:00pm			6:00pm - 6:30pm			The Browncoats Jamboree	
			6:30pm - 7:00pm				
		7:00pm - 7:30pm					
12:00pm - 12:30pm		High Noon Water Showdown	7:30pm - 8:00pm	PAID EVENT Sci-Fi Speed Dating Must be 18+			AZ Rhythm Connection Community Drum Circle with Tribal Dancers
12:30pm - 1:00pm		FIRST Robotics Competition Demo	8:00pm - 8:30pm				
			8:30pm - 9:00pm				
1:00pm - 1:30pm			9:00pm - 9:30pm				
		The Company of the Sable Blade 12th - 17th Century European Martial Arts	9:30pm - 10:00pm				
1:30pm - 2:00pm	PAID EVENT Sci-Fi Speed Dating Must be 18+		10:00pm - 10:30pm			Deus Ex Vapore Machina Stringpunk Performance	
			10:30pm - 11:00pm				
2:00pm - 2:30pm		Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo	11:00pm - 11:30pm			DJ Sean Watson	
2:30pm - 3:00pm			11:30pm - 12:00am				
3:00pm - 3:30pm			FIRST Robotics Competition Demo				
3:30pm - 4:00pm		The Company of the Sable Blade Victorian and Steampunk Fighting					
4:00pm - 4:30pm							

SUNDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Sunday	Anime North 221	Anime North 222 AB	Anime North 222C	Anime North 223	Anime North 224AB	Anime North 226 ABC	Anime Renaissance Salon 3	Anime Renaissance Salon 4
10:30am - 11:00am	Todd Haberkorn			Roleplaying: From Canon to OCs			Sgt. Frog	The Daily Lives of High School Boys
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Team Four Star: Repremier	Final Fantasy General	The Feels	Roleplaying Workshop	Anime Music Videos 101	Engage Trickster Mode	Is This A Zombie?	Desert Punk
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm	Sonny Strait Q&A	Let's Talk About Delinquents in Japanese Media!	Freeware Gaming for Cheapies	Visually Stunning Anime		Mass Effect General		
1:30pm - 2:00pm								
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm							Evangelion 1.11 and 2.22	
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Let's Play Idolm@ster	Jeopardy: Kingdom Hearts		Anime Music Video World Tour	Soul Eater Q&A Part 2			
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm								
5:00pm - 5:30pm								

Sunday	Comics North 128B	Comics North 129A	Comics North 129B	Comics North 130	Horror South 162-163	Horror South 164-165	Horror South 166	Horror South 167
10:30am - 11:00am	Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles Sketchoff	Superhero Q&A	X-Files Season 10	After your Kickstarter campaign: Fulfilling your commitment	Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix	Department of Zombie Defense (DOZD) Boot Camp - 15yrs and younger	Writing Internet Horror - with MrCreepyPasta	Making a Monster
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm	30 Years and Counting: Comics Classics in the Modern Age	Creating Strong Female Characters	Creating Highly Rendered Art in Photoshop	Copyright and Fan Fiction/Art	Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center	The Creepy Current State & Horrible Highlights of Horror	Brain Eating Contest sponsored by Halo Piercings and Jewelry	
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm	Dragon Scale	Spirituality in Comics	Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles	DC Animated Universe		EVP (Electronic Voice Phenomenon) Classifications	Meet the Umbrella Corp Arizona Hive	
1:30pm - 2:00pm								
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm	G.I. Joe VS Transformers: The Debate	The Flash	Nerdist Writer's Panel: Comic Edition - Mike Baron	Full Time Creator Full Time Career		EVP (Electronic Voice Phenomenon) Evidence	Corpsing for Dummies	
3:00pm - 3:30pm								
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm						The Talking Dead AZ	The Gore The Merrier: Makeup FX Tips	
4:30pm - 5:00pm								
5:00pm - 5:30pm								

Sunday	Costuming North 229AB	Costuming North 230	Costuming North 231A	Costuming North 231BC	Costuming North 232A	Costuming North 232BC	Costuming West 213	Film Festival North 225a
10:30am - 11:00am	Youth Fashion Show	PAID EVENT Make Your Own My Little Pony Ears	Japan Couture: International Fashion	Get Crafty with the Very Awesome Girls	Star Trek Costuming 202 - Application Day	Villains Unleashed: Sinister Six Q&A	Cosplay Lounge & Cosplay Medic Station	The Sting Chronicles: An Introduction
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Silhouettes of History, A Historical Fashion Showcase	Steampunk Weapons	Magical Me: The Costuming of Harry Potter	Posing for the Camera presented by Ivy Doomkitty	Selling your soul to the Devil (HOLLYWOOD) - Dawn Ritz w/ guest Producer Danny Costanzo	The Fat Nerd: One Nerd's Journey to a Body Positive Life and Nerdlesque		Harry Potter and Never Letting Go
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								
1:30pm - 2:00pm	PAID EVENT Steampunk Costume Creation Workshop: Character Development to Create a Costume	Cosplay from the Skin Out	Rebel Legion: Building a Better Rebel	Fabric Choices in Cosplay Presented by Priapella Corp	The Fat Nerd: One Nerd's Journey to a Body Positive Life and Nerdlesque	Intro to Molding and Casting Costume Parts, Part 1		Phoenix Comicon Short Screenplay Competition Table Read
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	SCA 101 (Society for Creative Anachronism)	How to Add Teslapunk To Your Costume (Lights)	The Mermaid Sisters Lilith and Summer: Q&A	Advanced Costuming: Custom Pattern Creation, Draping, and Sewing Form-fitted Garments	Steampunk Thrift Store Sourcing	Intro to Molding and Casting Costume Parts, Part 2		Embrace Your Geek, a live podcast recording of Spreken ze Geek Must be 18+
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm								XX Podcast Live Must be 18+
5:00pm - 5:30pm								
5:30pm - 6:00pm								

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SUNDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Sunday	Film Festival North 227AB	Film Festival North 227C	Gaming Hyatt Cowboy Artist	Film Festival North 227AB	Film Festival North 227C	Books-Authors North 126A	Books-Authors North 126BC	Books-Authors North 127AB
10:30am - 11:00am		How to Run a Comedy Writer's Room			How to Run a Comedy Writer's Room	Super Civilizations: Exploring Social Issues in Comics, Games and Film	Drawing Out the Dragons	Cool Things I'm Reading-YA Edition
11:00am - 11:30am	Phoenix Comicon Film and Web Awards Ceremony			Phoenix Comicon Film and Web Awards Ceremony				
11:30am - 12:00pm								
12:00pm - 12:30pm		Podcasting for (and from) Dummies			Podcasting for (and from) Dummies	Utopian vs Dystopian Societies	Del Rey Publisher Preview	Spotlight on John Scalzi
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Festival Shorts Block		Iron GM Tournament	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Festival Shorts Block				
1:30pm - 2:00pm						Here a Con, There A Con, Everywhere a Mini Con	Making Your Kickstarter Not Suck, with Paul and Storm	The Military in Speculative Fiction
2:00pm - 2:30pm		S&M Comedy presents...This Day In History!			S&M Comedy presents...This Day In History!			
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Winners Circle Block			Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Winners Circle Block				
3:30pm - 4:00pm		Ichabod's Apocalypse: Sleepy Hollow & literature, history & the Bible			Ichabod's Apocalypse: Sleepy Hollow & literature, history & the Bible		Magic and Power in Young Adult Fiction	Charlaine Harris and Christopher Golden on The Cemetery Girl and Beyond.
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm								
5:00pm - 5:30pm	Shooting Death			Shooting Death				
5:30pm - 6:00pm								

Sunday	Books-Authors North 127C	Books-Authors North 128A	Science Fiction North 121BC	Science Fiction North 122AB	Science Fiction North 122C	Science Fiction North 124A	Science Fiction North 124B	Science Fiction North 125AB
10:30am - 11:00am		Kaiju Rising: Age of Monsters Anthology	Inside Star Wars Miniatures & Visual Effects	Meet The Browncoats	What is it like owning a movie car?	What is a Gayer? Discussing LGBT Gaming Communities	Wait, Wait ... Just Science Me! (Game Show)	Star Trek: Fandom in the Desert
11:00am - 11:30am								
11:30am - 12:00pm	PAID EVENT Writing Workshop: 21 Days to a Novel							
12:00pm - 12:30pm		Writing Critique Sunday Session	Mara Jade - The REAL Warrior Woman	Fringe Science	Not in Sequential Form: Superheroes in Prose	Volunteering for Phoenix Comicon	Crowdsourced Science	Nerdy Travel
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								
1:30pm - 2:00pm	In the Shadows - Author and Artist Collaboration	Writing Great Dialogue - The Revenge!	The Awesomely Awful '90s	Welcome to Night Vale	That's No Moon, It's YOUR Satellite!	Becoming a Phoenix Comicon Moderator!	The Rebels: Freedom Fighters or Terrorists?	Doctor Who on a Dime
2:00pm - 2:30pm								
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Crossing the Streams - How to Effectively Cross Genres in Your Writing	Jay Lake, His Life and Work	I am a Doctor Who Fan Because...	Legendary Captains of the Federation	The Big Big Finish Panel	How to become a Phoenix Comicon Panelist	Spoof & Cinema Mash Up: DROIDS!	Good News, Everyone!
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm			Why Your Fandom Sucks Must be 18+	The Best of the Best - Lightsaber Battles: Redux!!		The Phoenix Society of Historical Swordsmanship	Montalbatch: The Search For Khan	Evolution off the Rails
5:00pm - 5:30pm								

Sunday	Misc North 123	Misc North 131	Misc North 132	Misc North 225B	Misc North Ballroom 120	Misc South 160-161	Youth South 150	Youth South 151-154	Youth South 155-158
10:30am - 11:00am			The Really Epic Epic Fantasy Panel		John Ratzenberger Spotlight		Go Figures! The Action Figure Panel		Quidditch!
11:00am - 11:30am		Barry Bard @ The Movies							
11:30am - 12:00pm									
12:00pm - 12:30pm			Keeping a Long Running Series Fresh		Cary Elwes Spotlight		Youth Can Draw, Too!		Allyoyo.com Performance Team
12:30pm - 1:00pm				Astronomy of Middle Earth					
1:00pm - 1:30pm	The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program								
1:30pm - 2:00pm		Author Chicks Who Dig Time Lords	Hip Hop Family Tree		Stan Lee Spotlight		Teen Volunteers + Libraries/Fandom = AWESOME!	Art Room Sponsored by Jerry's Artarama	Avengers Boot Camp
2:00pm - 2:30pm						PAID EVENT Battlefield Live AZ - 1st Annual Clan War Tournament			
2:30pm - 3:00pm									
3:00pm - 3:30pm									
3:30pm - 4:00pm		Gary Harper vs the Audience	Writing Rogues		Danny Glover Spotlight		Meet the Avengers!		Geek Family Feud!
4:00pm - 4:30pm									
4:30pm - 5:00pm		GOJIRA VS GODZILLA	Doctor Who Monsters: The Good, The Bad, and The Zipper				Superhero Q & A with the Justice League Arizona!		Blacklight Allyoyo.com Performance Team
5:00pm - 5:30pm									
5:30pm - 6:00pm									

SUNDAY PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Sunday	Youth South 159	Youth South Art Room - Events Area	Party-Events Renaissance Grand Ballroom	Party-Events Renaissance Pueblo	Party-Events Sheraton Laveen	Party-Events Sheraton Valley of the Sun	Party-Events Sheraton-Ahwatukee	Outdoor-Events 3rd Street
10:00am - 10:30am								Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo
10:30am - 11:00am	What Do I Read Now?	Trolls by Jenn Czep	Earn Your PhD in Horribleness		Diversity Lounge	Supernatural Elements in Contemporary Fantasy	PAID EVENT Sci-Fi Speed Dating Must be 18+	Photo Capture Scavenger Hunt
11:00am - 11:30am			Doctor Horrible Shadowcast					
11:30am - 12:00pm								High Noon Water Showdown
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Battle of the Fans Trivia Tournament!	Drawing Owly - Andy Runton				WHO's The 12th Doctor?		Fun Time Game Challenge
12:30pm - 1:00pm								
1:00pm - 1:30pm								DREAD Fleet Fencing tournament
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Princesses and their Nations: Q&A	Lego Build Off - All Ages				Star Trek Continues: Episode 2 Screening	PAID EVENT Sci-Fi Speed Dating Must be 18+	Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo
2:00pm - 2:30pm				Street Pass Quest				
2:30pm - 3:00pm								
3:00pm - 3:30pm	How to Customize a LEGO Minifig	Mystic Twistic Steampunk Wings						
3:30pm - 4:00pm								
4:00pm - 4:30pm								
4:30pm - 5:00pm		Explore Art with Jerry's Artarama						
5:00pm - 5:30pm								

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VIDEO GAMING IN HYATT REGENCY BALLROOM

Persona 4 Arena (PS3)

Two months after the ending of the hit RPG Persona 4, a new threat has emerged in Persona 4 Arena! Jump into the next chapter of the story as Persona 4 enters a new genre in this 2D fighting game from the dream team of ATLUS and Arc System Works, made to be enjoyed by fighting game beginners and experts alike!

When: Fri, 12:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

BlazBlue: Chrono Phantasma (PS3)

A Whole New World - BlazBlue: Chrono Phantasma outdoes itself as part of one of the best 2D fighting game series of all time! With new art and a seamless combination of 2D and 3D graphics, BlazBlue's vibrant, harrowing world comes to life on the PlayStation 3 entertainment system!

When: Fri, 3:00 PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

Tekken Tag Tournament 2 (PS3)

Never underestimate the heart of a champion. The original Tag Team Fighter that started it all is back. Tekken Tag Tournament 2 delivers new and returning characters in the largest roster ever. Experience the most advanced attack mechanics. Unlimited fighter combinations and multiple ways to challenge your friends - get ready for the next battle!

When: Fri, 6:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

Super Smash Bros Melee (GC)

Can Mario beat Donkey Kong? Is Pikachu tougher than Yoshi? Find out as 12 of Nintendo's biggest stars

battle in head-to-head competition. Battle through a tournament in 3-D fighting arenas or take on multiple players with special moves and unique strengths.

When: Fri, 9:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

Street Fighter X Tekken (360)

The long awaited dream match-up between the two leaders in the fighting genre becomes a reality. Street Fighter X Tekken delivers the ultimate tag team match up featuring iconic characters from each franchise, and one of the most robust character line ups in fighting game history. With the addition of new gameplay mechanics, the acclaimed fighting engine from Street Fighter IV has been refined to suit the needs of both Street Fighter and Tekken players alike.

When: Sat, 12:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

Killer Instinct (XB1)

The legendary fighting game franchise is back with next-generation visuals, over-the-top action, a wild cast of combatants, rocking reactive music, and C-C-C-Combo Breakers. Choose from a diverse set of characters, each with fluid animations, unique combat tactics, and flashy special attacks. Utilize an open-ended combo system to rack up huge combos as your opponent looks for openings to break you and turn the tides of battle.

When: Sat, 3:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

Ultimate Marvel Vs. Capcom 3 (360)

Unleash incredible attacks on your enemies when you fight as one of

the original 38 characters or as any of the 12 new legends, including Capcom's Strider and Firebrand and Marvel's Ghost Rider and Hawkeye. Jump right into the fray or take a lesson by watching in the new, fan-requested Spectator mode for the online experience. Eight new stages, extra surprises and more enhancements ensure Ultimate Marvel vs. Capcom 3 will be a fight you won't forget.

When: Sat, 6:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

Super\Ultra Street Fighter IV (360)

Ever since its initial release, the Street Fighter IV series has remained the most popular competitive fighting game franchise on the planet and continues to smash records in terms of tournament attendance and stream viewers. Continuing the tradition of excellence the series is known for, five new characters and six new stages have been added for even more fighting mayhem, with rebalanced gameplay and original modes topping off this ultimate offering.

When: Sat, 9:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

Call Of Duty: ghosts 3v3 (360)

Ghosts is an extraordinary step forward for one of the largest entertainment franchises of all-time. This new chapter in the Call of Duty franchise features a new dynamic where players are on the side of a crippled nation fighting not for freedom, or liberty, but simply to survive.

When: Sun, 12:00PM

Where: Hyatt Regency Ballroom

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FESTIVAL THEATRE – ROOM 227AB (THURSDAY, JUNE 5TH)	
4:00 PM to 6:00 PM	Comedy Block I
Kick Ass Cops: Episode 1 – Coked-Up Prostitutes	Ritter and Jacoby are back on the job as kick ass cops after losing their partner in a fierce gun battle. The two inept detectives are on the trail to find out who is killing coked-up prostitutes in their city of Madison Marshall.
Tea Time	Izzy is having a tea party with her friends Jason and Shelly to introduce them to her new friend from out of town, Scott.
The Greatest Lie Ever Told	Relationships are hard, people change, sometimes things just don't work out, but what do you do if you're cornered and there's no way out? You tell the greatest lie ever told!
The Date	A Cinderella story set in Buenos Aires. However, this is NOT your grandma's Cinderella.
Near Dead	An elderly man discovers he's happier after the zombie apocalypse.
Game Companion	Thirty-something Bob lives downstairs in his mom's house, works in fast food and has one friend. His greatest accomplishment is making it to master in a fighter-style video game, permitting him a game companion, Kimiko, which turns out to be real.
6:00 PM to 7:00 PM	FEATURE FILM
Chaisson: Quest From Oriid	Magic is outlawed, the truth is hidden. Only a fugitive princess holds the answers.
7:00 PM to 8:30 PM	FEATURE FILM
Real Heroes	A comedy about B-string superheroes who go on a reality show.
8:30 PM to 9:30 PM	SCIENCE FICTION BLOCK I
The Way We Are	Two aliens visit earth to experience humanity.
Indigo Child	Miranda deals with difficult childhood memories but ultimately finds peace in the one experience she had forgotten.
The Within	They are among us, within us. Who will stop them?
CUPIC: Diary Of An Investigator Little Children	Dramatic series about paranormal investigators.
Conundrum	An ex-con makes a fateful decision.
Daydreams	A religious housewife finds herself troubled by the feelings that she has for her son's babysitter.
9:30 PM to 11:00 PM	HORROR BLOCK I (18 AND UP ONLY)
Case 1428	Celebrating a beloved franchises 30th anniversary, an interrogation between an officer and a troubled teenager reveals a town's deep, dark secret.
Deep Sleep	James is on the brink, as for months his dreams have offered no rest but nightmares. Vivid images of others coming to horrible deaths and now even dreams of his own demise, haunt him every time he dozes off.
Delica M: Mean Something	A secret lab hides their gruesome experiment of several human test subjects.
The Curse Of La Muerte	An assassin gets double-crossed after his last contract and loses everything including his own life. However, he is given a second chance to take revenge on those who have done him wrong.
Children Of The Dust	Poor Vincent is befriended by beautiful Christine...and things get sexy and deadly.

FESTIVAL THEATRE – ROOM 227AB (FRIDAY, JUNE 6TH)	
11:30 AM to 1:30 PM	SCIENCE FICTION BLOCK II
Pressure	In an alternate future, a steam-powered San Francisco is controlled by corporate overlords enforcing strict compliance of its citizens. A father and daughter must work together to plan escape in their illegal airship.
Toy Apocalypse	A private investigator, hell-bent on finding the killer of his partner, finds an answer bigger than he could ever imagine and apocalyptic in nature.
Ghost Light	An absent father and his son are set against a malevolent force.
It's Go Time	A short film about how one man must get back the people that double crossed him during his last given job to recover a vile of liquid that turns people young in seconds.
Void	After an astronaut escapes a catastrophic accident in deep space, he uses the memories of his wife on Earth to guide his crippled spaceship home. But as he moves further into the dark, his reality becomes blurred and madness takes hold.
Heart Pumping Oil	Two women on a mission of freedom.
1:30 PM to 2:30 PM	HORROR/SCIENCE FICTION BLOCK
The Hoarder	A hoarder's addiction finally catches up with her when she purchases a lamp online that is said to behold the power of a demon.
Bright Eyes	The story of a woman who wakes up to suspect that someone or something may be stalking her in this satirical riff of the horror genre.
Rat Catching	An insomnia-plagued loner becomes increasingly obsessed with an elusive rat that he believes has invaded his home.
Terminus	After watching an infomercial for a job service called Terminus, David Kepler decides to go in for an interview. Once there, he agrees to go through the testing process unaware that the results of the test will determine his fate more ways than one.
2:30 PM to 3:30 PM	HORROR BLOCK II
Break Down	Three college friends speed through the desert on their way to Las Vegas for a weekend of crazy fun. They are unexpectedly held back when they run into strange car trouble and their weekend turns into something crazier than they imagined.
Buddy System	Two men learn the buddy system when trapped together during the zombie holocaust.
Flat End	A man is stranded in the middle of the desert on his last breaths meets a little girl that claims to be death.
Night Of The Sea Monkey	A young boy discovers the horror of what happens when you send your sea monkeys down the drain. (POSSIBLE 3-D VERSION TO BE SCREENED)
3:30 PM to 4:30 PM	COMEDY BLOCK III
Moving Boxes	A man goes to extreme measures to capture the attention of the woman he loves as they pass each day in the elevator at work.
Betcha Berlinetta	Sergio bets big to get a date with Mema as she lays everything on the line with one fateful ring toss.
Closed Quarters	A group survives the apocalypse only to have their way of life challenged by an outsider.
The Will	A beloved family member dies and leaves a haunted artifact to a young man. He must keep himself tethered to it to win his inheritance.
4:30 PM to 5:00 PM	SPECIAL SCREENING
RUR: Genesis	R.U.R. depicts a world populated by genetically engineered workers ("artificials") – perfect, made-to-order people who lack fundamental rights.
6:00 PM to 8:00 PM	PHOENIX COMICON FILM CHALLENGE SHOWCASE
Join us for a special screening of this year's competing entries for the Phoenix Comicon Film Challenge	
8:30 PM to 10:00 PM	FEATURE FILM
Legends Of The Knight	The documentary film "Legends Of The Knight" tells the uplifting true stories of individuals who were inspired to become the real-life heroes by their childhood love of Batman.
10:00 PM to 11:30 PM	FEATURE FILM
Found In Time	A psychic who lives his life out of order – slipping between his past, present and future – must solve a murder he commits in the future. But how can he do that if he's not even sure of "when" he is?

FILM FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

FESTIVAL THEATRE – ROOM 227AB (SATURDAY, JUNE 7TH)

10:30 AM to 11:30 AM	COMEDY/ANIMATION BLOCK
No Strings Attached	A boy made of yarn learns the truth about himself.
Dead Votes Society	After the zombie apocalypse, everyone's trying to get back to normal, even the zombies.
Zero	After his planet is destroyed, Zero the android discovers Earth in 1918. In 1939, sensing a negative change in our culture, Zero departs in search for another home. Finding nothing, he returns 74 years later only to find how much things have changed.
Sprocky Spittoon	A sepia-toned Saturday-morning style cartoon featuring a steamboat boy hero.
The Bob & Angus Show	News rams Bob and Angus deliver the news from the Mayfair Games.
The Horde	The animated tale of a guild in a World-Of-Warcraft style environment that doesn't seem to know how to fight.
11:30 AM to 1:00 PM	SPECIAL SCREENING
Gaming In Color	Out of the closet and into the arcade! Gaming In Color is a full length documentary of the story of the queer gaming community, "gaymer" culture and events, and the rise of LGBTQ themes in video games.
1:00 PM to 2:00 PM	SCIENCE FICTION BLOCK III
Phoenix Lights	Ten years after the mysterious "Phoenix Lights" incident, a group of young party-goers are visited by a surprise guest.
The Inventor	A man struggles to deal with the ghosts of his past. When his mother dies, he is forced to come face-to-face with his past in the form of a mysterious box.
Dystopia St.	Lost in a nightmare world, a man must unravel the mystery of his plight in order to find the key to his escape.
Schism	An innovative short film that can only be told in split-screen... estranged from his father and upset over a failed romantic relationship, Greg didn't think his life could get any worse – until rendered comatose by an accident.
2:15 PM to 2:45 PM	MUSIC VIDEO BLOCK
The Partying Glass	Music Video
Please Don't Tell Me (What I Did Last Night)	Music Video and fun romp based on a night of debauchery.
In The End	Music video with a storyline of lost hope and a refund joy and appreciation of life after a near-death experience.
R.I.P. SAW: The Serpentine Deluge Of Serendipity	A music video representing the struggle of good and evil as represented by the band's alter-egos.
Star Wars Bohemian Rhapsody	A music video parody of Star Wars set to Queen's "Bohemian Rhapsody".
3:00 PM to 4:30 PM	SPECIAL SCREENING
Spirits Of The Force	SPECIAL 10-YEAR ANNIVERSARY SCREENING!!! Join us for a special screening of this critically-acclaimed Star Wars fan film trilogy.
5:00 PM to 6:30 PM	FAN FILMS/SUPERHEROES BLOCK
Girl Of Steel	A conceptual fan-film based on the DC Universe/Comics heroine, Supergirl.
Logan Must Make Star Wars	Thrown back to the year 1974, Logan accidentally kills George Lucas. Now, to ensure that the greatest sci-fi trilogy is made, he must impersonate him and make Star Wars himself.
Kidnapped: A Gravity Falls Fan Film	Dipper Pines must fight for his life after he's kidnapped by two mysterious agents who want to steal his latest discovery: a rare and powerful crystal.
Batman: Arkham Knight	One year after The Dark Knight Rises, John Blake struggles with the weight of being Batman.
Star Wars: Dark Heart	Set 4000 years before the time of Darth Vader, a war is waged between the Jedi and the Sith over the Dark Heart.
Superficial	A mysterious pathogen causes people to reanimate not as zombies but as superheroes.
Grayson: Earth One	Richard Grayson must help stop a mysterious man from abducting people from Gotham City in this imaginative multiverse story.

FESTIVAL THEATRE – ROOM 227AB (SATURDAY, JUNE 7TH) (CONTINUED)

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	SPECIAL SCREENING
Moontrap	Two veteran shuttle pilots discover an alien artifact and bring it back to earth. It turns out to be an extraterrestrial war robot and the two astronauts are then sent to the moon to uncover the mystery of the robot's origin. They discover an ancient culture and battle the threat of the war machines heading earth.
9:00 PM to 9:30 PM	FEATURE FILM
Sleepworking (18 and up only)	"Give us your body, we'll give you back control"
9:30 PM to 11:30 PM	FEATURE FILM
Truth Or Dare (18 and up only)	A group of daredevil friends find themselves caught in a nightmarish game of "Truth Or Dare" with a psychotic fan. The directorial debut of scream queen, Jessica Cameron.

FESTIVAL THEATRE – ROOM 227AB (SUNDAY, JUNE 8TH)

11:00 AM to 12 Noon	PHOENIX COMICON FILM & WEB AWARDS CEREMONY
Join us for the presentation of the best of this year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival as well as the presentation of the winning entries in this year's Phoenix Comicon Film Challenge and Short Screenplay Competition	
12:30 PM to 3:00 PM	FESTIVAL SHORTS BLOCK
Face Of Innocence	Jacob Szczypinski finds a piece of evidence that could bring down the serial kidnapper responsible for his sister's disappearance.
Recursion	When an accident-prone best man loses the wedding ring, he tries everything possible (and impossible) to save the day.
Cassandra	Two thieves infiltrate a besieged medieval city to retrieve an artifact.
Cover	A quiet night at the library turns deadly when a librarian accidentally unleashes demonic forces from a strange book.
Dust Jacket	Horror/thriller about a young woman in danger.
The Savior	A spectator watching a one-woman show gets lost in his thoughts, allowing the viewers to take a peek into his conflicted, violent work.
What Actually Happens	A light-hearted look at what men vs. women think happens after a break-up.
Whatever Happened To The Gonkers?	This mockumentary follows the rise and fall of a local Arizona children's show.
Wild Wild Breast	In 1895 Arizona, a ruthless killer chicken is the town's sheriff.
Zhon: The Alien Interviews	Check out the latest episodes of this web series based on a man claiming to be an alien who turns himself in to authorities which leads to even more questions about the man's real intentions.
3:00 PM to 4:30 PM	WINNERS CIRCLE BLOCK
Check out a replay of some of our winning entries in this year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival and Film Challenge	
4:30 PM to 6:00 PM	SPECIAL SCREENING
Shooting Death	What if one evening, you accidentally videotape a horrific event...a murder? What if the only person who believes you happens to be the killer?

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#Shipt: Have you ever wanted to talk about your favorite pairings? Do you ever wonder if there is something better? Come join the Mahou Shoujo Defense Force and set sail for your favorite ships and we'll tell you why there's something better. Panelists: The Mahou Shoujo Defense Force (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 223

10 Must See Doctor Who Stories: Considering it has been named the "Longest Running Science Fiction Television Program", Doctor Who has a multitude of fascinating stories to choose from. Join our Whovian Experts as we discuss The Top 10 Must See Doctor Who Stories! Panelists: Chris Swanson, Courtney Lovejoy, Gavin Hazeldene, Katie Reilly, Melanie Hazeldene
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 121BC

20 years of Shi with Billy Tucci: Created by Billy Tucci 20 years ago, Shi is deeply rooted in Japanese history and mythology. Billy Tucci talks about Shi and his career in comics as we celebrate the platinum anniversary of the character. Panelists: Billy Tucci
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 129A

30 Years and Counting: Comics Classics in the Modern Age: In the late '70s/early '80s, ElfQuest offered a unique vision of fantasy; Nexus gave us a hero more rooted in science fiction than capes and cowl; and Groo presented a humorous take on sword and sorcery. Panelists: Mark Evanier, Mike Baron, Wendy & Richard Pini
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 128B

4 Shows, 1 Day: A Podcast Network: Twice a month, the Brick Cave Audio Podcast day schedules and pulls off 4 hours of live internet audio. Learn what goes in to planning a multi show programming experience from cast of the Podcasts and BCA's own illustrious Audio Engineer, Johnny Skinner. Panelists: Bob Nelson, Brent Heffron, Jenn Czep, Jenn LaBuzz, Johnny Skinner
When: Sat, 10:00-11:00PM Where: North 227C

40 years of Rocky Horror Costuming: How Rocky Horror Costuming has changed over the years, who and where are the best places and people to get Rocky Horror Costuming. Featuring members of Broadway Bound and Gagged! (pictured: Valley Art, Tempe, 1979) Panelists: Kelley Lester, Sure Leigh Kahn
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 231A

A Couple of Nobody's Go To Comicon: We will discuss the latest in comics, games and movies as well as our experience at comicon. Panelists: Brenda Ace, Diethrich Shelton, Frank Oropeza, Jerry Martin, Luis Aviles
When: Sat, 8:30-9:30PM Where: North 227C

A Mess of Mysteries Sponsored by Cox Communications: Who is Jon Snow's mother? What game is Varys playing? Is Stannis really the Prince that was Promised? Conspiracies abound and prophecies are dissected in this discussion of Game of Thrones' most crackpot theories. WARNING: HERE BE SPOILERS! Panelists: Neil Picard, Nicholas Grover
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124A

Abnormal Entertainment's "Banned From iTunes": Live podcast for Abnormal

Entertainment (www.abnormalentertainment.com) Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Andy Ladewski, Mike Grim
When: Thu, 5:00-6:00PM Where: North 225A

Abnormal Entertainment's "Maskerpiece Theatre": Live podcast for Abnormal Entertainment (www.abnormalentertainment.com) Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Chris Maser, Dalyn Viker, Joshua Grygor, Ken Morrison, Kulamanu Nazarro, Leah Viker, Matthew Eghbali
When: Thu, 8:00-9:00PM Where: North 225A

Abnormal Entertainment's "Myriads of Thought": Live podcast for Abnormal Entertainment (www.abnormalentertainment.com) Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Hollis Jay, Katie Van Steen, Tori Smith
When: Thu, 6:30-7:30PM Where: North 225A

Abnormal Entertainment's "The Science of Atomic Head Cheese": Live podcast for Abnormal Entertainment (www.abnormalentertainment.com) Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: David Sabal, Jeff Dolniak, Kevin Moyers
When: Thu, 9:30-10:30PM Where: North 225A

Abridged Appreciation: Join us as we share our appreciation for the underworld of redubbing known as abridged. We'll talk about our favorites such as LittleKuriboh, TeamFourStar, ShadyVox, and more. Panelists: The Renegades
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 222C

Action Lab Danger Zone: The company who brought you Jeremy Whitley's Princeless and Jamal Igle's Molly Danger talks about their current and upcoming projects. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 128B

Adapting Cartoon Characters for Comics: The origin of comic books is a book of collected newspaper comic strips. Comic book creators talk about adapting newspaper comic strips and animated cartoons into comic books. Panelists: Chris Duffy, Mark Evanier
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 129A

Adapting Licensed Properties to Comics: More and more of your favorite TV shows and movies are having their story extended and expanded in comic books. Find out from the pros who work on those books what it takes to make that transition successful. Panelists: Charles Sellner, Christopher Golden, Jeffrey J. Mariotte, Nature Lewis
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 130

Advanced Costuming: Custom Pattern Creation, Draping, and Sewing Form-fitted Garments: Sewing is a complex art and there is always room to improve. We'll teach you how to measure & draft custom patterns, use draping to match character design elements, and how to fit your costume exactly. Learn tips for sewing stretch & latex fabrics, and address reinforcing structure wit... Panelists: House Lionheart (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 231BC

Advanced Horror Makeup: Character, Haunted House and Indie Films: Learn how to design then create a horror character in full makeup from scratch. Covering sculpting, molding, and casting

of custom prosthetic pieces. John has worked various haunted attractions across the country including Autumn Nightmare in Syracuse NY, The Haunted Mortuary&nbs... Panelists: John Frye
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 166

Advances in Cheaper/Private Space Travel: There's a revolution underway in low-cost space travel. Soon space won't be just for government astronauts and your favorite SF characters anymore. Hear the latest on what SpaceX, Blue Origin, Virgin Galactic, Stratolaunch, Bigelow, XCOR, and others are up to, with technical in... Panelists: Henry Vanderbilt
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 125AB

Adventures in Science Local researchers talk about their research and the strange and exotic places it's taken them. Plus, what they've discovered! Panelists: Aireona Bonnie Raschke, Charles Rolsky, Daniel Jacobs, Jason Raymond, Pamela Gay, Steve Ruff
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 124A

Affordable Costuming 101: Affordable Costuming 101, presented by TNXBCreations and Todd Cook Designs, will guide you during this hour on how to costume with a budget, focusing on the re-purposing of found items and where to find inexpensive fabrics to make truly outstanding costumes. We will focus on key points in the c... Panelists: Thomas Boyer
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 232BC

After your Kickstarter campaign: Fulfilling your commitment: One of the most challenging things about a successful Kickstarter campaign can be producing your product, fulfilling and shipping it. Get advice for creators who have run campaigns before. Panelists: Charles Sellner, Jason Brubaker, Travis Hanson
When: Sun, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 130

Agents of STEM: Join Educating [Geeks] for a panel exploring the STEM fields. Geek host Megan will moderate a group of female STEM professionals in a discussion on interesting careers and resources developing STEM careers or deepening their interests. Panelists: Jessica Aldrich, Kristen Paris, Mari Turk, Marita Ogden, Megan Calcote
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 122C

Alien Languages: How do we communicate with each other and how have we attempted to communicate with other species, like dolphins? Do linguistics offer any insight into how we would communicate with aliens? Panelists: Andrew Montgomery, Southern Methodist University, Carrie Gillon, Dante Lauretta, Sara Walker
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 125AB

All Ages does not mean watered down: All Ages comics have a reputation of being for kids. Our panelists discuss how to create comics with a broad appeal without simplify plot or characterization. Panelists: Chris Duffy, Christopher Herndon, Jeremy Whitley
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 130

Allyoyo.com Performance Team: Sit close but not too close to an amazing yoyo show 20 countries in the making! The Allyoyo.com Team bring their yoyo skills and unique brand comedy

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to this interactive show. Lucky volunteers will leave with brand new yo-yos! Be there, and be loud!
Panelists: ALLYoYo
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 155-158
Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 155-158

Alpaca+jama Party: What's better than cuddling up with alpacas in your pajamas while watching cute anime? That's right, nothing. So come on down, bring your alpacas and join us for a pajama party! Games, snacks, and anime for your viewing pleasure included! Panelists: Arietis
When: Fri, 9:00-11:00PM Where: North 223

Alternative Universe - Compare and Contrast the TV/Movie and Comic Universes: Comic book fans have always had issues with the changes made to their favorite characters when they are on TV or film. We will look at recent shows produced by comic book companies and compare and contrast changes made to the characters.
Panelists: Alternative Universe
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 129B

American Horror Story: Coven: Join Educating [Geeks] as they discuss Season 3 of American Horror Story: Coven. The supreme requests that you wear your best black hat. Protect the coven!
Panelists: ANDREA COFFMAN, Bri Valdivia, Megan Calcote, Sara Santiago
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 166

Amtgard LARPing Demo & Games: You like battles and magic? Amtgard is a garbed historical fighting and magic group, using safe padded medieval style weapons. For youths 8-18 years old, try your hand against our seasoned fighters. We will have hands on fighting, along with a Q&A.
Panelists: Amtgard (18 panelists)
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 155-158

Amtgard Staged Battle: Do you like battles and magic? Amtgard is a garbed historical fighting and magic group. We use safe medieval styled padded weapons. Youth age 14+ can come try their hand against our seasoned fighters. Learn more about us at: www.azamtgard.org.
Panelists: Amtgard
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: 3rd Street

An Animated Career: Animation professionals discuss working in the animation industry as well as the project they have worked on.
Panelists: Jason Spisak, Kristen Fitzner Denton, Mark Evanier, Neo Edmund, Shannon Eric Denton
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 130

Anatomy of a Murder Investigation: Sgt. Darren Burch provides the details of a 2 year investigation of a tragic and violent 1997 home invasion of an elderly couple Phoenix. Hear the account of this real-life monster's crimes, ultimate demise and old-school 90's police investigation! Must be 18+ to attend!
Panelists: Sgt. Darren Burch
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: South 166

Angry Robot Preview Panel: Lee Harris and Mike Underwood of Angry Robot Publishing offer up a look at the latest and greatest books being released!
Panelists: Lee Harris, Michael R. Underwood
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 128A

Anime Just Ain't What It Used To Be: Do titles such as Dragonball and Blue Gender strike

a nostalgic nerve? Have you found nothing better in anime since Cowboy Bebop? Come join us for a discussion on how anime has changed over the last two decades, for better or worse.
Panelists: Project Nailbat (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 222C

Anime Music Video World Tour: You've seen anime music videos produced by people all across the US, but ever wonder what sort of AMVs come from other countries? Join Rice and Haggis as we tour the world and explore various styles and techniques unique to other cultures.
Panelists: Rice and Haggis (3 panelists)
When: Sun, 3:00-5:30PM Where: North 224AB

Anime Music Videos 101: Anime + Music = Awesome! Thinking about getting into the hobby of making anime music videos? Come on in, and we'll show you the basics and some helpful techniques that will make your Anime Music Video shine!
Panelists: Rice and Haggis (3 panelists)
When: Sun, 12:00-2:30PM Where: North 224AB

Are you smarter than a Rocket Grunt?: Test your Pokemon knowledge against our elite team of mindless drones for a chance to win fabulous(?) prizes in a game inspired by "Are You Smarter Than a Fifth Grader?".
Panelists: Team Rocket AZ (6 panelists)
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 222C

Arizona Avengers 5th Anniversary Celebration: Come help the Arizona Avengers celebrate their 5th year both at Phoenix Comicon and serving the community by attending charity & community events year round. The AzA are a labor of love, of Marvel Comics-based costuming & the hope to make a difference. They started with 4 ...
Panelists: Arizona Avengers
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 232BC

Arizona Comedy All-Stars: Bru-Ha-Ha Comedy Productions brings Comicon an All-Star cast of some of AZ's best professional stand-up comedians! See Valley favorites Travis Thurman, Boomer Nichols, Jill Bryan, recently crowned 2014 AZ's Funniest Comedian Bob Kubota and MORE!
Panelists: Bru-ha-ha Comedy Productions (7 panelists)
When: Thu, 8:00-9:30PM Where: 3rd Street

Arrow: Green is the new Black: In this panel we Geek Out about Arrow, the hit WB series about our favorite Emerald Archer. We'll discuss the Ins & Outs about this show that make it so very awesome.
Panelists: Arthur Trout, Bennett Bruce Elrod, Shale LeBlang
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 125AB

Art Auction: The return of the live art auction to benefit Kid's Need to Read. Art donated by comic con guests.
Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 129A

Art Room Sponsored by Jerry's Artarama: Bring the kids and gather in an area where there will be arts and crafts all day long, as well as artist drop-ins, author readings, and other activities. A place where kids of all ages can explore their inner artist.
Panelists: Jerry's Artarama - Come take a test drive with various creative mediums!
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When: Thu, 4:30-7:00PM Fri, Sat 10:30AM-

7:00PM Sun, 10:30AM-6:00PM Where: South 151-154

Ask A Detective: Sherlocked Edition: Meet the cast of Sherlock and ask them questions. Do you want to know how crazy Moriarty is? Maybe ask Sherlock if he knows that he looks like an otter? Perhaps ask Watson if he was a hedgehog in his past life? Interview us at this fun PG-13 panel! If you'd like to audition for this panel th...
Panelists: Bo E., Katerina E., MaryAnne E.
When: Fri, 12:30-1:30PM Where: North 225A

Ask A Scientist: Speak with a diverse set of scientists to get your questions about anything answered.
Panelists: Bradley Lusk, Lisa Will, Patrick Young, Rene Davis, Steve Ruff
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 124A

Ask SuperWhoLock: It's back and even better than before! Wondering how Sherlock would deal with Lucifer himself? Or what Jack Harkness thinks of Castiel? Ask SuperWhoLock is back, your chance to grill your favorite hit TV show characters!
Panelists: Alayna Scordato, Alexandria Rossi, Allison Simmerman, Andi Mueller, Catherine (ZAA Cosplay) Ayotte, Dillon Burke, Micaela Gardner, Nikk Mcknight, Ryan Goldfarb, Rys Holmes, Viktoriya Mendick
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Aspen Comics: Aspen Comics talks about their current and future projects.
Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 128B

Astrobiology of Mass Effect: Quarians, Turians, Asari, Geth ... all colorful and amazing fictional creations. But how sound is the science of Mass Effect? From planetary geology to alien biology to artificial intelligence, come find out what's possible (a lot)!
Panelists: Andres Morera, Craig Hardgrove, Lev Horodyskyj, Michael Pagano, Miles Brundage, Rebekah Brubaker
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 121BC

Astronomy of Middle Earth: Tolkien's characters lived in a world that shared our stars, but Middle Earth has its own constellations and lore. These inflatable planetarium shows run every 20 minutes starting at 12:00, but come at 11:45 to grab your free ticket and reserve a spot.
Panelists: Anne Stewart, Jason Ard, Lauren Ard, Mahonri Stewart
When: Sun, 12:00-2:00PM Where: North 225B

Author Batsu Game: Join Sam Sykes and a group of author friends for a rollicking good time! Batsu is a type of Japanese game show where contestants are given a challenge and punished if they fail to complete it.
Panelists: Aprilynne Pike, Delilah S. Dawson, John Scalzi, Leanna Renee Hieber, Myke Cole, Patrick Rothfuss, Sam Sykes, Chuck Wendig
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 132

Author Chicks Who Dig Time Lords: Join contributors to Chicks Dig Time Lords and Chicks Unravel Time as they discussed their love of Doctor Who and how it has influenced them in their careers.
Panelists: Catherynne Valente, Elizabeth Bear, Lynne M. Thomas, Seanan McGuire/Mira Grant, Carole Barrowman
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 131

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Author Collaboration: Join Amber Benson, Christopher Golden, and Jeffrey Mariotte for a discussion about collaborations. Panelists: Amber Benson, Christopher Golden, Jeffrey J. Mariotte
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 128A

Avatar: Beyond the Last Airbender: Avatar goes beyond what was in the shows. The depth which went in to the creation of the Avatar world continues to expand with Legend of Korra, the comics, and much more. Come join us as we help you bring balance to your understanding of the series. Panelists: Anime Parliament (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 222 AB

Avengers Boot Camp: The Arizona Avengers are back and looking for more future Avengers! Come see if you have what it takes throwing Thor's hammer, Captain America's shield, and Hawkeye's bow- and become one of Arizona's mightiest heroes! Panelists: Arizona Avengers
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 155-158

AZ Rhythm Connection Community Drum Circle with Tribal Dancers: Bring your drum, spirit and drumthousiasm to an open community drum circle with Frank Thompson of the Arizona Rhythm Connection. Tribal Dancers will be joining the grooves and extra drums will be provided. Don't miss this rockin' community jam! Panelists: AZ Rhythm Connection
When: Sat, 6:30-8:00PM Where: 3rd Street

AZ Roller Derby Bout: Don't let the fishnets fool you; the AZRD bout features real women athletes playing this high-octane sport. Celebrating 11 seasons as the world's second-oldest flat track derby league and with 85 skaters, it's one of the largest in the Valley. Panelists: AZ Roller Derby
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30PM Where: 3rd Street

Baccano: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 5:00-8:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Back to the Future: Adventures in a DeLorean Time Machine: Join professional time travelers Terry and Oliver Holler as they take you BACK through their incredible journey to find one's Density, then inspire you forward into the FUTURE! About the Panelists: Terry and Oliver Holler are theatre veterans who, using inspiration from their... Panelists: Oliver Holler, Terry Holler
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 124A

Barry Bard @ The Movies: Barry Bard's At The Movies - This always popular panel lets you get a sneak peak at upcoming genre films. After the trailers, a raffle for free movie promotional material will be held. Sponsored by CASFS.org (Central Arizona Speculative Fiction Society). Panelists: Len Berger, Mark Boniece, Richard Bolinski
When: Sun, 10:30AM-12:30PM Where: North 131

Basic Costuming: How to Start Machine Sewing and Use a Pattern: Want to be your favorite character? Don't want to spend a small fortune trying to find it online in your size? Want to do it as cost effectively as possible? Come learn the basics of machine-based costume creation. Covers: basics of the sewing machine, how to use your two most basic stitches a... Panelists: House Lionheart

(5 panelists)
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 225B

Batman 75: Batman Rogues: Batman is defined as much by his adversaries as his tragic past. Comic creators talk about their favorite rogues and how they define Batman. Panelists: Francis Manapul, Ken Brown, Kevin Maguire
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 129B

Batman 75: Batman Sketchoff: Help celebrate 75 years of Batman with a sketchoff. Comic book artists contribute their talent to create sketches while you watch. Art created will appear in the Charity Art Gallery (Booth 465) for purchase to benefit Kid's Need to Read. Panelists: Dave Beaty, Ed Harris, Katie Cook, Rob Hicks, Tom Hodges
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 129A

Batman 75: Batman Villains Sketchoff: Help celebrate 75 years of Batman with a sketchoff. Comic book artists contribute their talent to create sketches while you watch. Art created will appear in the Charity Art Gallery (Booth 465) for purchase to benefit Kid's Need to Read. Panelists: april reyna, Ed Harris, HL Martin, Ross Demma, Travis Hanson
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 128B

Batman 75: Justice League Sketchoff: Help celebrate 75 years of Batman with a sketchoff. Comic book artists contribute their talent to create sketches while you watch. Art created will appear in the Charity Art Gallery (Booth 465) for purchase to benefit Kid's Need to Read. Panelists: april reyna, Armand Villavert, Dave Beaty, David Oakes, Justin Miller
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 128B

Batman 75: The Many Faces of Batman: To honor the 75th Anniversary, comic creators talk about the way that Batman has changed over the years and their take on the character. Panelists: Adam Beechen, Len Wein
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 131

Batman: with Adam West, Burt Ward and Julie Newmar: Celebrate the 75th anniversary of Batman stars of the iconic 60's Batman television show Adam West, Burt Ward and Julie Newmar. Panelists: Adam West, Burt Ward, Julie Newmar
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North Ballroom 120

Battle of the Fans Trivia Tournament!: So, you know everything about Harry Potter, Hunger Games, and Twilight? Prove it by battling against other fans in an ultimate trivia competition. Trivia based on the books, not movies - we all know books are better! A team based event - prizes for the winners. Limit: 10 teams of 5 Panelists: Phoenix Public Library
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 159

Battlefield Live AZ - 1st Annual Clan War Tournament Saturday: PAID EVENT Battlefield Live AZ wants you and your team to compete in the First Annual USA CLAN WAR. For decades clan wars in the UK have determined who reigns as the number one team, who is the best of the best...Why should the UK have all the fun? Now is the time to step up and show us what y... Panelists: Battlefield Live AZ
When: Sat, 11:00-11:00PM Where: South 160-161

Battlefield Live AZ - 1st Annual Clan War Tournament Sunday: PAID EVENT Battlefield Live AZ wants you and your team to compete in the First Annual USA CLAN WAR. For decades clan wars in the UK have determined who reigns as the number one team, who is the best of the best...Why should the UK have all the fun? Now is the time to step up and show us w... Panelists: Battlefield Live AZ
When: Sun, 11:00-6:00PM Where: South 160-161

Be a Cheapskate (And Still Make Awesome Costumes & Props): Ever see an awesome costume and think "Hey, I totally need that in my life" only to later find out you'd be on the hook for big bucks (that you don't have) to buy it? Make it yourself, and make it cheap. Learn tips and tricks, plus many shortcuts to making great looking cos... Panelists: Kurt Colin, Quinn Lindemood, Shawn Lindemood, The Desert Destroyers Clan
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 232BC

Be a Predator: "The Desert Destroyers, Az Predator Clan" have been around for several years & have been steadily picking up new Hunters every year. We've appeared at Cons and events around AZ and will be presenting build techniques, animatronics, sculpting and casting tips as well as how to bui... Panelists: Glendon Taylor, Kurt Colin, Quinn Lindemood, Shawn Lindemood, The Desert Destroyers Clan, Tim VanDenover
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 232BC

Becoming a Phoenix Comicon Moderator!: Ever wonder what it takes to become a Phoenix Comicon panel Moderator? Well come find out! Meet the team that recruits, trains, and supports our Phoenix Comicon Moderators. They will be available to answer questions and take sign-ups for 2015! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 124A

Before You Launch Your Kickstarter Panel: The biggest question potential crowdfund campaigners ask is "How do I get started?". Panelists discuss what you need to consider before launching your crowdfund project. Panelists: Charles Sellner, Jason Brubaker, Jon Schnepf, Travis Hanson
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 130

Behind the Mask of Doom: Meet Ivy Doomkitty Q&A: Ever wonder what Ivy smells like? Does she dream of rainbows and unicorns or of the rule of Doom over earth? Can she really fly? Is there any truth behind the rumors that she is really a cat? If you've ever wondered how the Legion of Doomkitty came to be or have burning questions, then you don... Panelists: Ivy Doomkitty
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 231BC

Being a Nerdy Parent: Being a parent is hard, but being a nerdy parent is harder! You want to expose your children to the things you love, but when is it too early, too much, or just a bad call? Come discuss some good options for raising your kids right - the nerdy way! Panelists: Gretchen Whittaker, Rob Whittaker
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 122C

Beneath The Surface: Body painting. It instantly catches the eye, but have you seen it come to life? During this panel you will see how professional body painter, Brandon McGill, creates and redefines the experience. A brief, but beautiful documentary will guide you through a session from beginning

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to end. A live mode... Must be 18+ to attend!
Panelists: Brandon McGrill, Tyler Monzingo
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 124A

The Best Doctor: Reboot Edition: Since the reboot in 2005 which Doctor is your favorite? Is it nine with his fantastic reintroduction to the series? Is the fan favorite ten? Or is it the young quirky 11? Come join some of the valleys most devoted fans as they debate each new doctor's merits in a battle for the title of best mo... Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Courtney Lovejoy, Kiko Cheyenne, Loren Toporek, Michael Mahoney, Paul Tamayo
When: Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 121BC

Best of Doctor Who: Come sit in during this exciting panel as our Whovian experts discuss the best of our favorite British Sci-Fi TV Show! Categories include: Best Companion, Best Serial/Story, Best Alien, Best Doctor, Scariest moment, Best Villain, and more! Panelists: Bells Diggins, Chris Swanson, Courtney Lovejoy, Karla Benitez, Sabina Pricjic, Sean McGarry
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 121BC

The Best of the Best - Lightsaber Battles: Redeux!!: Join us as we re-explore the Best of the Best Light Saber battles. This year, we're expanding to include the best fights from Clone Wars, blaster vs. saber fights as well as some the best fan-made battles! Come join us for some awesome battles! Panelists: Felix Blinn, Michael Whyman, Trevor Campbell
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 122AB

Best Practices in Pop Culture Integration: Share your successes in using pop culture in your classroom, afterschool programs and libraries. Panelists: DJ Graham, Erik Francis, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 126A

Best RPGs You've Never Played: Think you've played every RPG out there? Dying for a new story that entices you for hours on end? Come join Arizona Midnight Channel as we discuss the rare RPGs you've never played. Panelists: Arizona Midnight Channel (5 panelists)
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 223

Beware the Weird Ones: Oddball Characters and Why we love them: Some characters wrestle ogres & kill aliens in one blow and stand around with their open shirts constantly billowing in the wind. Others take a ... different approach. In this panel we discuss the strange characters that don't get to save the princess, or pose majestically for book covers ... Panelists: Amber FitzPatrick, Arthur Trout, Shale LeBlang
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 125AB

Beyond the Movies - Star Wars in the Everyday Universe: You love the movies but did you know there is a whole expanded universe that is waiting to be discovered through the avenue of books, comics, and games? This panel will explore what is in the Expanded Universe, how it all fits together. Panelists: Amber Hunt, Dianne Althouse, Dustin Diehl
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 122AB

Beyond Thor and His Hammer: A look at the other characters in Norse mythology with authors who know them well. Panelists: Elizabeth Bear, Greg van Eekhout, Janni Lee Simner, Kevin Hearne

When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 127AB

The Big Big Finish Panel: Come discuss and learn about Big Finish, the company behind original, full-cast audio stories based on Doctor Who, Stargate, Highlander, Dark Shadows, and more! Fabulous prizes to be won! Panelists: Chris Swanson, Jeff Jones, Molly Martin
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 122C

Biohazard (Game Show): An epidemic has broken out and is threatening the world. Can you save the world in time? Learn about viruses, bacteria, and genetic engineering as you race to save the world! Panelists: Brian Johnson, Jordan Yaron, Moshe Rhodes " University of Colorado, Denver, Rebekah Brubaker
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 124B

Blacklight Allyoyo.com Performance Team: Sit close but not too close to an amazing yoyo show 20 countries in the making! The Allyoyo.com Team bring their yoyo skills and unique brand comedy to this interactive show. Lucky volunteers will leave with brand new yo-yos! Be there, and be loud! Panelists: ALLYOYO
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 155-158

Bleach Episodes 1-4: Come checkout the hit anime series Bleach! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 6:00-8:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Blending gaming and learning: Creating a Live Role-Playing Game: Faculty and staff from Northern Arizona University present on the crux of gaming and education and where the two concepts blend. Come play a Live Role-Playing Game, a shortened version of the one we played at our Videogame Research Symposium, and experience discussions on gamification, literacy, a... Panelists: Christopher Harnois, Dr A Nicole Pfannenstiel, Everett Bradshaw
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 125AB

Blood Lad: Anime Screening Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 4:00-6:00PM Sun, 3:30-5:00PM
Where: Renaissance Salon 3

Bloody Good Horror Screenwriters Party!: Join the bloody best in Horror Screenwriting. Hear their stories and secrets for creating horror greatness such as Friday the 13th Part 9, Sharktopus, Dark Dunes Productions Films, Exit to Hell and Necromentia. This will be a panel to die for! Panelists: Dean Lorey, Mallory O'Meara, Mike MacLean, Robert Conway, Stephanie Joyce
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 167

Brain Eating Contest sponsored by Halo Piercings and Jewelry: All zombies are welcome to this brain eating feast. Multiple age groups will compete against each other to eat their way out of the ground earning the right to eat brains. Zombies, worms, brains, prizes and fun!! Panelists: Department of Zombie Defense (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Sun, 12:00-1:00PM
Where: South 166

Brave 10: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff

When: Sat, 2:00-3:30PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Breaking In! Confessions from 2 Hollywood Insiders...: Producers Dean Lorey (Arrested Development, FOX; The Crazy Ones, ABC) and Frank Beddor (The Juliet, WB) share how they broke into Hollywood. Panelists: Dean Lorey, Frank Beddor
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 126BC

Breaking into Comics with Matt Hawkins/ Top Cow Productions: TopCow Comics' President and Think Tank comic creator, Matt Hawkins, gives advice for breaking into the comic book industry. Panelists: Matt Hawkins
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 128B

The Bronies of Phoenix Present: Harmonic Discourse: So you've heard about Bronies - those weirdos that watch this one show. Well, now we want to show you what we're all about, so come check us out! Panelists: Bronies of Phoenix
When: Sat, 12:00-2:30PM Where: North 224AB

The Browncoats Jamboree: It's time to put on your pretties for a mighty fine shindig. Join the Arizona Browncoats at the Sheraton Oculus for The Browncoats Jamboree. Stand up to the Alliance while getting down on the dance floor. Don't forget to dress your best for the costume contest and photo booth! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 6:00-9:00PM Where: Sheraton-Oculus

Bruce Campbell Spotlight: The guest you've all been waiting for the one- the only: Bruce Campbell! Panelists: Bruce Campbell
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North Ballroom 120

Building Better Sci-Fi: Are you interested in sci-fi? Are you annoyed by all the bad science in sci-fi movies and books? Here's your chance to meet up with real scientists to foster better connections to build better sci-fi. Join us later for a Scientist Mixer! Panelists: Aireona Bonnie Raschke, Craig Hardgrove, Michael Pagano, Natalie Hinkel, Rebekah Brubaker, Viranga Perera
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 121BC

Bunny Cafe: PAID EVENT At Your Service Cafe brings you the experience of a Japanese host club filled with cute bunny girls serving you drinks, chatting about your con day, and performing songs and dance numbers. Stop by we are waiting for you. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: At Your Service Maid & Butler Cafe
When: Fri, 7:30-9:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 1-2

By Your Command: Where are we with artificial intelligence? How close are we to creating Cylons, Data, and Borg intelligence? How does Sci-Fi shape the science of AI? Can Sci-Fi help us avoid a BSG-style robot revolt and Borgification? Panelists: Denise Baker, Miles Brundage
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 122C

Captain Squeegee: Quirky, eccentric, high-energy and simply unclassifiable, Phoenix Arizona's Captain Squeegee's main goal is to push the boundaries of music. Come see them kickoff the Epic Proportions Tour! Panelists: Captain Squeegee, Epic Proportions Tour
When: Thu, 11:00PM-12:00AM Where: 3rd Street

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Captain's Cantina Sponsored by Geek News Network and Pop Culture Paradise: Our annual Captains Cantina party, this year with a FIREFLY theme. Hang out after dark with your fellow Browncoats, be the best in the 'verse in our costume contest, or enjoy one of our themed signature cocktails. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:00PM-2:00AM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

Careers in Science: For those aspiring to have a career in science, technology, engineering, or math, advice on schooling, the outlook on career opportunities, and what life in those fields can be like. Panelists: Bradley Lusk, David Lee Summers, Kimberly Smith, Lisa Will, Steve Ruff
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 122AB

Carole Barrowman Spotlight: Join us for a spotlight with Carole Barrowman, co-author with her brother John The Hollow Earth series and Torchwood: Exodus Code. Panelists: Carole Barrowman
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 131

The Carousel Boutique: Learn how to be chic, unique, and mangifique with the help of local My Little Pony cosplayers! Featuring tips, tutorials, participation, and answers to your questions. Panelists: My Little Cosponies, Sure Leigh Kahn
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 232BC

Cary Elwes Spotlight: Do you fear the Dread Pirate Roberts? Well, no need to fear this man! Cary Elwes has graced movies, TV, voice acting, and theater. Come and see what he has to say, maybe he will even talk about his "TIGHT tights"! Panelists: Cary Elwes
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

Cathrynne Valente's Fairyland Stories and Beyond: Join Cathrynne Valente, author of The Girl Who Circumnavigated Fairyland in a Ship of Her Own Making for a look at her award winning series of children's books as well as her wide variety of adult fiction. Panelists: Cathrynne Valente
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 128A

Celebrating 50 years of G.I. Joe Action Figures: 50 years of GI JOE action figures: from the 60's to the present, 12" to 3 3/4", vehicles, accessories, commercials, file cards, art/design, and customization. Panelists: Dan's Joes, Joe Guy, John Stinsman, Nick Kruszalnicki, Vocab Malone
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 130

Celebrity Dressing w/ Dawn Ritz and a Special Surprise Celebrity: Join Dawn as she discusses how to dress a celebrity and make them shine for any Hollywood event. The art of celebrity dressing is no easy task. With all cameras on deck, it's important to understand the artist's needs and how to create a look for them that will be timeless. Dawn will sh... Panelists: Dawn Ritz
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 232BC

Celebrity Nerd Poets: Just how does one become a "Celebrity Nerd Poet"? Come on out and ask the Celebrity Nerd Poetry slam judges that very question. They'll talk about their writing, the history, the local community, and poetry slams. Panelists: Bob Nelson
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 127AB

Chaisson: Quest From Oriud: Magic is outlawed, the truth is hidden. Only a fugitive princess holds the answers. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 227AB

Chalk Drawing: Join us outside on the patio of the South Building and see artists create chalk masterpieces right before your eyes! And while you're there, try your hand at creating your own chalk artwork. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri-Sun: 10:30-11:30AM Where: outside South Building

Chap With Wings, Five Rounds Rapid! The Brigadier and Nicholas Courtney: Join us as we look at the life of Nicholas Courtney and his famous alter ego Alistair Gordon Lethbridge Stewart. During this panel we'll examine their contributions to the world of Doctor Who and see just how extraordinary they both were. Panelists: Gavin Hazeldene, John Arney, John Wheeler
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 121BC

Charlaine Harris and Christopher Golden on The Cemetery Girl and Beyond.: Charlaine Harris and Christopher Golden discuss their new graphic novel series, "The Cemetery Girl", as well as other projects. Panelists: Charlaine Harris, Christopher Golden
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 127AB

Chris Gore and the Kings of Cosplay Comedy: Join host Chris Gore for a night of Cosplay Comedy. See some of the best comedians in the nerd universe dressed as your favorite characters from Star Wars, Marvel and DC doing stand up comedy like you've never seen before! It's geektastic fun! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Chris Gore
When: Sat, 9:00PM-12:00AM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Chrono Trigger: Til the End Of Time: What do a katana wielding mute, a nerdy girl, a ditz princess, a robot, a knight in "frog's clothing", a bikini clad cave woman and a dark lord of magicks have in common? Join us as we recall the best moments from this classic RPG. Panelists: The Cookie Crusaders (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 223

Close to Home: Stories of the Solar System: Join authors Pierce Brown and Jason Hough as they chat with astronomers Phil Plait and Patrick Young about our solar system and how it inspired their work. Panelists: Jason Hough, Patrick Young, Phil Plait, Pierce Brown
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 127AB

Closet Otaku Confessions: Are you a closet Otaku? Did you have to make up a fake story explaining where you would be this weekend? Come share your hilarious closet otaku confessions and hear everyone else share their's as well! Panelists: Time Squad B (2 panelists)
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 223

Collecting and Investing in Comics 101: Retailers talk about how to start your comic book collection and what to look for in high value comics. Panelists: Jesse James, Ken Brown
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 129B

Coloring with Markers: Fallen, Inc. creator

H.L. Martin gives a comprehensive overview and demonstration of coloring with markers. Panelists: HL Martin
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 128B

Come Meet Fangoria!: FANGORIA has ruled the horror magazine world since 1979. Now's your chance to get a behind the scenes look at what it takes to be the #1 authority on all things scary! Hosted by FANGORIA Director of Marketing and Staff Writer, Rebekah McKendry! Panelists: Fangoria - Rebekah McKendry
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 167

Comedy Mutant Tour featuring Brian Posehn: Comedy Mutant, a stand-up comedy show featuring Head Mutant Brian Posehn, Myk Kaplan and Mike Drucker! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 7:00-8:30PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Comedy's Hard-The Secrets of How and When to be Funny: Writing humor is a difficult trick. Come listen to some of Phoenix Comicon's author guests who make it look easy and find out their secrets to getting laughs into a story. Panelists: Gini Koch, Jim Butcher, John Scalzi, Seanan McGuire/Mira Grant, Wesley Chu
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Comic Book Creator Rights: Holding onto the rights of your creations is as important as creating them in the first place. Find out the difference between a copyright, patent and trademark and ways to protect your creator rights. Panelists: Mike Baron, Ruth Carter
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 130

Comic Book Trivia: Knowledge is power. In the comic book world, it's everything. Answer comic book trivia questions to earn points. Point will add up as you answer questions. Comic book prizes will be awarded to those with the best scores. Panelists: Jeff Pina, Shaun Kronenfeld, Thomas Healy
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 129B

ComiCornucopia: Culinary Life Skills in Comics, Games & Film: Get a taste of how middle and secondary students can integrate savory graphic texts into their lessons and gain culinary skills in the process. Panelists: Jeff Barbanell, Robin MacPherson
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 126A

Comics and Graphic Narratives: Comic books are entertaining, but they can also create narratives with important viewpoints or commentaries on culture, politics, or even the human condition. The professors responsible and students of this Central Arizona College discuss this topic. Panelists: Captain Kathryn, Charles Nemecek, Jason, Louis Mendoza, Sean, Stephen Puklin
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 130

Comics in the ClassWhere: Sequential Art and Critical Thinking: Join Erik Francis, M. Ed. as he explores the most effective ways to use sequential art to teach critical thinking in the classroom. Panelists: Erik Francis
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 126A

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Commercial Pattern Literacy: You've taken home your very first commercial pattern, you take it out of the envelope and unfold that thin tissue paper and wonder what the heck it all means! What are these symbols? Which line do I cut on? Why did this cost \$16??? Come learn all this and more as we teach you how to read a com...
Panelists: Cookieplay Productions (3 panelists)
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 230

The Company of the Sable Blade 12th - 17th Century European Martial Arts: Demonstration of western martial arts spanning six centuries of historical Europe presented by The Company of the Sable Blade, a rapier academy from Sierra Vista, AZ. This demo will include a question and answer session. Panelists: The Company of the Sable Blade
When: Sat, 1:00-2:00PM Where: 3rd Street

The Company of the Sable Blade Victorian and Steampunk Fighting: Demonstration and discussion of Victorian era single stick, cane and parasol, and saber combat presented by The Company of the Sable Blade, a rapier academy from Sierra Vista, AZ. This demo will include a question and answer session. Panelists: The Company of the Sable Blade
When: Sat, 3:30-4:30PM Where: 3rd Street

Con-relationships 101: Even the most seasoned con-goer could stand to make their con better. Learn some tips to meeting and keeping con-friends, and how to make this convention the best yet. Social links go! Panelists: Muffin (2 panelists)
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 222C

Confessions Of A Comic Book Nerd: A screening of "Confessions of a Comic Book Nerd" with a discussion on the stereotypes involving comic book "nerds" with the filmmaker. Panelists: Matt Mendoza, Ryan Hartford
When: Fri, 9:30-10:30PM Where: North 225A

Constructing a Mystery Plot: Join some of our guests who write mysteries as they talk about the best ways to construct mystery plots that leave the reader baffled until the very end. Panelists: Charlaire Harris, Jeffrey J. Mariotte, Kris Neri, Stephen Blackmoore, Vicki Pettersson, Carole Barrowman
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: west 212

Cool Things I'm Reading: Join our panelists of readers and authors for a look at what is new and interesting to read in science fiction, fantasy, and comics. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 126A

Cool Things I'm Reading-YA Edition: Phoenix Comicon experts discuss the great books they've read recently and offer specific recommendations. Looking for a great YA book? This is the place to be! Panelists: Mira Domsy, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 127AB

Copyright and Fan Fiction/Art: Fan Art has been an increasingly controversial topic with creators receiving cease and desist orders from copyright owners. Attorney Ruth Carter offers her insight into this timely topic. Panelists: Ruth Carter
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 130

Corpsing for Dummies: Need a convincing corpse for your next cosplaying or movie project

but have a next to nothing budget and hardly any time to make it? We will show a step by step demo on how to turn a cheap Halloween skeleton into a thing of terror! Panelists: Natalia Lopez
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 167

Cosplay Fashion Show - Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop: Come see the Cosplayers from all walks of life showcase their talent and creativity at the Cosplay Fashion Show. Interested in modeling and showing off your unique take on your favorite character, contact kelley. lester@phoenixcomicon.com with the subject...
Panelists: Fashion Show Models
When: Sat, 12:00-2:00PM Where: North 229AB

Cosplay For All Sizes: Whether you're big, tall, or small, cosplay is definitely for you! Learn how to obtain confidence in the costumes you wear. Discover ways to alter clothes and patterns to fit your shape. If you want to cosplay then you'll have a grand time! Panelists: Bo E., Katerina E., MaryAnne E.
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Sat, 12:00-1:00PM
Where: North 232BC

Cosplay for Beginners: This is where we can all come together, with questions and anything else that you don't know about Cosplay?! Wait, what is cosplay you ask?! Jump on in; join The Show Off as she takes you thru the steps of cosplaying! FOR BEGINNERS! Panelists: Soupernatural!! (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 232A

Cosplay for Intermediates: So do you think that you have what it takes to be an Intermediate? Well stop on in. Figure out the do's & don't's and get some helpful hints on when & where to show off your skills, and make things just right! Stop on in, cosplay friends and family, no judging, just fun! Panelists: Soupernatural!! (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 232A

Cosplay for Kids: Comic books, anime, and video games don't offer costumes for kids. Learn how to alter clothing and patterns to make cosplay comfortable and fun for young cosplayers. Our panelists have over 25 years of experience making cosplay costumes for all ages Panelists: Katerina E.
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: South 150

Cosplay for Kids: Many characters in comic books, anime, and video games don't offer any costumes for kids. Discover ways to alter clothing and patterns to help make the cosplay comfortable and fun for young cosplayers. Our panelists have over 25 years of experience making cosplay costumes for both children and...
Panelists: Katerina E.
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 159

Cosplay from the Skin Out: In this panel we will talk to you about Cosplay from the skin out. How to choose the proper undergarments to make the most of your body & your Cosplay costume. Also, we will discuss cleaning, maintenance & storage of cosplay costumes so they last. Brought to you by Lady Ember Brennen Spa... Panelists: Kay Townsend
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 231A

Cosplay Horror Stories: Learn from our pain. A panel of experienced Cosplayers tell you about their hard lessons learned from wearing a costume at a con. We will talk about the considerations beyond

wearing the costume. Where do you put your phone? How to stay hydrated? How are you going to get to the bathroom? How to ea... Panelists: Holly Conrad, John Strangeway, Kay Townsend
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 232BC

Cosplay in the Making - featuring ADHD Cosplay: Are you just starting out, not sure where to start or even who to cosplay as? Come learn from our group; some members have been cosplaying for years & some are just starting out, like you! Fun & excitement, ending with a mini game with a prize! Panelists: ADHD cosplay (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 232A

Cosplay like a Pro: Less stress, more fun! Starting off in such a heavy-hitting cosplay world can be intimidating, but there's plenty of help! Anabel Martinez, a cosplay event coordinator and founder of Men vs Cosplay, has worked with cosplayers ranging from novice to experts for a variety of events and can help you whether you're ...
Panelists: Allen Amis, Anabel Martinez, Bill Doran
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 231BC

Cosplay Lounge & Cosplay Medic Station: Are you a Costumer and need a break from the public? Well this is the place! Did your costume just get stepped on and a piece broke right before you're headed to an event? Come by the Cosplay Medic Station!! We can help!! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM-8:30PM Sat, 10:30AM-1:00PM and 4:00-10:00PM Sun, 10:30AM-4:00PM Where: West 213

Cosplay Prop Crafting - The Next Level: Cosplay and prop making is becoming a huge hobby. Pros Bill Doran and Holly Conrad are here to show you how to take your skills to the next level. Learn the tools, materials, and techniques that you will employ to create props that will make your cosplay stand out from the crowd. ... Panelists: Bill Doran, Holly Conrad
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 231A

Cosplay Scavenger Hunt! Get ready for the Cosplay Scavenger Hunt! Are you up to hunt... cosplayers?! Come and challenge yourself to find cosplayers from all genres in the halls of PCC! Beginner, intermediate, and advanced hunters wanted! Must be in Costume to participate! Prizes to the top 3 finishers!... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 1:30-3:30PM Where: West 213

Cosplay, Fandom and Mainstream Media: Cosplay is a fandom that takes characters and makes them real for us to love and enjoy. With the internet and mainstream media, we have ways to spread that fandom using the internet, TV, movies, etc. But is it bad or good? We're all fans of something, whether it be sports, com...
Panelists: Holly Conrad
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 231BC

Cosplay/Crossplay 101: The how to's of costuming! We'll help you with tips and tricks to make your costume look fabulous in under an hour! Makeup tips, how to make props, binding - everything you need to know! Presented by Snap Dragon Productions. Panelists: AmaraSama, SnapDragon Productions (2 panelists)
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 231A

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Costume Armor Weathering Techniques:

Join Allen Amis as he shares some of his coveted armor painting and weathering techniques in a live demonstration. Get the tips and tricks necessary to bring your armored cosplay to the next level-adding rust, battle damage, scorch marks, & more! Allen Amis is an award winning and full-tim...

Panelists: Allen Amis

When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 230

Costume Construction: From 2D Page to 3D Cosplay with Ivy Doomkitty:

Take a look into the creation process of a costume, beginning with the actual concept (drawing) and then turning it into reality. Learn tips and tricks from Ivy Doomkitty on various materials that can be used to achieve your vision, as well as learn about modifications that can be made so that you... Panelists: Ivy Doomkitty

When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 231BC

Costume/Artisan Mask-Making: Live Demo:

Unleash your imagination & learn to make professional quality masks in this interactive panel! Artists will demonstrate various mask-making techniques & teach you how to make personalized masks for your own costume using plaster bandage & paper clay. The panel will be led by local a...

Panelists: Zarco Guerrero and the Flow Ninjas (4 panelists)

When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 230

Costumes and Props: Challenges & Rewards of Designs, Builds, & Character Portrayal:

The Jaze's pride themselves in ensuring their costumes, props, photography, & digital artwork are as authentic as possible, so that once in costume they actually become the character! This panel will discuss the challenges of making those costumes & bringing a character to life. Alt... Panelists: Aime Jaze, Lance Jaze

When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 231BC

Crafting for Cosplay:

House scarves, pastel pony hats & ears, magic wands, plushies & amigurumi - come see how our panelists have turned fabric, yarn, craft foam, and even cardboard boxes into excellent props for cosplay, or just cool things to have around! Panelists: Game Colt, Janice Tuerff, LeeAnn Jensen, Sure Leigh Kahn

When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 231BC

Crazy Anime Pop Quiz!:

How many anime shows and movies do you know? Can you name a show or movie from a clip? Come showcase your anime knowledge at our crazy anime pop quiz! Panelists: Knights of the Moon (3 panelists)

When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 223

Creating a professional independent comic from the ground up:

Learn how to create an independent comic that looks and reads as good as anything else on the stands. Panelists discuss the challenges of creating, publishing and marketing their independent comics. Panelists: Benjamin Glendenning, Charles Sellner, Eric Schock, Rob Hicks

When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 128B

Creating Highly Rendered Art in Photoshop:

J "Ghost" Hause tutorial on how to create highly rendered art in photoshop, from linework to painting, to advanced visual effects. For everyone,

from beginners to intermediate digital artists, with live demonstrations of techniques. Panelists: J Hause

When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 129B

Creating Strong Female Characters: Female readers looking for positive female role models may find comic books difficult to navigate. Creators talk about what is needed to create strong female characters. Panelists: Christian Baranek, Jeremy Whitley

When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 129A

Creating the Jurassic Park T-Rex: Come meet the key sculptor of the T-Rex in the Jurassic Park film! Get a behind the scenes look at its creation from the very first clay prototype to the building & filming of the life-size animatronic T-Rex. Visit: www.tricstudio.com Panelists: Michael Tric

When: Thu, 6:30-7:30PM Where: South 166

Creating Your Fantasy World: Our panel of fantasy authors look at what goes into creating their fantasy worlds. Panelists: Brian McClellan, Kevin Hearn, Stephen Blackmoore, Melanie Rawn, Zachary Jernigan

When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 127AB

Creator Connection: Are you a writer looking for an artist to compliment your story? How about an artist, but have nothing to draw about? In this "speed dating" setting, you get 5 min. to share what you have to offer and see if you are a good match. Please be prepared by bringing business cards, man... Panelists: Crystal Ferguson, Jerry's Artarama - Come take a test drive with various creative mediums! Joshua Ferguson

When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Sat, 7:30-8:30P Where: South Art Room - Events Area

The Creepy Current State & Horrible

Highlights of Horror: What's going on in the world of horror films and what direction are we headed? Discuss the latest trends, hot topics and current news of horror movies with Fangoria's Rebekah McKendry, Author Craig W. Chenery and Horror Panel Coordinator Jason Alofs. Panelists: Craig Chenery, Fangoria - Rebekah McKendry, Jason Alofs

When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 166

CreepyPasta Galore: Tired of the same ole pop up scares in video games? Want a game that really gets under your skin? Venture into video game related creepypastas about possessed cartridges, creepy hacks, and even games that are unintentionally scary. Panelists: Alexandra Garcia, Jasmin Forney, Robert Brown, Ryan Garcia

When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: South 166

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When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: South 167

Crime Writing for Non-crime Writers: Want to add realistic crime elements to your story? Our panelists show you how. Panelists: Jeffrey J. Mariotte, Marshella Rockwell

When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 128A

Crispin Freeman - Giants, Robots and

Superheroes: In Giant Robots and Superheroes I explore why Americans tend to write about Superheroes while the Japanese tend to write about Giant Robots. By looking at the mythological roots of these two archetypal heroes, I explain how the religious traditions of each culture percolate up into their animated ... Panelists: Crispin Freeman

When: Fri, 2:30-4:30PM Where: North 221

Crispin Freeman - Knights and Dragons:

Knights and Dragons looks at the differences between Asian and European Dragons and how the Knight's journey changes because of those differences. I also explore the psychological implications of Dragon and Knight imagery and how this seemingly external battle is actually occurring inside ea... Panelists: Crispin Freeman

When: Sat, 6:00-8:00PM Where: North 221

Crispin Freeman - Mystics, Priestesses, and

Warrior Women: Mystics, Priestesses and Warrior Women is about the hero journey from a woman's perspective. Specifically, it looks at the different types of female hero journeys in American and Japanese animation and how there are avenues for exploring the female hero journey in the East that are unavailab... Panelists: Crispin Freeman

When: Fri, 4:30-6:30PM Where: North 221

Crispin Freeman - VA Workshop: Crispin's live Voice Acting Workshop is always a standing-room only crowd pleaser. Crispin starts this panel with an exploration of what makes good and bad dubs in anime. This includes a humorous look at some of the worst dubbing in anime history. Then, it's time for the audience to try du... Panelists: Crispin Freeman

When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 221

Crossing the Streams - How to Effectively

Cross Genres in Your Writing: Panelists discuss how they cross the genre lines in their work and what they do to satisfy readers who are reading out of their comfort zone. Panelists: Delilah S. Dawson, Erin Quinn, Gini Koch, Jaye Wells, Kris Neri, Yvonne Navarro

When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 127C

Crowdsourced Science: Want to search for exoplanets? Discover cures for diseases? Look for alien signals? Believe it or not, these are real scientific endeavors that you can participate in! Learn how! Panelists: David Lee Summers, Karen Knierman, Leon Manfredi, Pamela Gay, Rene Davis

When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 124B

Culmination or Bastardization: Pacific Rim

Deconstructed: Regardless of what is said - Pacific Rim was an amazing film. The question is - was this a culmination of many great anime and robot movies or was it really a poor bastardization of special effects, stolen ideas and a huge Hollywood Budget. Come join us as we break down the film and compare it to ... Panelists: Iria Sokoll, promstuck, Raymond Wolfe

When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 122AB

Custom Action Figures: Ever get the Action Figure of your favorite character but something isn't right? Maybe your favorite character has never been made? Local customizers and a special guest will explore the tips & tricks of turning toys into personal works of art. Panelists: David Fitzmaurice,

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David Oakes, Donald Kennedy, Jesse Bautista, Patrick Billings
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: South 159

The Daily Lives of High School Boys: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 10:30AM-12:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Dalek Construction: You've seen Rel the Dalek all over Phoenix Comicon, now come see what it took to build her from the bottom up. Panelists: Nigel Strike, Pat Harper
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 121BC

Dammit Jim, I'm a Doctor, Not a Comicon Panel!: Examining the Finest Physicians in Starfleet: Join us as we discuss our favorite Starfleet physicians - from Leonard "Bones" McCoy to the EMH; we've got the cure to what ails ya! Panelists: Bryan Dawson, Joanne de Biasi, Neil Picard
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 122C

Danny Glover Spotlight: Danny Glover's film career is almost too long to list. With some cult classics under his belt as well as some big franchises he has done it all. If you are a movie fan then, Danny is guaranteed to be on your must see list. Panelists: Danny Glover
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

The Dark Truth of Exorcisms VS. Exorcisms in Movies and Other Media: Join a discussion examining real world exorcisms and how they compare to what we see in entertainment. Led by Exorcist Alaina Damewood, a minster for over 10 years and has also studied religions and practices involving exorcisms for over 20 years. Panelists: Exorcist Alaina Damewood
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: South 166

Darker Than Black Season 2: Anime Screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 6:00-7:30PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Darker Than Black Season 2: Come checkout season 2 of the supernatural mystery show, Darker Than Black! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 7:00-8:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

DC Animated Universe: DC Comics has increased their animated division to include adapted and original movies. Meet some of the creatives who work on your favorite DC animated films. Panelists: Heath Corson, Jason Spisak
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 130

DC's New 52: 2 Years into the Reboot: It's been 2 years since DC Comics rebooted their entire universe. Numerous titles have come and gone. Panelists discuss the changes from the pre-Flashpoint universe and how the current universe compares to prior continuities. Panelists: Don Pahl, Marco Regalado, Terre Steed
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 129A

Deadlands: The Weird West's Wild Future: Hear about all the news happening about the weird western RPG Deadlands about to be turned into an Xbox TV Series. Panelists: Charles Sellner, Jeffrey J. Mariotte, Seanan McGuire/Mira Grant, Shane

Hensley
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 127AB

Deadliest Warrior Superheros: Match ups are what comic books are all about. Join this roundtable discussion with Film and Television Weapons Expert, Gary Harper and Assistant Armorer for Spike TV's Deadliest Warrior, Victoria Wagner, to talk about match ups between historical warriors and fantastical superheroes and the wea... Panelists: Gary Harper, Terry Wagner, Victoria Wagner
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: West 211

Dean Lorey - Arrested and Crazy in Hollywood: Join writer/producer Dean Lorey and author Jon Lewis for a look at what Dean's been up to in Hollywood lately including Arrested Development and The Crazy Ones with Robin Williams and Sarah Michelle Gellar. Panelists: Dean Lorey, J.S. Lewis
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 126BC

Death Note: The Corruption of Power, Trivia & Costume Contest & more! Join fellow Death Note fanatics for a fun, interactive, and in-depth discussion of the thrilling anime. Prizes will also be given away during Death Note Trivia & to the best Death Note costume! Panelists: L's Successors (3 panelists)
When: Fri, 10:30AM-1:00PM Where: North 222 AB

Del Rey Publisher Preview: Join representatives of Del Rey as they talk about the exciting releases in the second half of 2014-plus giveaways! Panelists: Anne Groell, Keith Clayton
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 126BC

Delicious Creepypasta: Would you like to hear a scary story? Come join us to hear the most shocking stories of haunted games, creepy conventions and more. Hope you're not afraid of the dark. Panelists: Muffin (2 panelists)
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

Department of Zombie Defense (DOZD) Boot Camp - 15yrs and younger: The Department of Zombie Defense wants you!! Do you have what it takes to defend the citizens? Be a recruit in the DOZD boot camp to see if you have what it takes. Few will survive, many will turn! Oorah!! This event is for youth ages 15 and under. Panelists: Department of Zombie Defense (2 panelists)
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 164-165

Department of Zombie Defense (DOZD) Boot Camp - 16yrs and older: The Department of Zombie Defense wants you!! Do you have what it takes to defend the citizens? Be a recruit in the DOZD boot camp to see if you have what it takes. Few will survive, many will turn! Oorah!! Panelists: Department of Zombie Defense (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 164-165

Description in Fiction: What Does Joker Smell Like?: Young adult author Tom Leveen, guides writers through an intensive class on writing description. What does your villain smell like? What is proprioception and what's it got to do with kissing? Bring something to take notes. Panelists: Tom Leveen
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 127C

Desert Dolls Roller Derby Bout: Join the community-oriented league that believes any woman, no matter her physical prowess, can be a derby girl in hard-hitting, fish net-splitting action after the Zombie Walk and participate in the raffle benefiting the Kids Need to Read charity. Panelists: Desert Dolls Roller Derby
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: 3rd Street

Desert Punk: Anime screening Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 12:00-2:00PM Sat, 12:00-2:00PM Sun, 12:00-1:30PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Deus Ex Vapore Machina Stringpunk Performance: Deus Ex Vapore Machina from Latin means: The GOD in the STEAM MACHINE. This Group creates classically-styled music imbued with Modern Technological Advancement, combining the best of past, present and future into what is fondly dubbed 'stringpunk'. Panelists: Deus Ex Vapore Machina
When: Sat, 9:30-10:30PM Where: 3rd Street

Directing Animation for Adults: Jon Schneep talks about his career directing and producing animated show, while showing clips of the shows that he has worked on (Venture Brothers, Metalocalypse, Zenoscope Fairy Tales Animated). Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 132

Disappointing Anime and Adaptations: Ever watch a series only to be disappointed by its plot progression? Come join Dowase Entertainment as we discuss awful adaptations and poor storytelling and maybe even discuss how these series could have turned out! Panelists: Dowase Entertainment (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 222C

Disney Cosplay: Do you want to build a snowman? Come be a part of our world! Learn to dress, talk, sing, and act like your favorite Disney characters! We will go over how to create those memorable Disney costumes, how to channel your inner Princess, and what it takes to truly be a Disney Royal. Join yo... Panelists: Elizabeth Skinner, Lisha Davis, Richard Schaefer
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 232BC

Disney Youth Cosplayers: Join Elsa, Anna, and your favorite Princesses as you go through a magical journey! Learn to dress, talk, sing, and act like your favorite Disney characters! As we go over how to create memorable Disney costumes and what it takes to be a Disney Royal! Panelists: Elizabeth Skinner, More To The Story Entertainment (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 159

Diversity Lounge: Welcome to all, the brand new Diversity Lounge is a place to relax, a place to meet up with friends, a place to find information about issues surrounding women, LGBTQ, people of color and disabled people in geek culture. As the convention grows, staying attuned to the needs of many can be challeng... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30PM Sat, 10:30AM-11:30PM Sun, 10:30AM-5:00PM Where: Sheraton Laveen

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DIY Chainmail Jewelry: Make and Take

Workshop: PAID EVENT Are you interested in learning how to make chain mail (aka chainmaille)? Then this is the perfect panel/workshop hybrid for you. We will look at a few of the popular chainmail patterns and then everybody who buys a kit can make a piece of jewelry to take home. \$10 each kit. Multiple patterns and c... Panelists: Ryan DeFusco
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 230

DIY Comics: Come see some of the Arizona masters of Do-It-Yourself comic projects, Dennmann and Eric Mengel. Learn how to write, draw and complete your comics on your own. Panelists: Dennmann, Eric Mengel
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 129B

DJ Sean Watson: Valley favorite, DJ Sean Watson, a regular feature to the legions at the Crescent Ballroom and Bar Smith, showcases his unapologetic musical tastes, filling the air with powerful tracks in his headline performance at our Saturday night street party! Panelists: Sean Watson
When: Sat, 10:30PM-12:00AM Where: 3rd Street

Do you wanna build a Gunpla~: Here we talk about the joys of building a model Gundam and the anime Gundam Build Fighters. Join us as we show the highlights of Build Fighters, from the mobile suits to the cameos, all while building a Gundam during the panel! Panelists: The Cookie Crusaders (4 panelists)
When: Thu, 8:00-9:00PM Where: North 223

The Doctor and His Companions: It's no secret that The Doctor likes to travel with friends, but how does he pick them? Is the Doctor just lonely or is it something more? Come join our panel of Whovians as we discuss the many companions who've traveled in The TARDIS. Panelists: Bells Diggins, Chris Swanson, Katie Reilly, Molly Martin, Zeke Huerta
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 121BC

Doctor Horrible Shadowcast: Need a "Horrible" way to spend Sunday at PCC? We do the Weird Stuff is back for an encore performance of Dr. Horrible's Sing-Along-Blog. Come dressed in costume and compete to earn your PHD in Horribleness! Panelists: Arthur Trout, Cameron Peacock, Cheryk Manning, Huntington Keith, Jacqueline Chikos, Lonnie Gray, Mary Brockmeier, Matthew White, Megan White, Raymond Wolfe, S. Faye Handy, Sean Johnson
When: Sun, 11:00-12:00PM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

Doctor Who - For the LGBT Whovians: From openly gay actors in the Davies era, to interspecies lesbians in Moffat's reign, Doctor Who has inclusive themes and characters for fans of all orientations. Join us as we discuss why the show resonates so well with LGBT fans within the fandom. Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Bells Diggins, Chris Swanson, Matt Chandler, Paul Tamayo, Tina Worley
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 121BC

Doctor Who Astronomy: With the Doctor's travels spreading far and wide across the universe, he was bound to visit some notable star systems on the way! The TARDIS planetarium departs every 20 minutes starting at 4:30, but come at 4:15 to grab your free ticket. Panelists: Anne Stewart, Jason Ard, Lauren Ard, Mahonri Stewart

When: Sat, 4:30-6:30PM Where: North 225B

Doctor Who Monsters: The Good, The Bad, and The Zipper: A quick overview of some of the most iconic monsters of Dr. Who. Panelists: Bells Diggins, Eileen Mueller, John Wheeler, Pat Harper
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 132

Doctor Who on a Dime: So you want to be the Doctor, a companion, a villain, or the TARDIS? Maybe you just realized that the wardrobe closet on the TARDIS is bigger on the inside but your wallet isn't. Come sit in with our Whovian experts as we discuss Doctor Who Cosplay for the frugal whovian. Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Courtney Lovejoy, Eileen Mueller, Molly Martin, Tina Worley
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 125AB

Doctor Who: Party Like a Time Lord sponsored by AZ Renaissance Festival: Jump inside the TARDIS and Party Like a Time Lord with music, dancing, and themed drinks! Those wanting to participate in the costume contest should email DoctorWho@phoenixcomicon.com and include their name and age. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 4:00-7:00PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Doctor Who: The Movie - Wait... How the BLEEP did this happen?!!: When Doctor Who went on "hiatus" in 1989, people questioned whether it would ever return. In 1996, due to a partnership with Fox, The BBC was finally able to continue the story of the Doctor with a made for TV film that aired in both Britain and The US. Unfortunately, this production... Panelists: Chris Swanson, Jeff Jones, Michael Mahoney, Molly Martin
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 121BC

The Donna Noble Experience: A look at one of the more recent favorite companions of the doctor. All the fun without all the drama. An interactive panel where the audience is encouraged to participate. Panelists: Caity Crabtree, Eileen Mueller, Loren Toporek, Suzanne Jones
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 121BC

Dos and Don'ts of Anime Conventions: Join the Renegades as they impart what wisdom they've gained over past con experiences. New attendees can get pointers on how to get the most out of their con experience, and for experienced con-goers share a few laughs over the mistakes. Panelists: The Renegades
When: Thu, 6:30-7:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

Dragon Scale: Dragon Scale is a field guide featuring over 200 dragons! Learn how the book, playing cards, and related items were designed, funded, and turned into finished products. Panelists: Jessica Feinberg
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 128B

Draw A Villain with Kevin Coulston: Aliens, Monsters, Bad Guys and more... See how artist Kevin Coulston draws his characters from the popular all-ages comics "Dylan McVillain" and "The Adventures of a 4th Grade Space Captain", and learn how to draw your own Super Villain! Panelists: Kevin Coulston
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Drawing Cartoon Emotions: Learn the basics of drawing exaggerated cartoon faces. Artist Rebecca Hicks, creator of the all-ages Little Vampires books and comics, will teach this fun and interactive class that will encourage artists of all ages and skill levels to draw! Panelists: Rebecca Hicks
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Drawing Expressive Creatures: Learn how to give fantasy creatures (such as dragons and griffins) unique expressions and characteristics. Paper and pencils provided so you can draw along. Panelists: Jessica Feinberg
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 129B

Drawing on Your Nightmares: Modern Horror in Comics! Christopher Golden (Baltimore), Chris Roberson (Aliens), Alex de Campi (Grindhouse), Tyler Crook (Witchfinder), Mike Huddleston (The Strain), and Christopher Mitten (Criminal Macabre) are joined for a discussion to thrill you and chill you. Panelists: Alex De Campi, Chris Roberson, Christopher Golden, Christopher Mitten, Mike Huddleston
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 129B

Drawing Out the Dragons: When James A Owen speaks at schools, he relates stories drawn from life. He tells of overcoming adversity, making choices, and how he made what he loves to do most in the world his job. He'll tell how how to make those choices in your own life. Panelists: James A Owen
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 126BC

Drawing Owlly - Andy Runton: Andy Runton tells you about his books, and teaches you how to draw like a professional cartoonist! Learn how to draw anything using simple shapes in this fun and instructional demo. It'll be a blast! Panelists: Andy Runton
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Drawing Sexy Women: Come learn how to draw sexy women from those that do it everyday in the comic business! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Armand Villavert, Justin Miller
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 129A

The Dread Fleet - Young Pirate Training: Come join the Pirates of the DREAD Fleet as we train "cabin monkeys" in the ways of piracy! All welcome, as long as you're a kid! Meet the greatest ne'er-do-wells that ever were. Learn how to fight, sing, and live like a pirate! Panelists: The Dread Fleet
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 155-158

DREAD Fleet Fencing Tournament: Join the Pirates of the DREAD Fleet as they settle old scores by way of real fencing tournaments. Come and discover what a real tournament and duel would have been like! Panelists: The Dread Fleet
When: Sat, 11:00-12:00PM Sun, 1:00-2:00PM Where: 3rd Street

The DREAD Fleet Presents: That DREADful Show: History is DREADful! Adventure through some of the strange tales of history with The DREAD Fleet. Meet the greatest ne'er-do-wells that ever were and learn a how to fight, sing, and be a pirate in this action packed romp through history! Panelists: The Dread Fleet

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When: Sat, 6:00–7:00PM Where: South 155-158

Dressing the Court of Henry VIII: At Henry VIII's court, the nobility needed assistance getting dressed in the morning in order to look their best. Our panelists will discuss & demonstrate how Henry & wives would have gotten dressed each morning, and the help they needed to look so extravagant. Panelists: Betsy Ponce, Bill Jackson, Ferenc Feher, Frances Martinez, Jeremy Crews, Maridith Feher, Michelle Chirip
When: Fri, 7:30–9:30PM Where: North 231A

Drinks With Authors: Join our author guests for a glass or two in an informal setting. There will be door prizes and other giveaways from our participating publishers. Panelists: Kevin Hearne, Myke Cole, Sam Sykes
When: Sat, 8:00–11:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 5-8

Dub Your Own Anime: Think you have what it takes to be an anime voice actor? Well come and stand behind the condenser mic to see your true talents shine as you become an anime character on the big screen! Panelists: Rice and Haggis (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 6:00–11:30PM Where: North 224AB

Duct Tape Costuming for Beginners: Learn the basic techniques of duct tape costuming! An intro to the tips, tricks, & techniques of the tape trade. Covers how to make the simple things (like vests, jackets, and hats) as well as get into some of the trickier aspects of duct tape costuming, such as texture and shape. There will b...
Panelists: Huntington Keith
When: Fri, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 230

Duct/Duck Tape Costume Contest: You've heard of the Duck Tape prom dress competition—now there's a pop culture version! You've watched the Mythbusters make a boat with duck tape, armor should be cinch. Let your creative juices fly... then cover them in tape! Hosted by none other than our Masquerade's own TD0013... Panelists: Holly Conrad, Huntington Keith, Janice Tuerff, Sure Leigh Kahn
When: Thu, 8:00–10:00PM Where: North 229AB

Durarara!!! in-character Q&A panel: Right out of Ikebukuro and into the Phoenix convention center are everyone's favorite trouble makers and fairy-tales come true. Is it really milk that makes Shizuo so freakishly strong? Come take a seat and come find out. Panelists: Lost Road Productions (4 panelists)
When: Thu, 8:00–9:00PM Where: North 222C

During your Kickstarter campaign: Make the most of it: You've set up your crowdfunding project. Time to watch the money roll in. Not so fast. Your job has just begun. Find out from experience crowdfunding campaign managers what is needed to be successful. Panelists: Charles Sellner, Jason Brubaker, Jon Schnepf
When: Sat, 12:00–1:00PM Where: North 130

Earn Your PhD in Horribleness: Have you earned a degree in evilness, but are looking for something more than just sidekickery? Are you eager to serve the Evil League of Evil, but do not meet the current education requirements? Join We Do The Weird Stuff and earn your PhD in

Horribleness! We are now accepting applications for: B... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 10:30AM–11:00AM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

East vs West: Ever wonder if Superman could defeat Goku? Think Hei could defeat Batman? Could Chuck Norris fight off Kenshiro from Fist of the North Star? Join the Midnight Channel to help decide between these and other ultimate character disputes! Panelists: Arizona Midnight Channel (5 panelists)
When: Fri, 6:00–7:00PM Where: North 222C

ElfQuest: The Final Quest: For the last 35 years, Wendy and Richard Pini have delighted fans with one of alternative comics' most rich and storied worlds. Now, in partnership with Dark Horse, the Wolfriders embark on the "Final Quest," to fulfill a destiny over three decades in the making! Panelists: Wendy & Richard Pini
When: Sat, 12:00–1:00PM Where: North 129A

Eliza Dushku Spotlight: Eliza Dushku has maintained a cult-like following for her role as Faith, on Buffy the Vampire Slayer and Angel, and produced and starred in Dollhouse, also from creator Joss Whedon. She also played Missy in the hit cheerleading film Bring It On. Panelists: Eliza Dushku
When: Fri, 6:00–7:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

Embrace Your Geek, a live podcast recording of Spreken ze Geek: Bat and Hammer discuss this week's hot topics in the world of nerdom! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Brian Simonsen, Matt Rader
When: Sun, 3:00–4:30PM Where: North 225A

Engage Trickster Mode: Everyone has gone Trickster Mode! Come Join us to see what shenanigans they've gotten themselves into. Panelists: LONAD (6 panelists)
When: Sun, 12:00–1:00PM Where: North 226 ABC

Entai: Watch how amusing an adult anime can be when you take out all the sexy scenes. We will show hentai anime with all the sex scenes removed to point out just how hilarious, generic, and ridiculous those anime are without those scenes. Panelists: Key Runners (3 panelists)
When: Fri, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 222C

Epic Writer's Quest Kick-Off: Phoenix Comicon Books and Authors kicks off the Writer's Epic Quest. If you're an aspiring writer, come find out what it is and how you can participate! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 128A

Episode VII - Everything YOU NEED TO KNOW!: Want to find all about Episode VII in one place without a lot of internet crawling? Join us in this panel as our researchers share all known information about the upcoming Star Wars film all in one place! No credits required! Panelists: Dustin Diehl, Joe Holt, Trevor Campbell
When: Thu, 6:00–7:00PM Where: North 122AB

Eroge 101: A fan of the panel Let's Play an Eroge, but not truly understanding what eroge is? Learn where to start in this exciting genre and check out some favorites and recommendations by local

experts. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Dollars (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 7:30–8:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

The Eternal Dragon: From Smaug to Eragon, dragons are an enduring part of fantasy literature. Join some of our author guests as they talk about the roles dragons play in their work. Panelists: Daniel Abraham, James A Owen, Melanie Rawn, Naomi Novik
When: Sat, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 126BC

Evangelion 1.11 and 2.22: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 1:30–5:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Evening Erotica: Our panel of authors discuss how to write the "juicy parts" in both regular and erotic fiction. You'll learn and you'll laugh, because all participants should come prepared to play The Euphemism Game. Fun and prizes! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Gini Koch, Jordan Summers
When: Fri, 7:30–8:30PM Where: North 126BC

Every Child Tells a Story: Media Literacy for Early Learners: Prepare students for logic, collaboration, and patience through sequential art & storytelling tools that help every child express their own narrative. Based on the latest Media Literacy Studies. With Jeff Barbanell. Panelists: Jeff Barbanell, John Blaszczyk
When: Fri, 1:30–2:30PM Where: North 126A

Everything About Roosterteeth: A panel to explain the company Roosterteeth, all of the staff, the series they put out, the different branches of the company, the community, and the fandom itself. It will consist of talking about the company for most of the hour followed by a Q&A from the audience along with anything they... Panelists: Ari Kulas, Chachi Tchotchke, Maddi Walsh, Sabrina Johnston
When: Fri, 2:00–3:00PM Where: North 225A

The Everything Goes Dating Show 18+: It's tough to meet someone these days, with all the villains, arch foes, and heroes ruining all your first dates. Don't worry, the Renegades have your back! Come as you are to the craziest dating show of your life and prepare to make some memories! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: The Renegades
When: Fri, 9:00–10:00PM Where: North 222 AB

The Evolution of the Modern Day Fairytale: Folk and fairytales have enjoyed a second life on television with the likes of Once Upon a Time, Disney, and Grimm. What makes these tales so accessible that we continue to explore and adapt them to reach new audiences? How do these modern interpretations fare against the original tales? Join us a... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Angela Kabasan, Brianna Bailey, Joe Abruscato, Megan Mayer
When: Sat, 1:30–2:30PM Where: North 125AB

The Evolution of Villains in the Buffyverse: The villains of Buffy. How do you raise the stakes (stakes, get it?) when every season ends with the end of the world? The trick is in the personal story. A discussion on what the Big Bads mean beyond impending doom. Panelists: Andrew Dolberg, Raymond Wolfe
When: Sat, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 125AB

PANEL & EVENT DESCRIPTIONS

Evolution off the Rails: What are the strangest lifeforms on Earth like and how can they help us hunt for real aliens? Panelists: Aireona Bonnie Raschke, Charles Rolsky, Duane Barbano, Heather Olins " " Harvard University, Jason Raymond, Marc Neveu
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 125AB

EVP (Electronic Voice Phenomenon) Classifications: Listen to examples of EVP (Electronic Voice Phenomenon) classes A-C. Learn about the different kinds of EVP and their classifications. Panelists: Angela Smith, Lori Marshall, The Arizona Paranormal Research Society (3 panelists)
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 166

EVP (Electronic Voice Phenomenon) Evidence: The TazPRS team will share EVP evidence captured on investigations and have a panel discussion about how the EVPs were captured. Panelists: The Arizona Paranormal Research Society (3 panelists)
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 166

Exoplanet Survivor (Game Show): Team up into colonies and see if you can successfully colonize a real, exotic alien planet! Will you be able to successfully establish an offworld colony, or will you die in the most horrific way possible? Outwit, outplay, outlast! Panelists: Lisa Will, Marc Neveu, Michael Pagano, Steve Desch, Svet Shkolyar
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 124B

The Expanding Universe of Honor Harrington : The Honor Harrington series, a political / military space opera set in the 41st Century, has exploded over the years into 15 core books, two spin-off series, six short story compilations, a graphic novel, mobile game app, and international fan group. Find out more about this exciting sto... Panelists: Craig Porter, Darren Lee, Manuel Fierro, Marcus Johnston
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 122C

Experiencing Phoenix Comicon Friday Session: Phoenix Comicon staff present this informative guide to experiencing Phoenix Comicon. Learn to make the most of your experience and get the inside track on the secrets and not to be missed events of 2014. Featuring special prizes and giveaways! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 132

Experiencing Phoenix Comicon Thursday Session: Phoenix Comicon staff present this informative guide to experiencing Phoenix Comicon. Learn to make the most of your experience and get the inside track on the secrets and not to be missed events of 2014. Featuring special prizes and giveaways! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 6:00-8:00PM Where: North 132

Explore Art with Jerry's Artarama: Jerry's Artarama, the new Youth Art Room Sponsor, will have various giveaways, art media demonstrations, and opportunities to 'test drive' new art supplies! Stop in to see what they have! <http://www.jerrysartarama.com/> Panelists: Jerry's Artarama - Come take a test drive with various creative mediums!
When: Thu, 4:30-7:00PM Fri and Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Explore PBS Online: Come and explore the PBS Digital Studio Resources online in real time. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 7:30-9:30PM Where: North 126A

Fabric Choices in Cosplay Presented by Priapella Corp: Sewing cosplay can be one of the most frustrating hobbies on the planet. You have to consider everything from what patterns to pick to how you're going to make that 6 foot scythe. However, it all starts with your fabric. Join Priapella Corp as we guide you through fabric selection and much m... Panelists: Anya Beam, Cecalie Diab, Kristin Gresenz, Madison West, Melissa McGue
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 232A

FameLab: Exploring Earth and Beyond - Presented by NASA: Meet the New Carl Sagans! FameLab is a global science communication competition sponsored in the US by NASA. Join us for an exhibition of the top US communicators and marvel as they spin tall-but-true tales from the cutting edge of science today. Panelists: Andrew Montgomery " " Southern Methodist University, Ariel Anbar, Heather Olins " " Harvard University, Joseph Orkin " " Washington University, St. Louis, Josh Shiode - American Astronomical Society, Kennda Lynch " " Colorado School of Mines, Lilah Rahn-Lee " " UC Berkeley, Lisa Sonnenberg " " University of Michigan, Moshe Rhodes " " University of Colorado, Denver, Phil Plait, Svetlana Shkolyar " " Arizona State University
When: Sat, 4:30-6:00PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

The Family We Choose: Examining the ties and relationships within Lost Girl, and how, often, the family we CHOOSE is the one that can mean the most. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Alli Carroll, Kirsten Schulte, Roberts Holmes, Tina Worley
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 125AB

Fanboy Rant: Hello to all of the Fans, Dorks, Geeks and Nerds out there in Fanland and welcome to the world of Fanboy Rant. On this podcast, we strive to different forms of fandom. Be it from cars to comics, books to Barbies, zebras to Zuul, we wanna talk about your fandom. We want to show that everyone has ... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Brian Simmonson, Josh Benjamin
When: Thu, 5:00-6:00PM Where: North 227C

Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them: Join us as we explore the magical beasts of the wickedly captivating world of Harry Potter! We'll be discussing the upcoming film as well as some of our favorite creatures from the book! Panelists: Kali Johnson, Kat Alarcon, Marina Sharpe
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 122AB

Fantasy that Defies Description: A look at fantasy that doesn't fall into neat categories. Panelists: Beth Cato, Brian McClellan, Django Wexler, Jaye Wells, Myke Cole, Zachary Jernigan
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 127C

The Fat Nerd: One Nerd's Journey to a Body Positive Life and Nerdlesque: Tucson, Arizona Nerdlesque performer and Plus Size Model Gypsy Danger tells her journey to a body positive life and

that its okay to be fat and a nerd. Panelists: Gypsy Danger
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 232BC

Feats of Strength with Justice League Arizona: Can you bend steel? Punch through walls? Lift tons? Fight crime with a batarang? See if you have what it takes to do the impossible and become a legend! Come join the Justice League Arizona as they make superheroes out of you! Panelists: Justice League Arizona
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 155-158

Feel Good Hour: Cosplay & Conventions! Presented by AmaraSama: The whys of cosplay: Why do we continue to cosplay & attend conventions? This panel is to serve as a reminder of good experiences in this sometimes stressful hobby. Come share and listen to stories reminding all of us of what makes it such a fun and worthwhile experience! Panelists: AmaraSama, AmaraSama, Jaime Wilson, Silver Prince Productions
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 231BC

The Feels: We all have favorite anime, manga, and video games. Which ones go that extra mile to stick out amongst the rest? We're going to talk about our absolute favorites that make us laugh, cry, rage, or get depressed and why they do this so well. Panelists: Dollars (3 panelists)
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 222C

The Fifth Beatle: The Fifth Beatle is a graphic novel about the Beatle's manager Brian Epstein written by Vivek Tiwary. Vivek talks about the graphic novel and the upcoming movie based upon it. Panelists: Alex Wilson, Vivek Tiwary
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: West 211

Final Fantasy General: Final Fantasy fans young and old will love this panel. Whether your favorite is IV, VII, or even X-2, you'll feel more than welcome here. Come join our discussion and reminisce about your favorite Final Fantasy. Panelists: Project Nailbat (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 222 AB

FIRST Robotics Competition Demo: FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC) team participants will showcase their robotics competition machine and touch on the skills and concepts learned while working on these innovative projects. Panelists: FIRST Robotics
When: Sat, 12:30-1:00PM Sat, 3:00-3:30PM Where: 3rd Street

The Flash: Comic book creators talk about their work with everyone's favorite scarlet speedster. Panelists: Brian Augustyn, Francis Manapul, Van Jensen
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 129A

FLCL: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 7:30-10:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Found In Time: A psychic who lives his life out of order - slipping between his past, present and future - must solve a murder he commits in the future. But how can he do that if he's not even sure of "when" he is? Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:00-11:30PM Where: North 227AB

Four Eyed Radio's "Socially Awkward"

PANEL & EVENT DESCRIPTIONS

Studios™: A LIVE podcast from the Four Eyed Radio Network as Eric, Stephen and Matthew talk pop culture, current events, music, gaming, movies, television and more! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Eric Dewey, Matthew Renfro, Stephen Mooney
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30PM Where: North 227C

The FREE Stand Up Comedy Show by PhoenixComedy.org: PhoenixComedy.org invites you to an evening of FREE comedy! Be barraged by a horde of nerdy local comedians, regaling you with tales of the things that matter most in life: comic books and video games. FREE comedy at the Comicon- it's almost an alliteration. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 7:30-9:00PM Sat, 7:30-9:00PM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

Freemasonry: Pop Culture vs. Real Life: Two Lodge Past Masters discuss the Craft in movies, television, comics, etc. and its practice in real life. Panelists: Adrian Fontes, John A. Nichols
When: Thu, 10:30AM-11:30PM Where: North 227C

Freeware Gaming for Cheapies: Some of the best things in life are free. The same rule applies to video games. We'll show you some of the best video games you can find, minus the \$60 price tag. Panelists: Muffin (2 panelists)
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 222C

Fringe Science: In some ways, Fringe was prophetic. In others, it was a bit silly. But over-all, it had a lot to say about both the fringes of science, and the ethical questions we face as the human race advances. Panelists: Rebekah Brubaker, Roberts Holmes, Rys Holmes
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 122AB

From Bullying to Harmony: Understanding and Dealing with Bullying: Join this panel of experts as they help families learn to deal with the pervasive menace of bullying. A free copy of Jay McGraw's Life Strategies for Dealing with Bullies to the first 100 families in attendance, courtesy of Kids Need to Read! Panelists: Carrie SEVERSON, Kids Need to Read, Sgt. Darren Burch, Tom Leveen
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 150

From Page to Screen: Redshirts and The Expanse: Join authors John Scalzi and James S. A. Corey (Daniel Abraham and Ty Franck) as they preview the upcoming TV series based on their respective novels, Redshirts (FX) and The Expanse (Syfy). Panelists: Daniel Abraham, John Scalzi, Ty Franck
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 132

From Small Page to Big Screen. The History of the Zombie Sponsored by Cox Communications: Author & TV host Craig W. Chenery looks at the history of the zombie & how it has changed from a matinee monster to a Hollywood smash. He covers the genre from the zombie roots of voodoo to The Walking Dead & World War Z. Visit: www.craigwchenery.com
Panelists: Craig Chenery
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 166

Fruity Rumpus Ask Panel: Brought to you by the lovely Scourge Sisters, join us for a regular

Homestuck ask-the-characters panel. It will have a game show-esqe theme to it, where the audience participates and could even win prizes! Panelists: Scourge Sisters (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 232BC

Full Time Creator Full Time Career: Working in the comic book industry doesn't pay a lot. Meet creators who juggle full time jobs while creating their comic books in their "off" time. Panelists: Charles Sellner, Dennmann, Eric Mengel
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 130

Fun Time Game Challenge: Come show those pop culture chops (and show how useful those facts in your head really are) as you vie for the crown in this multi-round game. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 12:30-1:00PM Sun, 12:30-1:00PM Where: 3rd Street

Future Exploration: What missions does NASA have planned for the near and far future? Panelists: David Lee Summers, David Williams, Marc Neveu, Steve Ruff, Teresa Ashcraft
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 124A

G.I. Joe and Marvel Comics: The Larry Hama Run: 155 issues focusing on a very human story, including the Snake Eyes/Storm Shadow rivalry. We give you the highlights, a live-action cosplay "battle", and Joe trivia. Panelists: DJ Blayze, DJ Eye Que, Gavin Arashikage, Grey Rogers, Marvin "Roadblock" Hinton, Pastor V, THE BARONESS, Vocab Malone
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 129A

G.I. Joe VS Transformers: The Debate: Which property is better - and why? Joe and Transfans square-off for a fierce but friendly debate. Cross-examinations, trivia knowledge and even a rap battle - you decide who wins! Panelists: Alexx Echeverria, Kevin, ladywreck, Tom Scioli
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 128B

Gabe Kubanda: The reality TV star of VH1 Classic's Rock N Roll Fantasy Camp, national touring solo artist and owner of Epic Proportions Tour, Gabe Kubanda, leads off the music on our opening night! Panelists: Epic Proportions Tour, Gabe Kubanda
When: Thu, 9:30-10:00PM Where: 3rd Street

Gainax: Rise and Fall: Gainax has had it's fair share of ups and downs over the years. With what many consider to be the possible end of Gainax ever drawing closer, come join the Mahou Shoujo Defense force as we discuss the good and bad of Gainax. Panelists: The Mahou Shoujo Defense Force (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 223

Gallifrey Falls No More: In the wake of the 50th anniversary's revelation about the fate of the Time Lords, the whole landscape of the modern series has changed. Join us as we discuss what this means for Doctor Who, retrospectively and going forward. Panelists: Marina Sharpe, Michael Mahoney, Paul Tamayo, Tina Worley
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 121BC

Game of Thrones - A Comparison with Historical Figures Sponsored by Cox Communications: Game of Thrones has many

strong characters... and it's said history repeats itself. Join us as we explore how the people we love - and hate - in the land of Westeros mirror people we have read about in our own history.
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 125AB

Game of Thrones - All Men Must Die Sponsored by Cox Communications: All men must die and all debts will be paid. Declare your house and join Educating [Geeks] & Geek News Network as they discuss the much loved HBO series Game of Thrones. The series has it all - Dragons, Zombies, Magic, etc. Come ready to share your thoughts and your drinking game rules f... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Bri Valdivia, Megan Calcote
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 131

Game of Thrones: Sexuality in Modern Fantasy: This is a panel regarding the sexuality of George R.R. Martin's Game of Thrones series. Gender roles, power, freedom, male and female sexuality, and expectations will be explored. Further, we will address how this author uses sexuality in his novels, and how it differs from other fantasy autho... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Ariana Morgan, Jennifer Perry, Raven Griffin, Tiffany Brannum
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 121BC

Gaming In Color: Out of the closet and into the arcade! Gaming In Color is a full length documentary of the story of the queer gaming community, gaymer culture and events, and the rise of LGBTQ themes in video games. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 11:30AM-1:00PM Where: North 227AB

Gargoyles 20th Anniversary Celebration: October 24, 1994, Disney aired one of their best animated shows of all time! This year Gargoyles turns 20! Come celebrate with us by watching clips, playing trivia and discussing various aspects of the show. Panelists: Breanna Bang, Ravenn Bang
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: South 159

Gary Harper vs the Audience: Film and Television Weapons Expert, Gary Harper has worked as an armorer in the industry for over 30 years. He has worked on the sets of such productions as Spike TV's Deadliest Warrior, Discovery Channel's Sons of Guns, Tom Cruise's movie The Last Samurai and sound work for EA ga... Panelists: Gary Harper
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 131

The Geek Comedy Hour: Come take a rest from the heat, kick up your feet and enjoy some comedy from Arizona's local comedians and nerd enthusiasts. It should be a blast! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Ben Lewis, Diego Garcia, Durrell Johnson, Eligio Torress, Kristy Bullock, Steve Westphal
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 122AB

Geek Family Feud!: Come join us as we put two families head to head in a Phoenix Comicon presentation of Geek Family Feud! Questions and answers that only the Geekiest Family will know! This is a pre-registration event. If you are interested having your family considered as a contestant, please email ambe... Panelists: Logan Escobar, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 155-158

PANEL & EVENT DESCRIPTIONS

Geek Prom sponsored by Bookmans: Don't miss the 5th annual Kids Need to Read Geek Prom, sponsored by Bookmans Entertainment Exchange and made possible by Phoenix Comicon. The theme for Geek Prom 2014 is Retro Gaming. To learn more about this event, including ticketing information click: <http://www.kidsneedtoread.org/geekprom/...> Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 9:00PM–12:00AM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Geek Weddings on a Budget: A panel of experts talk about their own Geek weddings while doling out advice on saving money here and there, as well as where to splurge. Panelists: Kelley Lester, Midnight Mayhem, Reverend Crystal Lloyd
When: Thu, 7:30–8:30PM Where: North 231BC

Get Crafty with the Very Awesome Girls: Local fundraising and volunteering club, Very Awesome Girls Into Nerdy Activities, are prepared to reveal our crafty secrets. Come to our panel and learn how to use comic books in all kinds of crafting projects. Plus, walk away with your very own picture frame to commemorate your PCC14... Panelists: Blythe Feiring, Jessica Ridley, Margaret Paris-Vogt, Nicole Kriss
When: Sun, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 231BC

Get Your Zombie On Before the Zombie Walk Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop: Didn't come to Comicon fresh from the grave but still want to roam the streets with the rest of the undead? Well we are here for you! Stop by and get zombified before the Walk! Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 5:30–7:30PM Where: North 232A

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When: Fri, 5:30–7:30PM Where: North 232BC

Getting Jossed: No one is safe from getting "Jossed", be they a beloved character, or a cruel villain. Join us for a memorial to the characters we've lost in the Whedonverse and a discussion of the impact it caused. Warning: spoilers... obviously Panelists: David Richins, Lisa Richins
When: Thu, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 122AB

The Glorious Empire of Kahless the Unforgettable: Klingon Culture 101: Heghlu'meH QaQ jajvam! Want to learn about the culture and honor of the Klingon Empire? Want to be able to talk your way out of a fight (or maybe into one)? This is the panel to give you a glancing view into glorious Klingon culture as well as tips, tricks and hint to cosplaying a member of th... Panelists: Dakota Ballejos, George Richardson, Kevin Burgess
When: Sat, 6:00–7:00PM Where: North 125AB

Go Figures! The Action Figure Panel: The love we have for the little plastic people is traced back to the 60's, 70's, & 80's. This panel will discuss current trends in the industry and its nostalgic roots. You will enjoy this discussion among some of the Valley's biggest toy nerds! Panelists: Casey

Goslin AZ Collectors Marketplace, Danny Neumann, Joe Ferstl, John Leski, Mike Bergstrom, Neil Kotler
When: Sun, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: South 150

GOJIRA VS GODZILLA: Who does it better when it comes to bringing the world's favorite city smashing leviathan to the screen? An in-depth look at the classic Japanese films, and their American counterparts, including the 1998 Emmerich and Devlin film, both animated series, and of course Legendary's newest vers... Panelists: Adam Thomas, Bob Nelson
When: Sun, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 131

Golden Age of Tabletop Gaming: With shows like TableTop and Big Bang Theory celebrating board games plus an open global market, we've entered a golden age of tabletop gaming. Geek & Sundry producer and game designer Boyan Radakovich (TableTop, TableTop Day, Gamesmith) leads a discussion about why going analog is the hot... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 122C

Golgo 13: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 8:00–10:00PM Sat, 8:00–10:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Gone Too Soon: In Loving Memory of TV Shows Cancelled in Their Prime: A look back at some of the best TV shows to be cancelled too early, such as Firefly, Pushing Daisies, Heroes and Chuck. We'll review what made the shows great, why they were canned, and if there is any future for the franchise. The panel will include an "In Memoriam" tribute video ... Panelists: Cody Hertig, Hayley Tracy, Zachary Brown
When: Fri, 3:30–4:30PM Where: North 225A

Good News, Everyone! Doomsday scenarios are all the rage in sci-fi. How plausible is our destruction by asteroids, gamma ray bursters, robot revolt, or zombies? Panelists: Henry Vanderbilt, Lisa Sonnenberg "University of Michigan, Patrick Young, Ray Sanders, Sara Walker
When: Sun, 3:00–4:00PM Where: North 125AB

The Gore The Merrier: Makeup FX Tips: Are you looking to gore up some of your make up FX skills? Come join us as this make up group shows you how to add basic gore, simple bruises, cuts and gashes. You won't want to miss these tips! Panelists: Aimee May, Angela Kabasan, Mason Reiter, Melanie Hazeldene, Shaun Smith
When: Sun, 4:30–5:30PM Where: South 167

The Grand Cosplay Coliseum: Can you hear it? The Roar of it... The roar of glory... Of fame... Of Victory! That's right! It's the Cosplay Coliseum, on a GRAND scale! New rules, new ways to grind your enemies into dust and of course, PRIZES! RPG Three-on-Three battles of epic proportions! Whether you're a Merc wit... Panelists: The Cookie Crusaders (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 7:30–9:30PM Where: North 229AB

Grave Danger (@ Desert Dolls Roller Derby Bout): In a swank shack the members of Grave Danger sway unsteadily. Then they launch into another sonic assault on everything that is good and clean. They fuse rock, blues, country and punk into a stew of biker crank funk. They are loud and

reprehensible. Panelists: Grave Danger
When: Fri, 8:30–9:00PM Where: 3rd Street

Guts and Glory: Horror Movies From The Inside Out! Summer Helene will help you learn the ins-and-outs of Horror film...straight from the Hollywood perspective. Find out what makes this genre so popular and learn how to get your film made! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Summer Helene
When: Sat, 9:30–11:00PM Where: North 225A

Halocene: This female-fronted rock band has opened for Blink 182 and Fall Out Boy. Their new album Make It Loud is currently available. Check out Halocene at the Comicon outdoor stage before the take to the road. Panelists: Epic Proportions Tour, Halocene
When: Thu, 10:00–11:00PM Where: 3rd Street

Harry Potter and Never Letting Go: An interactive Harry Potter panel facilitated by teachers in order to spark debates and conversations on a variety of topics about the wizarding world. Panelists: Amber Gould, Brandon Riddle, Catie Whitten, Shalane Harris, Stephen Dzienis
When: Sun, 12:00–1:00PM Where: North 225A

Harry Potter and the Panel of Fandom: Back and better than before, this discussion panel will delve into memories, the future of the Harry Potter fandom, and even debate the houses of Hogwarts as well as revisit our best from last year. All witches, wizards, and muggles are welcome to join. Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Cara Beth, Jacqueline Chikos, Kali Johnson, Kat Alarcon, Marina Sharpe
When: Sat, 3:00–4:00PM Where: North 132

Harry Potter Astronomy: Crawl inside an inflatable dome to learn which of your favorite characters have stellar counterparts, and how they fit into the Wizarding World. These shows run every 20 minutes starting at 10:30, but come at 10:15 to grab your free ticket. Panelists: Anne Stewart, Jason Ard, Lauren Ard, Mahonri Stewart
When: Sat, 10:30AM–12:30PM Where: North 225B

Heather Brewer Spotlight: Meet New York Times Bestselling author Heather Brewer, author of The Chronicles of Vladimir Tod, The Slayer Chronicles, and The Legacy of Tril. Get all your questions answered and find out what she's working on now! Panelists: Heather Brewer
When: Fri, 12:00–1:00PM Where: North 126BC

Hell's Kitty - The Possessed Pussycat! Hell's Kitty is one of the first web-series to turn its digital images into a comic book. This Horror-Comedy is about a Hollywood writer and his possessed pussycat! Learn how this was made possible using a shoestring budget. Visit: www.hellskitty.com Panelists: adolph amarkarian, Denise Acosta, Michael Aushenker, Nicholas Tana
When: Sat, 7:30–8:30PM Where: South 167

HEMA Renaissance Rapier Demo: Demonstration of Historical renaissance rapier fighting presented by The Company of the Sable Blade, a rapier academy from Sierra Vista, AZ. This demo will include a question and answer session. Panelists: The Company of the Sable Blade
When: Fri, 4:00–5:00PM Where: 3rd Street

PANEL & EVENT DESCRIPTIONS

Here a Con, There A Con, Everywhere a Mini Con:

Cons are wonderful, temporary learning spaces that foster the 21st skills we need. Join panelists Todd Van Hooser, Tara Carpenter, and others who are using cons in educational spaces as they discuss their experiences.

Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff, Tara Carpenter, Tauri Icenogle, Todd Van Hooser
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 126A

Hetalia Ask a Nation: Come join your favorite nations as they find an abandoned mansion and invite everyone to take a look around! Things might get crazy or things might get sad you decide how it all turns out! Panelists: Cyruu Cosplay
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 226 ABC

Hey - that's not William Shatner playing Captain Kirk!: An Exploration of Star Trek Fan Films:

Over the years, fans have made their own Star Trek fan films. Join us for a discussion of some of these fan films, from those locally made to the semi-professional 'Star Trek: Phase 2' and 'Star Trek Continues'. Panelists: David Williams, E. Adams Thomas, Jeff Taylor
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 122AB

Hieroglyph: Blueprints for a Better Future:

How do we get people to think creatively and optimistically about the future? We team up scientists and authors to kindle technological ambition via the power of story. Panelists: Braden Allenby, Ed Finn, Elizabeth Bear, Joey Eschrich, Zach Berkson
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 127C

High Noon Water Showdown: Are you quick on the trigger with a sharpshooter's eye? Then, as the sun high, come take aim at the showdown. But if you're slow on the draw, be prepared to get wet. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 12:00-12:30PM Sat, 12:00-12:30PM Sun, 12:00-12:30PM Where: 3rd Street

Hip Hop Family Tree: Ed Piskor discusses his web comic turned graphic novel turned Free Comic Book hard to find comic book. Ed drops some science on those who don't how it all started. "If you don't know, now you know" - Notorious BIG Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 132

Horror Heroes and Villains: Join a discussion on Horror Movie Heroes & Villains from our panel of Horror Geeks! Who is YOUR favorite? Which heroes would make the cut against villains in an alternate universe? Machete wielding maniacs and scream queens, who will reign supreme?! Panelists: Andrea Beesley, Marc Ciccarone, Monte Yazzie, Theresa Dillon
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: South 166

The Hottest of J-Pop: Come discuss and listen to some of the most attractive J-Pop artists such as AKB48, Weather Girls, and Chemistry with other con goers! Panelists: Time Squad B (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 222 AB

The Hottest of K-Pop: Come listen to and discuss some of the most attractive K-Pop artists such as GLAM, Kim Hyun Joong, and Kara with other fellow con goers! Panelists: Time Squad B (2 panelists)

When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 222 AB

How Heraldic Symbols Are Used to Enhance Pop Culture:

Imagine a world where few could read or write. How would you know if the armor-clad warrior approaching is friend or foe? In popular shows like Game of Thrones and The Tudors, plus games like Assassin's Creed and World of Warcraft, symbols are used to represent different factions. The use of s... Panelists: Brie' Johnson, Greg Johnson, Rose Johnson
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 231A

HOW MANY GODZILLAS ARE THERE, ANYWAY????:

So, can there be, like Highlander, only one, or did an entire colony of gojirasaurus survive the mass saurian extinction 65 million years ago (thanks, Adric!)? An analysis of Godzilla's ever changing look and attitude over the last 60 years. Panelists: Bob Nelson, E. Adams Thomas, John Wheeler
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 125AB

How Robots are Taking over High School: Do you have a favorite robot? Ever think you would get to build and operate a robot while still in school? Join Westwood Robotics for a demonstration and discussion on how robotics will help out in our future. Panelists: Westwood Robotics (9 panelists)
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 150

How the heck did we get here? A brief history of fandom culture.:

How did fans become, well, fans? Come and explore the rich history of fandoms from the late 1800s to the fan culture we know today. Discuss fan behaviors and see where you place yourself on the Fan Scale. Panelists: Audrey Carlson, Paige Carlson
When: Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 122AB

How the Miniature Star Wars World Was Created:

You have all heard the stories about the original models that were used in Star Wars - but how were they constructed? Join Industry Professional Fon Davis as he explains the art of Fabrication Techniques & how they were used in the movies. Panelists: Fon Davis
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 124B

How to Add Teslapunk To Your Costume

(Lights): No matter what your budget is, you can add lighting. We cover the spectrum from inexpensive off-the-shelf lights to custom-built microprocessor-controlled programmable LEDs. It's not just adding lights, it's using them to make your costume come alive! Whether you are going for a... Panelists: Jeff McDaniel
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 230

How to be a B/A/M/F: Ever wanted to know what it takes to become a bad@\$\$? Well you're in luck! Let the Renegades tell you everything you need to know to create your very own bad@\$\$ alter ego and examine others'. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: The Renegades
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 222 AB

How to be Successful on YouTube: A surprising yet rapidly growing career field is the YouTube™ community. How do you make money on YouTube? How can you even become noticed on YouTube? MrCreepyPasta and CreepyRainbowPasta explain how to start, build and maintain your brand. Panelists: Chris Edmond, Megan Davis

When: Thu, 6:30-7:30PM Where: South 167

How to Become a Better Cosplayer Without Even Trying:

Are you a cosplayer who wishes they could be better, but you don't have the skill, money, and/or time to get there? Then come on down and learn some easy tips to become a better cosplayer (without even trying)! Panelists: Cookieplay Productions (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 231A

How to become a Phoenix Comicon

Panelist: Ever wonder what it takes to become a Phoenix Comicon panelist or presenter? Well here is your chance! Come meet with a Phoenix Comicon Programming Manager and find out exactly what it takes to present at Phoenix Comicon. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 124A

How to Build a Droid! You have seen them at conventions, on the internet and TV! Join us to see the process on how you can build your own R2 Astromech droid. Panelists: David Littleton, Jeff Hill, Joel Cranson, Robert McIlroy, Scott Gray, Tom King
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 124B

How To Create Your Own Custom Action Figure:

Tired of 30 versions of Wolverine or Ice Armor Batman? Unsatisfied with big toy company releases? Want to create a version of your character? Action Figure Customizers talk using the right figure, using multiple parts, sculpting details and painting! Panelists: David Fitzmaurice, Jesse Bautista, Patrick Billings
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 150

How to Customize a LEGO Minifig: Come watch David Oakes as he creates a custom LEGO minifigure right before your eyes while sharing his 20 years of experience with "Everything Awesome." Panelists: David Oakes
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 159

How to Kill Someone with a Sword: Unarmoured longsword fighting demonstration:

Watched movie sword fights and thought they were a bit cheesy? Or worse yet, accurate? Curious how swordsmen of the day REALLY struck down their foe? See our demo showing what 'Getting Medieval' on someone really looked like...minus the bleeding. Panelists: La Fratellanza della Spada
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:00AM Where: 3rd Street

How To Make Beer Money with Your Comic or Zine 2.0:

Join the editors of The Devastator comedy zine for practical tips on earning money with your art. We'll discuss making more than your table costs at conventions, selling your stuff to local shops, pricing with profit in mind, and more! Panelists: Amanda Meadows, Geoffrey Golden
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 130

How to Run a Comedy Writer's Room: The panel will discuss how to create and run a Comedy Writers Room. From "the Show of Shows" to the Onion, comedy writers rooms have always been colleagues pitching lots of ideas the brainstorming and cutting quickly. Panelists: Kevin Patterson
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 227C

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How to train your D.R.A.G.O.N.: Hiccup Haddock III from the floating nation Berk, will preview his invention D.R.A.G.O.N.s (Domestic Reptilian Anthropomorphic Gliding Organic Neo-tech). Explore these mechanical creatures and see how easy it is to tame them simply by holding an E.E.L. Panelists: BeCos-We-Can
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 159

Hunger Games Archery: A popular weapon seen in The Hunger Games but has its roots in the middle-ages! The knights from the Kingdom of Umbria are looking for new young knights. Set your sights on our targets and see if you're meant to carry the bow and arrow! Panelists: Kingdom of Umbria (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 155-158

I am a Doctor Who Fan Because...: Join our panel of experts in a interactive discussion about why we love Doctor Who, what made us fans, and why we keep coming back for more! Panelists: Courtney Lovejoy, Eileen Mueller, John Wheeler, Karla Benitez, Paul Tamayo
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 121BC

I didn't know that existed! Geeky things to do in Arizona: Join Jonathan Simon of Lightning Octopus for a discussion of Fun/Geeky/Family Friendly things to do all around the Valley and Arizona that families can do together all year round! Panelists: Jonathan Simon
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 150

I HATE Temporal Mechanics: It's Deja Vu, All Over Again!: Join our panel of temporarily displaced temporal mechanics as we discuss time travel in the Star Trek Universe! OK - they're not really displaced... ..they're from here. But either way, we'll have a really good time! Panelists: Eric Dewey, Joshua Silverman, Mark Restucci, Vinny Alascia
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 122C

I Wish I Could Afford To Cosplay: Cosplay is fun but it can be expensive when you're starting out! Luckily, it doesn't have to be. Come learn to express yourself without maxing your AmEx. You too can bring your favorite characters to life! Whether you want to make your own outfits & props or purchase them, join Broke... Panelists: Broken Doll Cosplay
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 232BC

I'm givin' her all she's got, Cap'n!: Our Favorite Starfleet Engineers: It's not easy keeping a starship running properly. From Montgomery Scott to Charles "Trip" Tucker III, join our panel as we discuss the brilliant and capable engineers of the Star Trek Universe and what we feel makes them so special. Panelists: James Laird, Neil Picard, Nicholas Grover
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 122AB

I've Been Talking to Your Kids with Bradley Snyder: Bradley Snyder, marketing consultant for Marvel and Nickelodeon will discuss the 5 simple truths about kids and how we can apply them in the classroom. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff, R. Bradley Snyder
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 126A

Ichabod's Apocalypse: Sleepy Hollow & literature, history & the Bible: Join Educating [Geeks] as they discuss Fox TV's "Sleepy Hollow". From the origins of Irving's narrative to this adaptation's biblical allusions and cultural tropes,

the panel will deconstruct the series and squee over its charming cast and clever writing. Panelists: Alice Baker, ANDREA COFFMAN, Devon Adams, Sara Santiago
When: Sun, 3:30-4:30PM Where: North 227C

Icky Science: Scientists come from all walks of life and go about their research in all sorts of creative manners. Learn about some of the more disgusting approaches to science and how you can participate. Panelists: Andres Morera, Bradley Lusk, Charles Rolsky, Joseph Orkin " Washington University, St. Louis, Steven Hart
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 124B

Illusion: The Art of Cross-play: Found a character you want to cosplay, but it's the opposite of the gender you actually are? While "gender-bent" costumes are fun, what if you'd rather be accurate? Join professional Male Illusionist Anson Reign & guests for clues, tips, and a Q&A. Panelists: Anson Reign, Dionysus Khaos, Libby Mueller, Pandora DeStrange, Victoria Bacon
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 232A

Illustrator Workshop - Steven Riley: Author and illustrator Steven Riley has been writing stories and drawing for as long as he can remember. "It was always a creative outlet. Just me having fun." Now he enjoys traveling and teaching his techniques to kids everywhere. Panelists: Steven Riley
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Imports R Us: Can you imagine all of those games that never make their way out of Japan? We'll discuss just why there's an entire library of games out there that we'll never get to play and how you can get your hands on some of them. Panelists: Dollars (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 222C

Improbable Dystopias?: A look at dystopian fiction-what makes some worlds believable, and others not? Join our panelists as they explore these questions. Panelists: Janni Lee Simmer, Jason Hough, Laini Taylor, Pierce Brown, Seanan McGuire/Mira Grant
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 131

Improv 101: Do you like acting or are good at thinking on your feet? If so, then this panel is for you! We'll be playing some games like Freeze and doing other improvisational. So come on down and join the fun! Panelists: Antoinette Martin-Hanson, Ariana Flatt, Emma Bowen, Meegan Swisher
When: Fri, 10:30AM-12:00PM Sat, 7:30-9:00PM Where: North 225A

In the Shadows - Author and Artist Collaboration: Join Kiersten White and Jim DiBartolo as they discuss their recent collaboration of art and prose with In The Shadows. Panelists: Jim DiBartolo, Kiersten White
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 127C

In-Character Cosplay Challenge Presented by Priapella Corp: You've got your costume down, your wig is fabulous, & you think you've done a great job. But can you go the extra mile and stay in-character as we throw you into wild situations? What is Batman's drink order at Starbucks? How would Naruto react on a blind date with Deadpool? ... Panelists: Anya Beam, Cecalio Diab, Kristin

Gresenz, Madison West, Melissa McGue
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 231BC

The Inside Scoop of Paranormal Investigating: Discussion on the research of property, history of past/present owners & the documentation of the claims. The use of the different types of equipment and techniques used in the investigation process including reviewing & analyzing evidence. Panelists: SouthWest Anomalous Research Society (SWARS) (5 panelists)
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: South 167

Inside Star Wars Miniatures & Visual Effects: Ever wonder how were all those epic space battles were done in Star Wars or how they were able to do so a miniature scale? Join Industry Professional Fon Davis as he breaks down on the photography and CG FX work on the Star Wars films. Panelists: Fon Davis
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 121BC

Intermediate Costuming: Know your way around a sewing machine? Want to dig deeper & grow your skills? Then join us as we teach you intermediate skills like decorative stitches and their actual functions, sewing with high maintenance fabrics like stretch & vinyl, and adding accents like trims or embellishments... Panelists: House Lionheart (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 232A

Intermediate Horror Makeup: Character, Haunted House and Indie Films: Learn how to design and then create a horror character in full makeup using commercially available prosthetics and wardrobe. John has worked various haunted attractions across the country including Autumn Nightmare in Syracuse NY, The Haunted Mortuary in New Orleans LA and The Nest here in Phoe... Panelists: John Frye
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 166

Intro to Costuming: No Sew Methods: Want to make a costume but have no skills to help you start? Well look no further than this panel! House Lionheart will teach you techniques for costume creation that don't require a sewing machine. Ideas will work for cosplay, steampunk, & fantasy genres, just to name a few. Don't let... Panelists: House Lionheart (4 panelists)
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 232A

Intro to Molding and Casting Costume Parts, Part 1: This panel will be an introduction on how to make a silicone rubber mold. We will cover single and multi-piece molds, when to choose certain mold types and what types of casting resins to use in the beginning. Panelists: Quinn Lindemood, Shawn Lindemood
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 232BC

Intro to Molding and Casting Costume Parts, Part 2: This panel will be an introduction on how to cast resin pieces. We will review mold making and what can be cast in them, including tips and tricks for learning new materials and how to pick the right materials to begin with. Panelists: Quinn Lindemood, Shawn Lindemood
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 232BC

Introducing PBS Digital Studios and the IDEA Channel: Mike Rugnetta, host of the PBS IDEA

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Channel and the team from PBS Digital Studios will speak on the evolving nature of PBS' commitment to the education community and the community at large in an era where communities are no longer defined by geographies. Panelists: Mike Rugnetta
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 131

Iron GM Tournament: An RPG rock-n-roll circus hosted by the Man in Orange and his Kung Fu DJ. Winner will compete in the Iron GM World Championship held at Gen Con in August 2014! Rules are at www.irongm.com. Default system is Pathfinder. Ticket required.
When: Sun, 10:30AM-4:30PM Where: Hyatt Cowboy Artist

Is There Such A Person? Lovecraft's Female Characters: Educating [Geeks] discusses female characters in 3 stories by HP Lovecraft. Women figure prominently in these stories. Are the portrayals realistic? Are they just plot devices? What reactions are provoked? The Dunwich Horror film is also discussed. Panelists: Alice Baker, Bri Valdivia, Cassandra Nicholson, Philip Chang
When: Thu, 8:00-9:00PM Where: South 166

Is This A Zombie?: Anime screening.
Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 1:00-4:00PM Sun, 1:00-3:30PM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

It All Started with a Big Bang: Learn about the latest research in physics and reality, whether there are parallel universes, and about the multiverse! Panelists: Josh Shioda - American Astronomical Society, Lisa Will, Sara Walker, Soma De
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 124A

It started in a junkyard in 1963: A look at the origins of Doctor Who, the impact of the classic stories, and how it changed science fiction.
Panelists: Chris Swanson, Jeff Jones, John Arney, Loren Toporek
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 121BC

It's All Connected!!!: The Marvel Cinematic Universe has been connected from the beginning. With Captain America 2: The Winter Soldier those links blend into the Agents of SHIELD TV Show. Panelists discuss these links. Panelists: It's All Connected (5 panelists)
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 128B

It's Bigger On The Inside...: Come join us for a showing of this "Choose Your Own Adventure" style Doctor Who fan film. Followed by a Q&A and discussion session with the filmmaker and cast. Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Jen Jondac, Marina Sharpe
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 227C

J-Fashion on a Budget: Excited about all the things you learned at the J-Fashion panel but worry it'll cost too much money? Have no fear! We're here to teach you how you can dress in your favorite J-Fashion on a budget using everyone's favorite online shopping mall, Taobao. Panelists: The Not-So-Basic Witches (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 232A

J-Fashion Style Guide: Want to learn more about what's popular on the streets of Japan? Look no

further! This panel will cover the different types of J-Fashions, major brands, and a purchasing guide. Panelists: The Not-So-Basic Witches (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 231A

Jack Kirby: King of Comic Books: Comic book professionals and fans come together to talk about the legacy of Jack Kirby. Panelists: Dennmann, Eric Mengel, Jesse James, Mark Evanier, Tom Scioli
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 129B

Japan Couture: International Fashion: Do you aspire to strut the streets of Harajuku in authentic street style? Join Broken Doll Cosplay for an hour of fashionable fun! Lolita, gyaru, visual kei, decora; you name it and we'll be teaching you how to be it! Panelists: Broken Doll Cosplay
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 231A

Japanese Street Fashion Show & Walk: Fashion styles made popular from Japanese fashion magazines, movies & mangas like Gothic Lolita Bible, Kera, Kamikaze Girls, Rozen Maiden or Japanese bands Malice Mizer & L.M.C. Watch for us during the Fashion Walk in the halls after the show. Interested in showing off your style? C... Panelists: Fashion Show Models
When: Fri, 5:00-7:00PM Where: North 229AB

Jay Lake, His Life and Work: Join some of author Jay Lake's friends and colleagues as they talk about the life and work of this remarkable author. Panelists: Beth Meacham, Elizabeth Bear, John Scalzi, Lynne M. Thomas
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 128A

Jedipardy!: Join Star Wars fans to test their knowledge & find out who the Grand Masters of Star Wars! Can you name a species, quote or determine who is missing from a picture? Test your Jedi knowledge and enjoy some laughs & cool prizes! Panelists: James Lister, Max Gendreau, Yaicha Gendreau
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 124B

Jeopardy: Kingdom Hearts: Do you know how many Keyblades there are in Kingdom Hearts Re:coded? Do you know just exactly how many life bars the One-Winged Angel has? We will put all that trivia that you've stored up to the TEST! Panelists: The Cookie Crusaders (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 222C

John Barrowman spotlight: Anything can and will happen with John Barrowman on stage! Panelists: John Barrowman
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

John Ratzenberger Spotlight: John Ratzenberger is a familiar face and voice. His career has taken him from the US Postal Service in Boston, to Echo Base on Hoth, and back to earth as a toy pig. Come and hear some of the ups and downs of such a diverse career. Panelists: John Ratzenberger
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North Ballroom 120

John Rhys-Davies spotlight: Iconic British actor John Rhys-Davies, best known from the Indiana Jones films, has gone on to exciting roles on

Television, Animation and video games. He also plays Gimli the Dwarf in the The Lord of the Rings trilogy. Panelists: John Rhys-Davies
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

JoJo's A-GoGo: Come join The Crows as we go through introducing you to the long running JoJo's Bizarre Adventure manga! On top of that, we'll be talking about the recent anime adaption, video games, fandom, etc! Spoiler Alert! Panelists: The Crows (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 223

JoJo's Bizarre Adventure: English vampires, south american supermen, unstoppable punching ghosts, all with a splash of fabulous. JoJo's Bizarre Adventure is one of Japan's most popular manga. Join the AZ Midnight Channel as we explain, discuss this iconic series! Panelists: Arizona Midnight Channel (5 panelists)
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 223

Justice League Arizona! Arizona's Premiere DC universe Costumers for Causes! Come meet the Justice League Arizona and find out what motivates these amazing costumers as they bring the legends to life for fun and charity! The JLA is Arizona's DC exclusive costume group, dedicated to bringing attention to causes through appearances throughout the state! Come find out ... Panelists: Justice League Arizona
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 225B

Kaiju Rising: Age of Monsters Anthology: Join contributors to Kaiju Rising: Age of Monsters, a new anthology of monster stories from Ragnarok Publications. Panelists: Edward Erdelac, Gini Koch, Mike MacLean
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 128A

Karaoke: Come and sing your favorite anime tune! None-anime songs will be allowed. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30PM-1:30AM Sat, 10:30PM-1:30AM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

Keeping a Long Running Series Fresh: Authors who are writing long-running series talk about how they keep it fresh and exciting for both themselves and the reader. Panelists: Gini Koch, Jim Butcher, Kevin Hearne, L.E. Modesitt Jr
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 132

Kevin Daly's Chicken & Waffles (@ AZ Roller Derby Bout): Like the tasty dinner of the same name, Chicken & Waffles is a delightful combination. Two talented ladies sing original country, swing and rock songs. Add a superior backing band and you and you won't leave hungry. Here's a tip: don't miss them. Panelists: Kevin Daly's Chicken & Waffles
When: Fri, 10:00-10:30PM Where: 3rd Street

Key Nagato: Tales of Conventionia: Panelist, cosplayer, convention Santa, and stand up comedian? Key Nagato ventures into a new field of anime and convention comedy! Join Key Nagato (Jason Hill) as he shares stories about conventions and jokes about life as a cosplayer and anime fan. Panelists: Key Runners (3 panelists)
When: Thu, 8:00-9:00PM Where: North 226 ABC

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Kids Galore, Disney and More!: Come ask your favorite childhood characters the questions you've wanted answers to since you first saw them! Characters of all kinds from many series will be present: Disney, Dreamworks, Nickelodeon, and more! You never know who you might find! Panelists: Alayna Scordato, Amanda Albregard, AmaraSama, AmaraSama (2 panelists), Jaime Wilson, Silver Prince Productions, Tristen Mihaljevic
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 159

Kids Need to Read Charity Poker Tournament: Texas Hold'em for KNTR. \$10 Donation at door. Unlimited chip replenish for 1st hour for additional donation. Optional add on after 1st hour. Cash only. Must be 18+ to attend!
When: Fri, 7:00-11:30PM Where: Hyatt Phoenix Ballroom

Kids Steampunk: Come join us introduce your kids into the world of Steampunk. Discussing weapon mods, clothing, books and anime for kids. Panelists: Johnna Buttrick, Raine Christianson
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 159

Kill la Kill: This will be a discussion panel of TRIGGER Inc's 2013 anime Kill la Kill. The discussions will include but will not be limited to: the characters and events of the show, the music of the show, the directors/staff of TRIGGER Inc. Panelists: The Mahou Shoujo Defense Force (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 222 AB

King of the Creature Features: What is the Best Horror Film Franchise?: Nine Nightmares, a dozen Friday the 13ths and six Texas Chainsaw Massacres prove that horror fans love their slashers and slasher franchises. Join Cult Classics (<http://www.cultclassicsaz.com>) Phoenix's favorite monthly genre film series, as we discuss our favorite horror franchises. We'll... Panelists: Adam Rutkowski, Kirby Nelson, Ruby Tate, Steve Mandel, Victor Moreno
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: South 166

King of the Otaku: Are you worthy of the title, King? Come compete in our own game of trivia based on the game "You Don't Know Jack" and earn a shot at the big prize. Join us to find out just who is the true "King of the Otaku!" Panelists: Project Nailbat (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 6:00-8:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

King of Thorn: Come see Funimations survival horror anime, King of Thorn. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 8:00-10:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

King's Game: The sexiest panel ever brought to Arizona Conventions. Can you handle all the antics? Then bring your bravest self and hope you get to be king! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Key Runners (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 222C

Kingdom Hearts Q&A: Come join Riku, Kairi, Sora, Organization XIII and more as we answer your questions and play games. Prizes will be given out throughout the panel to the winners and top competitors. Panelists: SnapDragon Productions (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 223

Klingon Language 101: As the Klingon Empire expands across the galaxy, entire planets are now teaching their children Shakespeare in the original Klingon Language: tlhIngan Hol! Put yourself and your loved ones at a tactical advantage by learning at Phoenix ComiCon! Panelists: Dakota Ballejos, George Richardson, Kevin Burgess
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 122AB

Krav Maga: East Valley Krav Maga Chief Instructor Derrek Hofrichter will discuss the realism of fight scenes in movies and other pop culture, take questions on fighting/self-defense scenarios, and demonstrate defending both unarmed and armed attacks. Panelists: East Valley Krav Maga
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 224AB

The Kubert School Panel: Andy Kubert talks about The Kubert School of Cartoon and Graphic Arts and the Kubert family. Panelists: Andy Kubert
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 129A

Large Weapons: Looks Can Be Deceiving: How to build large props without breaking your budget or your back. We will show you how to build props that are larger than life, but weigh next to nothing, for an all day con. Panelists: Mike Syfritt
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 230

Larry Nemecek's "Trekland: Between the Cracks" show: Wait— isn't THIS really the 50th anniversary year of Star Trek? Come find out this question and more with author-producer, host and actor Larry Nemecek as we rifle through 40+ years of his Star Trek "attic trunk": visit the Paramount stages and catch some of the oddb... Panelists: Larry Nemecek
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 122AB

Last Otaku Standing: Think your anime and video game knowledge is superior to the masses? Come show us what you got in Last Otaku Standing and prove you're the very best! You may even take home our grand prize! Panelists: Muffin (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

Learn to draw My Little Pony: Join Alison Paul as she shows you how to draw and name your own My Little Ponies! Alison is 24, and teacher in training. "My life is full of books, cartoons, and work at an elementary school". This is her third year at Comicon! Panelists: Alison Paul, Lizde Olivas
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Learn to Wire LED Lights for Costumes and Props: Make & Take Workshop: PAID EVENT
Learn how to build, wire and power a circuit with a battery or power supply to light costumes or props. \$25, limit 15. Kit includes: Assortment of LEDs, Resistors, Battery, Battery holder, DC power supply. Panelists: Tim Holt
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 230

Leather Bracer Make &Take: PAID EVENT
Leather bracers are a key part of many cosplay styles and genres. Come join House Lionheart and learn hands on how to make a pair of bracers as well as decorate them. All supplies will be provided and the cost per pair is \$35. If you have specific decor in mind, feel free to bring it along and the... Panelists: House Lionheart (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 230

Leather Steampunk / Cyberpunk Gas Mask Make & Take Workshop: PAID EVENT
Gas Masks are an essential part of many costumes from Gaming to Fantasy. This unique design was created with the do-it-yourself costumer in mind. I will provide all the materials you need to make and wear your one of a kind gas mask. \$20 kit fee for the craft foam mask, and \$45 for the leather. ... Panelists: Mike Syfritt
When: Sat, 1:30-3:30PM Where: North 230

Leather Steampunk Goggles Make and Take Workshop: PAID EVENT
If you have just discovered this new world of steampunk, the one thing you can't leave on your adventures without is your protective eye wear. Join me in this workshop to make your own pair of Genuine Leather Steampunk Goggles to take on your adventures. I will provide everything you need to m... Panelists: Mike Syfritt
When: Fri, 4:30-6:30PM Where: North 230

Left 4 Dead Q&A: Pesky jockeys. Stupid smokers. Are you getting tired of all these infected sneaking up behind you? Then come see your favorite characters from Left 4 Dead in a Q&A as we give you our tips and tricks to being a survivor. Panelists: Amanda Albregard, AmaraSama, Marlon Najera, SnapDragon Productions (2 panelists), Tristen Mihaljevic
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 166

Legend of the Dark King: Come checkout the story of Raoh, Kenshiro's older brother from Fist of the North Star. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Fri, 6:00-8:30PM Sat, 3:30-5:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

Legendary Captains of the Federation: A good Captain is the soul of their ship, and the pride of the Federation Fleet. But some rise above, and achieve legendary status. Join us as we talk about the men and women who led the charge to go boldly where no one has gone before! Panelists: Angelina Rising, Chris Way, Kali Johnson, Laurel Way, Vinny Alascia
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 122AB

Legends Of The Knight: The documentary film "Legends Of The Knight" tells the uplifting true stories of individuals who were inspired to become the real-life heroes by their childhood love of Batman. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 8:30-10:00PM Where: North 227AB

Lego Build Off - All Ages: Challenge your imagination and LEGO building skills! LEGO will be supplied (sorry, not to keep). This friendly competition is open to all. Panelists: Arizona CactusBrick Lego Builders Club
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Lego Build Off - Youth: Challenge your building skills! LEGO will be supplied (sorry, not to keep). This friendly competition is aimed at youth 12 and under, but all are welcome to come see the fun and creativity! Panelists: Arizona CactusBrick Lego Builders Club
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

LEGO: Everything is Awesome: So, you bought the kit. You built the model. Maybe you even tried to build some of the other scenes on the box. So what

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do you do with your LEGO now? Would you believe home furnishings? Or clothes? Join LEGO Builder Dave Shaddix, Stephen Lanyi, and host David Oakes as we explore some of the more... Panelists: Dave Shaddix, David Oakes, Stephen Lanyi
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 150

Let's Play Ero!: Monster girls, School Girls, and magical girls! Which will this edition of Let's an Ero feature? Come sit in to find out! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Dollars (3 panelists)
When: Fri, 9:00-11:30PM Where: North 222C

Let's Play Idolm@ster: In the world of Idols, only one can reach the peak to become number one! Sit in for an introduction and walkthrough to one of NamcoBandai's fastest growing franchises. Afterwards, we'll be playing several games from the series, just for you! Panelists: Dollars (3 panelists)
When: Sun, 3:00-5:30PM Where: North 222 AB

Let's Talk About Delinquents in Japanese Media!: In this panel, we will discuss any anime, manga, video games or other media that include the loveable, but manly Delinquent characters! From Cromartie High to more obscure stuff like Sakigake!! Otokojuku, all are welcome! Panelists: The Crows (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 222 AB

Life ... uh ... Finds a Way: Advances in our abilities to manipulate DNA are transforming biology into a field of science fiction. Learn how we can engineer bacteria to power rockets, grow Dark Lord noses from single cells, and bring species back from extinction. Panelists: Amanda Courtright, Brian Johnson, Jordan Yaron, Rachel Yoho, Rene Davis
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 125AB

Life After Death: Crossing Over Paranormal Society "The C.O.P.S. Crew" Owner Jay Yates & Reverend Paul Lovegrove discuss their very own Near Death Experiences. They will dive deep into the emotional roller coaster of their brushes with death & explain how that motivated them to seek out truth, and... Panelists: Jamie Kroll, Jay Yates, Marie Yates, Michael Papp, Paul Lovegrove
When: Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: South 166

Lights, Camera, Learn!: Film and television are incredibly powerful tools to integrate into the learning process. By utilizing clips from Marvel, DC, Disney, and other movies, educators can be empowered to get students thinking at higher levels while being engaged! Panelists: DJ Graham, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 126A

Lion Forge Comics: Lion Forge Comics Editor-In-Chief Shannon Eric Denton talks about current and upcoming projects for their company. Panelists: Shannon Eric Denton
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 128B

Living Like a Mando!: For untold ages - sentient species across the galaxy have participated in the sacred tradition of earning the almighty credit at the end of the blaster. Come and learn the life, philosophy & tactics of the Mandalorian Mercs! Panelists: Chris Rensing, Isaac Irvine
When: Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 124B

Locker 13: Locker 13 is a thriller anthology feature film, in the style of 'The Twilight Zone', revolving around a mysterious locker 13. It's the story of Skip (Jason Spisak, Piranha), a young ex-convict who takes a position as a night janitor at an old-west theme park. His supervisor Archie (J... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 7:00-9:00PM Where: North 225A

Lolita University: This course will cover an introduction into Lolita fashion and advanced techniques on proper coordination, types of styles, and make-up and hair. Students will also learn where to purchase Lolita and how to participate in the fashion on a budget. Panelists: The Not-So-Basic Witches (4 panelists)
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 231A

Lucky 8: From "Who am I?" to "Physician, heal thyself," a journey through the life of the most proliferate, sexy-and enigmatic-incarnation of the Doctor... Paul McGann. Compete for a chance to win some 8th Doctor fiction! Panelists: Chris Swanson, Molly Martin, Zeke Huerta
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 125AB

Magic and Power in Young Adult Fiction: A look at magic as power in YA fantasy, and why it's so popular with teens. Panelists: Danielle Jensen, Heather Brewer, Janni Lee Simner, Kiersten White, Laini Taylor
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 126BC

The Magic of Costume Design & Styling with Dawn Ritz: Featuring original costumes that Dawn created for The Devil's Carnival, American Horror Story (title sequence), and recent feature, Lost in Austin. She will also share illustrations (Lucas Culshaw) of the costumes for the feature Lost in Austin, Slipknot (Art Director: Shawn Crahan) and Marily... Panelists: Dawn Ritz
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 231A

Magic Systems: Urban Fantasy vs. Epic Fantasy: Epic fantasy and urban fantasy use magic in different ways...or do they? Panelists from both ends of the fantasy spectrum talk about whether magic is constrained by genre. Panelists: Jaye Wells, Jim Butcher, Myke Cole, Patrick Rothfuss, Sam Sykes, Stephen Blackmoore
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 132

Magic Wand Making: The wand chooses the wizard but at Comicon you can create your own magic! Panelists: LeeAnn Jensen, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Magic's in the Makeup: You finally finished your costume- now what? Come learn from professionals how to step up your cosplay game with tricks of the trade. Makeup can be easy, fun, affordable, and it is a huge part of costuming. From Lolita lashes to Cutie Marks, from cross-dressing eyebrows to Disney princess nails, t... Panelists: Bret Kanaday, Jaelen Stodghill, Sebastiana Renner, Sophia Radcliff
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 232A

Magical Me: The Costuming of Harry Potter: Join our panel as we discuss how to put together awesome Harry Potter costumes from scratch or "upcycling" Muggle clothes. Turn an old

graduation gown into House robes! Wands, scarves & more will be covered. Now, turn to page 394... Panelists: Andrea E. Morales, Game Colt, Janice Tuerff, Kelley Lester, Libby Mueller, Steven Bakos, Sure Leigh Kahn, Terre Steed
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Sat, 2:00-3:30PM
Where: North 231A

Maid Cafe: PAID EVENT Need a relaxing break to your hectic con day? Stop by and visit the cute maids and dashing butlers of At Your Service Cafe for some snacks, games, and fun performances. Enjoy the feeling of being royalty in Akihabara! Panelists: At Your Service Maid & Butler Cafe
When: Sat, 12:00-1:30PM 2:00-3:30PM
4:00-5:30PWhere: Renaissance Salon 1-2

Majel Barrett: The First Lady of Star Trek: From Nurse Chapel to Lwaxana Troi, Majel Barrett has charmed generations of Trekkers. Join us as we celebrate the First Lady of Star Trek! Panelists: Cinnamon Hayes, Debra Nickelson, Eileen Johnson, Kimberly Smith, Libby Mueller
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124A

Make it Real: Taking your character from in your head to in this room. Ever wonder what your favorite character would look like or sound like? And just what were they doing during those years before and between play sessions? In this magic room we have a sketch artist, a vocal chameleon and a character&nb... Panelists: Arthur Trout, Jacqueline Stevenson, Jonathan Olai
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 122C

Makeup 101: This is Makeup 101 you will learn the basics of safety so you are You will learn the basics of corrective makeup for different skin tones, from green to albino! Also a peek into the power of adhesives and the special effects that can come with them. Taught by Mesa Community College students of the... Panelists: Aimee May, Donnica Holland, Mason Reiter, Melanie Hazeldene, Shaun Smith
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 124B

Make up 102: Ever wonder how to do makeup for the character you had in mind? We have the solutions. How to go from concept to creation in a somewhat orderly fashion. Taught by Mesa Community College Students of the Theatrical Arts Panelists: Aimee May, Donnica Holland, Mason Reiter, Melanie Hazeldene, Shaun Smith
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 124B

Make your own Flipbook with Molly Idle: Molly Idle, former Dreamworks artist and creator of the Caldecott Honor book Flora and the Flamingo, will help young illustrators create their own flip books! Lean the techniques for making drawings come to life in this workshop for ages 8 and up. Panelists: Molly Idle
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 159

Make Your Own My Little Pony Ears Sunday: PAID EVENT Using felt and a needle & thread, come join us and walk out with pony ears! We provide all materials and instructions, and walk you through the process. Included this year will be bobby pins to wear them out the door. \$5 workshop fee. Pre-paid kit orders can choose a color: Pink, Light Blue... Panelists: Game Colt, Sure Leigh Kahn
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 230

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Make Your Own My Little Pony Ears Thursday:

PAID EVENT Using felt and a needle & thread, come join us and walk out with pony ears! We provide all materials and instructions, and walk you through the process. Included this year will be bobby pins to wear them out the door. \$5 workshop fee. Pre-paid kit orders can choose a color: Pink, Light Blue... Panelists: Game Colt, Sure Leigh Kahn
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 230

Making a Monster: Learn how to become a monster with the professionals at United Zombies of America. Learn how to scare your family and friends or just have fun. Great acting, learn to be wickedly scary and be the most monster you can be! Panelists: United Zombies of America (UZA), United Zombies of America (UZA) (2 panelists)
When: Thu, 9:30-10:30PM Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 167

Making Faces: The Art of Cosplay Makeup: Want to take your cosplay to the next level? Join Broken Doll Cosplay to learn the art of creating and applying makeup looks to transform you into your character! We will answer all of your questions, along with giving you useful tips and tricks. Feel free to bring makeup if you are interested in ... Panelists: Broken Doll Cosplay
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 230

Making Magic in SFX: Come find out what it takes to make silver screen magic and horror! Join our industry professionals as they talk about the ins & outs of working with FX in world of entertainment and what it takes to work in the industry. Imagination required! Panelists: Fon Davis, Michael Tric
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 132

The Making of Locker 13: Independent feature shot half in Arizona and half in California while facing the challenges of shooting an anthology. The entire process involving writing to production, from casting to post, will be discussed with the crew and cast. Panelists: Adam Montieth, Donovan Montieth, Jason Spisak, John Waldron, Jon Gries, Neil Mather, Rick Hoffman
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 225A

The Making of Mission: Imposter: Taking what he learned in making Mission: Irreparable, join Michael Doleshal (writer/director), and key cast members as they discuss GOOD and EVIL, with a behind the scenes look at the sequel Mission: Imposter. While most cast members remained in the same parts from the first film one took on an... Panelists: Damien Baldwin, Jeffrey Dinsdale, Melanie Jayne, Michael Doleshal, Mitch Alcala, Natalie Bohlin
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 227C

Making Video Game Cosplay Armor: From Concept to Reality: Get the run-down on translating video game screenshots & concept art into actual costumes through a plethora of accessible armor and costume-building techniques. Open QA at the end of the discussion, so you can get extra help to be ready for your next convention! Brought to you by Award-winnin... Panelists: Allen Amis, Anabel Martinez, Bill Doran
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 231BC

Making Your Kickstarter Not Suck, with Paul and Storm: Comedy music duo Paul and Storm

discuss their experience with their successful 2013 Kickstarter campaign, and share the lessons they learned along the way to help you make your own campaign not be a soul destroying disaster. Panelists: Paul & Storm
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 126BC

Mandalorian Mercs: The Mandalorian Mercs Costume Club will field questions on their club and handmade armor. They will provide an overview on the club & the Dune Sea Clan itself. Demos include examples of their armor & how you can make your very own. Want to become a Mandalorian? They'll help you get sta... Panelists: Mandalorian Mercs - Shonare Vhekadla Clan
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 231BC

Manu Bennet Spotlight: Known for his roles on Spartacus: Blood and Sand, Azog the Defiler in the Hobbit films and as Slade Wilson Arrow, meet Manu Bennett Panelists: Manu Bennett
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North Ballroom 120

Mara Jade - The REAL Warrior Woman: Mara Jade is the definitive Warrior Woman who not only knew how to take out soliders & Jedi - she even MARRIED her Archenemy! Join us as we explore her story & the history of our magenta lightsaber wielding warrior. Panelists: Dianne Althouse, Dustin Diehl, Joe Holt
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 121BC

MARK GREENAWALT AND FRIENDS BODY ART EXTRAVAGANZA: Mark Greenawalt and a team of professional body painting artists will transform a group of models into an original super villain team. This will be a live demonstration where the audience gets to experience the transformation as each artists uses their own unique styles and techniques to develop t... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Jenny Haskett, Mark Greenawalt
When: Fri, 7:30-10:30PM Where: North 231BC

Mark Sheppard spotlight: Mark Sheppard is a fan favorites with roles on Doctor Who, Supernatural, Battlestar Galactica, Warehouse 13, Chuck, Firefly, and Leverage among many others. Panelists: Mark Sheppard
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

Marvel vs DC: Comic book pundits debate the most hotly contested debate since the inception of comics. Be prepared to defend your favorites. This could get ugly. Panelists: Jesse James, Ken Brown
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 129B

Masquerade Costume Contest Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop: Do you have what it takes to get on the big stage and show off your costume? Want to see this year's contestants? Come see this year's Masquerade Costume Contest hosted by none other than TD0013! Register here! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 8:00-11:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

Masquerade Pre-Judging: Masquerade Pre-Judging Masquerade Registration Page Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 2:00-5:30PM Where: North 231A

Mass Effect General: Are you a Paragon or

Renegade? Who lived and who died when you went to Virmire? Were you satisfied with the ending? Join us on our discussion about the story of Mass Effect. We want to hear what each of your Shepards have done. Panelists: Project Nailbat (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

Measurements for Costuming: Workshop: Measurements can be confusing. What the heck is an armseye anyways and why do I need it?! This hands on workshop will take you through the basic measurements needed for any given costuming project. Panelists: Kristan Bishop
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 232BC

Meet the Avengers!: You know you loved the Avengers comics and movies. Come meet Black Widow, Hawkeye, Rocket Raccoon and others at this one time only panel! Avengers and Guardians alike protect us from evil. Come ask them the questions you've always wanted to know! Panelists: Arizona Avengers
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 150

Meet The Browncoats: Firefly was canceled but the fans weren't! Groups all over the world actively meet, hold charity events, and even produce full length films. Come find out what makes a Browncoat and how you can become part of this great community. Panelists: Lisa Richins, Shelby McBride
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 122AB

Meet the Endless: Seriously you should meet The Endless, we are pretty cool! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Ariana Morgan, Arthur Trout, Lonnie Gray, Sharon McCurdy, Tiffany Branum
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 122C

Meet the Umbrella Corp Arizona Hive: Meet with the Umbrella Corp AZ Hive. Find out what it takes to be member of the hive and how they have grown so fast over the last year. Learn about charities they are involved in and why they wanted to be a part of the Umbrella Corp AZ Hive. Panelists: Umbrella Corporation Arizona Hive
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 167

Men Strut Your Stuff: Come One Come ALL... And Have a BALL or two. GUYS, get your sexy on with TIGHTS, TIGHT pants, Super UNDERWEAR, or Favorite Costume. Get down to the music to PRIMP, PRANCE or DANCE to the screams and cheers of admiring fans. Awards for Best Look, Best Move, Best Flirting with the LADIES or Guys. Yo... Panelists: Alexandria Wirtz, Debra Nickelson, Jennifer Wirtz, Kimberly Smith
When: Sat, 10:00-11:30PM Where: North 229AB

Mermaid 101: Dive into the world of mermaids with Mermaid Odette- The Swimming Mermaid of Arizona. Learn what it takes to become a mermaid, how to swim properly, tails, and more. Welcome to the world of mermaids! Panelists: The Renegades (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 150

Mermaid Lagoon: Come get a glimpse into the world of Moon Mermaid and her friends. See mermaids and pirates in their natural habitat in the lagoon outside on the patio area of the South Building Where: outside South Building

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Mermaid Sisters demo: Watch or even join in with The Mermaid Sisters Lilith and Summer as they play in the pool to swim and just be mermaids. They will be happy to let you get up close and personal with their tails & touch them, for those curious about what a mermaid's tail feels like. Panelists: The Mermaid Sisters (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: Sheraton Pool

The Mermaid Sisters Lilith and Summer: Q&A: Ever wanted to know what it is like to be a mermaid, or what you need in order to become a mermaid? Well come on down to The Mermaid Sisters Lilith and Summer's how to become a mermaid Q & A panel. We will answer all your burning questions about how to become a mermaid, and some of the ris... Panelists: The Mermaid Sisters (3 panelists)
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 231A

Mighty Morphin' Power Rangers Spotlight: Meet 3 of the original Mighty Morphin' Power Rangers David Yost, Waite Jones and Austin St. John Panelists: Walter Jones
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North Ballroom 120

The Military in Speculative Fiction: A look at the military in speculative fiction. Writers of military ranging from the SOC of Myke Cole's Special Ops urban fantasy to the future of war in John Scalzi's Old Man's War series talk about how they use it and why. Panelists: Daniel Abraham, John Scalzi, Myke Cole, Ty Franck, Weston Ochse
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 127AB

Minecraft Block Party: Block out in style at our all ages party. Try your hand at blasting Creepers, compete in the Block Build-off, or just dance your pixels off! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 4:00-9:00PM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

Mission to The Red Planet! ASU Mars Space Flight Facility Interactive Exhibit: Be A Martian! Arizona State University's Mars Space Flight Facility is hosting a special interactive exhibit featuring the Red Planet. Get updated news from mission scientists, have fun with hands-on activities, and see yourself in the infrared! Panelists: ASU Mars Exhibit (19 panelists)
When: Fri, 4:30-7:00PM Where: South 155-158

Mission: Imposter: Jim Phelps (Jeff Dinsdale) so-called irreparable mission was a success in the eyes of those above him. However, with the loss of a fellow agent, and his branch Director Yomin (Damien Baldwin), Phelps sees the glass as only half full. Yet he's given little time to mourn: the mission... Panelists: Michael Doleshal
When: Sat, 6:00-8:00PM Where: North 227C

Mission: Irreparable: Nagging indigestion, a dead scientist, attempted murders by an unstable individual (Mitch Alcala), a captivating beauty (Melanie Jayne), and a liquid which could lead to World War III... For most men that's enough to give up and go fishing, for Jim Phelps (Jeff Dinsdale) it might become... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 6:30-8:30PM Where: North 227C

Mixing History with the Fantastic: Panelists discuss how they mix real history with their fantastic fiction and how they research the facts they use

or adapt for their work. Panelists: Leanna Renee Hieber, Naomi Novik, Shonna Slayton, Wesley Chu
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 127C

Montalbanch: The Search For Khan: Khan Noonien Singh is such an iconic Star Trek villain, they needed two actors to portray him! In this panel, we'll compare and contrast Montalbanch and Cumberbatch, and determine who REALLY is superior. Panelists: E. Adams Thomas, William Suphan, Zeke Huerta
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124B

Moon Mermaid Book Reading and Meet and Greet: Moon Mermaid has been sharing her magical adventures with children of all ages for many years. Join us in the Art Room this year as she reads from her new book. After reading she will be happy to sign autographs and take photos in her giant seashell Panelists: Moon Mermaid
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Moontrap: TomCat Films presents "Moontrap" During a routine flight, two veteran space shuttle pilots discover an alien artifact and bring it back to earth. It soon turns out to be an extraterrestrial war robot, which is able to recycle any biological or technical material for its own deadly use.... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 7:00-9:00PM Where: North 227AB

More Than Meets The Eye: There's more to the multiverse of Transformers than the inane Bay movies. Let us guide you through the many universes beyond good, beyond evil, beyond your wildest imagination. Panelists: Chris Swanson, Zeke Huerta
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 124A

Mos Eisley Pub Quiz!: Think you got the knowledge of an entire galaxy in your head? Can you the difference between Duros and a Rodian? Come join us for a pint as we put your Star Wars knowledge to the test for a chance to win it all! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Brad Walling, Todd Filek
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: Hyatt Ellis

Movies of 2015-2017 With Gareth Von Kallenbach of Skewed and Reviewed: Presented by Gareth Von Kallenbach of Skewed and Reviewed, this panel has been a big draw and has drawn capacity crowds so you will want to come early. This is a lively panel that will look at the new Star Wars, Super Hero, Science Fiction, and other films Hollywood is bringing to cinemas in the n... Panelists: Gareth Von Kallenbach
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: West 211

Moving LGBT Characters Past Token: LGBT characters have been used to drive sales, but many of the characters lack real substance or make only small appearances. Panelists discuss what is needed to drive LGBT characters past being used as token characters in comic books. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: west 212

MrCreepyPasta's Storytime: Spooky Scary Skeletons send shivers down your spine and so will MrCreepyPasta with his reading of horror stories from around the internet. MrCreepyPasta is known for his story telling on YouTube™ and has come to

give the same chilling scares LIVE! Panelists: Chris Edmond
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: South 167

Music Video Contest: Come and enjoy a variety music videos at the annual Phoenix Comicon Music Video Contest! All submissions will be shown and then voted on by the audience to determine which videos are the fan favorites! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 3:00-5:30PM Where: North 224AB

MVD Ghostchasers International: The MVD Ghostchasers discuss their favorite haunted locations in England, Scotland & Ireland. Walk back alleys where Jack the Ripper roamed, sail with the Loch Ness Monster & venture to Leap Castle. No passport needed, just a 'spirit' for adventure! Panelists: MVD Ghostchasers (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 167

My Little Pony Friendship Hour!: Come and gather around to meet your favorite My Little Ponies! They have traveled far from Equestria to meet everypony and answer your questions! Photo by Hyn May Productions Panelists: My Little Cosponies, Sure Leigh Kahn
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 229AB

Mystic Twistic Steampunk Wings: Create Steampunk Wings. Kids assemble their own cardboard wings with gears. All supplies are provided. Panelists: connie galeener, Devin McKenna
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Sun, 3:00-4:00PM
Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Mythical Creatures 101: Exploring the mythology of western civilization, a panel of fantasy and zoological enthusiasts will discuss the origins and significance of popular mythical creatures. Audience is encouraged to bring their questions! Panelists: Alyssa Garetson, Angela Kaban, Jacqueline Chikos, Kirsten Schulte, Sarah Ferguson
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 166

Mythical Creatures 102: A panel of fantasy and zoological enthusiasts will discuss the origins and importance of creatures found in eastern mythology (e.g. Indian, Japanese, and Chinese cultures) as well as delve into American Indian and present day American folklore. Panelists: Angela Kaban, Ashley Oberholtzer, Jacqueline Chikos
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 167

The Mythology of Sleepy Hollow: Based on Washington Irving's short The Legend of Sleepy Hollow, the hit Fox show has tied religion, government and magic to the story of Ichabod Crane. This panel will deconstruct the mythology used to bring to life this spectacular series. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Brianna Bailey, Crystel Snyder, Michael Flanders
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 122C

Name that Anime Tune: Have you ever been able to recognize an anime or game from the opening or ending song? Show off your inner otaku and compete with others to name an anime based on the song alone! Small prizes will be given out to those with the best score! Panelists: Dowase Entertainment (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 10:30AM-1:00PM Where: North 224AB

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Naruto - Eps 1-4: Anime Screening

Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 4:00-6:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Nathan Fillion spotlight: Entertainment Weekly has dubbed him "The Geek God". Whether you know him as Captain Malcom Reynolds, Captain Hammer, Hal Jordan or Richard Castle you won't want to miss him! Panelists: Nathan Fillion
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North Ballroom 120

Nerd Ink: Tattoos are becoming a part of the nerd lifestyle, but it wasn't always that way. Come talk about the popularity of nerdy tattoos and be ready to show off your own work! Panelists: Alexis Freeman, Bob Gibson, Jason Anthony, Kyle Ward, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 122C

Nerd Noms: Have you ever wondered what some of the food from your favorite Sci-Fi and fantasy worlds would taste like IRL? Returning to Phoenix Comicon for the second time are Jen and Matt, showing you a few simple, exciting and delicious recipes. Through unscripted video hijinks, watch her prepare these d... Panelists: Jen Hinds, Matt Hinds, Steve Westphal
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 124A

Nerd Poetry Slam: The Nerd Poetry Slam provides everyone the opportunity to share their love of pop culture in verse. Hosted by The Klute, everyone is encouraged to write a poem. Panelists: Bob Nelson
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 127AB

Nerdist Writer's Panel: Comic Edition - Francis Manapul: Nerdist Writer's Panel: Comic Edition co-hosts talk to Francis Manapul about the craft of writing for comic books. Panelists: Francis Manapul
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 129B

Nerdist Writer's Panel: Comic Edition - Mike Baron: Nerdist Writer's Panel: Comic Edition co-hosts talk to Mike Baron about the craft of writing for comic books. Panelists: Mike Baron
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 129B

Nerdlesque Costuming: From Concept to Completion: Come join a team of professional dancers as they demonstrate how to complete a Nerdlesque costume from concept to completion! Using a wide variety of supplies and materials, you can look great even on a budget. Includes how to plan a cosplay that will be easy to remove, how to rig pre-made c... Panelists: Gypsy Danger, Irish Cream, Pearl Necklace, Rambo Reza
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 232A

Nerdy Travel: Movies have spilled over to your favorite tourist attractions. We will look at the pending Avatar, Star Wars, Harry Potter, and other movie based rides and attractions coming to a theme park near you. Panelists: Gareth Von Kallenbach
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 125AB

Never Judge a Book by its Movie Adaptation: Hollywood loves to adapt books into movies, but it doesn't have a lot of success at it. Which sci-fi and fantasy movies nail their source material,

which ones don't and which ones are spectacularly horrible failures? Which ones do we love to hate and which do we hate to love? Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Cara Beth, Dallin Holt, Kali Johnson, Kirsten Schulte
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 121BC

No One Lives Forever: A True Blood Panel: After seven years, True Blood is coming to a close. Come join us for a discussion over what has happened so far, as well as, the upcoming final season of this hit fantasy-drama television show. Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Brenda Fuller, Lonnie Gray, Stephen Mooney
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124B

Not in Sequential Form: Superheroes in Prose: Authors discuss superheroes in prose, from their original fiction to the shared world of Wild Cards, how do they handle super powers? Panelists: Carrie Vaughn, Daniel Abraham, Ty Franck
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 122C

O'Brien Must Suffer! Poor Chief O'Brien, it seems that the universe has it out for him sometimes. Starting with his time on the Enterprise D to his tenure at Deep Space 9, luck has not been on his side. From being struck with an Aphasia Virus to losing his daughter in time, sit down with our trekspeers as we light... Panelists: Chris Swanson, Sure Leigh Kahn, Tyler Rising
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 124A

The Official Handbook to the AZ Universe: Arizona boasts a large and diverse comic-creating community. With all those creators creating unique and fun characters, where's a newcomer to start discovering them all? Why not use the THE OFFICIAL HANDBOOK TO THE AZ UNIVERSE book? Panelists: Alan Sparrow, Bryan Graham, Dennmann, Eric Mengel, Eric Schock, HL Martin, Joshua Green
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 129B

Once Upon a PokeDream: For many of us, Pokemon has been the foundation of childhood. Whether you're a new trainer, or a seasoned one, the spirit of Pokemon is the same. Come share your stories! Have any exciting run-ins with a shiny Pokemon? Perhaps you'd just like to share how the series has changed your life! ... Panelists: Arietis
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 159

Once Upon a Time: A discussion about the ABC show's take on classic fairy tales, the conspiracies, and much more! Panelists: Brenda Fuller, Dan Berman, Karla Orellana
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 125AB

One Man Star Wars Trilogy Friday: PAID EVENT One Man Star Wars Trilogy is an Off-Broadway play based on the original Star Wars trilogy, written and performed by Canadian actor Charles Ross? https://twitter.com/charlie__ross <http://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/One-Man-Star-Wars-Trilogy-Charlie-Ross/122299621167356> Panelists: Charlie Ross
When: Fri, 1:00-2:30PM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

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When: Sat, 1:00-2:30PM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

One Night Only: Rhythm & Blues Cosplay Mixer: Dress up in your favorite costume, or maybe a black fedora and sunglasses would be appropriate, for this cosplay mixer that will be rockin' to classic Soul, R&B, and Blues tunes provided by the Arizona Blues Company. Mingle with... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 7:00-9:00PM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

One Piece: All aboard for a screening of episodes from One Piece! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 1:00-4:00PM Sat, 4:00-7:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

One Piece Cafe: PAID EVENT Looking for a place to sit and relax well stop on by the One Piece cafe where you will be sure to have a good time. So please come enjoy the yummy snacks and chat with your favorite members of the straw hat crew. Panelists: One Piece Cafe
When: Fri, 12:00-1:30PM, 2:00-3:30PM, Fri, 4:00-5:30PM Where: Renaissance Salon 1-2

Open AV Checks for Panelists: This is an opportunity for any Phoenix Comicon Panelists to perform AV checks and ensure device comparability. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 4:30-7:00PM Where: North 122C

Origami for ages 5-197: Want to learn how to do the beautiful folded art of origami? In this hands on workshop you can make and take pieces from the simplest crane to the fanciest looking creations. Paper will be provided. Fun for everyone from novices to paper wizards. Panelists: Muffin (2 panelists)
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 150

Otaku Dance It! Like dancing to your favorite anime and J-pop songs? Wish you knew how to dance like a J-star? Dance otaku style along with us in this fun Renegade dance party! Panelists: The Renegades
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 222 AB

Ouran High School Host Club: Anime Screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 2:00-4:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Pacific Rim - 2,500 tons of Awesome: Giant Robots! Giants Monsters! Why Pacific Rim is literally the greatest sci-fi blockbuster to come out of the theaters in years. Panelists: Andi Mueller, Bob Nelson, Iria Sokoll
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 121BC

Panty & Stocking's Fan Service Pajama Party: This one aint for the young'ins! Themed on the anime of the same name come dance all night to the best electronic dance music in your coolest PJs. Try to win a prize for best Cosplay dancer, Compete for the Miss Fanservice 2014 title, check out the go-go dancers and enjoy one of our themed adu...

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Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 10:00PM-2:00AM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

Paranormal Investigation Techniques: What equipment is needed? How to set up audio and cameras for best coverage & angles? What to do during an investigation to minimize evidence corruption? Panelists: Angela Smith, Lori Marshall, The Arizona Paranormal Research Society (2 panelists)
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: South 167

Paranormal Video Evidence: The Arizona Paranormal Research Society (TAZPRS) will share clips of some of their most compelling video evidence captured during their investigations. Panelists: The Arizona Paranormal Research Society (2 panelists)
When: Thu, 8:00-9:00PM Where: South 167

Parasol Painting Make & Take Workshop: PAID EVENT Hand-paint your own paper parasol! Parasols, paints and brushes, glue & glitter will be provided. Freestyle Kit is \$25, or paint a traditional Kaylee Firefly parasol for only \$15. If you opt for a Kaylee Kit, I will supply the first stripe outline (in charcoal so it will wipe away easily)... Panelists: Rebecca Carter
When: Thu, 7:30-10:30PM Where: North 230

The Pastiche of Sherlock Holmes Part 1: History: You call it fan fiction. The technical term for it is Pastiche and no character has inspired more than Sherlock Holmes. Panelists: Dawn Opel, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 127AB

Pastiche Part 2: Best Practices in the Classroom: Pastiche (fan fiction) is a powerful way to capture students and get them writing. This facilitated discussion will explore how it is being used in classrooms across throughout Arizona and beyond. Panelists: Dawn Opel, DJ Graham, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 11:30AM-1:00PM Where: North 127AB

Pathfinding RPG's outside of Dungeons: A look at Indie Tabletop Gaming: This panel will focus on some of the most exciting tabletop roleplaying games in the burgeoning indie market. Indie RPG's have some of the most bleeding edge mechanics that we are starting to see come through to the mainstream rpgs. We'll look at 12 of the best games that present a uni... Panelists: Jim Miller, Richard Pace
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 124A

Paul and Storm Concert: Comedy music duo Paul and Storm host a night of fun, laughs and music with guests Patrick Rothfuss, John Scalzi, and other surprises. Panelists: John Scalzi, Patrick Rothfuss, Paul & Storm
When: Fri, 8:30-10:30PM Where: North Ballroom 120

PC Horror Gaming: Are you ready to turn off the lights and experience horror? Are you aching to watch other people jump out of their seat while playing horror games? Well then you've come to the right place. Come on down and experience indie horror games in our PC Horror Gaming panel. From

SCP: Containment Brea... Panelists: adrianna cota, Avy Bonfield, David Leal, Montana Graham
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30PM Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: South 166

Penguin Publishing Preview: Join representatives from Penguin Random House as they talk about the exciting new stuff coming up in the second half of 2014. Plus giveaways! Panelists: Alexis Nixon, Colleen Lindsay, Django Wexler
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 127AB

Peter Pan Pirate Pool Party: A Pool Party with a Peter Pan theme. Cool down in the pool overlooking the city or head over to the bar and grab a refreshing beverage. Dress in your best Neverland swimwear and enter the contest. You may even see a mermaid. Panelists: The Mermaid Sisters (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 2:00-4:00PM Where: Sheraton Pool

Phil Plait: Where Has Our Curiosity Taken Us?: We've been sending rovers to Mars to see what it's like and what it once was... and whether it could have ever supported life. In this talk, you'll find out just where our Curiosity has taken us. Panelists: Phil Plait
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 132

Phoenix Comicon Books and Authors Kickoff: Join us as we kick off the Books and Authors programming with Paul and Storm and some of this year's author guests. Panelists: Carrie Vaughn, John Scalzi, L.E. Modesitt Jr, Naomi Novik, Patrick Rothfuss, Paul & Storm, Pierce Brown, Scott Lynch
When: Thu, 7:00-8:00PM Where: North 127AB

Phoenix Comicon Car Show: If you're a fan of fusion-powered time machines, folding robots or retro creek-leaping muscle, jump on the opportunity to see some of your favorite tv and movie cars, along with some of the other righteous rides outside the Con. Where: 3rd street

Phoenix Comicon Education Kickoff: Join us as we kick off the 3rd year of educator professional development programming. Meet the presenters we like to call the League of Extraordinary Academics and meet other educators passionate about pop culture. Panelists: Dawn Opel, DJ Graham, Erik Francis, Jeff Barbanell, R. Bradley Snyder
When: Thu, 6:30-7:30PM Where: North 126A

Phoenix Comicon Film and Web Awards Ceremony: Join us for the presentation of the best of this year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival as well as the presentation of the winning entries in this year's Phoenix Comicon Film Challenge and Short Screenplay Competition Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 11:00-12:00PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Challenge: Join us as we screen this year's entries for the Phoenix Comicon Film Challenge!!! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 6:00-8:00PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy Block I: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the science-fiction genre Kick A** Cops (Ritter and Jacoby are back on the job as kick ass cops after losing their partner in a fierce gun battle. The two inept detectives are on the trail to find out who is killing coked-up

prostitutes i... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 4:00-6:00PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy Block III: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the comedy genre Moving Boxes (A man goes to extreme measures to capture the attention of the woman he loves as they pass each day in the elevator at work.) Betcha Berlinetta (Sergio bets big to get a date with Mema as she lays everythi... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 3:30-4:30PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy/Animation Block: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the animation/comedy genre No Strings Attached (A boy made of yarn learns the truth about himself) Dead Votes Society (After the zombie apocalypse, everyone's trying to get back to normal, even the zombies) Zero (After his plane... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Music Video Block: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the music video genre The Partying Glass (Music Video) Please Don't Tell Me (What I Did Last Night) (Music Video and fun romp based on a night of debauchery) In The End (Music video with a storyline of lost hope and a refoun... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 2:00-3:00PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Science Fiction Block III: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the science-fiction genre Phoenix Lights (Ten years after the mysterious "Phoenix Lights" incident, a group of young party-goers are visited by a surprise guest) The Inventor (A man struggles to deal with the ghosts of... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 1:00-2:00PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Winners Circle Block: Check out a replay of some of our winning entries in this year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival and Film Challenge Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 3:00-4:30PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Comedy Block II: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the comedy genre Confessions Of A Comic Book Nerd (In a time when loving comics is looked down upon, the 'comic nerd' stands up and voice their opinions on who the real nerds are. This documentary delves into the minds of comi... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar - Fan Films/Superheroes Block: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the fan films/superhero genre Girl Of Steel (A conceptual fan-film based on the DC Universe/ Comics heroine, Supergirl) Logan Must Make Star Wars (Thrown back to the year 1974, Logan accidentally kills George Lucas. Now, to ensure that t... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 5:00-6:30PM Where: North 227AB

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Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Festival Shorts Block: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the festival short genre Face Of Innocence (Jacob Szczypinski finds a piece of evidence that could bring down the serial kidnapper responsible for his sister's disappearance) Recursion (When an accident-prone best man loses the we... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Sun, 12:30-3:00PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Horror Block I: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the horror genre Case 1428 (Celebrating a beloved franchises 30th anniversary, an interrogation between an officer and a troubled teenager reveals a town's deep, dark secret.) Deep Sleep (James is on the brink, as for months his d... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Thu, 9:30-11:00PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Horror Block II: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the horror genre Break Down (Three college friends speed through the desert on their way to Las Vegas for a weekend of crazy fun. They are unexpectedly held back when they run into strange car trouble and their weekend turns into somethin... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Fri, 2:30-3:30PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Horror/Science Fiction Block: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the horror and science-fiction genre The Hoarder (A hoarder's addiction finally catches up with her when she purchases a lamp online that is said to behold the power of a demon.) Bright Eyes (The story of a woman who wakes up to s... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Science Fiction Block I: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the science-fiction genre The Way We Are (Two aliens visit earth to experience humanity) Indigo Child (Miranda deals with difficult childhood memories but ultimately finds peace in the one experience she had forgotten) The Within (The... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Thu, 8:30-9:30PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film Festival sponsored by Filmbar- Science Fiction Block II: This year's Phoenix Comicon Film Festival entries for the science-fiction genre Pressure (In an alternate future, a steam-powered San Francisco is controlled by corporate overlords enforcing strict compliance of its citizens. A father and daughter must work together to plan escape in their i... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Fri, 11:30AM-1:30PM Where: North 227AB

Phoenix Comicon Film School: Casting Actors: For some major productions, the process of selecting actors for sometimes hundreds of parts may often require specialized staff. While the last word remains with the people in charge, artistic and production, a casting director is in charge of most of the daily work involved in this process during... Panelists: Faith Hibbs-Clark When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 227C

Phoenix Comicon Film School: Costuming for Film/TV: Costuming for film and TV is different from Cosplay. Some things are easier, some are more difficult. Come and learn from one of Arizona's own who has worked on shows like Castle, Goldilocks, and more. Panelists: Nola Yergen When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 227C

Phoenix Comicon Film School: Financing and Fundraising: Learn the art of raising the capital yourself then you are in the drivers seat of your career. No more begging agents, managers and producers to give you the time of day. You can make your movie the way You want, on YOUR own terms. Panelists: Ted Chalmers When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 227C

Phoenix Comicon Film School: Making Documentaries: Do you want to tell a true story? Making a Documentary is about pouring over hundreds of hours of footage to find the details in a mountain of needles. Come learn about making your own Documentary. Panelists: Greg Nosek, Jim Poulin When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 227C

Phoenix Comicon Film School: Production Design: In film and television, a production designer or P.D is the person responsible for the overall look of a filmed event such as films, TV programs, video games, music videos or adverts. Production designers have one of the key creative roles in the creation of motion pictures and television. Worki... Panelists: Kim Bailey When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 227C

Phoenix Comicon Film School: Screenwriting: The script development process is not for the faint hearted because everyone will have an opinion on your work. You know how to write, but come learn about working with a producer and the process of finishing your script. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 227C

Phoenix Comicon Film School: Sound and Music: Music and sound are key to making a finished film. Learn from the experts on how to successfully mix your dialog, sound FX, and music to complete your film. Sound like a Pro! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 227C

Phoenix Comicon Maker Sharefest: The great thing about fandom is that you learn new things. Did you publish a comic or learn to sew to make a hall costume? Maybe you wrote a novel or made a steampunk invention. Did you make a thing? Share it! Panelists: Dawn Opel, DJ Graham, Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Fri, 6:00-8:30PM Where: North 126A

Phoenix Comicon Puppet Slam: What's a Puppet Slam? It's your ticket to an amazeballs time! (we can say amazeballs, yeah?) Join us for an evening of puppetry for adults at the Phoenix Comicon Puppet Slam, where you'll see quirky, edgy shows performed by quirky, edgy puppeteers. Hosted by comedian/songwrit... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Adam Beechen, Great Arizona Puppet Theatre (5 panelists), Gwen Bonar, Lisa Haslbauer, Mack Duncan When: Sat, 8:30-10:00PM Where: North 131

Phoenix Comicon Short Screenplay Competition Table Read: Join us as this year's Phoenix Comicon Short Screenplay Competition winning screenplay will be the focus of a table read with actors/actresses. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 225A

Phoenix Comicon's Fright House sponsored by Lady Luck Tattoo Phoenix: Why wait until October to visit a haunted house when you can visit Phoenix Comicon's Fright House in June? This year we will have our very own Haunted House. We've got some great surprises in store for you. Let's just say you will be besieged by a timey wimey mix of horrors that exist ... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff When: Thu, 6:30-11:00PM When: Fri, 10:30AM-1:30PM 2:30-6:30PM 7:30-11:30PM When: Sat, 10:30AM-1:30PM 2:30-6:30PM 7:30-11:30PM When: Sun, 10:30AM-2:30PM Where: South 162-163

Phoenix Public Library Presents: Jedi Reading Academy: Families who love reading, and a certain galaxy far, far away, are needed by the Phoenix Public Library to help defeat the Galactic Empire. Padawans from across the galaxy will complete their Jedi training by mastering the force through various quests and receive certification establishing them as... Panelists: Phoenix Public Library When: Fri, 1:00-3:00PM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

Phoenix Shooting Locations for Alfred Hitchcock's Psycho: Phoenix was the used extensively as a shooting location for Alfred Hitchcock's Psycho. John Eaves reveals the Phoenix landmarks that were used in filming this classic suspense film. Panelists: John Eaves When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 129A

The Phoenix Society of Historical Swordsmanship: The historical methods and anecdotes of swordsmanship. Panelists: Adam Simmons, Cameron Maurin, Christopher Nelson, John Patterson, Kyle Griswold, Lisa Poje, Randy Reyes, Richard Marsden, Shane Gibson When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124A

Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown: Witness sixteen geeks debate some of the most hysterical, absurd, or downright ridiculous topics from across the realms of geekery! Nothing is sacred from anime to slasher films in this titanic battle of wits, and only one can emerge supreme as the Ultimate Geek. Register online at <http://phoenixc...> Panelists: Andrea Beesley, Jeff Moriarty, Jonathan Simon When: Thu, 8:00-9:00PM Where: North 131

Phoenix Ultimate Geek Smackdown round 2: Witness sixteen geeks debate some of the most hysterical, absurd, or downright ridiculous topics from across the realms of geekery! Nothing is sacred from anime to slasher films in this titanic battle of wits, and only one can emerge supreme as the Ultimate Geek. Register online at <http://pho...> Panelists: Andrea Beesley, Jeff Moriarty, Jonathan Simon When: Fri, 8:30-9:30PM Where: North 131

Photo Capture Scavenger Hunt: Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to go where the

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clues lead, get there the fastest and have a lot of fun along the way. Take pics of the answers in teams of up to three for a chance at the top spot! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 11:00-12:00PM Sun, 11:00-12:00PM Where: 3rd Street

Pin-Up Hair and Makeup with Pearl Necklace:

Ever wonder how pin-up models do their hair & makeup? Wonder no longer! Pin-up model and Burlesque performer Pearl Necklace will show you the tricks of the trade, demonstrating both daytime and nighttime looks for ladies - and "how to"s on pomade for men! Panelists: Jessica Boisseau, Luis Holguin de la Cruz, Maura Jennison-Obenshain, Pearl Necklace
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 230

Pitching your Comic to Editors: Getting your comic published is made easier if you know how to pitch your concept to editors and publishers. Professionals on both sides of the pitch give tips on how to pitch your comic. Panelists: John Layman
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 128B

Podcasting for (and from) Dummies: Have you ever thought about creating your own podcast? Do you have a podcast already that you'd like to make the most of? This introduction to podcasting will help you with the skills needed to successfully create, market and distribute your unique content to maximum effect. Panelists: Eric Dewey, Matthew Renfro, Stephen Mooney
When: Sun, 12:00-1:30PM Where: North 227C

Podcasting with Modern Myth Media: Have you ever wanted to start your own podcast to legitimize your pop culture conversations? The panelists of the Modern Myth Media Podcast will show you how to get started. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 130

PodCRASH with That Chris Gore LIVE: Chris Gore (Attack of the Show, Geektime SiriusXM Howard 101) returns to Phoenix Comic Con to present an epic live version of his podcast along with special guest comedians Yoshi Obayashi (Comedy Central), Tommy Bechtold (The Middle, Glee), TJ Chambers and more. Panelists: Chris Gore, TJ CHAMBERS, Tommy Bechtold, YOSHI OBAYASHI
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: west 212

Pokemon Technical Institute: You think you've got what it takes to be a Pokemon master? Join us here at Pokemon Tech where we'll go through all regions to test your abilities as a Pokemon trainer. Will you pass, or flunk out? Join us to find out! Panelists: Arietis
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 159

Pokestar Squares: In the style of the classic Hollywood Squares, team up with your favorite Pokemon characters as you try to get three Unown in a row! But be Forewarned; they might not be willing to give you a Helping Hand. Panelists: Team Rocket AZ (6 panelists)
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 226 ABC

Pop Culture Astronomy: What do My Little Pony, X-Men, The Simpsons, Power Rangers, The Hunger Games, Star Wars, Transformers and Halo all have in common? Astronomy! Inflatable

planetarium shows run every 20 minutes starting at 12:00, but come at 11:45 to grab your free ticket. Panelists: Anne Stewart, Jason Ard, Lauren Ard, Mahonri Stewart
When: Fri, 12:00-2:00PM Where: North 225B

Pop Goes the ClassWhere: How to Effectively Integrate Pop Culture Into Your Classroom:

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Panelists: DJ Graham, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 126A

Posing for the Camera presented by Ivy Doomkitty: Are you afraid to get in front of the camera, or don't know where to begin? Join Ivy Doomkitty in this discussion on how to model/pose for the camera, work with your photographer, and embody the character in your images to achieve the best images possible. There will be a mini shoot demo on st... Panelists: Ivy Doomkitty
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 231BC

Predator Themed Wedding: This year Phoenix Comicon will be hosting it's first wedding. Kurt Colin and Caitlin Fluck will be tying the knot and exchanging trophies in a Predator themed wedding. Kurt started out attending PCC as a vendor in 2008. In 2011 he moved on to costuming and in 2012 began present... Panelists: Cheyenne Webb, Destanie, Jennifer Phillips, Jimmy Nelson, Kurt Colin, Neal, Predator Wedding (4 panelists), The Desert Destroyers Clan
When: Sat, 7:00-9:00PM Where: North 229AB

Predator Themed Wedding seating starts: Doors open for the Predator themed wedding
Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 229AB

Prepare for the Zombie Apocalypse with DOZD: Don't be a victim. Learn how to prepare for the upcoming zombie apocalypse from the experts. The Department of Zombie Defense (DOZD) will share how to plan and survive. Panelists: Department of Zombie Defense (2 panelists)
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 167

Princess, Prostitute, Priestess, Pirate: Women of A Game of Thrones: Exploring the female roles in Martin's (ever-expanding) cast of characters, as well as how he successfully creates realistic women (where other authors fail). Panelists: Angelina Rising, Ashleigh Feiring Feiring, Blythe Feiring, Christy Holloway, Jen Senft, Tanya Gouchenour
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 125AB

Princesses and their Nations: Q&A: Ever wonder what Germany thinks of Snow White or vice versa? Or what's going on in the relationship between Anastasia and Russia? Maybe you're wondering if Mulan and China train together? Well it's a Disney Princess and Hetalia Q&A panel! Panelists: ADHD cosplay
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 159

Producing Independent Film in Arizona: Discussing the challenges of producing film in Arizona and examining the filmmaking process from financing to casting to post-production. Panelists: Adam Montierth, Brian Pulido, Bruce Dellis, Craig McMahon, Donovan Montierth, Kerry Bellessa, Nick Stahr

When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 225A

Promstuck: Social of the Sweep!: Ever want to learn the Salsa from Seadwellers or dating tips from Dave? Here's your chance! The trolls and kids dress to impress as they answer specific questions about the upcoming Promstuck event! Panelists: AZ Promstuck (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 226 ABC

Prop Building Using 3D Printing Techniques: Come learn the basics of 3D modeling and printing along with some methods of prep, painting, and assembly of printed props. Printing 3D props and prop components lets you skip the difficult and time-consuming steps involved in cutting and shaping pieces from hand. Not that 3D printing is always ... Panelists: Cory E. Alexander, Moheeb Zara
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 232A

Pseudoscience: Splitting Fact from Fiction: What does it take to make a study "scientific"? Fancy equipment? A PhD? It's not as hard as you think! Learn how science works and why some things just aren't scientific! Panelists: Bradley Lusk, Brian Johnson, Craig Hardgrove, Dante Laurretta, Rebekah Brubaker, Sara Walker
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 124A

Puella Magi Madoka Magica: Make a contract with the Mahou Shoujo Defense Force and discover the secrets behind one of the most revolutionary Magical Girl series in recent memory. Panelists: The Mahou Shoujo Defense Force (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 222C

Putting the Science in Science Fiction: Science guest Phil Plait and science fiction writers talk about keeping the science real, or appearing real, in science fiction. Panelists: John Scalzi, L.E. Modesitt Jr, Phil Plait, Ty Franck
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

The Question, Constable, isn't Where...But When!: This popular British Science Fiction series has stirred the imagination of both the young, old and imaginative. Join us as we look back and explore the Inspector Spacetime Universe (not to be confused with that lesser known imitator - doctor something) Panelists: David Richins, Owen Stupka, Raymond Wolfe
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 124A

Quick corset: draft and create a custom corset in as little as a day.: This panel will show you how to draft and create your own custom corset in about a day. We will also go over a brief history of the corset, the wearing of corsets and how to make your "cheap" corset fit right. Panelists: Kelley Lester
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 231BC

Quidditch!: Calling all Witches and Wizards! Come watch the Sun Devil Quidditch team and all the chasers, beaters, keepers, and seekers in the exhibition game. Afterwards, they will answer all of your questions about how you too can play! www.asuquidditch.com Panelists: ASU Sun Devil Quidditch (28 panelists), Brianna Bailey
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 155-158

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R2D2 - The Droid Who Knew Everything!:

This little droid is the fan favorite but why is he so valuable to the Star Wars characters? Get to know R2 better and the fascinating history of this character from before the movies to well after. Panelists: Brian Helm, Dianne Althouse, John Zwieg, Michael Dohrmann
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 124B

Rage Quitters Anonymous: Too many broken controllers, keyboards through their monitors, and pulsating veins on the forehead? You may have a Rage Quitting problem! Come join Midnight Channel and share your best rage quitting stories for great prizes! Panelists: Arizona Midnight Channel (5 panelists)
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 222C

Raving is Fun: Learn everything you need to know to get started raving. We'll talk about everything from what to wear, music, dancing, and more! The Renegades will show you how to make the most of your rave experience. You don't want to miss this panel! Panelists: The Renegades
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 222 AB

Real Heroes: A comedy about B-string superheroes who go on a reality show. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 7:00-8:30PM Where: North 227AB

The Really Epic Epic Fantasy Panel: Join several of our author guests as they discuss what makes an epic fantasy really epic. Panelists: Elizabeth Bear, L.E. Modesitt Jr, Melanie Rawn, Patrick Rothfuss, Sam Sykes, Scott Lynch
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 132

Rebel Legion: Building a Better Rebel: What actually goes into building a Rebel costume from the Star Wars universe? Fabrics; patterns; found items vs. built items; pre-made costumes (i.e. Rubies) vs. making your own. What kind of help can we expect from Arizona's Mos Eisley Base or the full Rebel Legion? A Show and Tell, Q... Panelists: Mos Eisley Base: Rebel Legion
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 231BC

The Rebels: Freedom Fighters or Terrorists? : The Galactic Empire was the legally established governing body of the universe. All until a bunch of terrorists started making guerilla warfare tactics to further their own political agenda. Panelists: Jordan Lyndell-Lees, Trevor Campbell
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 124B

Recent Anime from Japan: With the Winter season completed, and Spring season wrapping up, come join the MSDF (Mahou Shoujo Defense Force) as we discuss the most recent anime from the Land of the Rising Sun. Panelists: The Mahou Shoujo Defense Force (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 222C

The Red Cross Pillowcase Project: The Red Cross Pillowcase Project shows kids about common hazards and protective actions they can take. Thanks to a partnership with the Walt Disney Company, kids get a free Disney pillowcase with markers to decorate it, and a preparedness workbook. Panelists: The American Red Cross (3 panelists)

When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Resurrecting the Dead - Remaking the Films of George A. Romero: Critically acclaimed author & TV host Craig W. Chenery will provide an in depth look at the various remakes and unofficial sequels of George A Romero's original zombie trilogy - Night, Dawn & Day of the Dead. Visit: www.craigwchenery.com Panelists: Craig Chenery
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 166

Return to the Awesomely Awful '80s: What's your guilty pleasure from the world of the 1980s? Back by popular demand after last year's Comicon, your panelists will present video clips from awesomely awful TV series, films and animated shows, then discuss why we love them anyway. Panelists: Hal C F Astell, Jim Miller, Michael Flanders, Zombie Mommie
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 131

Richard Dean Anderson Spotlight: Please welcome Richard Dean Anderson best known as MacGyver and as Colonel Jack O'neil on Stargate SG-1 Panelists: Richard Dean Anderson
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North Ballroom 120

The Roast: Goku: Come join The Renegades as they roast one of the most beloved characters in anime! They've roasted Naruto, Major Kusanagi and now GOKU! That's right the super saiyan himself gets his turn in the hot seat! This is an 18+ event. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: The Renegades
When: Fri, 6:30-8:30PM Where: North 221

Robot Basketball: Ever wanted to build a robot? Imagine if you could while being a high school student! Anyone at any age can get involved with robotic building and competition. Join Westwood Robotics for a focused discussion and demonstration on Aerial Assist. Panelists: Westwood Robotics (11 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 159

Robotics Competition Demo: FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC) team participants will showcase their robotics competition machine and touch on the skills and concepts learned while working on these innovative projects. Panelists: FIRST Robotics
When: Sat, 10:00-10:30AM Where: 3rd Street

Rocky Horror Show: Broadway Bound and Gagged presents the history of the original Midnight Cult movie and how it has shaped pop culture. See the mainstream movie musical, and the rise and current status of the longest continually shown movie in cinema history. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:00PM-12:00AM Where: Renaissance Salon 5-8

Roleplaying Workshop: Need to brush up on your writing skills? Want to get into roleplaying with other people? With this hands-on roleplaying workshop, we'll help you develop the skills you need to be the best roleplayer you can be! Panelists: Anni-chan (2 panelists)
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 223

Roleplaying: From Canon to OCs: Interested in roleplaying? Whether it be around a table or

on a blog, come learn about roleplaying canon characters and OCs, character development, roleplaying communities and interacting with other roleplayers. Panelists: Anni-chan (2 panelists)
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 223

Room "Hates": What happens when you take a comic book fan, a gamer, an anime fan and have them live in the same apartment? They make a panel to discuss different fandoms clashing in daily life! Panelists: Key Runners (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 222 AB

RUR: Genesis: R.U.R. depicts a world populated by genetically engineered workers ("artificials") - perfect, made-to-order people who lack fundamental rights. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 227AB

S&M Comedy presents...This Day In History!: Every day, history is made - whether it's the Rum Rebellion on January 26th, the birth of Nendor Fodor on May 13th, or the death of J.R.R. Tolkien on September 2nd, history happens every day. And every day, comedians are painstakingly combing the headlines for new joke fodder. With "Th... Panelists: Anthony Desamito, Charlie Spies, Genevieve Rice, Jamie Sanderson, Jeff Turbitt, Justin Phillips, Matt Storrs, Robert Maxwell, Steve Mandel, Steve Marek
When: Sun, 2:00-3:00PM Where: North 227C

Sailor Moon Music Videos: Are you a Sailor Moon fan and enjoy homemade music videos? Then this is the panel for you! Come join your fellow Sailor Moon fans and enjoy some music and laughs! Panelists: Knights of the Moon (3 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 222 AB

Sandworms the Size of WHAT?! Sandworms! A concept that has run through Sci-Fi for decades. Join us as we explore its place in Sci-Fi as well as go through various safety & survival tips on how to deal with them in case you ever come face to face with one! Panelists: Anthony Fuentes, Cheryk Manning
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 124B

SCA 101 (Society for Creative Anachronism): People in the SCA wear garb from early period (450 CE) to Elizabethan (1600). Most focus on Europe, but there is also interest in Middle Eastern and Asian garb as well. We wear our garb while at all of our events; camping, fighting, cooking, shooting archery, doing crafts, sitting around campfires,... Panelists: Andrew Hoeffler, Laura Hopf, Leslie Vaughn, Patricia Collum, Ritchyrd Handley, Sandra McDaniel
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Room Where: North 231A

Scare-Izona: A Travel Guide to Arizona's Spookiest Spots: Arizona has a history of shootouts and debauchery, effects are still felt in old buildings by way of spookies and things that go bump in the night. Investigators Katie Mullaly and Patrick Ohlde will describe methods and reveal their experiences! Panelists: J Patrick Ohlde, Kathleen Mullaly
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 167

Sci-fi Cosplay and Pinups Shoots: John

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Eaves discusses Sci-Fi Cosplay and Pinup Shoots.
Panelists: John Eaves
When: Thu, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 129A

Sci-Fi Speed Dating (LGBT): PAID EVENT Ladies and Gentleman! Are you single? Are you over 18? Are you tired of looking for love in Alderaan places? Are you ready to Terminate your single life? If so, check out Sci-Fi Speed Dating! The best in the business is coming here to Phoenix Comic Con! ... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Sci-Fi Speed Dating
When: Sat, 4:30–6:30PM Where: Sheraton-Ahwatukee

Sci-Fi Speed Dating Friday: PAID EVENT Ladies and Gentleman! Are you single? Are you over 18? Are you tired of looking for love in Alderaan places? Are you ready to Terminate your single life? If so, check out Sci-Fi Speed Dating! The best in the business is coming here to Phoenix Comic Con! ... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Sci-Fi Speed Dating
When: Fri, 4:30–6:30PM Fri, 7:30–9:30PM Where: Sheraton-Ahwatukee

Sci-Fi Speed Dating Saturday: PAID EVENT Ladies and Gentleman! Are you single? Are you over 18? Are you tired of looking for love in Alderaan places? Are you ready to Terminate your single life? If so, check out Sci-Fi Speed Dating! The best in the business is coming here to Phoenix Comic Con! ... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Sci-Fi Speed Dating
When: Sat, 1:30–3:30PM Sat, 7:30–9:30PM Where: Sheraton-Ahwatukee

Sci-Fi Speed Dating Sunday: PAID EVENT Ladies and Gentleman! Are you single? Are you over 18? Are you tired of looking for love in Alderaan places? Are you ready to Terminate your single life? If so, check out Sci-Fi Speed Dating! The best in the business is coming here to Phoenix Comic Con! ... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Sci-Fi Speed Dating
When: Sun, 10:30AM–12:30PM Sun, 1:30–3:30PM Where: Sheraton-Ahwatukee

Science Fiction and Fantasy Poets: Join our panel of science fiction and fantasy poets for some samples of their poetry and discussion of the craft. Panelists: Beth Cato, Catherynne Valente, David Lee Summers, Larry Hammer, Michael Damian Thomas
When: Sat, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 127C

The Science of Drinking Presents: The Miracle Mile: Episode III: The Return of Science & Sorcery! Join the Science of Drinking as they bring another mix of libation from your favorite Sci-Fi, Fantasy and Horror genres! Grab your sword & shot glass and Hail to the King baby! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Anthony Fuentes, Brad Walling
When: Fri, 7:30–8:30PM Where: North 122AB

Scientist - Creator Mixer: Are you a writer, artist, or game designer looking for a science consultant or someone to help make the science in your work better? Are you a creative scientist looking for creative opportunities? Join an informal mixer and connect!
When: Fri, 8:00–10:00PM Where: Hyatt Sundance

SCORE! The Movie Soundtrack Panel: Attention movie score lovers—this is your panel! This interactive, engaging discussion will hit all your favorite film scores – from Sci-Fi to Fantasy to Superheroes! We'll cover the greats, the up-and-comers – and the scores you can't wait to hear. Panelists: Kevin Monelli, Michael Vargas, Ray Worley, Scott Appel
When: Sat, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 122AB

Search for Extraterrestrial Intelligence: What do we think alien life will be like? How do we look for it? And what do we think we'll find? Panelists: Daniel Jacobs, Dante Lauretta, Karen Knierman, Natalie Hinkel, Patrick Young
When: Sat, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 122C

Second Star: Kozak Komiks talks Second Star: An action/adventure tale where Peter Pan his mercenary Lost Boys take on Captain Hook and his Pirate Empire in the gritty, explosive world of Neverland. Panelists: Alec Kozak
When: Thu, 6:00–7:00PM Where: North 129B

The Secret Lives of Debut Authors: Join some new authors as they talk about what it's really like to be a debut author and the release of the first book. Panelists: Amy K. Nichols, Austin Aslan, Beth Cato, Jamie Wyman, Shonna Slayton
When: Fri, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 127C

Selling your soul to the Devil (HOLLYWOOD) - Dawn Ritz w/ guest Producer Danny Costanzo: How to make it in Hollywood without selling your soul to the devil. Dawn will offer an inside look into the business of costume design and how to become successful without compromising your artistic integrity. Before the magic begins, the contracts need to be signed. Don't sell your craft short... Panelists: Dawn Ritz
When: Sun, 12:00–1:00PM Where: North 232A

Serenity, We're still Flying!: Firefly has found new life in the form of comic books. Is it the same experience we fell in love with? Come discuss the comics that have taken this tale further. The good, the bad and the influence of Joss! Warning: spoilers!! Panelists: Angela Kabasan, Megan Mayer
When: Fri, 6:00–7:00PM Where: North 124B

Setting and Place in Urban Fantasy: Several of our Urban Fantasy authors discuss how settings influences and drives their work. Panelists: Carrie Vaughn, Greg van Eekhout, Heather Brewer, Jim Butcher, Vicki Pettersson, Joseph Nasisse
When: Sat, 4:30–5:30PM Where: west 212

Sew ...You Want To Join The Empire?: Check out the "softer" side of Imperial costuming: discuss what the baddies wear besides armor. From Fett's battle-worn flight suit to the imposing cowl of the Emperor to the sandblasted Tusken wrappings, learn about sewing yourself to the Dark Side. Panelists: Dune Sea Garrison 501st Legion
When: Sat, 6:00–7:00PM Where: North 231BC

Sexuality in The Star Trek Universe: A candid look at the sexual explorations of 24th century. (18+) Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Angelina Rising, James Laird, Joshua Silverman, Neil Picard, Nicholas Grover
When: Sat, 9:00–10:00PM Where: North 124A

SF Squeecast Panel: Join the SF Squeecast and their special guest for an hour of fannish squeec and delight over the latest cool stuff in Science Fiction and Fantasy. Panelists: Catherynne Valente, Charlaime Harris, Elizabeth Bear, Lynne M. Thomas, Michael Damian Thomas, Seanan McGuire/Mira Grant
When: Sat, 1:30–2:30PM Where: west 212

Sgt. Frog: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM–1:00PM Sat, 10:30AM–1:00PM Sun, 10:30AM–1:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

Sherlock Social Media Scavenger Hunt: A picture scavenger hunt using your mobile device and Twitter. Choose your team of 4, charge up your phone and show up for a wild scavenger hunt though the 'con that will take all your deducting skills to finish. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 2:00–4:00PM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

Shooting Death: What if one evening, you accidentally videotape a horrific event...a murder? What if the only person who believes you happens to be the killer? Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 4:30–6:00PM Where: North 227AB

The Show Runners of Supernatural: Kripke, Gamble, Carver: each show runner has brought a different theme and vibe to Supernatural. Did you like the tough, family struggles and horror of Kripke? The complicated relationships of Gamble? Or the whimsical plot lines of Carver? Come break down each show runner with this panel! Panelists: Crystel Snyder, Michael Flanders
When: Thu, 9:00–10:00PM Where: North 124A

Side-Kick Training with East Valley Krav Maga: All heroes must have a trusty side-kick! Come learn some key self-defense techniques. Use your instincts, voice, surroundings, and maybe your parents! Nationally certified youth self-defense instructors will get you moving like a true superhero! Panelists: East Valley Krav Maga
When: Sat, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: South 155-158

Significance of Openings and Endings: How many times have you skipped an anime opening or ending because it was boring or held little importance? Come join Dowase Entertainment as we discover the deeper meaning behind these 1:30 clips. Panelists: Dowase Entertainment (4 panelists)
When: Fri, 4:30–5:30PM Where: North 222 AB

Silhouettes of History, A Historical Fashion Showcase: Historical inspirations for the costuming in such shows as The Tudors, The Borgias and Rome! Local re-enactors will present historically accurate costumes from all parts of history, from the Romans to the Renaissance. You can vote for your favorite costume and check them out up close! If y... Panelists: Fashion Show Models
When: Sun, 1:30–3:30PM Where: North 229AB

Sketch Card Artists: Come meet the most active Sketch Card artists in the industry. Panelists: Benjamin Glendenning, Dave Beaty, Jason Pedersen
When: Fri, 10:30AM–11:30AM Where: North 130

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Skynet vs. Zombies: Choose an Apocalypse. With Google creating automated cars and drugged up Spice real life Zombies, we are slowly edging toward one apocalypse. Come be part of the discussion of who would win. Panelists: Raven Gregory
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 132

Sleepworking: "Give us your body, we'll give you back control" Must be 18+ to attend!
Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 9:00-9:30PM Where: North 227AB

So They Say You Shouldn't Cosplay presented by Ivy Doomkitty: Come and listen in on a panel led by Ivy Doomkitty, covering topics such as body image, skin color, age, and more. We will discuss how to push past boundaries that others try to place against you. After all, cosplay is for everyone. It is not limited to one demographic. Q&A to follow Panelists: Ivy Doomkitty
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 231BC

So You Want to be a Jedi?: Who better to explain the ways of the Force than a Jedi Master? Come join us as we have a member of the Jedi Order explain the meanings and philosophies behind the Force and how its place in the universe. Panelists: Brian Helm, Dianne Althouse, Gina Neely, Michael Dohrmann, Michael Whyman
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 124B

So You Want to be a Sith Apprentice?: Remember the Dating Game of the 1960s fame? Join us as we match our eligible Sith Lords to worthy apprentices! See Dark Side Dreams come true as Sith Lords question a would-be apprentice & demonstrate their skills live before a CAPTIVE audience! Panelists: Art Lee, Christopher De Herrera, Kirk Kading, Todd Filek
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 131

So You Want to Own a Comic Book Store?: Have you ever wanted to own your own comic book store? Come hear some of the most experienced comic book shop owners talk about the experiences and challenges of owning a comic book store in Arizona. Panelists: cory bushnell, Jesse James, Ken Brown
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 129A

Social Media and The Comic Book Industry: Comic book professionals talk about getting the word out via social media and the pitfalls that accompany it. Panelists: Jesse James, Radi Lewis
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 130

Society for Creative Anachronism Fighting Demo: Observe un-scripted/un-choreographed medieval armored, rapier and youth combat, as well as a verbal display of SCA target and combat archery, as our armored fighters bludgeon each other and our warriors show the skill and finesse of civil combat. Panelists: Arizona Chapter of the Society for Creative Anachronism
When: Thu, 5:00-6:00PM
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When: Sun, 10:00-11:00AM, 2:00-3:00PM
Where: 3rd Street

Solar System Pioneers: How will we colonize the solar system? Learn about recent advances in rocketry and space stations. Also, learn about the future of asteroid mining and what it would take to terraform a planet. Panelists: Craig Hardgrove, Henry Vanderbilt, Kennda Lynch "Colorado School of Mines, Natalie Hinkel, Pamela Gay, Viranga Perera
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 122C

Sonic Ether's Unbelievable Minecraft Panel: This panel will touch on the history of Minecraft, a description and showcase of my Minecraft mod, things you may not know about Minecraft, the technical aspects of Minecraft and my mod, and will conclude with a Q and A. Panelists: Cody Darr
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 150

Sonny Strait and Dragon Ball Z: Most recognized as the voice of Krillin on the wildly popular, animated TV show Dragonball Z and as an illustrator for, arguably, the most famous, independently published comic book seriesElfquest. Sonny Strait has over 20 years of experience in the arts. Panelists: Sonny Strait
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 221

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When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 221

Soul Eater Q&A: Ever wanted to know what souls taste like? Or maybe what Maka's favorite book is? Well we have good news for you! The top Meisters and Weapons of the DWMA have come all the way from Death City to answer your questions! Panelists: Arizona Soul Eater Cosplay (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 226 ABC

Soul Eater Q&A Part 2: In case you missed us the first time, or thought of a new question since we've been gone, the Soul Eater gang is back and ready for round 2 of your long awaited questions! Panelists: Arizona Soul Eater Cosplay (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 3:00-5:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

Special Effects Makeup and Prosthetics: This panel is an overview and demonstration on how to create and apply practical special effects makeup and appliances. Sculpting and casting techniques will be discussed and demonstrated followed by a Q & A session. Panelists: Robert Siracusa
When: Fri, 5:00-6:30PM Where: North 225A

Speculative Fiction Editing: Join several editors from major publishers for a discussion of what they really do all day. Panelists: Anne Groell, Anne Sowards, Beth Meacham, Lee Harris, Lynne M. Thomas
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 128A

Spencer Brinkerhoff Art Demonstration: Artist Spencer Brinkerhoff III will be teaching how to draw some of his favorite Star Wars characters with a special drawing coin that he's created. If you can trace a coin, then you've already accomplished step one! Panelists: Spencer Brinkerhoff
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

Spirits of the Force Trilogy: SPECIAL 10-YEAR ANNIVERSARY SCREENING!!! Join us for a special screening of this critically-acclaimed Star Wars fan film trilogy Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 3:00-4:30PM Where: North 227AB

Spirits of the Force: 10-Year Reunion: The Arizona-based Star Wars fan film, "Spirits of the Force", had thousands of downloads when it hit the internet back in 2004! The film would soon have its big-screen debut at Phoenix Comicon 2005! 10 years after its release and a full trilogy later, the original cast reunites to discuss... Panelists: Brenda Cranson, Hal Semmens, Jessica Chup, Joel Cranson, Kevin Herrmann, Nathan Blaine, Webb Pickersgill
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 225A

Spirituality in Comics: Spirituality and religious imagery appears in comics in subtle and not so subtle way. Panelists discuss spirituality in mainstream comics like the X-men and Daredevil to independent comics. Panelists: Charles Sellner, Chris Claremont, Dave Beaty
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 129A

Spoof & Cinema Mash Up: CLONE WARS!: Spoof & Cinema like you've never seen it! This will feature no holds barred comedy as the hilarious cast of NCT creates new dialogue & sound FX LIVE in front of your very eyes! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Andi Oliver, Andrew Melnik, Anthony Thornton, Becca Thornton, Francis Zagarrigo, Krissy Lenz, Paul Broccolo
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 124B

Spoof & Cinema Mash Up: DROIDS!: Join the NCT as they tackle the weird stories of R2D2 & C3PO in their animated cartoon. Weird humor & new dialogue provided! Panelists: Andrew Melnik, Anthony Thornton, Becca Thornton, Ellen Loperocio, Jordan Collier, Krissy Lenz, Paul Broccolo
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 124B

Spoof & Cinema Mash Up: EWOKS!: Join the NCT as they add their own mixture of humor to bad plots, cheesey acting and crude SFX to Star Wars Universe's Ewoks! Panelists: Andrew Melnik, Anthony Thornton, Becca Thornton, Ellen Loperocio, Jordan Collier, Krissy Lenz, Paul Broccolo
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124B

Spoof & Cinema Mashup: Star Trek: The Animated Series!: It's Star Trek: the Animated Series like you've never seen it before, because

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the hilarious cast of National Comedy Theatre is taking out all the sound and replacing it with new, hilarious dialogue, sound effects and more. Panelists: Andrew Melnik, Anthony Thornton, Bob Caplan, Krissy Lenz, Paul Broccolo
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 124A

Spoof N Cinema: Doctor Who: The Spoof N Cinema crew from National Comedy Theatre have hijacked Dr Who! Complete with all new, hilarious dialogue, plot, sound effects and more! Prizes & Trivia following the episode provided by Bookmans Entertainment Exchange and National Comedy Theatre! Panelists: Andrew Melnik, Bob Caplan, Francis Zagarrigo, Jordan Collier, Krissy Lenz, Paul Broccolo
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 121BC

Spotlight on Carrie Vaughn: Join Carrie Vaughn as she talks about her new and upcoming books and answers fans' questions. Panelists: Carrie Vaughn
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 126BC

Spotlight on Charlaire Harris: Join Charlaire Harris to talk about the end of Sookie Stackhouse, her new book Midnight Crossroad and other upcoming projects, and answers fans' questions. Panelists: Charlaire Harris
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Spotlight on James S. A. Corey, the creator of The Expanse: A spotlight on James S. A. Corey and his friends Daniel Abraham, Ty Franck, and M.L.N. Hanover. Five authors, 2 panelists, no waiting. Panelists: Daniel Abraham, Ty Franck
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 126BC

Spotlight on Jim Butcher: Join Jim Butcher as he talks about the new Dresden Files book, Skin Game, upcoming projects, and answers fans' questions. Panelists: Jim Butcher
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Spotlight on John Scalzi: Join author John Scalzi to talk about the upcoming novel Lock In, other upcoming projects, and answers fans' questions. Panelists: John Scalzi
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 127AB

Spotlight on L.E. Modesitt, Jr.: Join L.E. Modesitt, Jr. as he talks about the newest novel in the Recluce series, Heirs of Cyador, upcoming projects, and answers fans' questions. Panelists: L.E. Modesitt Jr
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 128A

Spotlight on Laini Taylor: Join Laini Taylor as she talks about wrapping up The Daughter of Smoke and Bone Trilogy, upcoming projects, and answers fans' questions. Panelists: Laini Taylor
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 132

Spotlight on Naomi Novik: Join Naomi Novik as she talks about her latest Temeraire novel, upcoming projects, and answers fans' questions. Panelists: Naomi Novik
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 132

Spotlight on Patrick Rothfuss: Join Patrick Rothfuss as he talks about The Kingkiller Chronicles, anything that takes his fancy, and answers your questions. Panelists: Patrick

Rothfuss
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Spotlight: Chris Claremont: Spend some time hearing Chris Claremont talk about his 17 year run on the X-Men, his creator owned works like Sovereign 7 as well as the prose novels he has written. This is sure to be a special event with this multi award winning writer. Panelists: Chris Claremont
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 129A

Spotlight: Fred Van Lente: With work ranging from semi-educational funnies to superhero reboots, Fred Van Lente is regarded as one of the most unique voices in comics. Join us for a look back at his career so far, as well as a glimpse into what's next for comics' rising star. Panelists: Fred Van Lente
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 128B

Spotlight: James O'Barr: James O' Barr talks about his critically acclaimed comic The Crow. This year also celebrates the 20th anniversary of the movies based on Mr. O' Barr's work. Panelists: James O'Barr
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 129A

Spotlight: Mark Evanier: Mark Evanier has had a long career in comic books, cartoons and television. He is well known as a comic book biographer, columnist and historian. Celebrate Mark's career with this hour long discussion. Panelists: Mark Evanier
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 129A

SQUEEFEST 2014: 6-packs, guns and tight buns: Join Educating [Geeks] in an interactive discussion of the hottest hotty mchottertons found in sci-fi/fantasy film & television today. We will share, discuss & squee over their favorite hotties. If you are an admirer of the male physique, join in and vote on who will be the THE hottest hott... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Alice Baker, ANDREA COFFMAN, Bri Valdivia, Cassandra Nicholson, Megan Calcote, Sara Santiago
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 125AB

Stan Lee Spotlight: Stan Lee is truly Marvel's golden goose. He is the individual who brought us Spiderman, the Hulk, the Fantastic Four, Iron Man, Thor, the X-Men and more. In recent years, he has even had an aspiring movie career nearly all of the Marvel films. Panelists: Stan Lee
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North Ballroom 120

Star Trek 101: The History of the Future: New to Star Trek? Don't know the difference between a Klingon and a Ferengi? Join us as our panelists provide an introductory look at one of the most enduring science fiction franchises on television! Panelists: David Williams, Jeff Taylor, Kimberly Smith, Vinny Alascia
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 124A

Star Trek Continues: Episode 2 Screening: Join Larry Nemecek (Dr. McCoy) and Todd Haberkorn (Mr. Spock) as we screen the latest episode of Star Trek Continues, "Lolani", and host a Q and A with stars of the popular Star

Trek fan series. Panelists: Larry Nemecek, Todd Haberkorn
When: Sun, 1:30-3:30PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Star Trek Costuming 101- The Federation & Beyond: The Federation and beyond. The uniforms and civilian wear from TOS (The Original Series) to the Abrams-verse. How does/did the fashions of the time influence the fashions of the Federation. Panelists: David Williams, Heather Grant, Joe Grant, Luis Torres
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 231A

Star Trek Costuming 201 - How to be more than "Just" Human: Simple ways to use make-up to transform yourself into your favorite alien. Includes discussion of various makeups and things to be aware of as you use them. Panelists: George Richardson, Heather Grant, Joe Grant, Luis Torres
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 232A

Star Trek Costuming 202 - Application Day: How to apply your make-up and/or prosthetic so that it looks real (or as real as possible), doesn't fall off in the middle of a photo session, etc. Blending, shading, & basics on using prosthetics and hair to give your alien a more realistic touch. Panelists: Heather Grant, Joe Grant, Luis Torres
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 232A

Star Trek Ongoing: Continuing Comic Book Adventures in the JJ Abrams Universe: Before and in-between the JJ Abrams Star Trek movies, a comic book series has been telling additional tales of Captain Kirk and his crew. Join us as we review these comic book adventures, which revisit some TOS stories and set the stage for the next chapter in the new Star Trek saga. Panelists: David Williams, Ted House
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 122AB

Star Trek Online: The MMORPG: Ever wanted to command a starship or lead an away team? While we can't explore strange new worlds in real life yet, Star Trek: Online lets us do the next best thing. Join us as we introduce you to STO, and explore its digital frontiers! Panelists: Jeff Taylor, Luis Torres, Mark Restucci
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 122C

Star Trek: Fandom in the Desert: Always wanted to meet up with fellow Trekkies in the Valley of the Sun, but didn't know where to start? Step right up as we join several of the Star Trek fan groups in Arizona to talk about celebrating our favorite Sci-Fi show! Panelists: Dakota Ballejos, David Williams, George Richardson, Kimberly Smith, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 125AB

Star Wars - It's Not Just for Boys!: Everyone knows Padme and Leia - but there are other female characters with conviction & strength to put the men in their place! Join us as we break down such epic female characters like Mara Jade, Tahira Vela, Jaina Solo, Mon Mothma and others! Panelists: Amber Hunt, Angela Mercado, Angie Rivera, Cindy Laing, Dianne Althouse
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124B

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Star Wars Legends (Previously Known as The Expanded Universe): Join authors Michael A. Stackpole and James S. A. Corey (Daniel Abraham/Ty Franck) for a look at their Star Wars novels and to hear their thoughts about the new Star Wars Legends label and the Expanded Universe. Panelists: Daniel Abraham, Michael A. Stackpole, Ty Franck
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 127AB

Star Wars v. Star Trek III - The FINAL SHOWDOWN: This is the FINAL debate to see which is the ULTIMATE SPACE SAGA! . Star Wars and Star Trek fans debate against each other to finally decide who is #1. 2012 Saw a Star Wars Victory. 2013 was the Year of the Trek. Come support your side for 2014! Panelists: Christopher De Herrera, Dustin Diehl, Trevor Campbell
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 131

Star Wars, Star Trek, & The Terminator All Had It-What Is It?: Whether it's the motivating factor for your hero's journey or a distraction to take them off course, our panelists discuss how best to make romance work in your genre fiction. Panelists: Delilah S. Dawson, Erin Quinn, Gini Koch, Jordan Summers, Leanna Renee Hieber
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 128A

Star Wars: Rebels? Disney's NEW Animated Series: With a whole new gang of characters, what does this new animated series have in store for Star Wars fans? Set in the time between Episode III & Episode IV - come join us to get the low down on what is going to land on the small screen! Panelists: Julie Largent, Trevor Campbell
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 124B

The State of Paranormal: Ghost Hunters, enthusiasts and researchers all have their place in the field of the Paranormal. Hear about experiences & evidence captured on & off television and the challenges/rewards of running their own investigations on their own terms. Panelists: Southern Arizona Ghost and Paranormal Society (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 167

Steampunk Anime: It takes more than a top hat or a rusty robot to be truly considered steampunk. We will present and discuss the popular lists and differentiate between those anime which are steampunk, dieselpunk, or should not be included on the lists at all. Panelists: Arizona Steampunk Society
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 223

Steampunk Ball: Are you looking for the perfect place to wear your most stunning Steampunk frock or perhaps show off your skill at the fine art of Tea Dueling? Even better, perhaps you'd like to show-off for that fine lady or gent on the dance floor to perfectly timed music. Well then, we'd like to cord... Panelists: Deus Ex Vapore Machina (6 panelists)
When: Fri, 5:00-8:00PM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

Steampunk Boba Fett: Trial of the Mask Fan Film: Steampunk Boba Fett presents his first short fan film combining the Star Wars and Steampunk worlds together. Following the film, he discusses the process of making the movie with a zero budget! Panelists: John Strangeway
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 227C

Steampunk Costume Creation Workshop:

Character Development to Create a Costume: PAID EVENT Creating a successful Steampunk costume can be achieved by creative character development. Learn how iconic costume pieces can convey the desired intent of your character for maximum impact. \$5 workshop, Limit 25 Prepay below, or cash at the door &n... Panelists: Diana Given
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 230

Steampunk Costuming: Ever wonder how those amazing Steampunk costumes are created? Learn about Steampunk costuming from the experts. With years of experience creating their own outfits, they are here to help you with questions and tips that can make your gear look amazing! Panelists: Ben Brose, Diana Given, Jocelyne Weathers, John Strangeway
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 230

Steampunk Fashion Show: Victorian Fashion, Mechanical Wonders, and Alternate History Gadgets are just a few of the incredible spectacles to behold at the Steampunk Fashion Show. Enjoy a unique take on the style and vogue of the Steampunk world from a diverse group of designers, but beware of stray Ray Gun blasts! ... Panelists: Fashion Show Models
When: Sat, 3:00-5:00PM Where: North 229AB

Steampunk Gun Painting Techniques Workshop: Learn techniques with specialty paint to create a vintage looking Steampunk gun! All materials will be provided including paint, applicators, and a gun already prepared for the fun part! The cost for this workshop is just \$10 limit 25. Prepay below, or Cash at the door. ... Panelists: Diana Given
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 230

Steampunk on a Budget: Tips & Tricks From the Experts: Steampunk costumes can be created on any budget. Join this experienced panel to learn how to make your money stretch! Panelists: Jocelyne Weathers, Johnna Buttrick, Justin Hackert, Kay Townsend
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 232BC

Steampunk Teacup Hair Accessory: Make & Take Workshop: PAID EVENT Create a special tea cup hair accessory. Who knows, it might just distract your opponent during tea dueling! Cups, headbands, bows, ribbons, and other accessories included. Cost \$15, limit 15 Panelists: Dee Astell
When: Sat, 7:30-9:30PM Where: North 230

Steampunk Thrift Store Sourcing: Learn how to use thrift store sourcing to create inexpensive Steampunk costumes and props. What to look for and what to avoid while sourcing your creations! Panelists: Arizona Steampunk Society, Johnna Buttrick
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 232A

Steampunk Weapons: The Brose Brothers' Productions Crew and Mike Syfritt show you what it takes to create the weapons of a steam-powered world. <http://brosebrothersproductions.com/Photos.php> Panelists: Ben Brose, Casey Brose, Mike Syfritt, Mitchell Brose, Tim Holt
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 230

Stephen Amell spotlight: Stephen Amell plays the title character in the CW's hit series Arrow, based on the famous DC Comics superhero, The Green Arrow. Oliver Queen, spoiled heir to his tycoon father's

empire by day, he moonlights as a crime-fighting vigilante. Panelists: Stephen Amell
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North Ballroom 120

The Sting Chronicles: An Introduction: Behind-the-scenes and Q & A from the Arizona-based web series Panelists: A.J. Romero, Alexis Johnson, Danielle Pajak, Eric Johnson, Katy Rector, Radcliff Misseri
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 225A

Stormtroopers: 'Armor' Accurate: Want to be a stormtrooper but don't know how? Come learn what it takes to make your own Stormtrooper and Clone Trooper armor, and how to make it more accurate to the screen versions. No hokey religions and ancient weapons here! Panelists: Dune Sea Garrison 501st Legion
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 231BC

Strange, Awkward, and Totally Bizarre Ways to Win: Prank War? Video game match? Presidential debate? Biology Class? Anything you may need to win at, the Renegades have got your back. Leave the kids at home and bring your sense of humor for this outrageous comedy game show. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: The Renegades
When: Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 226 ABC

Street Pass Quest: Attendees street pass a special PCC Mii every day. Once they have collected the street pass they present it to our staff member. There they will receive a stamp on a special card. On Sunday afternoon, the attendees who have collected all 4 stamps will return to the Pueblo room to turn in the card ... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Sun, 2:00-3:00PM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

Styling Synthetic Wigs 101: You bought the wig, you want to wear the wig, but how to get the most out of that wig? In this panel we will discuss how to pick the right synthetic wig & how to straighten, curl, set & maintain your Cosplay wig. Brought to you by Lady Ember Brennen Sparks, experienced Cosplayer, profess... Panelists: Kay Townsend
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 232BC

Sum Of Its Parts - Screening and Discussion: Cast and crew will be talking cinema and screening their latest project, "Sum Of Its Parts", as well as bringing news on future Brick Cave Media projects Panelists: Baron Dixon, Bob Nelson, J.A. Giunta, Johnny Skinner
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 227C

Super Civilizations: Exploring Social Issues in Comics, Games and Film: Join Jeff Barbanell as he explores the bridges that span race, creed & culture through a pop media lens through comics, games and film.
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 126A

Super Civilizations: Exploring Social Issues in Comics, Games and Film 2: Aligned with Arizona Common Core State Standards, come explore the bridges that span race, creed & culture through a pop media lens. Panelists: Jeff Barbanell, Steven Riggensberg
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 126A

Super Nailbat Party Blowout: Come join Project

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Nailbat and play several mini-games with the audience based on the video games and anime that we all know and love. We'll call up several audience members up at a time to compete for candy and prizes. Panelists: Project Nailbat (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 12:00-2:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

Super Science: From Iron Man, the Avengers, X-Men, Superman, Batman, and the Green Lantern, come explore the science of superheroes with local scientists and special guest Geoff Notkin (co-host of Science Channel's "Meteorite Men")! Panelists: Anna Zaniewski, Geoffrey Notkin, Ray Sanders, Viranga Perera
When: Sat, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 125AB

Superhero HQ sponsored by Filmbar: Superheroes one and all come out for our opening night party. Compete in the DC vs Marvel tug-o-war to find out once and for all which side is strongest, dress up for the costume contest, dance, or just sit back and enjoy one of our themed cocktails. Panelists: Arizona Avengers, Justice League Arizona
When: Thu, 10:00PM-2:00AM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

Superhero Q & A with the Justice League Arizona! Ever wanted to know how fast Superman flies? Why Green Lantern is Green? Why Batman only works in black? Now you can ask your favorite superheroes all those questions! How does Wonder Woman find her invisible jet? Get ready for some family friendly fun from the Justice League Arizona! Panelists: Justice League Arizona
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 150

Superhero Q&A: Come join us and meet some of your favorite superheroes, superheroines, and supervillains from film, television and comic books! See various characters from Marvel, DC and more interact with the audience (that's you!) and with one another. Panelists: AmaraSama (2 panelists), Jaime Wilson, Silver Prince Productions, Tristen Mihaljevic
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 129A

Supernatural "ETHICS": The Ambiguity of Heaven vs Hell: We'll take some time to discuss that angels can be awful, demons can be fantastic, and sometimes they can even be allies. Sometimes, perhaps even most times, there is no black or white, and it's all just a murky gray. Brief Q&A session, at the end.
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: West 211

Supernatural Elements in Contemporary Fantasy: Authors discuss what goes into deciding the supernatural elements that surface in their paranormal variations on the real world. Panelists: Amber Benson, Charlaiane Harris, Chuck Wendig, Kevin Hearne, Seanan McGuire/Mira Grant, Weston Ochse
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Supernatural Q&A: Saving people, hunting thing-the family business! Join Team Free Will and more as we give you our hunters guide to saving the world. Play games with the characters to win prizes, join the Q&A, and more. Watch out for spoilers! Must be 18+ to attend!
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: West 211

Supernatural Showdown: Who is the REAL King

of Hell?!: Where do YOUR loyalties lie? Who has EARNED the right to rule the underworld? Do you stand in Lucifer's camp, despite his being locked away? Do you just plain love Crowley? OR, has Abbadon won your heart? Join us as we discuss, and vote, for who we believe deserves to sit on the throne! Panelists: Cole Brafford, ManilynJoy Fortaliza
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 131

Supernatural: In-Character Q&A: Have you ever wondered which "Hunting Trip" was Sam and Dean's favorite? Do you want to know the inner workings of the Winchesters, their friends and enemies (or "frienemies" as the case may be) alike? Then this is the perfect panel for you! Swing by to ask your favorite ch... Panelists: AmaraSama (9 panelists), Andi Mueller, One Piece Cafe, Tristen Mihaljevic
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 227C

Syfy Creature Features with Mike MacLean: Writer of Syfy hit movies Sharktopus & Dinocroc vs. Supergator tells what it's like working with the legendary Roger Corman and formulas for creating a monster flick! Win monster prizes & watch a creature feature kill reel! Visit: www.mikemaclean.net Panelists: Mike MacLean
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 167

Tackling Difficult Subjects in Young Adult: Join our panelists as they talk about the hows, whens, whys, and ways to write about tough issues like grief, illness, and abuse in YA fiction. Panelists: Aprilynne Pike, Heather Brewer, Janni Lee Simmer, Laini Taylor, Suzanne Young
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 131

The Taco Council: The Taco Council convenes to give its mandates and rulings for 2014. Really, hang out with some awesome authors while they hang out with each other. Panelists: Brian McClellan, Chuck Wendig, Delilah S. Dawson, Jason Hough, Kevin Hearne, Leanna Renee Hieber, Sam Sykes
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 127AB

Tales of Historia: With the annual release of the Tales of... games in the States, the long time RPG series is finally getting some exposure outside of Japan. Come join Dowase Entertainment as we delve into the history of this unique jRPG. Panelists: Dowase Entertainment (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 222C

Talk Nerdy to Me: A Byte of Burlesque - Take Deux: Talk Nerdy to Me 2nd show! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 4:30-6:00PM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

Talk Nerdy to Me: A Byte of Burlesque: Ever wondered what it would look like if you took the teasing talents of a burlesque dancer and twist them up with the fantastical world of geekdom? Well, you can see it live at Talk Nerdy to Me: A Byte of Burlesque! Come see the talents of performers from Phoenix burl... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Amanda M. Dominguez, Andres Morera, Bamm Bamm, Berlin Meowschwitz, Dix E. Tracy, Fernando Nomaw-Mez, Glen Goldblatt, Guy Fawkeswell, Gypsy Danger, Julio Morera, Katja Lukin, Lola Coquette, Mia Pia Cherrie, Pisa Cake, Rambo Reza, Sir Simon, Tom Tuerff, Visa V, Vorpal

Shimmy, Wanda Pout
When: Fri, 10:00PM-1:00AM Where: Renaissance Grand Ballroom

Talk Nerdy To Me!: Awkward Conversation returns to the Phoenix Comicon for a LIVE podcast recording. This is your chance for YOU to put the hosts and members of the audience on the spot and the most awkward answer wins! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Anastasia Washington, Nathan Lichtman
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 225A

Talk Shop With The Artists From Face Off: Meet some of the special effects artists that appeared on Seasons 2-6 of Syfy's Face Off. Talk shop with them and members of the audience and their experiences after the show along with any questions about their current and future projects. Each of these artists has experience in the film industry, haunt... Panelists: 13th Floor Haunted House, Chloe Sens, Eric Zapata, Heather Henry, Katie Machaiek, Michael Faust, Wayne Anderson
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 132

The Talking Dead AZ: If you love The Walking Dead, you will want to join THE WALKING DEAD AZ Cosplay group for an engaging discussion. We will be exploring the show's popularity; it's past, present and future; comparing it to the comics; and having fun with trivia. Warning of spoilers. Panelists: Brian Korzec, Talking Dead AZ (4 panelists)
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 166

Tea Dueling: Tea Dueling is the art of gracefully dunking a tea biscuit into a "Cup of Brown Joy," then successfully felling your opponent in a battle of wits and skill. Join us to learn the rules and techniques to compete on the field of tea. These duels are fully sanctioned by The American Tea Duel... Panelists: Jocelyne Weathers
When: Sat, 12:00-2:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 5-8

Team Four Star: Repremier: Did you miss our first panel? Really enjoy our special premier? Just can't get enough of us? Well don't worry because we're airing it again! Drop by and check out our special premier and get in some Q&A with Lanipator, Takahata101, and Hbi2k! Panelists: Ben Creighton, Curtis Arnott, Nick Landis
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 221

Team Four Star: The Abridged Panel: A fan of DragonBall Z Abridged? Then before you start your medication again, join Lanipator, Takahata101 and Hbi2k for their panel where they plan a special premiere! Ask questions, throw random paraphernalia you purchased in the dealer's den at them, and see if you can tell if that's ... Panelists: Ben Creighton, Curtis Arnott, Nick Landis
When: Sat, 3:00-5:00PM Where: North 221

Team Four Star: Uncensored and Unabridged: Is there a FIRE inside you? Can it only be quenched by TeamFourStar getting down, dirty, and...uh... there was a word for this... Well, don't worry. They've got you covered, with plenty of uncensored clips, questions, and the most decadent-DECADENT, that's the word I wanted-of answe... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Ben Creighton, Curtis Arnott, Nick Landis
When: Fri, 9:00-11:30PM Where: North 221

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Team Rocket Training Camp: Are you prepared for trouble? Do you like to make it double? Come learn how to protect the world from devastation with Team Rocket, and even you may become one of the elite! No..not the Elite Four. Panelists: Team Rocket AZ (6 panelists)
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 222 AB

Tech Test room for panelists: Tech Test room for panelists; to test your devices and make sure your presentation will work before you get to your panel. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 232A

Teen Volunteers-Libraries/Fandom=AWESOME! Do you want to engage the teens in your community? Fandom may be the answer! Listen as the talented (and good looking) teens from Glendale Main Library's Teen Library Council recount their exploits as program creators, fans and library ambassadors Panelists: Glendale Public Library (6 panelists), Kearsten LaBrozzi, Merideth Jensen-Benjamin
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: South 150

Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: With a cartoon series and upcoming motion picture, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles are more popular than ever. Come talk to fans and professionals discuss the Turtles. Panelists: Andy Kuhn, Benjamin Glendenning, Christopher Herndon
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 129B

Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles Sketchoff: Help celebrate TMNT with a sketchoff. Comic book artists contribute their talent to create sketches while you watch. Art created will appear in the Charity Art Gallery (Booth 465) for purchase to benefit Kid's Need to Read. Panelists: Armand Villavert, Benjamin Glendenning, David Oakes, Jason Pedersen, Justin Miller
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 128B

Telling Our Stories: Indigenous Sequential Art: Super Indian, Tales of the Mighty Code Talkers, The Wool of Jonesy and Captain Paiutere the tip of the iceberg of projects from a new wave of Native artists incorporating contemporary and historical elements into their comics and graphic novels. Panelists: Arigon Starr, Jonathan Nelson, Theo Tso
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 130

That's No Moon, It's YOUR Satellite! Smaller schools and companies now have the option of putting their own tiny satellites into orbit. Learn about Cubesats and how you can participate in real space research! Panelists: Daniel Jacobs, Viranga Perera
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 122C

The "State of the Trek" Forum: Larry Nemecek and All of Us: Come join the spout-off! Author, producer, actor, interviewer and host "Dr. Trek" Larry Nemecek brings his 20+ years in Trekland to lead a fan forum for sharing and challenging the memes of where corporate AND fandom Star Trek are headed. Warning: no one admitted without an opinion! Panelists: Larry Nemecek
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 122AB

The 13th Floor Haunted House - Creating

a World Class Haunted Attraction: Come see what it takes to create amazing features at a world class haunted attraction. Learn everything about the 13th Floor's creative development process including a discussion on character conception, costuming, makeup, design, set construction and performance training. Panelists: 13th Floor Haunted House
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 132

The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program Thursday: "Not all heroes wear capes" - The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program equals lives being saved! Be a HERO - donate a part of yourself to better someone's life, and your own.
When: Thu, 4:00-8:00PM Where: North 123

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When: Fri, 11:00-6:00PM Where: North 123

The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program Saturday: "Not all heroes wear capes" - The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program equals lives being saved! Be a HERO - donate a part of yourself to better someone's life, and your own.
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The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program Sunday: "Not all heroes wear capes" - The American Red Cross Blood Drive PLUS Be The Match Bone Marrow Donor Program equals lives being saved! Be a HERO - donate a part of yourself to better someone's life, and your own.
When: Sun, 11:00-4:30PM Where: North 123

The Art of Anime Fighting: Anime and fighting are synonymous for an excellent reason, some of the best shows in anime reach their climax with a fight between the protagonist and antagonist. Come check out some of the excellent fights that anime has to offer. Panelists: RTC (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 223

The Art of Illustration: Our panel of illustrators look at how they go about illustrating their own work and the work of others. Panelists: James A Owen, Jim Di Bartolo, Nate Taylor
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 127C

The Art of Marvel: Prop designer/Illustrator/Concept Artist John Eaves talks about his work on Iron Man 2, Iron Man 3 and Captain America: Winter Soldier. Panelists: John Eaves
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: west 212

The Art of Star Trek: Prop designer/Illustrator/Concept Artist John Eaves talks about his work on the Star Trek movies. Panelists: John Eaves
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: west 212

The Awesomely Awful '90s: If you enjoyed our Awesomely Awful '80s panel last year (or this year's return), join us for a leap forward in time

for the sequel: the Awesomely Awful '90s. Your panelists will present video clips from awesomely awful TV series, films and animated shows from the 1990s, then talk about... Panelists: Hal C F Astell, Heather Rice, Jim Miller, Michael Flanders
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 121BC

The Death of Superman Lives: What Happened?: The Death of "Superman Lives": What Happened? is a Feature Length Documentary about the unmade movie "Superman Lives" directed by Jon Schneep. Jon discussed the documentary of Kevin Smith/Tim Burton that never happened. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: West 211

The World Only God Knows: Anime Screening Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 8:30-10:00PM Sat, 7:00-10:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 3

The Worlds of Hayao Miyazaki: This panel examines the four major themes in the works of Hayao Miyazaki: the importance of respecting the environment, the value of Japanese traditions, the wonder (and terror) of flight, and the social disruptions arising from war. Panelists: Deborah Deacon
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 226 ABC

Theremin Demonstration: Join Sarah Clemens for an interactive program demonstrating the most geekish of instruments: the theremin. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 126A

This Ain't Your Father's Star Trek or "JJ vs. Gene: A Battle for the Ages!": Like it or lump it, the "Abramsverse" has a profound impact on Star Trek Fandom! Join our panel as we discuss the Pros and "Khaans" of JJ's take on our beloved Sci-Fi series. WARNING: Level 3 Environmental Suits may be required - this one's going to get..... Panelists: Arthur Trout, Bryan Dawson, Jeff Taylor
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 122AB

Thriller Writing: Thriller authors discuss how they keep the reader one the edge of their seats. Panelists: Christopher Golden, David Wellington, Joseph Nassise
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 128A

Todd Haberkorn: Todd Haberkorn is an American award-winning actor, voice actor, and ADR director who has provided voices for a number of English-dubbed anime such as Ling Yao in FMA: Brotherhood and Judal in Magi. Todd also plays Mr. Spock in Star Trek Continues. Panelists: Todd Haberkorn
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 221

Tor Publishing Preview: Join exhibitor Tor Books as they talk about what's new and exciting from the largest publisher in SF/F. Plus giveaways and prizes! Panelists: Patty Garcia
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 127AB

The Torch presents: The Comichood! Phil Haldiman, better known as Denny from cult-classic film The Room, tells stories from the set and his experiences authoring indie comic 'My Big Break' while the Torch cast creates comedic scenes based on his stories and audience suggestions.

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Panelists: The Torch Theater
When: Thu, 7:30-8:00PM Where: 3rd Street

Torchwood: Like Doctor Who, Its spinoff, Torchwood has made a splash with fans across the pond. Join our panel of Whovians as we discuss what makes John Barrowman so hot, and why this British MIB works so well. Panelists: Angela Kennedy, Bells Diggins, James Richardson, Sabina Puijic, Sean McGarry
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 121BC

Transformers Comics: More Than Meets The IDW: Transformers isn't just the movies! The comics have been consistently running since 1984. Come join our panelists, who are fans/experts of the comics from the different eras; Marvel to the current run of the IDW Ongoing. Panelists: Blanco, Frank Orouke, ladywreck, Laserbot, Livio Ramondelli, Vocab Malone
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 129A

Trek Makeup: from Wah Chang to the Orion Slave Girls or "It's not easy making someone green...": Watch as Orion Slave Girls and Klingons are created LIVE during this interactive panel featuring professional Hollywood Creature Makeup artists! Panelists: David Ayres, Eileen Johnson, John Frye, Melanie Hazeldene
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 122AB

Trials and Tribulations of the Demonic: Crossing Over Paranormal Society "The C.O.P.S. Crew" Owner(s) Jay & Marie Yates will take you on a journey inside the lives of those that have experienced the sinister aftermath of conducting a paranormal investigations in some of the worst Demonically Haunted Private Homes that Phoe... Panelists: Jamie Kroll, Jay Yates, Marie Yates, Michael Papp, Paul Lovegrove
When: Thu, 9:30-10:30PM Where: South 166

The Triple R's: Cosplay Style! (Reduce-Reuse-Recycle): Join ADHD cosplay as we teach you how to Reuse old stuff for cosplay, how to Reduce stress to nothing, & how to Recycle old cosplay items & what seems like trash for the good of all. So Go GREEN for cosplay! Did we mention this will save money, too? Panelists: ADHD cosplay (4 panelists)
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 232A

Trolls by Jenn Czep: Enter the world of Czep's Trolls! Create your own Troll mask and hear stories of Emily's adventures among dragons, piskies, and dreadful dots! Panelists: Jenn Czep
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South Art Room - Events Area

True Natures, Hidden Identities in Young Adult Fiction: Join some of our YA author guests as they look at characters who keep their true natures and identities hidden, and why that's so popular in YA fiction. Panelists: Aprilynne Pike, C.J Hill, Heather Brewer, Janni Lee Simner, Laini Taylor
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 127C

The Truth about Kids and Video Games: When Disney, Marvel and Nickelodeon need to understand kids, Brad Snyder is the man they reach out to. He has helped develop raw concepts into some of today's most successful kids entertainment. He shares his thoughts on video games. Panelists: Dawn Opel, R. Bradley Snyder

When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 126A

Truth Or Dare: A group of daredevil friends find themselves caught in a nightmarish game of "Truth Or Dare" with a psychotic fan. The directorial debut of scream queen, Jessica Cameron. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 9:30-11:30PM Where: North 227AB

The Tudor Project: Henry VIII's reign is described as the beginning of the English Renaissance. Our presenters will discuss clothing worn during Henry's reign, how they have reproduced clothes from portraits, and how the period is portrayed in popular culture (ex: Showtime's The Tudors and Sony's The... Panelists: Betsy Ponce, Bill Jackson, Ferenc Feher, Frances Martinez, Jeremy Crews, Maridith Feher, Michelle Chirip
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 231A

Two Words - First Word Sounds like - AAAARRR WGH GGWAAAH! Think you are the Master of Charades? If you believe you have what it takes - join as we have invited two wookies to challenge your ears and imagination in the first ever Wookie Charades contest! Panelists: John Zweig, Michelle Davidson, Patrick Potter, Todd Filek
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 124B

The ULTIMATE Rock-Paper-Scissors CHAMPIONSHIP!! Join us for the 1st Annual ULTIMATE RPS Competition! Rock, Paper Scissors - you know it and love it! Its time to break out your old school skills and see who is #1! Do you think you can psyche out your opponent and stand as the lone RPS Champ? Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 121BC

Unsung Heros: Cosplay Handlers: Cosplay can be hard, and sometimes you need a little help. This in-depth look at handling covers what handlers are, what they do for their cosplayers, tips for being a better handler, and how to build a costume to compliment the main event. Panelists: Kristan Bishop
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 231A

Upcoming Video Games and Tech.: With E3 around the corner, get the latest on what games will be coming out in the next year and beyond as well as the latest on the Playstation 4 and the new Xbox console with Gareth Von Kallenbach of Skewed and Reviewed. Panelists: Gareth Von Kallenbach
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: West 211

Urban Fantasy and the Real World: Join some of our author guests for a look at their worlds and the similarities with the real world. Panelists: Chuck Wendig, Greg van Eekhout, Jaye Wells, Michael R. Underwood, Stephen Blackmoore, Vicki Pettersson
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 126BC

Usagi Drop(Bunny Drop): Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 10:30AM-12:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Using Zombies or Something Like Them: Authors who make use of zombies or creatures like them discuss their take on the creatures. Panelists: David Wellington, Jason Hough, Seanan

McGuire/Mira Grant, Tom Leveen, Weston Ochse, Joseph Nasisse
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 126BC

Utopian vs Dystopian Societies: Join us when the audience becomes the experts for this annual facilitated discussion on Dystopian vs. Utopian societies. Panelists: Brad Snyder, Dawn Opel, DJ Graham, Erik Francis, Jeff Barbanell, Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 126A

Valiant First: Rai, Armor Hunters and Beyond: The VALIANT FIRST initiative continues at Phoenix with an all-new round of news, announcements, artwork and Q&A exploring the most exciting new titles in comics today. Panelists: Joe Harris
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 128B

Valley Youth Theater Presents: Captain Hook, Mr. Smee & An All Hands On Deck-tivity: Captain Hook and Mr. Smee arrrr making a special appearance! After an excerpt from the original Broadway musical version of Peter Pan, you'll be invited to join them on deck for a rollicking improvisational activity that will shiver yore funny bones! Panelists: Captain Hook, Ha Ha Hightower, Jenny Ha Ha, Mr. Smee, Patrick the Pirate, Pirate, Pirate Jenny, Whovian
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: South 155-158

The Video Nasties! VHS Violence & Censorship: Maniacs, Chainsaws, Gore! Learn about the infamous Video Nasties movies. In the 1980s a UK campaign was launched targeting horror VHS. Extreme horror was too obscene and then totally banned, leading to moral panic. Do some films go too far? Safe for younger attendees - no Adult content will b... Panelists: Fangoria - Rebekah McKendry, Jason Alofs
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 166

Villains Aftermath Party: Finally a party for the baddies! Dress in your best villain outfit, sing karaoke with your fellow evil doers, and get out all that pent up aggression in Shoot-a-hero. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 10:30PM-12:30AM Where: Renaissance Pueblo

Villains Don't Deserve Happy Endings: Villains, Redemption, Death... What more could a fan ask for? Once Upon a Time loves to break our hearts, let's share the tears! SPOILERS GALORE! Panelists: Andi Mueller, Arthur Trout, Raven Griffin
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 124A

Villains Unleashed: Sinister Six Q&A: Come meet some of the most feared of the Amazing Spiderman's rogue's gallery!! Ask anything of the baddies if you dare!! Family Friendly. Provided by members of the Arizona Avengers. Panelists: Arizona Avengers
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 232BC

Visually Stunning Anime: Animation is an art form, there is no denying this. But there are some series that make the others seem like crayon drawings on the fridge! Join us as we explore the most beautiful and unique pieces of animation out of Japan. Panelists: Arizona Midnight Channel (5 panelists)
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 223

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Volunteering for Phoenix Comicon:

Phoenix Comicon would be nothing without AMAZING volunteers! Come join some of our Volunteer Relations Team and learn more about the opportunities, benefits, and challenges of volunteering for Phoenix Comicon! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 124A

Voyage Trekkers: From Web Series to Feature Film:

The local web series about the worst starship crew in the galaxy is becoming a movie! Join the cast and crew for an exclusive look at what's involved bringing the show to the big screen. Panelists: Adam Rini, Craig Curtis, Gabrielle Van Buren, Logan Blackwell, Nathan Blackwell, Nathan Stipes
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 225A

Wagnaria!: Anime screening. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 10:30AM-12:00PM Where: Renaissance Salon 4

Wait, Wait ... Just Science Me! (Game Show):

Test your knowledge of weird and crazy science in the news, featuring bad puns, rhymes, and other games! Panelists: Daniel Jacobs, Jason Raymond, Karen Knierman, Lilah Rahn-Lee "UC Berkeley, Teresa Ashcraft
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 124B

Walking Dead: Comics vs. TV Show: Comic Book pundits debate the differences between the Walking Dead comic and tv show. Panelists: Ken Brown, Susan Brown
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 129B

War and Apocalypse in Anime: War and apocalypse have been popular in for manga and anime since their inception. This is in part due to Japan's samurai culture and its modernization during the Meiji era (1868-1912) as Japan embraced western technology. Panelists: Deborah Deacon
When: Fri, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 226 ABC

Warehouse Inventory: Taking a look at the various artifacts presented within the show Warehouse 13, and speculating what sort of artifacts YOU could imagine existing within that world. Panelists: Hal C F Astell, Katie Reilly, Molly Martin
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 125AB

Watercolor Fantasy Art: Watercolor painting example with Q&A. Learn about different types of papers, brushes and paints as well as how to layer paint, blend colors, and achieve details. Panelists: Jessica Feinberg
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 129B

Webcomics: Marketing and Self Promotion:

You've created your webcomic and it's awesome! One problem though, no one is reading it. Join us and learn how you can drive traffic to your webcomic and increase readership through advertising, social media and more. Panelists: Aneeka Richins, Christian Baranek, Emma Lysyk, Frank Jordan, Kevin Coulston, Patrick Scullin
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 130

Webcomics: The Creative Process: Have a great idea you think would make a great webcomic but don't know where to start? Chat with creators about their unique creative processes and get an inside look at how webcomics are made. Panelists: Aneeka Richins, Christian Baranek, Emma Lysyk, Frank Jordan, Kevin Coulston, Patrick Scullin
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 129B

Welcome to Gensokyo: Touhou 101: Come let us, the greatest minds in Gensokyo, teach you what the world of Touhou Project is all about. We'll be explaining the basics and answering any questions you may have about this bullet hell phenomenon. Panelists: Muffin (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 223

Welcome to Night Vale: From the quiet little desert town of Night Vale, we present to you a City-Council approved presentation of our beloved community. We'll talk about the people you love, the people you just love to hate, and the amazing rebirth of radio drama/horror. The sheriff's secret police would like to... Panelists: promstuck, Rys Holmes
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 122AB

Welcome To Night Vale in-character Q&A: Want to know about Cecil & Carlos' condo? How about where Glow Cloud gets all those dead animals? Of course being too inquisitive is dangerous to you & your family's health. And of course we'd NEVER ask the Hooded Figures about the Dog Park. No one must enter the dog park... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Fri, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 225B

Welcome to the Velvet Where: Persona Discussion: Join the Crows as we invite you to discuss the Persona series! We'll talk about the first game all the way to Persona 4 Golden! As well as the many spin offs and the upcoming Persona Q and Persona 5! Spoiler Alert! Panelists: The Crows (4 panelists)
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 223

What Do I Read Now?: For those who have read the big series and are looking for something new to enjoy. We will discuss current and upcoming books that have mass appeal, also upcoming trends. Book suggestions for children, teens, and adults. Book lists will be provided. Panelists: Phoenix Public Library
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 159

What I Learned from Star Trek: The Philosophy of the Future: Join us as we explore various life lessons both profound and humorous in the Star Trek universe. Panelists: Angelina Rising, David Williams, Eileen Johnson, Eric Dewey
When: Fri, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 122AB

What I Learned Writing My Latest Novel: Join our author panelists as they tell you the craft secrets they unlocked while writing their most recent novels. Panelists: Chuck Wendig, Delilah S. Dawson, Myke Cole, Sam Sykes, Wesley Chu
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 126BC

What is a "Ghost"?: Crossing Over Paranormal Society "The C.O.P.S. Crew" will take you on a

spine chilling discovery of what paranormal investigating has shown them about Spirit Energy. It may leave you thinking that there are far more possibilities to explain a haunting. We discuss self-generated manifesta... Panelists: Jamie Kroll, Jay Yates, Marie Yates, Michael Papp, Paul Lovegrove
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: South 167

What is a Gaymer? Discussing LGBT Gaming

Communities: A discussion of the growing community of LGBT gamers in the Phoenix area, creating a safe space to get together, play games, and support each other. Panelists: Delos Hawkins, Joe Erickson, Robi Cousins, Shane Blissett
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 124A

What is it like owning a movie car?: Ever wonder would it would be like to own KITT, the TMNT Van, a Jurassic Park Jeep, or Herbie? Well come and the owners! What does it take to make them? Why did they make it? Have the caused an accident on the 101? They will answer these and more! Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 122C

What the What? What the Heck is a Nerf-Herder?: Join us as we explore the meanings of classic Star Wars lines & put a visual light to expressions like, "Many Bothans died...", or "Nerf-herder!" Panelists: Ben Lewis, Dustin Diehl, Joe Holt, Michael Whyman
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 124B

What to expect from the Costuming Department: Preview of what is happening in Costuming this year and basic information for costume panelists. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 231BC

What to look for in an Anime: If you're new to anime, or you're just looking for suggestions for some new shows to get into, we can help you figure out what shows that you could be watching to get your necessary dose of anime. Panelists: Project Nailbat (4 panelists)
When: Thu, 6:30-7:30PM Where: North 222C

What We Learn From A Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle Personality?: Everyone has a favorite TMNT (if not all of them), let's find out why that is and even WHICH TMNT ARE YOU!!? Through a scientific approach and nostalgia, we'll discuss what turtle (and versions) were our favorites and just want made them tick. Panelists: Juan Kingsbury
When: Thu, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 227C

Who is YOUR Alpha?: We'll be discussing Teen Wolf, the hotness, the heartbreak, and everything in between! SPOILER ALERT! Panelists: Cole Brafford, ManilynJoy Fortaliza, Paige Pino, Rys Holmes
When: Fri, 9:00-10:00PM Where: North 125AB

Who Wants to be a One-in-a-Millionaire? (Game Show): What is the probability of finding alien life in our galaxy? Starting from stars and working your way up through planets, life, intelligence, and doomsday, see if you can play the odds and emerge as a detectable galactic

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civilization! Panelists: Ariel Anbar, Patrick Young, Steve Desch
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 122C

The WHO-lywood Squares: Join your host, the Doctor as he selects members of the audience to play the classic TV game show "Hollywood Squares", with series characters as the panelists. Will anyone "crash" the panel again this year? All we can say is, Who knows? Who? Knows? Panelists: Caity Crabtree, Dennis Kanenwisher, Duncan MacLeod, Eileen Mueller, Gavin Hazeldene, James Richardson, Jeff Jones, John Arney, Loren Toporek, Molly Martin, Pat Harper, Suzanne Jones, Tina Worley
When: Sat, 1:30-2:30PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Who, Why & WTF of DBZ: DRAGON BALL Z! Is the series absurd? You bet your last zeni it is! Robots, magic, aliens, dudes that can bench press a planet! But there was a time when this series was about adventure, puns and sweet T&A. Lets discover how it became what it is. Panelists: Anime Parliament (2 panelists)
When: Thu, 8:00-9:00PM Where: North 222 AB

WHO's The 12th Doctor?: We've only seen about 10 seconds of him, so exactly "WHO" is the 12th Doctor? Join us for an in-depth look at Peter Capaldi; the actor and lifelong fan of Doctor Who. We'll also break down the Doctor's new look and how we think this new Doctor could bring a new dimens... Panelists: Jeff Jones, Nicholas Grover, Steven Ditzel
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

WHO's the Best?: The Doctor has lead many different lives during his travels through time and space, with each of his regenerations being nothing like the last. Join our panel of Whovians as we discuss each of these incarnations in depth and help us decide who is the best of all! Panelists: Adam Thomas, James Laird, Matt Chandler, Melanie Hazeldene, Michael Mahoney
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 121BC

Whose Line is it Anime?: The show where the games are made up and the points don't matter! Based off the popular improv show Whose Line is it Anyway with a slightly nerdier theme. We'll be taking volunteers from the audience. *Now with 20% more lulz Panelists: Muffin (2 panelists)
When: Fri, 1:30-4:00PM Where: North 224AB

Why The Looking Glass Wars hasn't been made into a movie: Challenges of Transmedia Storytelling: The Looking Glass Wars is a transmedia series including best-selling novels and graphic novels So why no movie? Frank Beddor talks about his experience navigating the world of modern storytelling! Panelists: Frank Beddor
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 122C

Why You Should Leave Firefly Alone: Taking a look at why we should let go of the show, Firefly, and explore other media expressions for the 'Verse. Panelists: Brianna Bailey, Cole Brafford, ManilynJoy Fortaliza, Raymond Wolfe
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 122AB

Why Your Fandom Sucks: Time to crush dreams

and have fun doing it. Let's discuss your favorite series and why they aren't as great as you think they are. We'll try not to make you cry. Open mindedness is required. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Sara Willbanks, Steven Dodd
When: Sun, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 121BC

The Wildest Deaths in Anime: Anime has some of the most gruesome deaths ever. From decapitation to eye trauma to severing of limbs, we'll show some of the most terrible, heinous examples you will ever see. Can you handle these over-the-top deaths? Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: RTC (2 panelists)
When: Sat, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 222C

Wolverine: The Most Dangerous Mutant: "I'm the best there is at what I do, but what I do best isn't very nice." Writers Len Wein and Chris Claremont discuss their takes on Wolverine. Panelists: Chris Claremont, Len Wein
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 132

The World of Tea: Ever wonder what goes in to a delicious cup of tea? Curious why tea is so popular in anime? Want to know how to brew the perfect cup? Come learn all the various types of tea the world has to offer. Panelists: Anime Parliament (2 panelists)
When: Thu, 6:30-7:30PM Where: North 223

Worldbuilding: Economics: Or who pays for all those horses and rockets anyway? A crucial part of building a credible world is to create a believable working economy. Join some of our author guests as they share their secrets for doing just that. Panelists: Jason Hough, L.E. Modesitt Jr, Pierce Brown, Scott Lynch
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 126BC

Worldbuilding: Horror: The more believable, the more frightening. This is harder than it looks. Come and learn from some of the best in the business. Panelists: Christopher Golden, David Wellington, Joseph Nassise, Weston Ochse, Yvonne Navarro
When: Sat, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 122C

Writing Critique Session Saturday: Join with 6 to 10 other writers in a critique sessions. Have your written work heard by professional writers. All prose genres of unpublished work, in any stage welcome. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 6:00-7:00PM Where: North 128A

Writing Critique Sunday Session: Join with 6 to 10 other writers in a critique sessions. Have your written work heard by professional writers. All prose genres of unpublished work, in any stage welcome. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: North 128A

Writing for the Long Haul: How do writers build careers that span decades? "Long haul" writers discuss their survival strategies, the challenges they've faced, and how they've supported their craft and maintained their enthusiasm over the long term. Panelists: Beth Meacham, Charlaaine Harris, Janni Lee Simner, John Scalzi, Yvonne Navarro
When: Fri, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 131

Writing for the Middle Grade Audience: Join some top middle grade authors for a

discussion of wrting for the younger audience. Panelists: Catherynne Valente, Django Wexler, J.S. Lewis, Shannon Messenger
When: Sat, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 128A

Writing Great Dialogue - The Revenge!: With his unique and energetic style of writing instruction, YA author Tom Leveen (PARTY; SICK) once again brings this outstanding class on what goes into writing exceptional dialogue for the page, screen, or comic book panel. Panelists: Tom Leveen
When: Sun, 1:30-2:30PM Where: North 128A

Writing Internet Horror - with MrCreepyPasta: The horror genre will never die, with the large internet sub-genres of creepy pastas that fact has been solidified. Learn what makes up this new sub-genre and how to be a part of it. Panelists: Chris Edmond
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 166

Writing Rogues: Kvothe, Harry, Atticus, Locke, Darrow, and Lenk are their names. Meet the writers who created these rouges. Panelists: Jim Butcher, Kevin Hearne, Patrick Rothfuss, Pierce Brown, Sam Sykes, Scott Lynch
When: Sun, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 132

Writing Workshop: 21 Days to a Novel: PAID EVENT New York Times bestselling author Michael A. Stackpole presents a 21-day program for writing a novel. He covers character creation, world building, dialogue development and character voice. There is an extra fee of \$20 payable at the workshop. Panelists: Michael A. Stackpole
When: Sun, 10:30AM-1:00PM Where: North 127C

WTF Anime & Japan?: Oh my Glob! Did you hear? Japan is a crazy place, and it always is full of surprises. But sometimes, they make things make you go WTF. Join the Midnight Channel on a roller coaster of Crazy anime! Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Arizona Midnight Channel (5 panelists)
When: Thu, 9:30-11:30PM Where: North 223

X-Files Season 10: 20 years after the debut of X-Files, IDW returns to the continuing adventures of Agents Mulder and Scully. Meet the creative team of this series. Panelists: Joe Harris, Matthew Dow Smith
When: Sun, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 129B

XX Podcast Live: Anna and Angelica are going to be filming the XX podcast live. Come on in and listen to the fun and randomness. You may even have a chance to ask them a few questions. Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Angelica Dawn
When: Sun, 5:00-6:00PM Where: North 225A

You Don't Know Whedon!: Test your Joss Whedon smarts (or come watch others make fools of themselves) with a series of game night style challenges that will test both your knowledge of trivia and challenge just how much of a fan you really are. Warning: There will be spoilers!! Panelists: David Richins, Lisa Richins
When: Fri, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 124A

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You Wake Up From Your Nightmares, We Don't: A Farewell To Being Human (US): An overview of the entire Being Human series. What was original? What was borrowed from the UK version? What made the show stand out? And where could it have gone if it wasn't untimely cancelled? It's just not easy when a ghost, a vampire and a werewolf all share a house, and we'... Must be 18+ to attend! Panelists: Crystel Snyder, Michael Flanders
When: Thu, 7:30-8:30PM Where: North 125AB

Young Authors Workshop: Writing is for all ages! You have the ideas, the stories, and amazing characters! Now, how do you reign them in to create a great book? Join Brick Cave Media writer J.J.M. Czep for tips and tricks on becoming a great author! Panelists: Jenn Czep
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: South 159

Youth Can Draw, Too! When it comes to art, age doesn't matter. Anyone can be an artist! Children can come learn and draw in an anime style at this safe and family friendly environment. Prizes are provided by Cosplay & Fan Gear, LLC. Panelists: Katerina E.
When: Sun, 12:00-1:00PM Where: South 150

Youth Fashion Show: Denise Gary (Kids Need To Read) will be the Mistress of Ceremonies with help from the Knightingirls, Knightingail and Kaeli, at the Youth Fashion Show. Kids showcase their fantastic costumes on the runway. <http://www.kidsneedtoread.org/> <http://www.knightingail.com/>
Panelists: Fashion Show Models
When: Sun, 11:00AM-12:30PM Where: North 229AB

The Zen of Zombie Cosplay Sponsored by Cox Communications: Get the basics on zombie costuming, make up tips, and how to bring yer zombie character to life. Passages from the Zen of Zombie will also be read, for inspiration. Comparisons of different types of zombies, for

inspiration will also be addressed. Panelists: Roby Dee, Zombie Mommie
When: Fri, 3:00-4:00PM Where: North 231A

Zenescope: Zenescope talks about their current and upcoming projects. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sat, 4:30-5:30PM Where: North 128B

Zhon: The Alien Interviews (Making Quality Film On A Tiny Budget): Join Co-Executive Producer and Co-Star Eric Schumacher and other creators of the critically acclaimed sci-fi series, "Zhon: The Alien Interviews" for an entertaining screening of many episodes of this funny, moving series and learn some of the secrets to making a high-quality film projec... Panelists: Eric Schumacher, Ginger Ferguson, Tyrel Good
When: Sat, 10:30AM-11:30AM Where: North 225A

Zombie Beauty Pageant sponsored by Filmbar: Bring out your dead to the annual Phoenix Comicon Zombie Beauty Pageant! Get ready to get bloody as this year's contest is open to both women and men! Contestants will face off for the creators of the 13th Floor and Fear Farm judging to award first, second and third place prizes to t... Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 9:00-11:30PM Where: Sheraton Valley of the Sun

Zombie Gauntlet by Battlefield Live AZ Friday: PAID EVENT Special Event Entry is \$5.00 per person and can be purchased at the door. Welcome to the first BFLAZ Zombie Gauntlet. Do you think you could survive a Zombie Apocalypse? Here's your chance to test your shooting skills with this laser tag style experience. Four (4) levels ea... Panelists: Battlefield Live AZ
When: Fri, 11:00-11:00PM Where: South 160-161

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When: Thu, 6:00-10:00PM Where: South 160-161

Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center: If you haven't already gone through the Zombie Obstacle Course, today will be your last day to test your zombie survival skills. Beat your previous time or make your through the obstacles for the first time. Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Sun, 12:00-4:00PM Where: South 164-165

Zombie Obstacle Course sponsored by Evil Dead the Musical: Mesa Arts Center: Join us Thursday evening for the opening of the Zombie Obstacle Course. This will be a test of endurance as you work your way through various obstacles while trying to avoid zombies. Will you survive?!? Panelists: Phoenix Comicon Staff
When: Thu, 6:30-11:00PM
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When: Sat, 10:30AM-2:30PM, 4:30-6:30PM, 7:30-11:30PM
When: Sun, 12:00-4:00PM
Where: South 164-165

Zombie Walk Sponsored by Easley's Fun Shop: The living dead can come add to the massive zombie horde, as it's tactically contained by the Department of Zombie Defense and Umbrella Corp's AZ Hive at the 7th annual event. Zombify yourself at the Get Your Zombie On panel before the Walk. Panelists: AZ Roller Derby, Department of Zombie Defense, Phoenix Comicon Staff, Umbrella Corp AZ Hive
When: Fri, 7:30-8:30PM Where: 3rd Street



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