



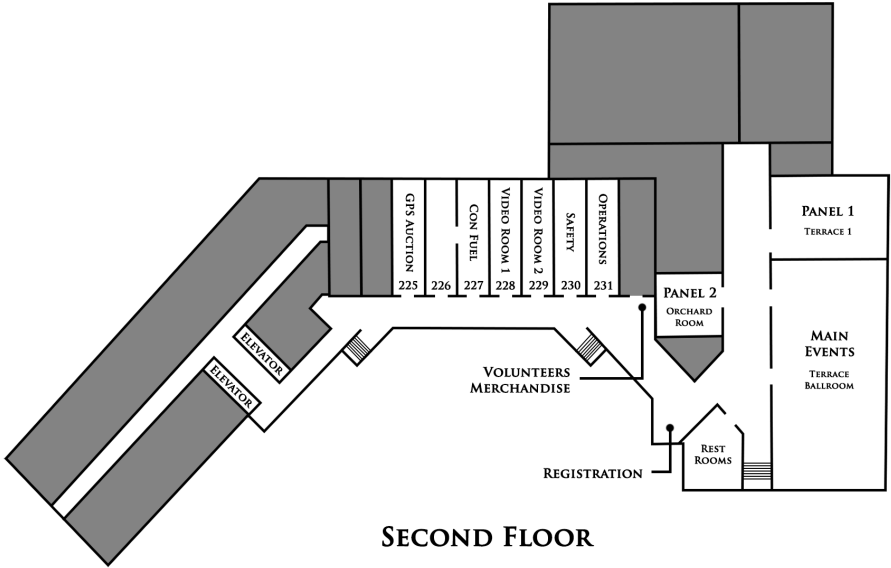
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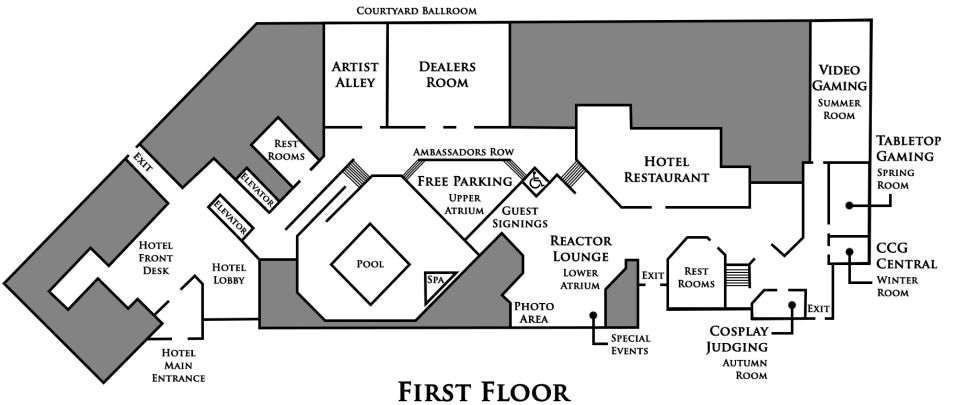
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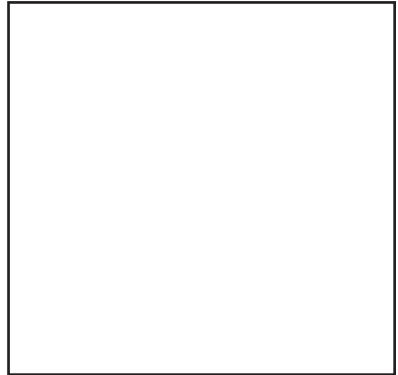


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*Achievement Unlocked!
Stamp collection completed*

A NOTE FROM THE CHAIR

Welcome all to another year of Anime Fusion. Achievement Unlocked: this is year five of our beloved convention. Quad Cities Anime is proud to present to you the fruits of many staffers' labor. A big thanks goes to you, the attendees, for whom we put hours of effort into planning this gathering. Even bigger thanks goes to the Hilton DoubleTree Park Place, for giving us the space on such short notice. If you're thankful like me, be sure to thank both the staff of the DoubleTree and our Quad Cities Anime, Anime Fusion staffers. Without my dedicated few this event could not be possible.

While I'm at it, I'd like to remind each and every one of you that if you feel the calling, we can always use more eager people in our ranks. If it's just volunteering here during the event of Anime Fusion: Achievement Unlocked or a more semi-permanent position on the staff roster year-round, we would love to have you join us in making Anime Fusion the best "small con" in the state.

Anime Fusion is a blend of the old classics of anime as well as the new, just-hit-the-shores-of-the-U.S. anime that we still enjoy. The family-friendly, all-ages convention every October. That being said, this year is something special. We are sharing space with a wedding party. Remember, family-friendly. Wink.

Be good to one another, and enjoy. Anime Fusion 2016: Achievement Unlocked. Now go unlock some achievements for yourself.

Christopher Picotte
Convention Chair
Anime Fusion 2016

ACHIEVEMENT UNLOCKED!

Unlock your own achievement at Anime Fusion this year!

At multiple places in the program guide, you'll find squares like the one at the top of this page. Visit the various departments around the convention and collect all six stamps, then head to Video Gaming for the final stamp and a special prize!

For those who are gamers at heart, Video Gaming also has their own set of challenges where you can collect even more stamps!

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Come join us at Daisho Con!

We are Central Wisconsin's anime/gaming convention! Check out our guests so far! (more to come!)

- » Brina Palencia
- » Ian Sinclair
- » James Marsters



Daisho Con

November 18th - 20th, 2016
Kalahari Resort, Wisconsin Dells

GENERAL INFORMATION



BASIC RULES

- **Don't break the hotel! Signs may only be posted using blue painter's tape.**
- **Be kind to your fellow attendees. Keep the hallways clear, watch out for large props and trailing costumes, and ask permission before taking photos.**
- **No sleeping in any convention spaces. No exceptions.**
- **No real weapons! Live steel is not allowed anywhere in the hotel, even if peace-bonded. Prop guns must be clearly identifiable as props on sight (i.e. marked with orange tips).**
- **Anime Fusion is an all-ages event. Please dress responsibly and keep language clean. Alcohol cannot be carried openly or brought into convention spaces.**
- **If it's illegal outside the convention, it's illegal inside the convention.**

REGISTRATION

ATRIUM BALCONY

Friday: 10 AM - 8 PM

Saturday: 10 AM - 8 PM

Sunday: 10 AM - 3 PM

BADGE PICK-UP: A government-issued photo ID (passport, driver's license, state ID, military ID) is required to be shown before anyone will be issued an adult badge. If you cannot prove your age, you will be issued a minor badge. Anime Fusion reserves the right to not issue a badge to anyone who can't prove their identity. You may not pick up anyone else's badge but your own, even if you have their ID. Anime Fusion encourages everyone to bring proof of payment in the event that you are not listed in our books. Pre-registered individuals and groups may pick up their badges in Operations outside of normal registration hours.

WALK-UP REGISTRATIONS: If you are not registered, you may purchase a full weekend badge, or a day badge at the convention. Walk up registrations will not be processed outside of normal registration hours. Day passes are valid until 10:00 AM the following day.

WALK-UP REGISTRATION RATES: Full Weekend - **\$40**, Friday Only - **\$15**, Saturday Only - **\$25**, Sunday Only - **\$10**

BADGE REPLACEMENTS: Every person is responsible for their badge once it has been picked up. If you lose your badge, you can purchase a new one. Sorry, but we do not offer refunds if your original badge is found. If you do lose your badge, we recommend checking with Operations to see if anyone has turned it in before purchasing another one.

TRANSFERS: You may not give your badge to anyone else or otherwise allow anyone else to use your badge. If you wish to transfer your membership to someone else, you will need to visit the registration counter and request a transfer. No transfers will be processed outside of normal registration hours.

VOLUNTEERS

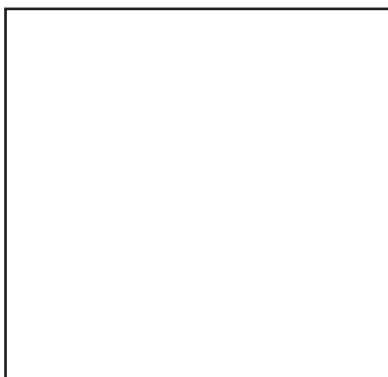
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Volunteers is located just a hop, skip, and a jump from Registration. Once you grab your badge, keep an eye out for our sign and come over to take a look. Our lovely prizes could be all yours for the low, low cost of a few hours' time.

Enjoy people-watching? **Badgers** help keep our hotel Muggle-free. If you are more of an active person, **Con Fuel** is the way to go! Conventions mean lots of hungry people determined to prove they can subsist on rice and ramen* and you'll never be bored. With a new hotel comes a lot of confusion. Enter a crash course of "Where All the Things Are" and help direct frantic congoers to the nearest bathroom as a **Wandering Host**.

Anime Fusion is run by volunteers (yes that includes the Staff!) and we couldn't do it without you. So in advance, and to every volunteer we've had these past years, THANK YOU!

*Please don't do this.



Volunteers stamp



GENERAL INFORMATION



OPERATIONS ROOM 231

Hours: 8 AM - 2 AM

Lost something? Got a question? Need help from staff? Operations is the convention's main office and headquarters of Programming, after-hours badge pickup, and the burgeoning Lost & Found.

As you're wandering the halls, you can always get help or information from members of our Safety team.



Operations stamp

AMBASSADORS ROW COURTYARD BALLROOM HALLWAY

Come and say hello to visiting conventions at the Ambassador Row. Here you can learn about other conventions going on in the area. Stop on by and meet people from Daisho Con, 2D Con, Gamer's Rhapsody, Fargo/Core Con, and PokéCon. Ambassadors Row is located in the hallway outside Artist Alley and the Dealers Room.

CON FUEL & "FREE PARKING" ROOM 227 & UPPER ATRIUM

Friday: 7 PM - 2 AM
Saturday: 9 AM - 2 AM
Sunday: 9 AM - 5 PM

"Con Fuel" is where we serve our attendees FREE rice, ramen, and various thirst-quenching beverages. Please keep in mind, these snacks are only meant to tide you over until mealtime, so always make time for a nutritious meal each day of the convention. "Free Parking" will remain available 24 hours as a place to hang out, relax, and make new friends.

- Sleeping is not allowed in Free Parking (Upper Atrium).
- Everybody is expected to pick up after themselves.
- Please alert staff members of any spills immediately.
- Any personal items left in Con Fuel or Free Parking will be taken to Operations immediately, so always start your search there.

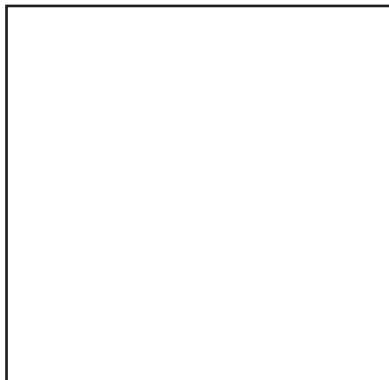


THE REACTOR LOUNGE LOWER ATRIUM

During the main hours of the convention, this is the best place to hang out! Bring games, art supplies, the new comics you just bought in the Dealers Room - there's plenty of table space to go around.

The Reactor Lounge is where you'll find the **Photoshoot Area**. Check the schedule to see when the various photoshoots are. If there isn't a scheduled shoot going on, the photo area is open for anyone to use. The Lounge also serves as a meeting place for certain special events, such as the **Scavenger Hunt** and nightly **Werewolf Games**. The Guest of Honor **Autograph Sessions** will be in this area as well. Keep an eye on the signs to make sure you're in the right place!

Important Note: The Reactor Lounge/Lower Atrium will be closed from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Saturday for another event. Please be respectful of the shared space during this time. The Upper Atrium will remain open as Anime Fusion hangout space.



Con Fuel stamp

GENERAL INFORMATION



MASQUERADE COSTUME CONTEST RULES AND PROCEDURES

All participants are required to attend the stage orientation session on Saturday and the Masquerade show.

Sign-ups will be open until stage orientation on Saturday or until full. To access the stage, cosplayers will need to pass through a small hallway and climb a few stairs, so please plan your costume accordingly. All costumes must adhere to the general cosplay rules of the convention. Any props or materials brought onstage during your performance **MUST** be brought offstage with you. Nothing can be left onstage. No glitter, confetti, liquids or other material that might make a mess may be used onstage.

There can be **NO LIVE STEEL** or real weapons on stage! Any prop guns must be obviously props (i.e. marked with an orange tip), cannot be pointed at the audience at any time, and fingers must remain off the trigger at all times. If desired you may ask Cosplay staff to remove any Safety markers (i.e. zip ties) from your props before you go on stage, but you are responsible for getting the markers replaced by staff before you re-enter the public areas of the convention. Any stage combat must be safe for all participants and convention property. All stage combat must be reviewed by con staff prior to competition.

There is no live microphone use or live speaking on stage. If you are a skit and would like audio played during your performance, bring your audio burned to a CD on Friday. Make sure the CD contains only the sound you want used - we cannot edit your audio or start it at specific times! CDs may or may not be returned, so do not submit originals or valuable materials.

The Masquerade is an all-ages event. All content must be appropriate for a PG-13 rating - no profanity or sexual content, no inflammatory or offensive material. If you are questioning whether or not your material fits within these guidelines please contact a member of cosplay staff. Other staff members may not know the correct answer. All questions regarding exceptions must be made before the end of orientation on Saturday afternoon. This orientation is mandatory.

Craftsmanship

This category is for cosplayers who make their own costumes. Cosplayers can enter individually or as a group, with the awards given to the people who made the costumes. Craftsmanship entries will sign up for a Saturday pre-judging time to have their costumes examined, and then will participate in the Masquerade as walk-on or performance entries. All Craftsmanship contestants **MUST** bring printed reference material showing the character design their costumes are based on.

Performance

This category is for individuals or groups who wish to perform a skit on stage. Skit performers must have pre-recorded audio and skit content may not exceed a PG-13 rating. If you or any member of your group violates this policy, your audio will be cut and your group will immediately be disqualified from the competition. All skits must occur entirely on stage. Skits are limited to two minutes and thirty seconds. Please plan carefully!

Exhibition

The Exhibition category is for cosplayers who want to show their costumes or a skit to the audience without competing for any awards. Skits must still have pre-recorded audio and must follow the PG-13 guidelines.



PHOTOSHOOTS LOWER ATRIUM

Friday: 6 PM - 10 PM
Saturday: 11 AM - 5 PM and 8 PM - 10 PM
Sunday: Closed

Attention all cosplayers and anime fanatics! Anime Fusion is proud to host a number of photoshoots throughout the convention. This year we will be doing things a little different. Instead of groups requesting a shoot, we've taken your suggestions and scheduled general photoshoots for the most requested themes. All photoshoots are open to all convention attendees. We want everyone to be able to share their love of the particular series, movie, game or whatever - Together!

The Photography area will be set up all weekend, and individuals are free to use the space for their own photoshoots when an official photoshoot is not underway.



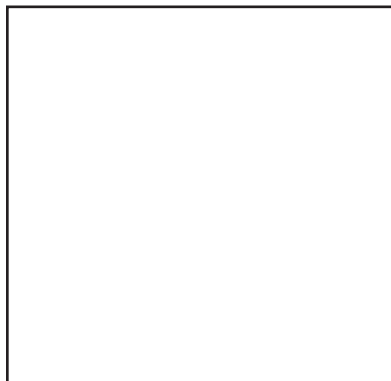
MERCH & MORE



DEALERS ROOM & ARTIST ALLEY COURTYARD BALLROOM

Friday: 2 PM - 7 PM
Saturday: 10 AM - 6 PM
Sunday: 10 AM - 4 PM

From DVDs to original works of art, load up on swag in the Courtyard Ballroom!



Dealers Room stamp

DEALERS ROOM

AardvarkTees
Angry Fox
Cardz Xtcetera
Eagle Anime
Mobile Game World
Mrawp Shop
MythicalUniverse
Odyssey Anime
Otakus Corner
PokePalooza
Sakura's Blossoms/Pop Heart
Scoundrelle's Keep
Waynes Collectables

ARTIST ALLEY

Berry Blitz Studio
Fried Unicorn Studio
Honey Winks
Lemon Penguin
MythicPhoenix
nyahoarder



Ocelotdude Designs
Only Slightly Venomous Arts
PulsArt Studio
Sewn Together Reflections
Shinigami Treasures
Soseiru

MERCHANDISE

ATRIUM BALCONY

Interested in taking home some Anime Fusion swag? Stop by Merchandise located next to Volunteers. We have T-shirts, buttons, lanyards and other nifty items for sale. Also if you pre-ordered a t-shirt or need to pick up your sponsor bag they are located here.

SWAP MEET

DOVER RESTAURANT & BAR

Saturday: 2 PM - 4 PM

Do you have con swag from mystery bags, gifts, or old collections that you have kept just because? Is there an item you would give your entire collection of anime to find? Do you just want to see what other people are willing to get rid of? We have an event for you! Bring your items/wish list to Anime Fusion's annual swap meet! Swap items with fellow congoers and turn those "meh" items into something you really want.

- Tables are first-come, first-serve.
- There is no SELLING of items, period.
- This is an all-ages event. 18+ items can not be traded with minors.

GPS SILENT AUCTION

ROOM 225

Friday: 2 PM - 6 PM
Saturday: 10 AM - 5 PM
Sunday: 10 AM - 2 PM (pick-up/quick sale only)

The Charity Auction is intended to support Anime Fusion's partner, the Geek Partnership Society. Funds raised will go to support year-round geeky community building with clubs and events, infrastructure for geeky non-profits like Anime Fusion, and public programs such as Project Lighthouse (a STEAM grants program), the GPS Annual Writing Contest, the Space Camp Scholarship Fund, and the GPS Arts Initiative.

By bidding in the silent auction, each bidder agrees to posted auction rules, and to release contact information (name, phone number, email) in the event that item(s) won are not paid for and picked up and/or bidder registration information is illegible or incorrect.

Stop on by or get involved. Visit the website at www.geekpartnership.org. Bid early, bid often!

ROOM PARTIES



THIRD FLOOR SUITES

We would like to invite everyone from the convention to a party! That's right, anyone that has purchased an Anime Fusion 2016 badge is able to attend these parties. And the best part, it's free! (But don't forget to tip if you can!) Keep in mind, any 21+ room parties require a valid government ID if you wish to drink.

As always, these wonderful parties can't happen without you, the attendees. We would like to thank all our party hosts this year for taking the time and effort to provide us with awesome room parties.

Note: Only those that have applied and registered with Anime Fusion can be permitted to have an open door room party. Any unofficial parties will be asked to close their door. Thanks!

Crystal Gems Party Room Room 324

Check party room for hours.

Let's fuse together and be the gems we are. Come to this party room to have food and listen to music and maybe make friends.

The Wrecking-Room (21+) Room 325

Friday: 8PM - 2AM

Saturday: 8PM - 2AM

We bring the arcade to the con, with games, food, and movies all night long.

The Anime Lounge by Anime Twin Cities, INC Room 326

Friday: 6PM - 1AM

Saturday: 6PM - 1AM

Come and hang out with some of the producers of Anime Detour and other Anime Twin Cities, Inc. events! AMVs, anime, and snacks galore!

The Laboratory III: Future Lab (21+) Room 327

Friday: 8PM - 12AM

Saturday: 8PM - 12AM

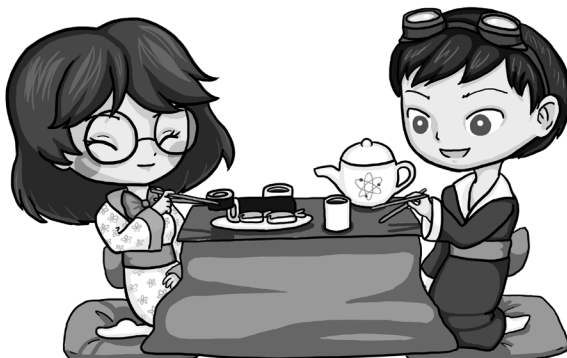
We are back again to cure your con sobriety for our second year at Anime Fusion! You know the drill. You bring the fun, we bring the drinks and amazing live music.

Junior's Bar (21+) Room 328

Friday: 8PM - 2AM

Saturday: 8PM - 2AM

RWBY-themed party room.





GREG AYRES

Greg Ayres has spent the last fourteen years working in an industry he had admired for years as a fan. With over 200 credits to his name, this fan-boy has managed to get to play a variety of characters that are almost as colorful as his hair. Some of his all-time favorite roles include Son Goku in **Saiyuki**, Chrono in **Chrono Crusade**, Kaoru Hitachiin in **Ouran High School Host Club**, Youhei Sunohara in **Clannad**, Yuki in **The Wallflower**, Leo in **Ghost Stories**, Satoshi Hiwatari in **DNAngel**, Kaworu Nagisa in the Director's Cut of **Neon Genesis Evangelion**, and Negi Springfield in **Negima**. He can also be heard as Nagisa Haruki in **Free! Eternal Summer**, Monokuma in **Danganronpa**, Doug in **Gangsta**, Ganta Igarashi in **Deadman Wonderland**, Heihachi Hayashida in **Samurai 7**, Pope Alessandro XVIII in **Trinity Blood**, and a bunch of other titles he'll probably forget to mention. When he's not in a booth with headphones on, you can usually find him sporting headphones behind "the decks" at many a music event. A veteran nightclub DJ of many years, he jumped at the opportunity to play music and organize late night dances at many of the conventions he attends. Greg is also a member of Project BECK, who perform music from the anime **Beck Mongolian Chop Squad**. Always thrilled to share his love of music with anyone willing to listen, he's always ready to make a little noise.



JENNIFER CIHI

Jennifer Cihl has been performing since she was a young girl in San Francisco. Before reaching her teen years, she landed the role of Pepper in the national tour of **Annie**. After establishing herself as a Broadway performer, she moved to Los Angeles, where she made the transition from stage to screen playing the lead singer on Nickelodeon's hit TV show **Roundhouse**. When not belting out ballads on the small screen, she was performing openings with legendary composer Jerry Goldsmith. Some of her most recognizable recordings have been the famed Hot Pockets national jingle as well as national jingles for TV's **Third Rock from the Sun** and **Suddenly Susan**. While in L.A., Jennifer landed the coveted title role of the English dub singing voice for the hit anime series, **Sailor Moon**. Her songs quickly became popular and cultivated a huge fan base. To this day, she is still being invited regularly to perform at national anime conventions. Just over a decade ago, Jennifer said goodbye to Hollywood and made her home in Nashville. She has done extensive studio work in Music City and performs with corporate party bands. Jennifer's creative soul and compassionate heart extends beyond the stage. Between gigs, Jennifer can be seen volunteering, working as a personal chef and creating her own jewelry line. Whether on stage, screen, or serving others, Jennifer continues to rock her career as a professional singer!



STEFANIE DELEO

Stefanie DeLeo is a produced and published playwright and novelist. She has a Masters Degree from New York University in Educational Theatre and is currently teaching twelfth grade English. When not in the classroom or behind a computer screen writing, she can be seen on stage starring in local theatre productions. A New York native, Stefanie has enjoyed traveling the world to gain inspiration for her written works. She lived and worked in South Africa for two and a half years with the Peace Corps, where she taught English and Drama and created several intercultural theatre programs at a multiracial school.

Stefanie loves to tackle difficult issues, hoping to foster social dialogue. Her novel **Cry My Safari** addresses issues of race, class and identity set in New York and Nairobi, Kenya, while her published play tackles autism and the idea that art can serve as a means of communication. She also loves to entertain, and has recently written a lighthearted comedy, **Answer the Question, Iris**, which has been performed all over the United States. Stefanie recently left the Big Apple in exchange for Nashville, where she continues to teach, act and write.



RYAN REYNOLDS

For more than a decade, anime has had a fan in Ryan Reynolds. Needless to say, when she got the opportunity to do some voice work at Funimation Entertainment it was like a dream come true for her.

Ryan's big break came when she was given the chance to voice Latvia in a little show called **Hetalia - Axis Powers**. Since then she has voiced such characters as Etoile in **The Heroic Legend of Arslan**, the younger version of Gray Fullbuster in **Fairy Tail**, Toto Sakigami in **Deadman Wonderland**, Satoru Wamiya in **Red Data Girl**, and Chikage Izumi in **Aesthetica of a Rogue Hero**.

Along with voice acting, Ryan also works by day as an Art Director for a marketing agency in Dallas and she earned a degree in Theater from Northwestern State University.

GUESTS OF HONOR



CARRIE SAVAGE

Carrie is very glad to be coming to Anime Fusion this year and is looking forward to meeting everyone! Some of Carrie's older and newer roles include: Nancy in **R.O.D. the TV**, Kukuri in **K**, Maromi in **Paranoia Agent**, Fuko in **I, My, Me! Strawberry Eggs**, Rakka in **Haibane Renmei**, Rihoko in **Witchblade**, Lisanna in **Fairy Tail**, lovely bad girl Otohime in **Maken Ki!**, and others in shows such as **Marmalade Boy**, **Dear.S**, **Ergo Proxy**, **Texhnolyze**, **Tsukihime**, **Vampire Knight**, **Durarara**, and **Madoka Magica**, and a little but very fun part in **Fate Zero!** Other roles include Mokona in **Tsubasa Chronicles** and **XXX Holic**, and a lot of non-anime cartoons for kids... and the list goes on. She has also had a fun time voicing characters in video games such as **Street Fighter X Tekken**, **Disgaea 4**, **Final Fantasy 7 Crisis Core**, **Suikoden 5**, and the list is always expanding. Carrie has script adapted for such shows as **School Rumble** and **Shuffle**, as well as just a little occasional directing on various other shows. Carrie just graduated from one of NY's famous Broadway schools, Circle in the Square Theater School. This super intensive school ROCKS and anyone who wants to be an actor should absolutely check it out! Carrie has also enjoyed the unique task of being able to travel in order to help struggling children and adults in developing countries when funding could be raised to do so.



SAMURAI DAN AND JILLIAN

Dan Cogan, a.k.a. "Samurai Dan" and his wife, Jillian, are the acknowledged masters of marital... er, MARTIAL mayhem. This dynamic duo travels the civilized portions of the U.S., bringing their unique show to curious and horrified audiences alike.

In addition to their high-energy, mostly safe stage shows (where razor-sharp blades and barbs fly) the couple teaches historical and hysterical panels on the way of the warrior. Offering a wide range of lectures and interactive workshops, Dan and his lethal love Jillian are guaranteed to provide con attendees fun and fulfillment.

Due to a supreme lack of filter, Dan also performs standup comedy, and lives to embarrass his wife onstage, in censored and uncensored settings.

A storyteller at heart, Dan is finishing his third horror novel, and offers insights into the creative process with panels for the aspiring writer as well.

Events featuring our Guests of Honor are shaded for emphasis on the convention schedule.

AUTOGRAPH SESSIONS



LOWER ATRIUM

Our Guests of Honor will be available to sign autographs in the Lower Atrium at the following times:

JENNIFER CIHI AND STEFANIE DELEO
SATURDAY, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

CARRIE SAVAGE AND RYAN REYNOLDS
SATURDAY, 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

GREG AYRES
SUNDAY, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

Long lines may be cut off to allow our guests to get to their next event on time.

GUEST DJs



RYAN WALTERS (AKA GRIMACE)

Ryan Walters (aka Grimace) has been in the local Electronic Music scene since 2008. What started as merely attending shows and concerts evolved over time to producing his own works and performing at a variety of venues.

Trance and House are his genres of choice, mainly because of their melodic chord structures. But just because his tracks are melodic doesn't mean they lack energy! You'll find it hard to resist bouncing around during a Grimace set.

You can stay up to date with his current works at the following:
<https://soundcloud.com/ryan-walters>



TIM DAO (AKA RAVEPULSE)

Ravepulse is a 25-year-old Pusheen-obsessed Progressive & Electro House DJ and Producer from Minneapolis, MN. He is a music business major at the University of St. Thomas. Driven by an addictive passion for music, Ravepulse brings melodic, hard hitting vibes to the crowd. His many stops include conventions such as AniMinneapolis, Anime Midwest, Con-Alt-Delete, Metacon, Oni-Con, and more.

In 2012, Ravepulse was featured in Capcom's Street Fighter 25th anniversary music collection with "Final Stage." In 2014, his remix of "Am I Wrong," by Nico & Vinz was featured on SiriusXM BPM/Electro and supported by host and DJ, Austin Kramer. Recently, his remix of JAM Project's "The Hero," from One-Punch Man, was supported by voice actor & DJ Greg Ayres in many of his convention sets. Recent works include remixes of JoJo's Bizarre Adventure, Mega Man X, Kingdom Hearts, Justin Bieber, and many other surprises.

You can stay up to date with his current works at the following:
<https://m.soundcloud.com/ravepulse>

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GAMING ROOMS



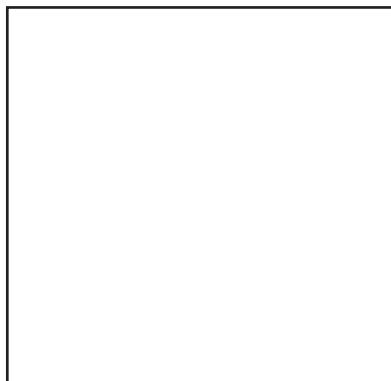
VIDEO GAMING SUMMER ROOM

Friday: 2 PM - 12 AM
Saturday: 10 AM - 12 AM
Sunday: 10 AM - 3:30 PM

Come visit Video Gaming, where we have a wide array of video games and consoles from cutting edge to retro! For the competitive, stop by early to sign up for tournaments we'll be running all weekend, such as Street Fighter, Super Smash Brothers, Split Second, and more! Achievement hunters, come down and try to complete challenges from over a dozen games, and get some cool prizes while you're at it. Even come by to relax and play party games with us! We're also showcasing some of our favorite games we think you'll love.

TABLETOP GAMING MAIN: SPRING ROOM CCG CENTRAL: WINTER ROOM

Friday: 12 PM - 12 AM
Saturday: 10 AM - 12 AM
Sunday: 10 AM - 3 PM



Video Gaming stamp

Hello and welcome to tabletop gaming! Enjoy our scheduled events as well as our library of games. Our experienced staff will help ensure you can try out those games that you have heard of but may not have had a chance to play. We also have a special team of people helping to run Magic the Gathering events that encompasses a variety of formats.

- Please pick up trash from your area. We will make sure there are trash cans available for you. All we ask is that you help the trash get there!
- Family-friendly gaming only. Anything 18+ is not allowed (i.e. Cards Against Humanity). Do we REALLY want to explain to a small Pikachu what some of those terms are?
- Any young children must be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult at all times. Anyone with a youth badge (under 18) is still welcome after 10 PM, but must be accompanied by an adult.
- We welcome anyone to bring board games to share. Just let the staff know when you bring it in so we don't mistake it for one of our own.
- Have fun! (Yes it IS a rule!)

TABLETOP GAMING EVENTS



FRIDAY

King of Tokyo **12:00 PM**
Battle other monsters to rule Tokyo. Do you know how to play Yahtzee? Then you already know how to play 90% of this game!

Lords of Waterdeep **2:00 PM**
Create parties and send them on quests to become the true Lord of Waterdeep.

Red Dragon Inn **6:00 PM**
Wonder what the adventuring party does to wind down after that particularly trying dungeon delve? Come and find out!

Betrayal at House on the Hill **8:00 PM**
Explore the spooky house to find out what happened. Beware, there is a good chance that one of your friends is a Betrayer!

SATURDAY

Marvel Munchkin **10:00 AM**
Many of you have played Munchkin before, but how about as an Agent of S.H.I.E.L.D.? Cards have amazing comic book artwork.

Quarriors!!! **12:00 PM**
Many people have played deck-building games, but how about a dice-building game?

Firefly: The Board Game **2:00 PM**
Get a ship, build your crew, and sail off into the 'Verse to find your fortune!

7 Wonders **6:00 PM**
Build your civilization and expand upon its unique Wonder to become the greatest in history!

TABLETOP GAMING EVENTS



SATURDAY

Pandemic

Cooperative board game where you get together with other scientists, researchers, and medical personnel to stem the tide of outbreaks and work to avoid a global pandemic.

8:00 PM

Elder Sign

Get together with other clue seekers to defeat the occult mysteries surrounding the library. Can you help stop the rise and return of Cthulhu?

10:00 PM

SUNDAY

Whack a Catgirl

A fan favorite at Anime conventions. Take down the crazy catgirls with plushies in this fun card game.

10:00 AM

King of Tokyo

Battle other monsters to rule Tokyo. Do you know how to play Yahtzee? Then you already know how to play 90% of this game!

12:00 PM

CCG CENTRAL



FRIDAY

Magic the Gathering: Quantum Leap

Multiplayer casual format created by Matt McMillan. Uses Planechase and Vanguard cards (supplied). Bring one Legacy legal deck.

12:00 PM

Magic the Gathering: Modern

8-person Modern format tournament.

2:00 PM

Magic the Gathering: Commander

2 pods of 4 (8 players total).

5:00 PM

Magic the Gathering: Cube Draft

Custom draft cube designed by our staff. 8 players.

8:00 PM

SATURDAY

Magic the Gathering: Archenemy

10:00 AM

One vs Many casual format. Defeat the evil Archenemy who possesses an evil power to cause havoc. Team up with others to take them down and save the Planes! Please bring your own Legacy legal deck (Archenemy cards provided).

Magic the Gathering: Legacy

12:00 PM

Please bring your own Legacy legal deck.

Magic the Gathering: Quantum Leap

4:00 PM

Multiplayer casual format created by Matt McMillan. Uses Planechase and Vanguard cards (supplied). Bring one Legacy legal deck.

Magic the Gathering: Cube Draft

6:00 PM

Custom draft cube designed by our staff. 8 players.

Magic the Gathering: Archenemy

10:00 PM

One vs Many casual format. Defeat the evil Archenemy who possesses an evil power to cause havoc. Team up with others to take them down and save the Planes! Please bring your own Legacy legal deck (Archenemy cards provided).

SUNDAY

Magic the Gathering: Commander

11:00 AM

2 pods of 4 (8 players total).



DIGITAL GRAIL PRESENTS

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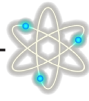
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Anime Music Videos (11:00 AM)	Getting Published with Stefanie DeLeo (11:15 AM)	Fairy Tail Tells All! (11:45 AM)	Closed	His and Her Circumstances (11:15 AM) [S]	Romeo x Juliet (12:15 PM) [D]	King of Tokyo (12:00 PM)	Magic the Gathering: Quantum Leap (6) (12:00 PM)
Voice Actor Auditions with Carrie Savage (12:30 PM)	[this space for rent]	Lets Talk Dragon Age (1:00 PM)	Closed	Magic Knights Rayearth (1:00 PM) [S]			
			Closed				
	Karamatsu Fan Club (1:45 PM)		Closed				
History of Sharp Pointy Things with Samural Dan and Jillian (2:30 PM)		Ball Jointed Dolls Panel and Meetup (2:15 PM)	Closed		Stains:Gate (2:00 PM) [D]		
			Closed	Mighty Space Miners (2:45 PM) [S]			
			Closed				
		DJ Panel (3:30 PM)	Closed			Lords of Waterdeep (2:00 PM)	
			Closed		Free! Eternal Summer (3:45 PM) [S]		Magic the Gathering: Modern (8) (2:00 PM)
Ladies of Voice (4:00 PM)	Cosplay 101: Make Me Up (4:15 PM)	Despair Island: Medium Roast Edition (4:45 PM)	Closed	Dr. Slump (4:00 PM) [S]			
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Opening Ceremonies (5:30 PM)	NaruBros: Kunochi's Night (5:30 PM)	RWBY Fan Panel: This Hype Train Has No Blakes!	Closed	Please Teacher! (5:15 PM) [D]	Parasyte (5:30 PM) [S]	Red Dragon Inn (6:00 PM)	Magic the Gathering: Commander (2 pods of 4) (5:00 PM)
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7:00 PM	MNAPIC @ Anime Fusion!	Sailor Moon Fan Panel	RWBV Fan Panel	Open to all					Parasyle	Red Dragon Inn (6:00 PM)	Magic the Gathering: Commander (5:00 PM)	
7:15 PM		Sailor Moon Fan Panel (6:45 PM)	Clear the Room	Open to all								
7:30 PM			Fairy Tail: The Grand Magic Games (18+) (7:15 PM)	Open to all					Mazinger Z (7:00 PM) [S]			
7:45 PM		Sponsor/Guests Meet & Greet (8:00 PM)		Naruto (8:00 PM)					The Boy and the Beast (7:15 PM) [D]			
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8:30 PM			Digimon Adventure aka Digimon Digital Monsters (8:30 PM)	Pokemon (9:00 PM)								
8:45 PM			Clear the Room	Open to all					Vampire Hunter D: Bloodlust (8:45 PM) [D]			
9:15 PM	Sailor Moon Concert with Jennifer Cihl (9:00 PM)	Closed		Closed								
9:30 PM		Closed	Clear the Room	Open to all					Space Dandy (9:30 PM) [D]	Betrayal at House on the Hill (8:00 PM)	Magic the Gathering: Cube Draft (8) (8:00 PM)	
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FRIDAY HIGHLIGHTS

Ladies of Voice

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

Spend time with our beautiful and talented female guests of honor and learn of their experiences, struggles, and victories as ladies of the voice acting industry.

Opening Ceremonies

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

Achievement: Unlocked: Five years of Anime Fusion! Meet our Guests of Honor, learn important information that will help you have a great weekend, and celebrate with us!

Sailor Moon Concert with Jennifer Cihl

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

Come hear the iconic songs from the Sailor Moon series and movies. In this exciting musical event, you will hear "My Only Love," "Power of Love," "Carry On," and more! Followed by an autograph session.

ANIME SCAVENGER HUNT

Lower Atrium

Have fun running around the con looking for things like ninjas and Pokemon! List of items to find and prizes will be included.

with *Sabrina Haben, Cara Aising, and Harrington Stack*

ULTIMATE WEREWOLF

Lower Atrium

A game of deception. Will you survive the night?

with *Althea, Jei, Ash, and Sam*

4:00 PM

5:30 PM

9:00 PM

1:00-3:00 PM

10:00 PM

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Main Events (Terrace 2-4)	Panel 1 (Terrace 1)	Panel 2 (Orchard Room)	Photoshoots (Lower Atrium)	Video 1 (Room 228)	Video 2 (Room 229)	Tabletop Gaming (Spring Room)	CCG Central (Winter Room)
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Closed	Closed	Saturday Morning Cartoons (8:30 AM)	Closed	Closed	Fairy Tail (8:30 AM) [D]	Closed	Closed
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Closed	Basic Traditional Japanese Clothing (10:00 AM)		Closed	Samurai Pizza Cats (9:30 AM) [D]		Marvel Munchkin (10:00 AM)	Magic the Gathering: Archery (4) (10:00 AM)
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		Importing 101: Buying Merchandise from Japan (11:00 AM)	<i>Open to all</i>		Tonari no Seki-kun: The Master of Killing Time (10:30 AM) [S]		
Masquerade Orientation (11:00 AM)	Let's Be Grey (11:30 AM)		<i>Open to all</i>	The Venus Wars (11:15 AM) [D]			
		Manga You Might Have Missed 2016 (12:15 PM)	Tokyo Ghoul (12:00 PM)			Quarriors!! (12:00 PM)	
			<i>Open to all</i>				
	Anime About Anime (1:00 PM)		Danganronpa (1:00 PM)		The Disappearance of Nagato Yuki-Chan (12:15 PM) [S]		
It Gets Better: Anime Con Edition with Greg Ayres (1:00 PM)		Let's Talk: Cosplay (1:30 PM)	<i>Open to all</i>	Love Hina (1:00 PM) [D]			
			Overwatch (2:00 PM)				
	Jojo's Bizarre Pajama Party (2:15 PM)		<i>Open to all</i>				
		Shiny New Anime (2:45 PM)	Fullmetal Alchemist (3:00 PM)	Revolutionary Girl Utena (2:45 PM) [S]			
Samurai Sword Class with Samurai Dan and Jillian (3:00 PM)			<i>Open to all</i>				
	Voice Actor Q&A (3:30 PM)	Sempai Take My Picture (4:00 PM)	DRAMAtical Murder (4:00 PM)				
			<i>Open to all</i>				
	What if Life were a Dating Sim? TURBO EDITION (4:45 PM)		Closed				
		Breaking Into the Industry with Stefanie DeLeo and Jennifer Chi (5:15 PM)	Closed	Tenchi Muyo! (18+) (4:30 PM) [D]			
			Closed				
			Closed				
Masquerade Costume Contest (5:30 PM)	2.b.a Master Pokemon Trivia		Closed		Haikyuu!! (3:45 PM) [D]	Firefly, The Board Game (2:00 PM)	Magic the Gathering: Quantum Leap (6) (4:00 PM)
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			Closed		Girl Who Leapt Through Time (5:30 PM) [D]	7 Wonders (6:00 PM)	Magic the Gathering: Cube Draft (8)

SATURDAY SCHEDULE



6:30 PM	Masquerade Costume Contest (5:30 PM)	Pokemon Trivia (6:00 PM)	Hipster Shades Engage: Hating on your Favorites (6:30 PM)	Closed	Slayers (6:15 PM) [D]	Girl Who Leapt... (5:30 PM)	7 Wonders (6:00 PM)	
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7:00 PM				Closed				
7:15 PM				Closed				
7:30 PM		Lol's Reading Yaol (18+) (7:15 PM)		Closed				
7:45 PM			Love Your Cosplay Body (7:45 PM)	Open to all	Voltron (8:00 PM) [D]	Danganronpa [D] (7:15 PM)		Magic the Gathering: Cube Draft (8) (6:00 PM)
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9:15 PM			Okaku Jeopardy with Ryan Reynolds (9:00 PM)	Homestuck (9:00 PM)				
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10:45 PM			The Horrors of Anime (18+) (10:15 PM)					
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12:00 AM			Cards Against Samurai Dan (18+) (11:30 PM)					
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SATURDAY HIGHLIGHTS

It Gets Better: Anime Con Edition

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

The "It Gets Better" project was created in response to a string of teen suicides by kids who were bullied because they were perceived to be gay. Sadly, bullying happens to one in four teens. Join us as we share our stories and talk about ways we can all support each other.

Samurai Sword Class

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

Not a boffer class! Real Samurai Sword moves and concepts taught by Samurai Dan, a professional swordsman.

Masquerade Costume Contest

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

See the best costumes at Anime Fusion in the Masquerade stage show!

SWAP MEET

Dover Restaurant & Bar

Do you have con swag from mystery bags, gifts, or old collections that you have kept just because? Is there an item you would give your entire collection of anime to find? Do you just want to see what other people are willing to get rid of? We have an event for you! Bring your items/wish list to Anime Fusion's annual swap meet! Swap items with fellow congoers and turn those "meh" items into something you really want.

ULTIMATE WEREWOLF

Lower Atrium

A game of deception. Will you survive the night? with *Althea, Jer, Ash, and Sam*

10:00 PM

SUNDAY SCHEDULE



Main Events (Terrace 2-4)	Panel 1 (Terrace 1)	Panel 2 (Orchard Room)	Photoshoots (Lower Atrium)	Video 1 (Room 228)	Video 2 (Room 229)	Tabletop Gaming (Spring Room)	CCG Central (Winter Room)	
Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Guilty Crown (8:00 AM) [S]	Closed	Closed	
Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Fruits Basket (8:30 AM) [S]	Princess Jellyfish (9:30 AM) [D]	Closed	Closed	
Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed	Cardcaptor Sakura (10:00 AM) [S]		Closed	Closed	
Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed			Love Live! (11:15 AM) [S]	Whack a Caigirl (10:00 AM)	Closed
Mabel Plines for Congress (10:30 AM)	Morning After Panel (10:30 AM)	Closed	Closed	El Hazard (11:45 AM) [D]	King of Tokyo (12:00 PM)			Magic the Gathering: Commander (2 pods of 4) (11:00 AM)
11:00 AM	Not That Ryan Reynolds (11:00 AM)	Name That Anime Tune (12:15 PM)	Closed	Robot Carnival (1:30 PM) [S]		Closed		
11:15 AM	Saturday Morning Cartoon Fever (11:45 AM)		Closed			Wolf Children (2:45 PM) [D]	Closed	
11:30 AM	Akiras: Natural Treasure of Japan with Samurai Dan and Jillian (1:00 PM)	Anime Fandom in the 20th Century (1:30 PM)	Closed	Ghost Stories (3:15 PM) [D]	Closed		Closed	
11:45 AM			Sailor Moon: Making a Classic with Jennifer Cihl (2:15 PM)		Extra Life: Play Games, Heal Kids (2:45 PM)	Closed	Closed	Closed
12:00 PM	Around the World with Carrie Savage (12:00 PM)	Imagicommed (3:30 PM)	Closed	Closing Ceremonies (4:30 PM)	Closed	Closed		
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PANELS & EVENTS



FRIDAY

New Billing with Bill <i>Panel 2 (Orchard Room)</i> New hotel. Same Bill.	10:30 AM	
Anime Music Videos <i>Main Events (Terrace 2-4)</i> Enjoy some of our favorite AMVs!	11:00 AM	
Getting Published with Stefanie DeLeo <i>Panel 1 (Terrace 1)</i> As a published author, Stefanie will talk you through the ins and outs of getting published, finding an agent and navigating a difficult industry. Additionally, she will share her background in international copyright laws and discuss how you can legally publish fan-fiction!	11:15 AM	
Fairy Tail Tells All! with Levy McGarden <i>Panel 2 (Orchard Room)</i> Come one and all to our temporary guild hall! Have fun asking questions, truth or dare, have some candy, and a few surprises in store. Come celebrate our 2 year celebration since our start! We hope to see you there!	11:45 AM	
Voice Actor Auditions with Carrie Savage <i>Main Events (Terrace 2-4)</i> Be chosen to read from real voiceover audition scripts for commercials, animation and video games. Audition in front of a microphone and the audience - if you have the guts. Get feedback and direction from Carrie on how to make your audition better, and give it another try. This is your way to see what a real voiceover audition is like, and get ideas on how to improve.	12:30 PM	
Let's Talk: Dragon Age with PoisonedApple <i>Panel 2 (Orchard Room)</i> Come join Inquisitor Lavellan and discuss BioWare's Dragon Age series.	1:00 PM	
Karamatsu Fan Club with Ichimatsu, Choromatsu, and Karamatsu <i>Panel 1 (Terrace 1)</i> Come join us for the first meeting of the Karamatsu fan club! There may be a special appearance by the sinful man, the guilt guy himself! This is totally not an intervention!	1:45 PM	
Ball Jointed Dolls Panel and Meetup with Princess Sarah Em <i>Panel 2 (Orchard Room)</i> If you own ball jointed dolls, aka BJDs, or if you are just curious about these Resin wonders, this panel is for you. Come discuss everything about BJDs as well as meet those who collect them. Bring your BJDs too!	2:15 PM	
History of Sharp Pointy Things with Samurai Dan and Jillian <i>Main Events (Terrace 2-4)</i> Samurai battlefield weaponry displayed, explained and demonstrated by an expert in 16th century Japanese combat. Features stunning visual aids (blades from 1400-1800) and a question and answer session for attendees.	2:30 PM	
Frankensteining Patterns with SnowCosplays and Brichibi Cosplays <i>Panel 1 (Terrace 1)</i> Sometimes, the pattern you need for a costume simply doesn't exist, or doesn't come in the size you need. This panel will go into how to up-size patterns and how you can take pieces of different patterns to make your cosplay work.	3:00 PM	
DJ Panel <i>Panel 2 (Orchard Room)</i> Ever wondered how we keep our flow, or make it sound like one long song? Or just wanted to ask a DJ why we do what we do? Then this is where to be! We will have all of the DJs on hand, ready to answer all your DJ wonders, and some DJ gear for show and tell.	3:30 PM	
Ladies of Voice <i>Main Events (Terrace 2-4)</i> Spend time with our beautiful and talented female guests of honor and learn of their experiences, struggles, and victories as ladies of the voice acting industry.	4:00 PM	
Cosplay 101: Make Me Up with Kei Inoue, Touya, Yagi, and Kami <i>Panel 1 (Terrace 1)</i> Need a little bit of help with your makeup? Then this is the place for you. From daily facial care to how to apply foundation, we will teach you the basics of makeup and how to apply and use them correctly.	4:15 PM	
Despair Island: Medium Roast Edition with LPSunnyBunny, SkyeAO, and MT <i>Panel 2 (Orchard Room)</i> Come join the cast of Super Dangan Ronpa 2 as we joke around, have some laughs, and deliver some SERIOUS roasting.	4:45 PM	

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PANELS & EVENTS



FRIDAY, CONT.

- Opening Ceremonies** **5:30 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
Achievement Unlocked: Five years of Anime Fusion! Meet our Guests of Honor, learn important information that will help you have a great weekend, and celebrate with us!
- NaruBros: Kunoichi's Night** with Hinata, Ino, and Sakura **5:30 PM**
Panel 2 (Terrace 1)
Join Sakura, Ino, and Hinata for a turnt kunoichi's night out sleepover style panel! Get your jutsus on fleek for lit games and activities. #squadgoals #ninjaJam #amirightladies #justgirlythings (shinobi of all gender identities welcome)
- RWBY Fan Panel: This Hype Train Has No Blakes!** with Asian Equation **6:00 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Come join us to watch the premiere of Volume 4 and discuss everything we love about this series.
- Sailor Moon Fan Panel** with Heatherby **6:45 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
From the original manga to the new Crystal anime, it's the series that keeps on giving!
- MNAPIC @ Anime Fusion!** with MNAPIC **7:00 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
Come join us and watch some brilliant performances from some of Minnesota's con-attending Asian pop idols! With music varieties from Vocaloid to Korean pop, many idols around the state unite at this very event to showcase their talents!
- Fairy Tail: The Grand Magic Games (18+)** **7:15 PM**
with Lux Bovino, Matty K, Sparkles, Flitows, Jeanna, Caleb, and Dream Eater
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
A major competition between the guilds will be taking place to see who is the mightiest guild in Fiore. Come see Fairy Tail, Sabertooth, and other guilds compete for the ultimate title to be the best!
- Sponsor/Guests Meet & Greet** **8:00 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Sponsors can chat with our Guests of Honor during this reserved hour.
- Digimon Adventure, aka Digimon Digital Monsters** **8:30 PM**
with Emily Kringle, Steven Rohricht, and Hikari Fancy Warui
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Let's talk about the first 2 seasons of Digimon and how they're tied to the new 6-part series of Digimon Adventure tri. films being released every 5-7 months in Japan! If you ever liked Digimon, come to this panel!
- Sailor Moon Concert** with Jennifer Cihl **9:00 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
Come hear the iconic songs from the Sailor Moon series and movies. In this exciting musical event, you will hear "My Only Love," "Power of Love," "Carry On," and more! Followed by an autograph session.
- Greg Ayres – Raw & Uncensored (18+)** with Greg Ayres **9:45 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Join us for a raw Q&A session with a guest who is never shy of "over-sharing." Come listen to tales of true con horror from years past, along with some uncensored re-tellings of many stories that have had to be "softened" for a daytime audience. Please bring your ID, a sense of humor, and questions for this "no holds barred" panel.
- Friday Night Dance** feat. Grimace and DJ CROFT **10:30 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
- Wtf is Hentai: NTR'd into Oblivion (18+)** **11:00 PM**
with Adurna Nagra, Asian Equation, Waffle Pope, and The Shiggityshwa
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Come along, adults. Take my hand, and venture into the world of hentai. Many surprises await...

SATURDAY

- Saturday Morning Cartoons** **8:30 AM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Join us in your PJs for cartoons and sugary cereal.
- Basic Traditional Japanese Clothing** with The DreamStitcher **10:00 AM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
A presentation of the types of traditional Japanese clothing, as seen in anime, materials used, and construction methods.
- Importing 101: Buying Merchandise from Japan** with Susie **11:00 AM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Tired of Japan keeping all of the best shows and merchandise for themselves? At this panel you'll learn how to get ahold of them for yourself! We'll discuss what's available in Japan, how to order from overseas retailers, and how to use the stuff you get.

PANELS & EVENTS



SATURDAY, CONT.

- Let's Be Grey** with Cosplay_Hero, Terezi, Feferi, Dirk, Jake, and Eridan **11:30 AM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Come one, come all! It's grey face paint in the air! This is a Homestuck Q&A, Truth or Dare, interactive, and anything goes panel.
- Manga You Might Have Missed 2016** with Taylor Kent **12:15 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
A discussion of several Manga titles in an effort to provide a list of manga to read for members of the audience.
- It Gets Better: Anime Con Edition** with Greg Ayres **1:00 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
The "It Gets Better" project was created in response to a string of teen suicides by kids who were bullied because they were perceived to be gay. Sadly, bullying is something that happens to one in four teens. In the past few years we've even seen an increase in bullying within fandom. Join us as we share our stories, and talk about ways we can all help and support each other and find the light at the end of the tunnel. It really does get better.
- Anime About Anime** with Jessi Silver and J.C. Horvath **1:00 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Are you curious about the work that goes into anime production? Come learn the basics of the Japanese anime system and see example of shows that tell those stories.
- Let's Talk: Cosplay** with PoisonedApple **1:30 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Come and get some advice on cosplay, whether you are just starting out or if you are a senior. I will answer questions, give ideas, and references from making your own to buying.
- Jojo's Bizarre Pajama Party** **2:15 PM**
with Jolyne Cujoh, Ren Carmichael, Alyssa Benson, Lux Bonivo, and Kayla Walker
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Have a fun time with Jojo characters at a "Pajama Party"!
- Shiny New Anime** with Jessi Silver and J.C. Horvath **2:45 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Confused by the wealth of new anime available? Come get some recommendations from people who watch a whole bunch of it!
- Samurai Sword Class** with Samurai Dan and Jillian **3:00 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
Not a boffer class! Real Samurai Sword moves and concepts taught by Samurai Dan, a professional swordsman.
- Voice Actor Q&A** **3:30 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Join our guests of honor to learn a few things about voice acting and quench your curiosity.
- Senpai Take My Picture** with Sun Suki, Alison Young, and Alex Chov **4:00 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Let's learn about Cosplay Photography! Sun Suki and friends will be sharing how to get the most out of whatever camera you have and answering any questions on equipment, editing, getting started, etiquette etc.
- What if Life Were a Dating Sim? TURBO EDITION** **4:45 PM**
with Adurna Nagra, Asian Equation, Waffle Pope, and The Shiggityshwa
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Ever wanted to go on dates but worry about too many options at once? Well, come try our new and improved dating sim panel with live dates!
- Breaking Into the Industry** with Stefanie DeLeo and Jennifer Cihl **5:15 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Stefanie and Jennifer have both worked as professional actresses on and off Broadway and television. They will discuss the ins and outs of the industry and give tips for auditioning, honing your craft, and making it in the performing world.
- Masquerade Costume Contest** **5:30 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
See the best costumes at Anime Fusion in the Masquerade stage show!
- 2.b.a Master Pokemon Trivia** with Yume **6:00 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Think you're a Pokemon master? Come test your knowledge with trivia that only true Pokemon masters could overcome! Prizes for those who can make it all the way to Victory Road!
- Hipster Shades Engage: Hating on your Favorites** **6:30 PM**
with Adurna Nagra, Asian Equation, Waffle Pope, The Shiggityshwa
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Think your favorite thing is perfect? Our panel of hipster critics will be the judge. Get prizes if you stump us.

PANELS & EVENTS



SATURDAY, CONT.

- Loli's Reading Yaoi (18+)** with Althea, Irish Moon, Damarra, and Remiko **7:15 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Cute boys in predicaments is our idea of a good time. Come join us for chatting, games, and general silliness.
- Love Your Cosplay Body** with Brichibi Cosplays and SnowCosplays **7:45 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
One day, someone called Brichibi Cosplays "Princess Whale" and told her to go off and fry some chicken. So, she did just that. But is it really possible to ignore the hate and keep moving forward? Yes! And this panel will address how.
- Saturday Night Dance** feat. Greg Ayres and Ravepulse **9:00 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
- Otaku Jeopardy** with Ryan Reynolds **9:00 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
So, you think you know anime? One of our voice actor Guests of Honor, Ryan Reynolds, challenges you to prove it!
- The Horrors of Anime (18+)** with MadnessMark and FightBait **10:15 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
A cavalcade smash-cut of the grossest, weirdest and most ridiculous anime ever made. From hentai to bad dubs to excessive gore to terrible animation, this panel has it all.
- Cards Against Samurai Dan (18+)** **11:30 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
You've played Cards Against Humanity, right? Everyone has. You can admit it. Come play the game with Samurai Dan, his way, where the attendees are pitted against the guests, in a no-holds-barred contest of wit and inappropriateness!
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SUNDAY

- Mabel Pines for Congress** with Despair Sisters **10:30 AM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
Join the cast of Gravity Falls for an exclusive press conference about Mabel Pines and her Congressional campaign.
- Morning After Panel** with Adurna Nagra, Asian Equation, Waffle Pope, The Shiggityshwa **10:30 AM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
It's time to settle down from the raves and room parties and chill out before post-con blues sets in. Drop by and share some stories.
- Not That Ryan Reynolds** with Ryan Reynolds **11:00 AM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
For more than a decade, anime has had a fan in Ryan Reynolds. Needless to say, when she got the opportunity to do some voice work at Funimation Entertainment it was like a dream come true. Ryan has voiced characters of Hetalia: Axis Powers, Deadman Wonderland, Spice & Wolf, and Fairy Tail.
- Saturday Morning Cartoon Fever** with Mark McPherson **11:45 AM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
The legacy of Saturday morning cartoons lives on in this retrospective panel covering everything from The Flintstones to Superfriends to ThunderCats to Batman: The Animated Series.
- Around the World with Carrie Savage** **12:00 PM**
Main Events (Terrace 2-4)
Carrie shares stories and shows pictures from her travels to the 3rd world and other countries! Be aware.. some of these stories will surprise you, and the pictures may break your heart.
- Name That Anime Tune** with Cakeykins **12:15 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
Do you think you know your anime music? Find out by seeing if you can name which anime these songs belong to!
- Akitas: Natural Treasure of Japan** with Samurai Dan and Jillian **1:00 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
Come and meet the inspiration for the movie "Hachiko" in living, breathing, furry, person! The Akitas, companions to samurai for generations, are here for your enjoyment.
- Anime Fandom in the 20th Century** with Mark McPherson and JP Natysin **1:30 PM**
Panel 2 (Orchard Room)
In a time before streaming, there were video stores and VHS. Come and discover the bizarre nature of anime fandom in the 20th century.
- Sailor Moon: Making a Classic** with Jennifer Cihl **2:15 PM**
Panel 1 (Terrace 1)
In this panel, Jennifer will talk about what it was like to voice the Sailor Moon project. She will share stories, take questions, and sign autographs.
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PANELS & EVENTS



SUNDAY, CONT.

Swim Trunks, and Ravers, and Bears - Oh My!! with Greg Ayres

2:30 PM

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

Join Greg Ayres as he answers questions about projects old and new. You can be sure he'll be talking about new projects like Free: Eternal Summer, Gangsta, Dramatical Murder, and Danganronpa as well as talking about DJ'ing and con life as himself. A fanboy till the end, whether voicing "pointy-haired boys" during the day, or shooting zombies at night (at least on his PS4), you can be sure he's having fun.

Extra Life: Play Games, Heal Kids with Jay Edgerton

2:45 PM

Panel 2 (Orchard Room)

A discussion about what Extra Life is and how you can help kids get the hospital care they need.

Imagiconned with The Shiggityshwa, Adurna Nagra, and WafflePop

3:30 PM

Panel 1 (Terrace 1)

Distant cries of congoers can be heard through these hallowed halls when cons go bad. Care to share some of the tales?

Closing Ceremonies

4:30 PM

Main Events (Terrace 2-4)

Even the best of things must come to an end. Join us as we bid farewell to another year at Anime Fusion.



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VIDEO ROOMS



FRIDAY

A Certain Scientific Railgun

English Dub

Academy City is a highly developed technological place where four friends study espers and encounter several adventures in the exciting scientific town.

10:30 AM

Video 2

His and Her Circumstances

Subtitled

Yukino loves to hear people praise her, however, in high school she becomes upstaged by a new rival who finds out her secret...

11:15 AM

Video 1

Romeo x Juliet

English Dub

On the floating island of Neo Verona, Leontes Montague and his men led a bloody coup. Fourteen years later, Juliet fights against House Montague's oppression. When she meets Prince Montague's son, they fall in love at first sight.

12:15 PM

Video 2

Magic Knights Rayearth

Subtitled

While on a field trip to Tokyo Tower three girls, Hikaru, Umi, and Fuu, get teleported to Cephro to become Magic Knights and save Princess Emeraude.

1:00 PM

Video 1

Steins;Gate

English Dub

A self-proclaimed mad scientist finds a way to send messages into the past, creating radical changes in the present. He must find a way to restore the original timeline as closely as he can to save his lab partners.

2:00 PM

Video 2

Mighty Space Miners

Subtitled

A mining colony is attacked by a malfunctioning space weapon. Survivors must find each other among the wreckage, and find some way to return home.

2:45 PM

Video 1

Free! Eternal Summer

Subtitled

Haru, Makoto, Nagisa, Rei, and Rin are brought back together. The summer will bring new challenges for this group of friends.

3:45 PM

Video 2

Dr. Slump

Subtitled

Dr. Slump created a little android girl with no common sense. Together they live in Penguin Village, where the strangest things occur.

4:00 PM

Video 1

Please Teacher!

English Dub

Kusanagi Kei, a regular highschooler, is forced to marry his teacher to protect her secret: She's actually an alien! Watch as the story unfolds in this romantic comedy.

5:15 PM

Video 1

Parasyte

Subtitled

Shinichi is a regular high school boy whose hand has become infected with an alien parasite. They form a grudging friendship, and as stories of parasites killing humans rise, they are caught between two sides in a battle for control of the planet.

5:30 PM

Video 2

Mazinger Z

Subtitled

Kouji pilots a robot known as Mazinger Z, constructed from an indestructible metal known as Super-Alloy Z. His goal is to avenge his grandfather's death and protect Japan from the mechanical creations of Dr. Hell.

7:00 PM

Video 1

The Boy and the Beast

English Dub

Kyuta, a human boy, slips into a land of beasts, where he becomes the disciple of one of the challengers aiming to become the next grandmaster of the kingdom.

7:15 PM

Video 2

Vampire Hunter D: Bloodlust

English Dub

A young noblewoman named Charlotte is abducted by a vampire named Meier Link. D, the vampire hunter, is hired to retrieve her, battling monsters and demons - but the situation is not what it seems.

8:45 PM

Video 1

Space Dandy

English Dub

Space Dandy is a hunter who's paid to find undiscovered alien species. With his sidekicks QT and Meow, they'll outrun the Gogol Empire; though the reason for their wanted status is unknown.

9:30 PM

Video 2

Goldenboy (18+)

Subtitled

Kintaro Oe travels the world on his bicycle learning what he can about life. Working to prove himself, he takes on a number of odd jobs. Little do his employers know that the clumsy Kintaro is actually a genius who will work his way into their hearts.

10:30 PM

Video 1

VIDEO ROOMS



FRIDAY, CONT.

Girls und Panzer

Subtitled

A world where tank-combat is a traditional Japanese martial art for girls. The story follows Miho, a recently transferred girl, who has been ordered to join the school team and compete in the championships.

11:15 PM

Video 2

SATURDAY

Fairy Tail

English Dub

Lucy, while on her quest to become a full-fledged wizard, meets Natsu, who just happens to belong to the most infamous Wizard Guild: Fairy Tail.

8:30 AM

Video 2

Samurai Pizza Cats

English Dub

Little Tokyo is populated by all kinds of animals. The Pizza Cats' fast-food business is a cover for their real job - defending their town from any evil that threatens.

9:30 AM

Video 1

Tonari no Seki-kun: The Master of Killing Time

Subtitled

Seki-kun goofs off every day in class, much to the dismay of the diligent Rumi who sits next to him. And yet, she can't help but get caught up in his fantasies.

10:30 AM

Video 2

The Venus Wars

English Dub

War breaks out between two nations on a terraformed Venus, catching a teenage motorized unicycle team unaware. At the same time, a reporter from Earth is trying to keep up with the team to document the story.

11:15 AM

Video 1

The Disappearance of Nagato Yuki-Chan

Subtitled

In the alternate world Nagato created, she's just an ordinary shy bookworm trying to keep her literary club together. She slowly gains new familiar friends and grows her personality.

12:15 PM

Video 2

Love Hina

English Dub

After failing to get into Tokyo University, Keitaro Urashima is sent to live with his grandmother at her hotel - an all-girls boarding house. Life gets complicated for all the residents when Keitaro becomes the house manager.

1:00 PM

Video 1

Lupin the 3rd vs. Detective Conan: TV Special

Subtitled

While Lupin sets his eyes on a new treasure in Vesparand, Conan and friends need to uncover the truth behind the deaths of the Queen and Prince.

2:00 PM

Video 2

Revolutionary Girl Utena

Subtitled

After being saved by a prince at the darkest point of her life, Utena vows to become a prince herself. Searching for him, she attends Ohtori Academy, where she becomes involved in a series of duels with a mysterious purpose.

2:45 PM

Video 1

Haikyuuu!!

English Dub

After a crushing defeat in volleyball during middle school, Shoyo Hinata joins his high school team and finds his rival is one of his new teammates! Will this duo overcome all obstacles to take home the win?

3:45 PM

Video 2

Tenchi Muyo! (18+)

English Dub

By releasing a space pirate from a 700-year entrapment, Tenchi starts a chain of events that leads to four other alien girls showing up and living at his home, as he discovers his own hidden heritage.

4:30 PM

Video 1

The Girl Who Leapt Through Time

English Dub

When 17-year-old Makoto gains the ability to leap backwards in time, she sets about improving her grades and preventing personal mishaps. She soon discovers that changing the past isn't as harmless as it seems.

5:30 PM

Video 2

Slayers

English Dub

Lina Inverse, a wandering sorceress, joins forces with swordsman Gourry Gabriev in what's supposed to be a quick union of convenience. Instead, an artifact Lina "liberated" turns out to be the key to the resurrection of a demon lord.

6:15 PM

Video 1

Danganronpa

English Dub

Makoto Naegi wins a lottery to enter an elite school. After getting there, he finds there's a catch: In order to be free, you have to kill one of your classmates (and get away with it).

7:15 PM

Video 2

VIDEO ROOMS



SATURDAY, CONT.

Voltron: Defender of the Universe

English Dub

Five humans get pulled onto an alien planet to recover the five lions that form Voltron, the Defender of the Universe, in order to save their home planet.

8:00 PM

Video 1

Assassination Classroom

Subtitled

After the moon explodes, its destructor, a bizarre creature with inhuman speed and powers, begins teaching a high school class. These students have until graduation to kill their teacher, or the moon's fate will also fall upon Earth.

9:00 PM

Video 2

FLCL

English Dub

Naota is fooling around with his brother's ex-girlfriend when a crazed girl on a motor scooter runs him over, brains him with a bass guitar, and hurls him into the middle of a mega-corporation's secret agenda.

9:45 PM

Video 1

No Game, No Life

Subtitled

A young man and his little sister are considered urban legends for their skill in the gaming community. They're transported to a world where games determine everything - and quickly cause a revolution for humanity against impossible odds and near-extinction.

10:45 PM

Video 2

SUNDAY

Guilty Crown

Subtitled

When an alien virus threatens them, Japan becomes a dependent nation under a provisional government known as GHQ. Having lost his past, Shu Ouma joins the military resistance group Funeral Parlor to fight back against GHQ's corruption.

8:00 PM

Video 2

Fruits Basket

Subtitled

Whenever a member of the Sohma family is hugged by a person of the opposite gender, they transform into an animal of the Chinese Zodiac. When a young girl stumbles upon the family's secret, life at the Sohma house changes forever.

8:30 AM

Video 1

Princess Jellyfish

English Dub

Tsukimi and her wallflower friends are hopeless nerds that rarely set foot outside the all-girl apartment complex they inhabit. A late-night jellyfish rescue mission and the arrival of a "Stylish Girl" are about to turn their lives upside down.

9:30 AM

Video 2

Cardcaptor Sakura

Subtitled

Sakura Kinomoto was an ordinary 4th grader until she opened a strange book, releasing magical cards into the world. To her dismay, it is now up to her and the guardian beast of the book to protect the world from the catastrophe that would befall it.

10:00 AM

Video 1

Love Live!

Subtitled

Honoka starts a school idol group to try to keep her school from shutting down.

11:15 AM

Video 2

El Hazard

English Dub

While Makoto Mizuhara is working on his newest invention, it overloads and sends him and his friends to a strange new world.

11:45 AM

Video 1

Horizon in the Middle of Nowhere

Subtitled

Visit a distant future where Japan is divided into conquered feudal territories, and the remnants of the Japanese live on a floating city ship.

1:00 PM

Video 2

Robot Carnival

Subtitled

A collection of short films about robots, created by some of the leading animators in Japan.

1:30 PM

Video 1

Wolf Children

English Dub

Hana, a 19 year old student, falls in love with a wolf man and bears him two children. Hana makes the choice after he dies to move to the country to hide her children's heritage.

2:45 PM

Video 2

Ghost Stories

English Dub

The creators of this unpopular anime told the English dub team to do whatever they wanted with it. So they did. Silly, ad-libbed dialogue transforms this story of a young girl fighting the demons and ghosts haunting her school into a hilarious parody.

3:15 PM

Video 1

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