

# PROGRAM GUIDE



WILD WILD WEST  
**STEAMPUNK**  
CONVENTION

MARCH 9-12, 2023



IN TUCSON, AZ



## RULES & REGULATIONS

- All patrons are required to abide by the following rules at all times:
- Always represent Casino Del Sol (CDS) and Wild Wild West Steampunk Convention 11 (WWWC) in a professional and courteous manner.
  - No abusive or foul language.
  - No fighting.
  - No loitering.
  - No possession or consumption of any drugs (including medical and recreational marijuana which are also illegal on tribal land).
  - No lewd or lascivious behavior.
  - Only service animals are permitted.
  - No modification of any Casino Del Sol structure or posting anything on the walls.
  - No masks which impair vision.
  - No guns which use explosives to fire, per tribal law, including Single Action Shooting Society (S.A.S.S.).
  - Blades that exceed 4 inches long are illegal on tribal land. (Exception is any blades purchased in the vendor hall which must be immediately transported to your vehicle upon purchase - not kept in your room.)
  - All weapons will be inspected by WWWC security upon entry.
  - Touch of any persons or personal property shall be done with consent only.
- Attendees may be removed from the premises, without compensation or refund, for violations of WWWC or CDS rules and regulations. Security personnel from WWWC and CDS have the authority to enforce all rules.

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## ARISTOCRAT'S LOUNGE

Access to the Aristocrat's Lounge is with an Aristocrat pass **only**. Passes will be checked at the door.

## ABOUT THIS PROGRAM

**Event Titles are shown in bold**  
**Event times and locations are red**  
**The groups or people presenting are blue**  
 Event descriptions are black

Any notes regarding costs and specific attendance limits are in green and red. (Some events may have a cost even for Aristocrats.)

- All costs are to be paid in U.S. cash or via Credit/Debit Card. We do not accept checks.
- Workshop and Make & Take sales occur online. The spots not previously sold are available at the WWWC Guest Services Booth.

## ICON KEY FOR ACTIVITY TYPES:

			
Panel	Workshop	Event	Aristocrats only

**18+** Restricted to ages 18 and over.

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## EVENT LOCATIONS

- Ballrooms E, F, G, I+J, Salon A**
  - Panels.
- Ballroom H**
  - Workshops.
- Aristocrat's Speakeasy in Salon B**
  - An exclusive place for Aristocrats to relax and enjoy special events.
- Vendor Hall**
  - Vendors, Artist Alley, Fan Tables.
- Main Hallway**
  - Guest Services, WWWC Security, Fan Tables and WWWC Charity.
- Pool Area**
  - For Hotel Guests Only.

## TIPS & SUGGESTIONS!

- Remember to drink **plenty of water**.
- Rest as needed.
- Purchase your workshops early!
- Report any suspicious behavior.
- Have fun!

## SPARK PROJECT COLLECTIVE *Four of Wands*

At the Spark Project Collective, we provide support for empowerment, growth, and education by utilizing the tattoo industry as a vehicle to help those in need.

As a non-profit, we are committed to giving all proceeds back to the local community and enhancing lives through the gift of the arts.

Total Value Donated  
**\$847,530**

If you would like to support Spark Project Collective please visit our website for volunteer and donation opportunities.

	<b>74,248</b> Toys Donated
	<b>12,200</b> Hygiene Kits Donated
	<b>13,027</b> Clothing Items Donated
	<b>119,000</b> Food Bank Meals Donated

Learn more and get involved at:  
[www.SparkProjectCollective.com](http://www.SparkProjectCollective.com)

## MARCH 9 • THURSDAY

### Registration

6pm - 9pm THU • Main Hallway  
Guest Services Team

Registration for Volunteers, Entertainers and Guests. Save time and meet our friendly team.

### Opening Welcome Social

7pm - 9:30pm THU • Ballroom F+G  
Guest Services Team

Free social event for everyone.

**Featuring:** Premium Cash Bar • Free Appetizers • A fun pre-convention hang-out session!

### Hookah Social

9pm - 11pm THU  
Pool Area (Hotel Guests Only)  
Mike Meyer

Come hang out with fellow Steampunks and enjoy some free Hookah fun!

## MARCH 10 • FRIDAY

### 10:00 AM > FRIDAY

#### Revisiting the World of LARP

10am FRI • Ballroom E

Tobias McCurry & Marshal Hunter

Live Action Roleplaying (LARP) is a form of roleplaying where players physically act out their characters' actions. Join published worldbuilding author Marshal Hunter and prop maker, entertainer, and event producer Tobias McCurry for a discussion on the current state and future direction of LARP. With a combined experience of over a decade in the hobby, they will offer insights on how to get started in LARP, how to create immersive experiences, and where the hobby is headed. Don't miss this opportunity to learn from the pros and enter the world of LARP.

#### Inside the Shop of J.W. Kinsey

10am - 12pm FRI • Ballroom F

J.W. Kinsey

A panel for those who like to make things! An invigorating romp through the methodologies, processes, and inspiration of a few recent projects. A pictorial extravaganza with an open discussion to inspire and bedazzle: not for the faint of heart.

#### Props, Colors and More

10am FRI • Ballroom G  
Lord Mason

Have a nice sitdown conversation about what it takes to create art, no matter what you use, and how to transform it using various colour techniques.

#### Disabilities in the 1920's

10am FRI • Ballroom I+J

Sterling Silverman & MJ Kammuller

Join us for a history lesson on disabilities in the 1920's, from the founding of the American Foundation for the Blind to the reappearance of eugenics, not everything was roaring during this time.

#### Steampunk on a Budget

10am FRI • Salon A  
Lord & Lady Towers

Are you looking to make an amazing Steampunk outfit but low on cash? Come join us in a discussion on how to make easy outfits, props, and decor for just pocket change! From tips and tricks on where to find the best stuff, to how to turn what you already have into amazing Steampunk gear, don't miss this panel to get some frugal ideas!

#### Basics of Buckram Trillian Fascinator

10am FRI • Ballroom H

Shelly Jackson

Cost: \$34 • Max Capacity: 25

Shelly Jackson is a buckram and wire milliner from Reno, NV. She has been active in west coast Steampunk for over a decade and sewing for most of her life. Shelly is now dedicated to homeschooling her kids, pampering her huskies, and making art for the sake of art. Find her work on Instagram @ ClockworkMonsterReno or get updates on Facebook at ClockworkMonster.

### 11:30 AM > FRIDAY

#### Foamsmithing 101

11:30am FRI • Ballroom E

Brian Fadrosch & Tobias McCurry

Questions about how to create amazing props and armor out of EVA foam? Brian Fadrosch and Tobias McCurry have all the answers. They don't always agree on which answers are the correct ones, but that is part of the fun. These master foamsmiths cover all the bases of basic foamsmithing from choosing the right foam to putting on the finishing touches to your epic build.

#### Theatre of the Historically Improbable

11:30am FRI • Ballroom G

Cl Erasmus Drake & Dr. Sparky McTrowell

Drake & McTrowell present for your participatory amusement short skits replete with two-bit humor, dubious science, and historical improbability; and our readings brought to life by audience members with sock puppets.

#### The Taunting: A Family Friendly Audience Participation Mystery Panel

11:30am FRI • Ballroom I+J

Lillie Mae's Mystery & Mayhem

The classic tale of a will, a haunted house and a lunatic. Five heirs are asked to stay the night in their uncle's haunted mansion in order to inherit his fortune. One by one, the heirs are being taunted. Can you figure out who is doing the dastardly deed?

#### Villain's Meeting

11:30am FRI • Salon A

Doc Synchronous, Edward Skrimshaw & Other Members of L.O.S.E.R.

The League of Supremely Evil Revolutionaries will meet to plan their next evil plot to be carried out during the weekend. With S.M.U.G.G. actively striving to put an end to villainous deeds, it will take those with the drive to plan the "Crime of the Weekend" to show up.

#### A Stitch in Time

11:30am FRI • Ballroom H

Lady De L'Etoile

Cost: \$9 • Max Capacity: 20

Want to make your own cosplay garments but you don't have a machine? Need a quick repair

of something you already own, but you just don't know how? Join cosplay creator Lady De L'Etoile in a hands-on lesson for beginners of 3 essential hand-sewing stitches for costume creation or repair. Scrap fabric, needles and thread will all be provided for the participants.

#### Meet & Greet: Bruce Rosenbaum

11:30am FRI • Aristocrat Lounge

Bruce Rosenbaum has been dubbed the Steampunk Guru by the *Wall Street Journal* and Steampunk Evangelist by *Wired Magazine*. Bruce's functional Steampunk artwork has been featured in the *Boston Globe*, *The Chicago Tribune*, *The New York Times*, *Architectural Digest*, CNN, NPR and featured on MTV, A&E, HGTV and Netflix.

Bruce's company, ModVic, works with clients all across the world to take period, repurposed, personal and meaningful objects, and creatively infuse them with modern technology to transform the ordinary into incredible Steampunk functional placemaking art. The Steampunk art and design process celebrates history, while setting a path for a reimagined better future -- telling the personal stories of objects, individuals, organizations and places.

Bruce's Steampunkinetics workshops builds art and history into science helping to promote STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, ART and Math) for atypical and neurotypical children and adults.

### 1:00 PM > FRIDAY

#### Western Territorial Tea Duelling

1pm FRI • Ballroom E

Madame Askew & The Grand Arbitrator

Not only was the west wild, so was its Tea Duelling! Join Madame Askew & The Grand Arbitrator as they discuss the finer points of this rough and tumble-weed version of Tea Duelling with a small Tourney! Winners will take home beautiful "Tokens of Honor"!

#### Steampunk Foamsmithing

1pm FRI • Ballroom F

Lord Mason

Join Lord Mason in a deep conversation about how to transform foam into a steampunk aesthetic.

## Confidence Beyond the Costume

1pm FRI • Ballroom G

Leah Blaydon, Brian Fadrosch & Sheila Fadrosch

Wish you could keep the amazing feeling you get at conventions in your every day life? Learn tips and tricks from people you may think are very confident! This panel is interactive and encourages audience participation.

## Let's Talk Ties!

1pm FRI • Ballroom I+J

Ivy Chapman & Dee Astell

Ever wanted to learn about some of the more interesting tie knots, or learn to create them yourself for your costuming personas? Join us as Ivy takes you into the world of ties and demonstrates some of the most basic and intriguing knots around.

## Apocalypse Later Roadshow

1pm FRI • Salon A

Hal C. F. Astell of Apocalypse Later

The Apocalypse Later Roadshow is back for a ninth year to bring you the best in steampunk short films from around the world. Different films each day. This is set 1 of 3.

## Soldering Your Own LED Circuits

1pm FRI • Ballroom H

Tim Holt of Flinn's Accoutrements

Cost: \$34 • Max Capacity: 30

Learn soldering basics, power supply selection, LED selection, and wire selection. This is a simple battery pack with a built-in switch soldering 3 connections or based on project design needs. Each person will solder their own LED project themselves. Acquire another skill in your maker journey called convention life.

## Meet & Greet: Wheeler "Doc" Stone

1pm FRI • Aristocrat Lounge

Wheeler Stone (aka Doc Stone) is the owner-operator and principal artist of Doc Stone Studios in Winchester, VA. He has been a leather artist and metal worker for over 25 years and is recognized for his designs worldwide. Type Steampunk into any search engine and you will see one of his completely original designs in just a few pictures. As owner-operator of the Key City Steampunk Festival in Frederick, MD and the owner of Steampunk Frederick MD, Wheeler brings his theater and production skills

to the public with an upcoming event that is in its 6th successful year. As the Makers' Maker, Wheeler throws his heart and soul into his art and shares his techniques and knowledge freely. Wheeler's workshops reflect his propensity for fun and shenanigans while also leaving his audience with valuable take-home information to further their own projects. Wheeler recently designed the set for Maryland Ensemble Theater's production of *1984* and has years of set design and production in his resume'. As a film actor, Wheeler has acted recently in *House of Cards*, 3 separate roles in AHC's *American Titans*, Reality TV show *Suddenly Royal* and an upcoming TV engagement to be announced. Movie credits include - *Good Will Hunting*, *The Crucible*, *The Firm* and many more.

## British Rules Nerf!

1pm FRI • Grassy Field in the Pool Area

Sign-up at the WWC11 Guest Services desk beforehand, signups end when full or an hour before the event.

No Cost • Limited Capacity • Sign-up is Required

This event is tournament-style duels with British Rules: begin back-to-back, weapons will have the same number of darts, in hand and primed, 5 paces turn and fire, one foot must stay planted on the ground, hits count anywhere, if no one hits then the last one with one dart left wins, no reloading. All participants strongly encouraged to bring their own Nerf weapons using standard Elite darts, but we will also have some guns and darts available. Eye protection should be worn for those who don't wear glasses or goggles. Nerf weapons don't need to be painted or steampunked for use in the tournaments.

## 2:30 PM > FRIDAY

### Leather Working 101

2:30pm FRI • Ballroom E

Wheeler "Doc" Stone & Karianne

Are you interested in working with leather? This panel will go over the beginning technique and tools needed to begin your journey into leatherwork. There will be something to learn for everyone regardless of the level of experience. There will also be a leather working 102 later in the weekend for more experienced leather workers.

## Dancing with Wolves

2:30pm FRI • Ballroom F

Lori Herron, Debbie Arthur, Na-il Emmert & Maritza Keefe

Loosen your corset and let down your gears. We have some dancing to do! Lykiska will break it down and make it EZ. Fun too!

## Space Western vs Weird Western

2:30pm FRI • Ballroom G

David Boop & David Lee Summers

Both weird westerns and space westerns have seen growth over the last decade or so. Are they the same thing? Can *Cowboys & Aliens* and *Firefly* truly be cut from the same cloth? Come hear from authors who have crafted such tales of western expansion from the Old West to the Final Frontier.

## Origins of A.S.G.A.R.D.

2:30pm FRI • Ballroom I+J

A.S.G.A.R.D. & Lady Wheelsworth

Join A.S.G.A.R.D. and Lady Wheelsworth for an immersive tale as our favorite mechanic ponders the story of A.S.G.A.R.D.'s origins, told from the pages of the inventor's old journal. Hold onto your hats! A.S.G.A.R.D. might try to borrow them!

## Villainy 102: Villains Aren't Born, They're Created

2:30pm FRI • Salon A

Doc Synchronous, Edward Skrimshaw & Other Members of L.O.S.E.R.

So you wish to be someone other than yourself but would like help to do this? This L.O.S.E.R. workshop will go through steps to create a character that you can portray while trying to take over the world (heroes can learn this too).

## Bow Tie Creations

2:30pm FRI • Ballroom H

Dee Astell & Ivy Chapman

Cost: \$19 • Max Capacity: 25

In this workshop you can decorate a bow tie to fit your persona. Bow ties, fabric paint, and assorted decorations included.

## Meet & Greet: Lord & Lady Towers

2:30pm FRI • Aristocrat Lounge

Lord and Lady Towers are a steampunk maker duo known for their larger than life creations such

as fantastical Steampunk Vehicles, Giant Steam-Powered Dinosaurs, and Mechanical Backpacks! Located out of Brookings, OR, these two are often spotted walking around trying to find their wayward time vortex. Currently featured in the game *Twisted Skies* and *Zephyr: Winds of Change*, their props and costumes have also been featured in multiple web series and music videos and won several awards for best costume and prop design. Known for their kindness and quirky senses of humor, checking out this unique steampunk duo is a must for those interested in unique creations and great conversations!

## 4:00 PM > FRIDAY

### Splendid Teapot Racing

4pm FRI • Ballroom E

Madame Askew & The Grand Arbitrator

Join Madame Askew & The Grand Arbitrator for the annual Wild Wild West Con Splendid Teapot Race! Turn down the dark corners of the 20's and join us for this exciting race to the finish avoiding hazards most foul! Sign up in advance (or 15 minutes early) to bring your own racer for a chance at glory!

### Intro to Dancing with Silk Fans

4pm FRI • Ballroom F

Shannon M. of Unclaimed Treasures

Let's DANCE! In this Introduction to Dancing with Silk Fans, we'll explore the fabulous art of fan dance! No experience is necessary as we'll cover beginner movements and styles relevant to all manner of dance including belly dance, burlesque, and flow arts. We'll discuss how to shop for your own silks and tips on how to care for them. You've been sitting in panels \*all day\* so let's stretch and Dance It Out! Come try something new or add to your Silk Fan dance repertoire! See you on the dance floor :) \*\*Comfortable, flexible, dance clothing/shoes are recommended for this class.

### What Now? The Past, Present & Future of Steampunk

4pm FRI • Ballroom G

K. W. Jeter & Bruce Rosenbaum

Steampunk Art, Design and Literature come together as Bruce Rosenbaum talks about how his Steampunk art and design fuses history (past) + art (present) + technology (future), and K.W. Jeter talks about where Steampunk as a literary genre has been, where it's at now and where it could be going.

## Con Safety

**4pm FRI • Ballroom I+J**

**Orbit R Brown, Missy Moody, Joshua Kurt Jurgens & Bunny Kins**

How to safely navigate a con safely and what to do when problems occur.



## The Jazz Age & Forensics

**4pm FRI • Salon A**

**Madame Perry & Matt Joyner**

Before science got involved, "Who done it?" was anybody's guess or misfortune. How a medical examiner and a toxicologist launched forensics and set the stage for NCIS.



## Picture Frame Workshop

**4pm FRI • Ballroom H**

**Dee Astell & Ivy Chapman**

**Cost: \$14 • Max Capacity: 30**

Paint and decorate your own personal steampunk frame. Assorted wooden frames to choose from, paint, Rub 'n Buff, gears, and decorative accessories included.



## Meet & Greet: A.S.G.A.R.D.

**4pm FRI • Aristocrat Lounge**

MJ Kammueler, creator of A.S.G.A.R.D., is a professional picture framer by day, and a creative whirlwind at all times. Between her art, writing, maker projects, and musical education, steampunk influences every creative aspect of her life. She has recently finished her first full-length steampunk novel, and frequently holds informative panels on character development and design for cosplay at several conventions.



## 6:30 PM > FRIDAY

### Dedication vs Motivation: Making Even When You Don't Want To

**6:30pm FRI • Ballroom G**

**Tayliss Forge**

Answering the question: "How do you keep making, even when you don't want to?" Learn tips and tricks to get yourself working from someone who has difficulty themselves.



### Steampunk Punch & Judy Present The Wide World of Puppetry

**6:30pm FRI • Ballroom I+J**

**Connie Gal**



Steampunk Punch and Judy present an interactive, audience-participation puppetry program for all ages. See puppets from around the world, and have the opportunity to try your hand at being a puppeteer. Learn tricks of the trade, try out your character voice, and ask your questions about puppetry and incorporating a puppet into your Steampunk cosplay experience.

### I Can Steampunk That!

**6:30pm FRI • Salon A**

**Joe R. Cluck, Barbara Cluck & Weldon Cluck**

Got a character you like and want to Steampunk it? We'll explore these things that make your character special and how we can transition them to the Steampunk world. Comic book, Disney, cartoons, video games; you can Steampunk it. We'll look at colors, shapes, props and how we can combine these in the world of Steampunk.



### Stylish Steamy Earrings

**6:30pm FRI • Ballroom H**

**Dee Astell & Ivy Chapman**

**Cost: \$19 • Max Capacity: 30**

In this workshop, make a lovely pair of earrings to add to your Steampunk collection. Your choice between stud or dangling style. Assorted earring base styles, gears and other ornaments included.



### Meet & Greet: Karianne Gottschalk

**6:30pm FRI • Aristocrat Lounge**

Get ready to meet Karianne Gottschalk, the queen of creativity and owner of three epic businesses in Detroit, MI: Versidian Armory, Dungeons and DiceBags, and Freya's Foundry. With almost 20 years of experience as a full-time professional leather artist, Karianne knows a thing or two about crafting the coolest stuff on the planet. From leather D20 dice bags and purses to rollable leather dice and handmade resin dice, she's got all your Dungeons & Dragons needs covered. But that's not all - Karianne is also a jewelry smith and adventurer, traveling the country in search of the most stunning semi-precious rocks and minerals to turn into one-of-a-kind wearable art. Karianne is a true jack-of-all-trades with skills in tattoo artistry, metalsmithing, costuming, prop building, and more. She was even featured on the hit reality TV show *Steampunk'd* as a leather worker, fabricator, prop maker, and Steampunk designer. So if you're into woodworking, carving, painting, steampunking furniture, photorealistic art, or just want to surround yourself with the coolest stuff on the planet, Karianne is the person to know.



## 7:00 PM > FRIDAY

### Steam Heat: Drag and Burlesque Show

**7pm FRI • Ballroom E**

**Produced by Randy Wilde & Freddy Prinze Charming; Emceed by Madame Askew and the Grand Arbitrator**



## 8:00 PM > FRIDAY

### Steampunk Crossovers

**8pm FRI • Ballroom G**

**Orbit R Brown, Missy Moody, Joshua Kurt Jurgens & Bunny Kins**

Come learn how to add Steampunk to existing characters.



### Steampunk Stuffie Social Hour

**8pm FRI • Ballroom I+J**

**Deena Drotman**

Grab your favorite stuffed animals/dolls, dress them up in Steampunk, and join us for treats and drinks!



### We've Always Been Awful: De-Romanticizing the Past

**8pm FRI • Salon A**

**Chief Haazard & The Necrofessor**

The history you didn't know you didn't know. From the Bone Wars to The Great Molasses Flood, the San Francisco bubonic plague outbreak to the Spanish Flu. Chief Haazard and the Necrofessor take a moment to reassure you that the past was never the good old days, and we have in fact, Always Been Awful.



### Curiosity Cabinet "In-A-Jar"

**8pm FRI • Ballroom H**

**Shannon M. of Unclaimed Treasures & Danielle L. of Earthly Leather Design**

**Cost: \$29 • Max Capacity: 25**

The Cabinet of Curiosity dates back to the 16th century and has a rich history across a spectrum of humble collectors and prominent socialites. A predecessor to the modern museum, they often housed a collection of objects including natural history, geology, historical relics, and antiques. In this workshop, we will be crafting our OWN micro version inside a glass jar! Join us to create your own miniature Curio Cabinet display and begin, or add to, your own collection! Limit: one jar per person, and all materials will be provided.



## 9:30 PM > FRIDAY

### Gears are Ruining Steampunk

**9:30pm FRI • Ballroom F**

**Tayliss Forge, Tobias McCurry & Taylor Frost**  
Please join us for a satirical comedy about a hotly debated topic in the Steampunk community: gears.



### Mona's Madlibs

**9:30pm FRI • Ballroom G • 2 Hour Panel**

**Mona Ventress**

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



### Hobby Horse Polo!

**9:30pm FRI • Ballroom I+J**

**Professor & Lady Brandywine**

A HIGHLY simplified version of the Game of Kings! Two teams of 3-5 players (teams must be of equal in number) will play in 3 three minute "chukkas" (periods). Whilst staying mounted upon their hobby horses, teams will attempt to get the ball into the opponents' net using ONLY the Wonker (mallet). Mallets will be provided, as will some mounts, however please feel free to bring your own Hobby animal and show off your mount!



### Tales from the Bandolier of Legends

**9:30pm FRI • Salon A**

**Professor Taelstrum**

Join Professor Taelstrum, a storyteller from the Northern Climes, as he leads you on tales that will re-ignite your sense of wonder and remind you that the impossible is not only probable but within your reach.



### Authors of Steampunk

**9:30pm FRI • Ballroom H**

**Diesel Jester, K. W. Jeter, David Lee Summers & David Boop**

Get to know some of the authors who have written in the genre along with a friendly Q&A about the industry.



## 11:00 PM > FRIDAY

### Dungeons & Dragons

11pm FRI • Ballroom F  
Karianne

Please join Karianne for a mini D&D session!

### Cog Match Game

11pm FRI • Ballroom I+J

Madame Askew & The Grand Arbiter

Madame Askew & The Grand Arbiter present the Cog Match Game: Live at Wild Wild West Con! Compete with vigor and match the wavelength of our esteemed panelists and win the greatest prize: Clout. For those who have not yet played, the Cog Match Game is similar to the Match Game in which you attempt to match the answers of our panel of wacky personalities. Please join us for the frivolity.

### Ghost Town Ghost Stories

11pm FRI • Salon A

Beth Dolgner

The American Southwest is filled with ghost towns, and for every ghost town, there is at least one ghost story. Join us as we meet some of the spectral residents of these abandoned boomtowns from the 1800s.

### Where the Large Props At?!

11pm FRI • Ballroom H

Chief Haazard, Lord Mason & Lord Towers

Here, the large props are here. Come visit Lord Towers, Lord Mason, and Chief Haazard as they show off their favorite ideas, designs, and visions to help you and others be inspired to try and build one of your own! Props are a big part of Steampunk, and this crew of makers wants to encourage and guide the next chapter of its evolution. Want Lights? Sound? Movement? Someone on this panel will have the answers you need and help you keep your piece from getting too heavy and unwieldy. Questions are encouraged!

## MARCH 11 • SATURDAY

### 10:00 AM > SATURDAY

#### Ins and Outs of Competing in Cosplay

10am SAT • Ballroom E

Thermocosplay, Thermosidekick, Jinx Cosplay & Chris the Cosplay Handler

Navigating the cosplay competition circuit can be pretty difficult, especially if you're new or you've been on hiatus. Never fear, we've gone on a journey to help you figure out competition levels, presentation requirements, work in progress expectations and more!

#### The Trivialities of Making Shiny Things

10am SAT • Ballroom F • 2 Hour Panel

J.W. Kinsey

The blending of ornately whittled exotic woods with meticulously machined metals smooched into delightful expressions of splendidous sparkliness: a discussion of the Craft within the integration of fine wood, royal metals, esoteric bespoke tooling, and trained kangaroos.

#### Learn to Lindy Hop!

10am SAT • Ballroom G

Lady De L'Etoile & Brian Fadrosch

Lindbergh hopped across the Atlantic in 1927 and the Lindy craze began! Learn the basics of this fun dance style that originated in Harlem, NYC in the late 1920's. This will be a BEGINNER LESSON, open to everyone, whether you have danced before or not. You do not need to come with a partner, we will partner up all solo dancers. Don't be a wallflower, come boogie down with us!

#### Q&A with Bruce Rosenbaum

10am SAT • Ballroom I+J

Bruce Rosenbaum

Q&A with Steampunk Guru Bruce Rosenbaum. Come ask any burning questions you have for this spendid gentleman!

#### Vamp It, Velma!

10am SAT • Salon A

Madame Perry

Vampire as make-up style was the cat's meow in the roaring 20's! Skincare, make-up, and rouged knees, oh my! Get the bird's eye lowdown on how dames stayed swell! Demonstration with a model.

#### Stylish Steamy Hair Clips or Lapel Pins

10am SAT • Ballroom H

Dee Astell & Ivy Chapman

Cost: \$19 • Max Capacity: 30

In this workshop, make a lovely hair clip or lapel pin to add to your Steampunk collection. You decide which one you'd like to create. Filigree, clip, pin backs, gears, and other ornaments included.

### 11:30 AM > SATURDAY

#### A Courtesy of Compliments: Compliment Duelling

11:30am SAT • Ballroom E

Madame Askew & the Grand Arbiter

Whether it's compliments at 50 paces, courtesies at dawn, or gallantry until first blush, Compliment Duelling has settled matters of honour, averted terrible strife and resulted in a few famous engagements. Join Madame Askew and the Grand Arbiter as they teach the ancient, honorable art of compliment duelling and host a small tourney.

#### A Ne'er-Do-Well's Compendium: An Interactive Q&A

11:30am SAT • Ballroom G

Tobias McCurry

Join Tobias McCurry, prop maker and event producer, in an interactive Q&A where anything goes. Bring questions on *Steampunk'd*, musical theatre, or any other topic. Tobias will share stories and insights from his diverse career in prop making and event production. Bonus: bring a margarita for an extra fun time!

#### Short Fiction, Flash Fiction and Micro Fiction: When is "Short" Short Enough?

11:30am SAT • Ballroom I+J

David Boop

With push technology and streaming everything, the need for quicker reads are becoming the standard. Hemingway proved you could write a story in six words, but should we? Learn from the pros who write precisely and still tell a rippin' good yarn.

#### Apocalypse Later Roadshow

11:30am SAT • Salon A

Hal C. F. Astell of Apocalypse Later

The Apocalypse Later Roadshow is back for a ninth year to bring you the best in steampunk short film from around the world. Different films each day. This is set 2 of 3.

#### Glowing Glass

11:30am SAT • Ballroom H

Dee Astell & Ivy Chapman

Cost: \$29 • Max Capacity: 15

In this workshop you will decorate a glass block with assorted decorations. Fairy lights will be provided, so you can create a night light or use it without the lights and create a piggy bank. (Block has opening with a plug at the top.) Glass block, small string of lights, and assorted decorations included.

#### Meet & Greet: Tayliss Forge

11:30pm SAT • Aristocrat Lounge

Tayliss Forge is a non-binary designer, maker, and model located in Orange County, CA. They are a full-time bridal seamstress who specializes in full-body alterations, beading, repairs, custom sleeves, and custom accessories. Tayliss is also a professional in corset making, leatherworking, and transformation alterations. Many of their costumes are heavily influenced by historical fashion, science fiction, and fantasy. They also enjoy making replicas of props, jewelry, and clothing from films, TV shows, anime, video games, or board games. For over a decade, Tayliss has made creations to bring to conventions, themed events, LARPs, and festivals. Their work has been featured on web shows, music videos, Broadway performances, and TV shows. It is their pleasure to teach other crafters tips and tricks to make one-of-a-kind pieces. Tayliss is overjoyed to be back at WWWC to answer any and all questions!

### 1:00 PM > SATURDAY

#### Western Territorial Tea Duelling

1pm SAT • Ballroom E

Madame Askew & The Grand Arbiter

Not only was the west wild, so was its Tea Duelling! Join Madame Askew & The Grand Arbiter as they discuss the finer points of this rough and tumble-weed version of Tea Duelling with a small Tourney! Winners will take home beautiful "Tokens of Honor"!

## Mars: A World Across the Aether P

**1pm SAT • Ballroom F**

**David Lee Summers**

During the Victorian age, Mars became known as a place with deserts, mountains, and possibly even canals and life. This presentation tells the story of Mars and its connections to Arizona and people like Nikola Tesla.

## Steampunk World Building P

**1pm SAT • Ballroom G**

**Diesel Jester**

As genre writers, we need to create the world that our characters live in. Sometimes it's similar to our own, while other times it is vastly different. In this panel, we will discuss the nuts and bolts of world-building.

## Cosplay with Your Kiddo P

**1pm SAT • Ballroom I+J**

**MJ Kammueler & Victoria**

Cosplay is a family sport! We'll talk about what we've learned along the way, including letting your little one lead the project, budgeting for the costume, and planning for growth spurts!

## Villainy 106 - Famous Villains on Screen P

**1pm SAT • Salon A**

**Doc Synchronous, Edward Skrimshaw & Other Members of L.O.S.E.R.**

What makes the screen villain such a memorable, sometimes comical, and possibly loved character? Looking at some of the famous villains that were portrayed in some fan-favorite films and TV, we will see what makes them so memorable.

## Paint and Take a Steampunk Roaring W Twenties Badge

**1pm SAT • Ballroom H**

**Gilbert Espino Jr., David Oroz, Stephanie Oroz & Blanca Oroz**

**Cost: \$29 • Max Capacity: 30**

We will explain the process, how the badge was sculpted in polymer clay, molded in silicone, and cast in resin. Then you will be given a resin badge to paint with metallic acrylic paints, using a dry brush technique.

## Meet & Greet: Brian & Sheila Fadrosch A

**1pm SAT • Aristocrat Lounge**

Well-known in the Northeast Steampunk scene, Brian and Sheila Fadrosch are the dynamic steampunk cosplay duo behind the YouTube channel *Building Steam*. This award-winning couple are self-taught cosplay creators and love to talk about building practical cosplay skills and cosplay inclusivity. Brian is the award-winning master Foamsmith behind BF Designs and loves creating large armor builds, the more elaborate the better! He most recently was awarded first place at the Baltimore Comic-Con for his *Dungeon & Dragons Lord of Blades* build. Sheila is a fabric artist, known for her attention to detail, individual style, and elaborately beaded and hand-crafted costumes. Under the name *Lady De L'Etoile*, she also teaches fun dance classes at events that get even the most confirmed wallflower out on the dance floor. Brian and Sheila are two of the producers of *Key City Steampunk*. Both are heavily involved with the *Pennsylvania Steampunk* Facebook group of which Brian is the lead administrator. Brian and Sheila love steampunk not just for its aesthetic but for the sense of community it provides.

## Quick-And-The-Dead Wild Wild West Nerf! E

**1pm SAT • Grassy field in the Pool Area**

**Sign-up at the WWC11 Guest Services desk beforehand, signups end when full or an hour before the event.**

**No Cost • Limited Capacity • Sign-up is Required**

Quick-And-The-Dead Wild Wild West: duelists may have up to 3 weapons on their person but not in hand, face each other on opposite ends of the field, will draw on countdown of three, duelists are free to move anywhere on the field once the first shot is fired, first to hit wins, hits count anywhere, if no hits scored then duelist with one shot remaining wins, no reloading. All participants strongly encouraged to bring their own Nerf weapons using standard Elite darts, but we will also have some guns and darts available. Eye protection should be worn for those who don't wear glasses or goggles. Nerf weapons don't need to be painted or steampunked for use in the tournaments.

## 2:30 PM ▶ SATURDAY

### Storytelling with Your Costume P

**2:30pm SAT • Ballroom G**

**Sterling Silverman & MJ Kammueler**

Join the creators of A.S.G.A.R.D. and Lady Wheelsworth as they share what they've learned about the "wow" factors of a good costume to make your cosplay authentic!

### Bodger 101: Fun with Shapes! P

**2:30pm SAT • Ballroom I+J**

**Chief Haazard & The Necrofessor**

While it's existed in the Steampunk community forever, Bodgering seems to be a lesser-known aspect that is slowly falling out of the collective Steampunk consciousness. We're here to fix that! A Bodger is an unorthodox artist whose work is cobbled together from a mishmash of materials that deviate from their intended purpose. Creating great Steampunk art often starts with thinking outside the box. In this panel, we'll help give tips, tricks and inspiration!

### Drake & McTrowell's Hot Potato School of Writing P

**2:30pm SAT • Salon A**

**Cl Erasmus Drake & Dr. Sparky McTrowell**

The authors of *The Adventures of Drake & McTrowell* will lead two guest authors and the audience in a mad-cap improvisational writing game show reminiscent of their signature "Hot Potato" team writing style.

### Design a Steampunk Gatsby Top Hat W

**2:30pm SAT • Ballroom H**

**Lady Evelyn Upson-Downes & Sir Reginald Upson-Downes**

**Cost: \$29 • Max Capacity: 10**

Look dapper and/or devastating in a Top Hat designed and created by you. We provide a black felt Top Hat, trims, feathers, goggles, and gears for you to go to town making a killer chapeau to wear to the Ball or any future events where you wish to dazzle.

## Meet & Greet: Tobias McCurry A

**2:30pm SAT • Aristocrat Lounge**

Tobias McCurry, the founder of Spring Heeled Studios, is a prop maker, entertainer, and event producer based in Seattle, WA who is infamously known for his appearance on the TV show *Steampunk'd*. Tobias works in a myriad of genres ranging from Steampunk to Post-Apocalyptic, creating immersive works involving mixed media to provide memorable moments for the Nerd community at large.

## 4:00 PM ▶ SATURDAY

### Wild Wild West Steampunk Convention Fashion Show E

**4pm SAT • Ballroom E**

**Dee Astell with Emcee Count Chaos**

Come explore the realm of mysticism and whimsy as our steampunk models enchant you with a showcase of their decadent threads.

### The Many Flavours of Punk P

**4pm SAT • Ballroom G**

**David Lee Summers, Cl Erasmus Drake, Diesel Jester**

These days there's everything from Steampunk to Dieselpunk to Atompunk. Does anything differentiate them besides the time period? Do readers stick to one tiny niche or do they explore all the good things?

### So You Wanna Be a Maker? P

**4pm SAT • Ballroom I+J**

**Wheeler "Doc" Stone & Bruce Rosenbaum**

What makes a maker? Are you thinking about turning your hobby into a business? Are you wanting to up your creative game? This panel discussion will be a Q&A session with people who have done just that.

### Wigs 101 P

**4pm SAT • Salon A**

**Lady Alice Cumberbatch**

Does your costume need a little flare? A pop of color? Is hair dye just not working for ya? Try a wig! Wigs 101 will introduce wig basics like wig care, selection, basic styling, and, of course, how to wear a wig and look good doing it!



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BALLROOMS F, G, H, I, J

## CASINO DEL SOL - RESTRICTED BACK-OF-HOUSE AREAS



All Sizes are approximate and are accurate to the best of our ability.

BUSKER AREA A TERRACE



## VENDORS

- Z2 sharing** 3D Printed Fidget Toys  
**A34,A35** A Steampunked Life  
**D6** Author Robert Adauto III  
**A33** Bear's Leathercare Booth  
**Ae17** Blissfully Blended  
**A22** Bridget Wilde  
**A10,Ae05** C & J Goods L.A.  
**A32,Ae16** Clockwork Monster Millinery  
**A02** Creatively Queer Press  
**Ae09** Cursifex  
**Ae02** David Lee Summers / Hadrosaur Productions  
**A16** Diesel Jester - Author  
**Ae01** Diva Dreads  
**Ae04** Doc Stone Studios  
**Z2 share** Dragon Sack  
**C1** Dragonheart Arts  
**A07,A08** DragonMarsh Apothecary and Teas  
**A12,13,14,Ae6 share** Earthly Leather Design  
**A3** Flinn's Accoutrements  
**A4** Flying Skwirl  
**Z2 sharing** GeekMeUpScotty  
**D1** Gesserit Studio  
**A31** Gizmos  
**A26** Hangman Tattoo and Nails  
**Ae18** Hearth Witch Crystals & Botanicals  
**A24** Iron Blood Armory  
**Ae11** KingFrosch  
**A09** Kitten Karnage  
**E1** Laced Up Corsets  
**A25** Little Shop of Stitches  
**Ae15,A28** Madame Huffen-Bustle's Steam Couture  
**A12,13,14,Ae6 share** MadEtcha  
**A20** Maker of Things  
**A1** Manipulations in Wire  
**Ae10** Natural Bling Jewelry  
**D2** OddScura - Shadow Palm Gypsy  
**Ae12** Rainbow Goddess Designs  
**Z5,Comp4** RiddlemeTrue's Leathercraft  
**A15,Z3** Robert J Carmody/WPHS - Tintype Portraits  
**A29,A30** Rusted Phoenix Metal Art  
**D5** Second Time Around  
**Ae13** Sewitchy  
**Z4** Sparkle Sparrow  
**C2** Tamsin L. Silver  
**A5,A6** Tea and Absinthe LLC  
**Corner N&F** The Art of Natalia  
**A21** The Collective Coven  
**Corner N&F** The Comic Bookmoile

- E2,Ee3,SH** The Scribbled Hollow  
**Ae07,Ae08** Tim's Sport Lamps & Fan Gear  
**A23** Tinker Cosplay  
**A11** Unclaimed Treasures  
**A27** UnObtanium Bazaar  
**Ae03** Versidian Armory  
**A17,A18** Victorian Folly  
**D4** Waistcoat Connection  
**D3** Weegonza Bazaar  
**Z6** Windsor Hat Shoppe  
**A25 share** Wolf Den Soaps  
**Ee01** Wordsmith Industries LLC & Mona Ventress  
**Z1** Wyng'd Lyon Creations

## ARTIST ALLEY Art

- Art 1** Ninja Chicken Press  
**2** Goth Geek  
**3** The Snake Bitch  
**4** Dragon & Wolf Designs  
**5** Curiosities  
**6** Creative Expressions by Laura  
**8** Chaotic Great  
**9** Legacy Chronicles  
**10** The Spark Collective  
**12** Twists and Turns

## FAN GROUP TABLES F/G

- F/G1&2** (TRMN) The Royal Manticoran Navy  
**3&4** Arizona Browncoats  
**9** Arizona Steampunk Society  
**13&14** Bleed'n Heart Cove  
**12** Clockwork Alchemy  
**8** L.O.S.E.R.  
**6** LarpLikeRae  
**10** Margaritacon! *Margarita Cash Bar*  
**5&15** Tea Scouts



**STEAMPUNK NERF BATTLES!**

**Fight for Steampunk honor!**  
 Duels and battles Friday 1pm, Saturday 1pm, and Sunday at High Noon!

**No Charge**, but you must register at The **Guest Services desk** to participate!

*More details in the event descriptions.*



## The Great Teddy Bear Hunt!

We need you to be a part of the Teddy Bear Hunt. Of course, no Teddys will be harmed, but we're on the lookout for them all. Have fun and win prizes!

**\$5 fee to join the hunt, and all proceeds go to our charity: Make Way for Books.**

Participants are given an adorable **Teddy Bear keychain** (pictured above) and one card with **6 locations** to collect Teddy Bear stamps!

Each location will require you to **complete a fun task** and once complete you receive a **bear stamp** and **clues** to the next location of the hunt!

**Find all six Teddy Bear stamps by Sunday at 2pm** and be entered into the **grand prize drawing!** The Teddy Bear grand prize drawing will take place at the WWC11 Closing Ceremony (**Sunday at 5:30pm** and you must be present to win).

**The first three people to complete the hunt** get a **special prize!**

Please be respectful of the Vendors that are participating (if they are busy please come back later or wait).

## VENDOR DETAILS

### Tyrannical Piratical Treasures

<https://www.etsy.com/tyrannicaltreasures>  
 Handcrafted Steampunk, pirate, fantasy, and Gothic themed jewelry and leather accessories. Crazy new bags and gadgets!

### RiddlemeTrue's Leathercraft

[www.riddlemetrue.com](http://www.riddlemetrue.com)  
 Whimsical leather goods, including masquerade masks, notebook cover, fantastical maps and more

### Maker of Things

Make Figural lights out of black pipe and wood bases.

### Diesel Jester

<https://dieseljester.com>  
 Author of the Jaegers of the Consortium and Fallen Stars adult oriented romance series who occasionally dresses up for gigs like this one. Find your steamy books here!

### UnObtanium Bazaar

<https://www.unobtaniumbazaar.com>  
 UnObtanium Bazaar collects, curates and consigns hard to find items from all over time and space for those who travel through imagination for work or pleasure. Most of our offerings are artisan made, one-of-a-kind artwork or artifacts, or increasingly rare relics from bygone ages.

### Natural Bling Jewelry

[Naturalblingjewelry.com](http://Naturalblingjewelry.com)  
 Handmade one of a kind jewelry made from metals and gemstones.

### Clockwork Monster Millinery

Tons of \$25 items on sale at two for \$40, including hats, belts and pockets.

## Create a Jeweled Flapper Headband W

**4pm SAT • Ballroom H**

Lady Evelyn Upson-Downes

Cost: \$24 • Max Capacity: 12

Make a sparkly Flapper headband to strut your stuff in during the Roaring 20's. We provide the black sequin headband, feathers, jewel accents, and dangle beads. Some hand sewing is involved, but it's easy peasy and the rest is super glued to last as you dance the night away.

## Meet & Greet: Charles Mason A

**4pm SAT • Aristocrat Lounge**

He is a costume designer/Steampunk artist who's been working in this realm since he was 19 years old and worked for a Hollywood make-up special effects studio, where he learned the fundamentals which carried him to this day. In 2009 he revamped his artistic purpose to become a full-fledged Steampunk artist. He also sculpts, draws, paints, works in costume design, foam smithing, and he's also a pastry chef! Mason lives and breathes art because it gives him the ability to show the world what original art can look like through his imagination and craft.

## 6:30 PM > SATURDAY

### Elements of Steampunk/Industrial Design P

**6:30pm SAT • Ballroom F**

Wheeler "Doc" Stone & J.W. Kinsey

Have you ever wondered what the tricks and inspirational devices that working artists use to create art. Join J.W. Kinsey and Wheeler "Doc" Stone will host an audience participatory discussion on elements of design and the formula for what makes inspired art.

### PatternHacking P

**6:30pm SAT • Ballroom G**

Building Steam/BF Designs & Lady De L'Etoile

Have a cosplay in mind, but you just don't know how to get started? Top tips from the creative team of BuildingSteam on how to hack commercial or purchased patterns for sewing or for EVA foam props to turn the generic outline into your dream cosplay.

### Spooky Tea Leaf Reading E

**6:30pm SAT • Ballroom I+J**

Madame Askew & the Grand Arbiter

Join Madame Askew and the Grand Arbiter as we dive into the fates led by the spooky spirit of dried out Camellias. Have your destiny led by the leaf and learn how to read leaves in Temporal Entourage Style.

## A Reading with K. W. Jeter E

**6:30pm SAT • Salon A**

K. W. Jeter

Come join us for a reading from the esteemed Steampunk author, K. W. Jeter.

## Make Your Own Cybug Pin! W

**6:30 pm SAT • Ballroom H**

Toni the MadEtcha

Cost: \$29 • Max Capacity: 25

Learn to make mechanically inspired insect pins! Pin them anywhere and have a wee cybug friend to accompany you through all of your adventures!

## MargaritaCon Social E

**6:30pm-9pm SAT • Main Hallway**

Come enjoy our special selection of margaritas and hangout with Tobias McCurry!

## 7:00 PM > SATURDAY

### Aristocrat Dinner A

**7pm SAT • Ballroom E**

Emceed by Frank Powers and Performance by The Dusk Folk

## 8:00 PM > SATURDAY

### Curses! P

**8pm SAT • Ballroom F**

Dr. Sparky McTrowell & Colleen Rodriguez

Many cultures have a history of cursing. Though cursing was on the decline during the Victorian era, the Irish continued to be impressively colorful purveyors. This panel explains the structure, "rules," and mechanisms. Attendees will get to craft their own curses.

## Western Territorial Parasol Duelling E

**8pm SAT • Ballroom G**

Danaus & Sidonne - Lady Scientists

Learn the art of parasol duelling, Rock, Paper, Scissors with parasols! With the Western Territorial Rules, we use small street duelling parasols. No physical contact shall be made in this duel, but a victor shall be declared!

## Suffragettes Weapons and Tactics (S.W.A.T.) P

**8pm SAT • Ballroom I+J**

Professor & Lady Brandywine

The emergence of Eastern martial arts in America and its adoption by the Women's Rights movement of the early 20th century. How the suffragettes were pivotal in the Eastern Martial Arts coming to and thriving in America, and how the Martial Arts were pivotal in women gaining the right to vote! Presented by Professor and Lady Brandywine.

## How to Tell Your Story with Props P

**8pm SAT • Salon A**

Joe R. Cluck, Barbara Cluck & Weldon Cluck

Who are you in the steampunk world and how do those around you know that? We'll look at those things that tell you the character's story from the hat, clothes you wear, the accessories on your belt and the props you carry around with you. Are you an aristocrat, gun fighter, air ship captain or crew, maybe a lady assassin? Lets explore the things that make that come alive.

## Trinket Box Workshop W

**8pm SAT • Ballroom H**

Dee Astell & Ivy Chapman

Cost: \$14 • Max Capacity: 30

Paint and decorate your own personal steampunk trinket box. Assorted wooden boxes to choose from, paint, gears, and accessories included.

## 9:30 PM > SATURDAY

### Prop Extravaganza! P

**9:30pm SAT • Ballroom F**

Gabriel Espino, David Oroz, Stephanie Oroz & Blanca Oroz

Learn how to make a prop with a variety of materials and techniques! From EVA foam, resin casting, 3D printing, paper mache, expansion foam, floral foam, epoxy clays, air dry clays, upholstery foam, Worbla, etc!

## How to Survive in a Hoop Dress P

**9:30pm SAT • Ballroom G**

Lady Towers

Have you ever watched someone float by in a hoop dress and thought to yourself... "would love to look like that...but how do they do it!" Well now is your chance to learn the ins and outs of surviving a day in a hoop dress! Come learn the easiest way to navigate even the harshest of terrain, including the dreaded chair, terrifying escalator, and death defying bathroom stall. Demonstrations will be made, and you can even try on a crinoline yourself and give it a go!

## Two Idiots & A Dog Present: Steampunk in Pop-Culture P

**9:30pm SAT • Ballroom I+J**

Zolgar & Grimm

Some say Steampunk is dead, some say it's too mainstream... Join hosts Grimm and Zolgar as they discuss Steampunk in pop culture in this live recording of their podcast. Audience participation is encouraged.

## From Spirits to Suffrage: Women in Spiritualism P

**9:30pm SAT • Salon A**

Beth Dolgner

Spiritualism was all the rage in the Victorian era. No one benefitted more than women, who launched careers, got into politics, and found financial independence, all from the séance table. Meet notable women of Spiritualism!

## Bathtub Gin & the Finer Points of Bootlegging in the 20's P

**9:30pm SAT • Ballroom H**

Damon DeMartin & Ren Spidell

Prohibition banned the sale and use of most alcohol from 1920 to 1933. But it did not stop Americans from drinking. Illegal sources of production and distribution emerged quickly due to the continuing and widespread public desire for alcohol. Join Damon DeMartin and Ren Spidell as they explore the world of bathtub gin and prison wine. Learn the finer points of making mash and distilling liquor. Damon's own grandmother was in the bootlegging business, as was his father as soon as his feet could touch the blocks on the pedals of their Model T. A good time will be had by all.

## 11:00 PM > SATURDAY

**Everything You Want to Know About Cthulhu Mythos (But Were Afraid to Ask)** P

**11pm SAT • Ballroom F**  
Bill Bodden

The Cthulhu Mythos is a confusing tangle of contributions by dozens (now perhaps hundreds) of different authors. Along with trying to clarify a few things, Bill will also recommend a few anthologies of fiction he finds exemplary in presenting definitive stories set in the universe that Lovecraft, Smith, Derleth, Long, et al created.

## Steampunk'd Reunion

**11pm SAT • Ballroom G**  
Charles Mason, Karianne Gottschalk, Tayliss Forge, Tobias McCurry & J.W. Kinsey

Join the cast of *Steampunk'd* on a trip down memory lane.

## Tales from the Bandolier of Legends

**11pm SAT • Ballroom I+J**  
Professor Taelstrum

Join Professor Taelstrum, story teller from the Northern Climes, as he leads you on tales that will re-ignite your sense of wonder and remind you that the impossible is not only probable but within your reach.

## Kill, Marry, Shag: Roaring 20's Edition

**11pm SAT • Salon A**  
Mona Ventress

Ever wonder which jazz singer will leave you bamboozled, bewitched, or bedbugs where the sun don't shine? Can't tell which mobster will steal, break, or treasure your heart? Wondering which crooked politician is worth the headache, political functions, and alimony for years to come? Then come join Mona as we play that classic game Kill, Marry, Shag, and find out just how well you'd do in the the 1920s.

## Dissection of a Séance 3: Spirit Swing

**11pm SAT • Ballroom H**  
The Necrofessor

The Necrofessor is back to bring the swing as we peel back the veil of traditional séance techniques used to swindle Victorian folks out of their money. With a new bag of tricks guaranteed to summon the spirit of Charlie the plastic skeleton.

## MARCH 12 • SUNDAY

### 8:30 AM > SUNDAY

#### Steampunk Swap Meet!

**8:30am - 9:30am SUN • Ballroom H**  
Upcycle with the best and make new friends

Upcycle with the best and make new friends! Bring your Steampunk treasures to share and trade! We have a free space for you to swap your favorite items, outfits, toys, and gear for new favorites! No charge as this is a free time for everyone to trade. *Note: Money should not be exchanged for items.*

### 10:00 AM > SUNDAY

#### Western Territorial Tea Duelling

**10am SUN • Ballroom E**  
Madame Askew & The Grand Arbitrator

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#### Memento Mori: Victorian Death Relics

**10am SUN • Ballroom F**  
Beth Dolgner

The Victorians had interesting ways of remembering their dead loved ones, from post-mortem photos to elaborate hairwork jewelry. We'll explore the relics, and you'll learn how to make your own modern takes on these mementos!

#### The Foamsmith's Toolkit: An Introduction to Working with EVA Foam

**10am SUN • Ballroom G**  
Tobias McCurry

Join Tobias McCurry, the founder of Spring Heeled Studios and expert in costume design and prop making, for an introduction to working with EVA foam for costuming. Learn the tools and techniques of foamsmithing, from designing to cutting and shaping foam for amazing outfits, and get access to resources for beginners. Don't miss this opportunity to learn from a pro and take your costume creations to the next level!

#### Researching the Old West

**10am SUN • Ballroom I+J**  
David Boop & Tamsin Silver

Books, websites, Youtube videos...where can you find the most accurate information and how much accuracy do you even need? Join our panelists as they discuss the need, or lack of need, for an accurate Western experience.

#### Villainy 209 - A Pirate's Life for Me

**10am SUN • Salon A**  
Doc Synchronous, Edward Skrimshaw and other members of L.O.S.E.R.

Piracy in the Steampunk age? Land, Sea or Air? Let the League of Supremely Evil Revolutionaries help you decide.

#### Neck Corset Workshop

**10am SUN • Ballroom H**  
Connie Gal

**Cost: \$29 • Max Capacity: 18**  
You simply embellish the sewn neck corset 'blank' and you're done! Choose one from the variety of patterns/colors/styles of neck corsets available, then choose from the provided decorative trims, buttons, flowers, closures, doilies, beads, gears (and much more) to make your unique accessory. You can also bring your own embellishments. Instruction and consultation is available while you are the 'hands on' artist/maker.

### 11:30 AM > SUNDAY

#### The Tea Scout Shindig

**11:30am SUN • Ballroom E**  
Madame Askew & The Grand Arbitrator

Join Madame Askew & The Grand Arbitrator for a Summit of Tea Scouts! Swap and chat with fellow Tea Scouts from across the country to share in the honest, helpful, courteous and kind adventures you have had over the last year! Not a Tea Scout yet? Join in to learn all about them!

#### Steampunk World Building: Crafting Engaging & Immersive Stories

**11:30am • Ballroom F**  
Tobias McCurry & Marshal Hunter

Join Marshal Hunter, a published Steampunk world-building author, and Tobias, experienced in Live Action Roleplaying productions, for a panel on crafting engaging and immersive stories in the steampunk genre. Learn the key elements of successful world building and storytelling in this unique and captivating style.

#### Leatherworking Q&A

**11:30am SUN • Ballroom G**  
Leah & Steve Blydon

We've assembled a panel of experts to answer your questions about leatherwork. Pick our brains and learn from our experiences. All experience levels welcome!

#### Full Metal Cosplay: Steampunk Metalworking

**11:30am SUN • Ballroom I+J**  
The Department of Automata

A discussion of metalworking techniques and tips as they intersect with cosplay and Steampunk.

#### Apocalypse Later Roadshow

**11:30am SUN • Salon A**  
Hal C. F. Astell of Apocalypse Later

The Apocalypse Later Roadshow is back for a ninth year to bring you the best in steampunk short film from around the world. Different films each day. This is set 3 of 3.

#### A Place for Everything

**1:30am SUN • Ballroom H**  
Nasus Remark & Penelope Steale  
**Cost: \$19 • Max Capacity: 21**

For centuries men and women, boys and girls have needed a place to carry their belongings. This workshop will provide a pouch and items to embellish the pouch to match your style.

#### Meet & Greet: Chief Haazard & The Necrofessor

**11:30am SUN • Aristocrat Lounge**

Chief Haazard is a man of both whimsy and mayhem, with his outlandish props, gimmicks, and naturally high spirits. The Chief has recently become an international Steampunk arms dealer, with many of his signature Nerf mods headed overseas. His large props and gimmicks have found their way into the hands of various performers including Pirates, Lions, Clowns, and Dwarves. He has supplied no small amount of nerf weaponry to *Dystopia Rising* players and helped several interested in cosplay and Steampunk flush out their costumes. That is what the HaazLab was founded on, helping equip cosplayers with that pièce de résistance.

Necrofessor is an interdimensional plague doctor inhabiting the body of Tony Gage, creator of *Plague Life*. It started as a webcomic in 2015 and has grown into animations, short films, music, games, and more chronicling the adventures of the eccentric plague doctor. Necrofessor makes annual appearances in steampunk/sci fi events across the country to perform demonstrations on plague history, necromancy, séances, prop building, as well as maker workshops and interactive exhibits.

## HIGH NOON > SUNDAY

### OK Corral Nerf Battle!

**High Noon SUN • Grassy Field in the Pool Area**  
Sign-up at the WWWC11 Guest Services desk beforehand, signups end when full or an hour before the event.

**No Cost • Limited Capacity • Sign-up is Required**

Tournament style, OK Corral format: maximum 4 teams of up to 4 members per team, each team on opposite ends of the field, all members free to move on the command "throw down", one hit anywhere eliminates a player, team that eliminates all members of its opposition wins. All participants strongly encouraged to bring their own Nerf weapons using standard Elite darts, but we will also have some guns and darts available. Eye protection should be worn for those who don't wear glasses or goggles. Nerf weapons don't need to be painted or steampunked for use in the tournaments.

## 1:00 PM > SUNDAY

### So You Wanna Run Your Own Event?

**1pm SUN • Ballroom F**  
Jason & Deena Drotman

Come join the owners of the Wild Wild West Steampunk Convention as they discuss the tips, tricks and secrets for running your own event and event planning!

### Storytelling Through Costuming

**1pm SUN • Ballroom G**  
Tayliss Forge, Tobias McCurry & Taylor Frost

How to use details in props, costumes, accessories, and make-up to tell other people about your character...without saying a thing.

### Moonshiners, Gangsters & Jazz, Oh My!

**1pm SUN • Ballroom I+J**

Professor & Lady Brandywine

How the 1920's created the modern age and continue to define us into the 21st century. Politics, art, science, and philosophy, have all been hugely impacted by this amazing and turbulent decade. Presented by Professor and Lady Brandywine

### The Unfortunate Side Effects of Time Travel

**1pm SUN • Salon A**

Lord Towers

Come join Lord Towers for a discussion on time travel including the do's and don'ts, how it's portrayed in media, and how to survive if you are inadvertently thrust far into the future or the past.

### Parasol Duelling Holster

**1pm SUN • Ballroom H**

Danaus & Sidonne - Lady Scientists

**Cost: \$24 • Max Capacity:20**

Customize your own street duelling parasol and holster! Receive a 10 lace parasol and cloth holster then choose from a bounty of findings to decorate them both. Finish with a lesson in Western Territorial Parasol Duelling.

### Meet & Greet: Leah Blaydon

**1pm SUN • Aristocrat Lounge**

Leah Blaydon is one half of the Silverwolf Leather dynamic duo, run jointly for the last 7 years with her partner Steve Blaydon. With over a decade of work in soft leather goods under her well-made belt, she brings a unique perspective on form and function into her designs. Her beautiful hand-made cutwork and appliqué have gained her quite the reputation! With a vast and varied resume, this Jill of all trades knows a little about a lot of subjects - including snow-making, metalworking, and knitting.

## 2:00 PM > SUNDAY

### Silent Auction/Raffle Results

**2pm SUN • Ballroom E**

WWWC Charity Department

## 2:30 PM > SUNDAY

### Steampunk Costume Contest

**2:30pm SUN • Ballroom E**

**Hosts: Dee Astell with Emcee Count Chaos**  
Judges: Tayliss Forge, Tobias McCurry & MJ Kammueiler

Dive into the magic and explore the mystery of Steampunk Fashion! You will be hypnotized by the beauty and creativity of our contestants. Applications can be picked up at Guest Services throughout WWWC.

### Leather Working 102

**2:30pm SUN • Ballroom F**

Wheeler "Doc" Stone & Karianne

Are you ready to push your leatherwork to the next level? This panel that builds on Leather Working 101 will go further in depth on the techniques and tools for creation and artistry in leather.

### Family and Group Cosplay

**2:30pm SUN • Ballroom G**

Joe R. Cluck, Barbara Cluck & Weldon Cluck

We will discuss the dynamics of family and group cosplays, from getting everyone of all ages involved in a fun family activity to forming groups to cosplaying together.

### Pockets Through History

**2:30pm SUN • Ballroom I+J**

Lady Towers

Have you ever stuck your hand in a pocket and thought to yourself "Aw yes, this is amazing, but has it always been this way?" Come and learn the history of the pocket, how pockets were an identifier of power, and leave with a free sewing guide to make your own hidden dress pocket!

### Villainy 306 - Villain Songs

**2:30pm SUN • Salon A**

Doc Synchronous, Edward Skrimshaw and other members of L.O.S.E.R.

Villains not only monologue, they are also known to have the best songs. Is it possible to be evil in song? Examine the idea along with L.O.S.E.R.

### Dice Goblins

**2:30pm SUN • Ballroom H**

Natalia Lopez

**Cost: \$24 • Max Capacity: 20**

Build and paint your very own dice goblin! It can be used to store your clacker math rocks or even as a dice jail if your rolls aren't going your way!

### Meet & Greet: J.W. Kinsey

**2:30pm SUN • Aristocrat Lounge**

J.W. has been designing and fabricating various large and small commissions for residential and commercial clientele, as well as Hollywood, for the past twenty-five years. His work is published in several prestigious art books, and has won several unique awards. He has designed and built several installations across the country, and his pieces sell internationally. J.W.'s work has been stylistically consistent since the mid 1990's, inspiration primarily deriving from a Vintage Industrial motif.

J.W. Kinsey's pieces are wondrous fabrications celebrating the joys of craftsmanship from bygone imaginings. Spelunking the bottomless depths of the colloquial "What is it?" and the always nefarious "What's the F'n point?", Kinsey's sculptures capture the viewer's attention, briefly.

J.W. resides with his wife Katelyn in Silverton, OR, and can ride a unicycle.

## 4:00 PM > SUNDAY

### Western Territorial Tea Duelling Finale

**4pm SUN • Ballroom E**

Madame Askew & The Grand Arbiter

Not only was the west wild, so was its Tea Duelling! Join Madame Askew & The Grand Arbiter as they discuss the finer points of this rough and tumble-weed version of Tea Duelling with a small Tourney! Winners will take home beautiful "Tokens of Honor"!

### Ship Cats: Adventure, Courage, and Betrayal

**4pm SUN • Ballroom F**

Dr. Paul Koudounaris

For centuries, sailors welcomed cats aboard, and the finest nautical cats were true heroes. Sailing cats crossed the globe, won medals, and risked their own lives to save the men of their ships. So get ready to set sail and learn the forgotten history of nautical cats!

## Steampunk & Mental Health

**P**

**4pm SUN • Ballroom G**

Orbit R Brown, Missy Moody, Joshua Kurt Jurgens & Bunny Kins

How to use Steampunk and Cosplay as a tool for better mental health.

## Writing the Roaring 20's

**P**

**4pm SUN • Ballroom I+J**

David Lee Summers, Diesel Jester & Dr. Sparky McTrowell

We tend to think of steampunk as set during the Victorian era, but steam power was still widely used in the 20's. What are some ways a writer can set a story in the 20's and still make it feel "Steampunk"?

## Women Scientists in the 1920's

**P**

**4pm SUN • Salon A**

Madame Perry & Matt Joyner

They used radiation therapy for uterine tumors, told us that stars were mostly hydrogen and helium, the effects of metal pollution on rivers, and a great deal more!

## Learn to Play the Victorians' Favorite Card Game

**E**

**4pm SUN • Ballroom H**

Paladin West, Esq.

Cost: \$9 • Max Capacity: 32

Classic Whist—as made famous by Phileas Fogg, Horatio Hornblower, Sherlock Holmes and Jane Austen's heroines. A trick-taking card game, the ancestor of bridge and euchre. We'll provide the cards and a worksheet to help you learn the rules of this iconic Victorian game.

## Meet & Greet: K. W. Jeter

**A**

**4pm SUN • Aristocrat Lounge**

A native of Los Angeles, K. W. Jeter wrote his first novel *Dr. Adder* in 1972; when published twelve years later, Philip K. Dick praised it as "A masterpiece...a truly wonderful novel." Jeter later coined the word "Steampunk," in a letter to *Locus* magazine in April 1987. After residences in England, Spain & Ecuador, he currently lives in Oklahoma City.

## 5:30 PM > SUNDAY

### WWWC11 Closing Ceremonies!

**E**

**5:30pm SUN • Ballroom E**

Come join us for the Wild Wild West Steampunk Convention 11 wrap up!

## BUSKER SCHEDULE *Tips appreciated*

### FRIDAY

**11am** Area A: JEMM Area C: Jypsy Rose

**1pm** Area A: Lykiska

**2pm** Area C: Jypsy Rose

**3pm** Area A: Lykiska

**4pm** Area C: Doc Synchronous

**4:30pm** Area A: JEMM

### SATURDAY

**11am** Area A: Sun & Shadow Area B: JEMM

**Noon** Area A: Lykiska

**1pm** Area A: Sun & Shadow Area C: Jypsy Rose

**2pm** Area A: Doc Synchronous

**3pm** Area A: Dust Folk Area C: Jypsy Rose

**4pm** Area A: Lykiska

### SUNDAY

**11am** Area A: Sun & Shadow Area B: Jypsy Rose

**Noon** Area A: Saguaro Stompers

**1pm** Area C: Doc Synchronous

**2pm** Area A: Sun & Shadow

**3pm** Area A: Lykiska Area B: Jypsy Rose

**4pm** Area A: Dust Folk

## SILENT AUCTION!

Benefiting Make Way for Books!  
**Silent Auction Baskets**  
 and the bidding sheets are  
 at the Charity Table in the main hallway.

**The Silent Auction closes at 1PM Sunday!**

Winners will be announced in Ballroom E  
 before the costume contest at 2PM!

**YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN**  
 Cash or Card accepted

Thank you to all of our generous donors  
 for contributing to our silent auction!

Dusty, Worn Boots?

## BEAR'S LEATHERCARE



## BOOTH

DO YOUR LEATHERS NEED TO BE REJUVENATED? REVITALIZED? BEAR'S LEATHERCARE BOOTH HAS JUST THE THING FOR YOU! STOP BY AND BRING YOUR BOOTS, LEATHER BELTS, AND SADDLEBAGS. SIT BACK AND ENJOY WHILE BEAR BREATHES NEW LIFE INTO THEM. **NO CHARGE, TIPS ARE APPRECIATED**

## CHARITY RAFFLE!

Benefiting Make Way for Books

Join us for our **50/50 raffle** at the **WWWC Charity Table** in the main hallway all weekend long!

**Raffle closes at 1:00pm Sunday!**

Winners will be announced in Ballroom E before the costume contest Sunday at **2PM!**

**YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN**

**\$1 dollar per ticket / \$5 for 6 tickets**  
**\$10 for 12 tickets / \$20 for 25 tickets**

**Steam HEAT** FRIDAY NIGHT 7-9PM

**DRAG & BURLESQUE SHOW**

**\$10 & ALL PROFITS GO TO THE CHARITY MAKE WAY FOR BOOKS**

**THIS IS AN 18+ EVENT**

TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE WWWC11 GUEST SERVICES DESK. **WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!**

## Our first ever Steampunk Swap Meet!

Upcycle with the best  
and make new friends

**8:30am - 9:30am Sunday**  
**In Ballroom H**

Bring your Steampunk treasures to share and trade!

We have a free space for you to swap your favorite items, outfits, toys, and gear for new favorites!

No charge as this is a free time for everyone to trade.

Note: Money should not be exchanged for items.

## THANK YOU

All of our **Volunteers, Managers and Directors** for your hard work and dedication: without you this convention would not be possible!

**Aristocrats** for purchasing passes that go a long way to making this convention possible; we *deeply appreciate* your support.

**Every Guest at the Convention** for attending this event, supporting us and making this so enjoyable. You are the reason we do this every year. *Go Steampunks!*

**WWWC11 Vendors** for filling our Bazaar with amazing products and wonderful services.

**All of our performers and entertainers** for making the convention something very special by sharing your many talents with us all.

**All the wonderful members of the Arizona Steampunk Society** and the **Tucson Steampunk Society** for supporting the convention, promoting the convention at local events and increasing awareness of Steampunk.

**Casino Del Sol** for hosting including **Megan Ryan and Nicole Nevin** for facilitating the convention.

**Hal C. F. Astell** for bringing us the Apocalypse Later Roadshow. [roadshow.apocalypselaterempire.com](http://roadshow.apocalypselaterempire.com)

**Natalia Lopez** for designing the cover art for the program guide.

**Freddy Prinze Charming and Randy Wilde** for facilitating and hosting the drag/burlesque show.

**Our photographers** for always being there to capture moments throughout the weekend.

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Wild Wild West Steampunk Convention is very proud to support MWFb, a wonderful charity that is making a real difference. Literacy is a vital skill that is the cornerstone of many creative efforts. We hope to help the next generation find the same love for books that we share.



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## 1920's BINGO!

**Play our version and win fun prizes!**

Pick up your card at the Manager's Table (Ee02) in the Vendor Hall.

Each square of your bingo game card has various 1920's items, people, slang, or other elements. There are many different topics, so you're not likely to find someone else with the same clues in the same squares.

Keep your eyes peeled and your magnifying glass at the ready: **Somewhere among the Vendor, Fan table, and Artist Alley booths**, you will find different bingo square topics hung up on in their booth.

**Have the vendor stamp your bingo card when you find the matching topic.**

**BINGO!!!** When you've filled out your card, trade it in at the **Manager's Table** (Ee02) for your prize!



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