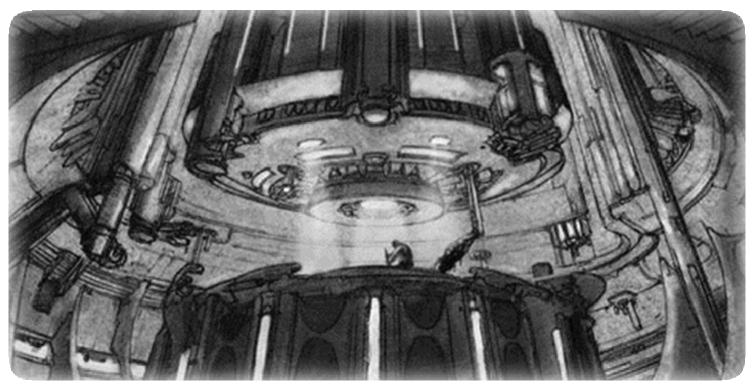
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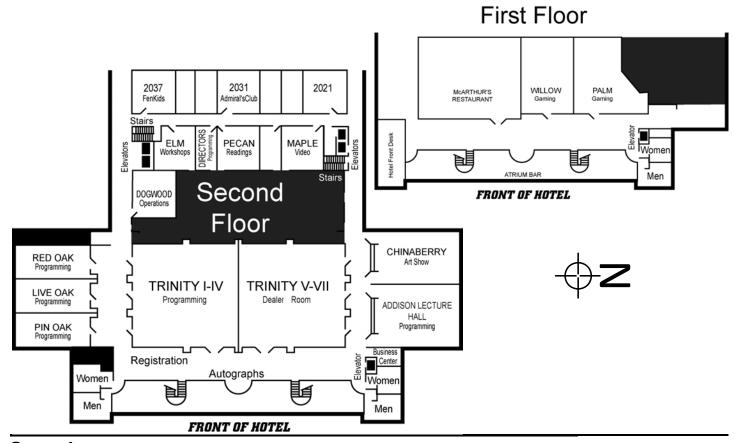
Convention Hours

| | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
|-----------------------|------------------|------------|------------------|
| Registration | 11 AM-9 PM | 9 AM-6 PM | 10 AM-3 PM |
| Convention Ops | 10 AM-11 PM | 9 AM-11 PM | 9 AM-4 PM |
| Dealer Room | 2 PM-6:45 PM | 10 AM-6 PM | 10 AM-4 PM |
| Video Room | Noon-2 AM | 8 AM-2 AM | 8 AM-4 PM |
| Art Show | 2 PM-7 PM | 10 AM-6 PM | 10 AM-2 PM |
| Gaming | 6 PM-12 Midnight | 24 Hours | 12 Midnight-4 PM |
| FenKids (2037) | Noon-6 PM | 10 AM-6 PM | 10 AM-4 PM |
| Admiral's Club | Noon-2 AM | 7 AM-2 AM | 7 AM-4 PM |
| (Hospitality Suite) | | | |

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FenCon Rules and Etiquette

FenCon expects its members to respect each other and behave in a generally civilized fashion. Members should respect common sense rules for public behavior, personal interaction, common courtesy, and respect for private property. If you wouldn't do it at home, please don't do it here. In addition, we have a few specific rules for all members to follow:

- 1. **IDENTIFY YOURSELF (BADGES):** Each FenCon member is provided with a badge. Your badge is your permit into all the convention events and functions. Wear your badge so it is visible at all times. Anyone seen without a badge in any of our function rooms will be asked to leave. If you find someone's badge or lose your own badge, please contact Registration or Convention Operations. Lost badges may require the purchase of a new membership.
- **2. SAFETY FIRST:** We want everyone to have a great time, but we will not tolerate dangerous, illegal, or threatening behavior. Please report to the convention committee any incidents in which a member of the convention is abusive, insulting, intimidating, bothersome, or acting in an unsafe or illegal manner.

Harassing or threatening behavior should be reported at once to Operations or the nearest FenCon staff member. The FenCon Executive Committee will evaluate the situation and take appropriate action, up to and including removing the offender from the convention.

Persons violating the law may be turned over to the police or hotel security. FenCon reserves the right to revoke the membership and badge of any person or persons whose behavior is deemed to be detrimental to the convention as a whole. Refunds for revoked memberships are at the sole discretion of the FenCon Chair.

In the event of a medical emergency, please go directly to the hotel staff, not the convention staff – either the front desk or the nearest hotel staff member. The hotel has asked that all attendees go directly to them in these situations.

- **3. YOU ARE HERE (HOTEL):** Please be courteous to all guests of the hotel. We are not the only people or event here this weekend. So let's all get along and have a great time. Please observe all rules posted by the hotel.
- **4. CHILDREN:** FenCon is an event that is fun for the entire family, and we welcome children as attendees. Children of appropriate ages may take part in our FenKids program track. To keep the con experience fun for everyone and to ensure the safety of your children, please watch your children at all times. If they are unable to sit quietly through the excitement of a discussion panel or other event, please take them out in the hallway for a time so they don't interfere with the event or prevent other members from enjoying the full FenCon experience.
- **5. ALCOHOL:** The legal drinking age in Texas is 21 years old. Any minors found in possession of alcohol and any adults found to be providing alcohol to minors will have their memberships revoked and be removed from the convention. No exceptions. Please drink responsibly. If you have had too much, please get a room at the hotel, call a cab, or ask a sober friend for a ride. We want to see you all on Sunday...and at FenCon next year!
- **6. AH, THE ATMOSPHERE:** Smoking is prohibited in all areas of the hotel, including function rooms, sleeping rooms, hallways, and the Admiral's Club (Hospitality Suite). This includes the patio outside the Admiral's Club. Please obey the hotel's posted smoking policies.
- **7. FOOD AND DRINK:** Food or drink is **not** allowed in any convention space except the Admiral's Club.
- **8. HEALTH AND WELFARE (THE 5-2-1 RULE):** Not only for your own comfort, but also to please your fellow fans, follow the 5-2-1 rule of conventions: at least 5 hours of sleep every night, at least 2 meals each day, and at least 1 shower a day.

FenCon Rules and Etiquette

- **9. AUTOGRAPHS:** Most of our guests are happy to give you their autograph, but please follow these simple rules: When possible, only request autographs during the designated autograph sessions. If there is a line, please limit yourself to 3 items to be autographed per guest. Please do not ask any guests for an autograph as they are leaving or going to a panel, or while they are at a meal.
- **10. WEAPONS:** We know, weapons policies are no fun. But, we don't want the convention to be shut down by the hotel or Addison's finest, so we must have one. Other than during the costume contest, no one is allowed to carry any weapon that would be considered illegal in Texas. A pocketknife is fine. A dagger is not. A *sgian dubh* is fine. A claymore is not. Please use common sense. Any swords, knives, or other weapons purchased in the Dealer Room must be wrapped before leaving the room and taken immediately to your hotel room, car, or other safe place. Yes, you may carry your Official Space Patrol Cosmic Ray Gun.
- 11. PHOTOGRAPHS, HOLOGRAMS, AND OTHER RENDERINGS: FenCon will not restrict your right to take photos as long as you respect the wishes of your intended subjects. Ask permission before you photograph any individual or group. If someone asks that you not take their picture, please respect their wishes. Also, do not block traffic to take a photo. Move to a less populated area. Asking someone to pose long enough for an oil painting is right out.
- **12. RECORDING:** Recording of performances and programming at FenCon is allowed only for the private use of the person making the recording. If a panelist or performer requests that there be no video or audio taping, please respect his or her wishes.
- **13. FUN:** Everyone attending this convention is required to have fun. Anyone being gloomy or not enjoying the convention may find their molecules scattered across the vastness of space.

Events of Interest

| FRI 4:00 PM | Addison Lecture Hall | The Art of Donato Giancola |
|--------------|--------------------------------|--|
| FRI 7:00 PM | Trinity I-IV | Opening Ceremonies |
| FRI 8:00 PM | Trinity I-IV | John Anealio Concert |
| SAT 10:00 AM | North Parking Lot | Carter BloodCare Blood Drive |
| SAT 10:00 AM | Trinity I-IV | FenCon Squares |
| SAT 11:00 AM | Addison Lecture Hall | STS-122 Atlantis Crew Video Presentation with Stanley Love |
| SAT Noon | Addison Lecture Hall | Science Today! with Guest Dr. David Hanson |
| SAT Noon | Art Show (Chinaberry) | TSR Art and Art Show Walk-Thru |
| SAT 1:00 PM | Gallery | Friend of the Fen GoH Autograph Session |
| SAT 1:00 PM | Director's | The OctopodiCon Egyptian Tea (signup required) |
| SAT 2:00 PM | Pin Oak | Spotlight on Teresa Patterson |
| SAT 4:00 PM | Trinity I-IV | C.J. Cherryh Keynote Address |
| SAT 3:00 PM | Willow (1 st Floor) | The Magic of Donato Giancola |
| SAT 5:00 PM | Trinity I-IV | John Anealio Concert |
| SAT 5:00 PM | Admiral's Club (2031) | Benefit CD Release Party |
| SAT 6:00 PM | Elm | Project Hieroglyph: Inspiring the Future with Karl Schroeder |
| SAT 9:00 PM | Trinity I-IV | FenCon Saturday Cabaret |
| SAT 9:00 PM | Admiral's Club (2031) | Ice Cream Social |
| SUN 10:00 AM | Addison Lecture Hall | Live Painting Demo by Donato Giancola |
| SUN 3:00 PM | Trinity I-IV | Teresa Patterson in Concert |
| SUN 4:00 PM | Trinity I-IV | Closing Ceremonies |

Friday - Grid

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| Time | Trinity I-IV | Red Oak | Live Oak | Pin Oak | Time |
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| Noon | | Days of Future Past | 1 | | Noon |
| 1:00 PM | | Barnabas Still Lives: The | - | Citizens in Space | 1:00 PM |
| 1.001101 | | Dark Shadows Panel | | Citizens in Space | 1.001101 |
| 2:00 PM | | You're Scottish, Fry | A Quieter Influence | The First Book I Bought | 2:00 PM |
| 2:30 PM | | Something! | | With My Own Money | 2:30 PM |
| 3:00 PM | | Asimov Has Left the | Fraught With Peril | Hey, I Was Watching That! | 3:00 PM |
| 3:30 PM | | Building | | | 3:30 PM |
| 4:00 PM | | Playing God: Controversial | Farewell Summer: Ray | Publishing Pitfalls | 4:00 PM |
| | | Science | Bradbury Remembered | | |
| 4:30 PM | | | | | 4:30 PM |
| | | | | | |
| 5:00 PM | | Open the Podcast Doors, | It's The Muppet Panel | We Got It Covered! | 5:00 PM |
| 5:30 PM | | Hal | | | 5:30 PM |
| 6:00 PM | | Talkin' About My | Three Recent Plans for | I Saw It in the Movies | 6:00 PM |
| | | Regeneration | Near-Earth Asteroid | | |
| 6:30 PM | | | Mining | | 6:30 PM |
| 7:00 PM | Opening Ceremonies | | | | 7:00 PM |
| 8:00 PM | John Anealio Guest of | The Future of Halloween | Monster De-evolution | Distant Shores | 8:00 PM |
| | Honor Concert | | | | |
| 9:00 PM | Bedlam Bards Concert | LoneStarCon 3, Yee Haw! | Not The Liar's Panel | Ghost Hunting 102 | 9:00 PM |
| 10:00 PM | Starcruisers in Concert | | | | 10:00 PM |
| | | | | | |
| 11:00 PM | Darwin Prophet and | | Bardic Filk | Chaos Filk | 11:00 PM |
| | Chronus Mirror in Concert | | | | |

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Friday - Grid

| Addison Lecture Hall | Elm | Pecan | Director's | 2037 FenKids | Time |
|--|---|---------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| | Writers Workshop: Session B † | | | Games | 9:00 AM ↓ |
| | | Reading by A. de Orive | | Create a Character | Noon |
| | | Reading by S. Compton | | Snowballs in Texas! | 1:00 PM |
| | | Reading by V. Kennedy | | I'm the Rocketman | 2:00 PM |
| | | Reading by R. Rose | | and Tear 'em Ups | 2:30 PM |
| Early Bird Panel | | Reading by D. Ross | | Time in a Bottle | 3:00 PM |
| | | Reading by E. O'Neal | | Capsule, Whatever | 3:30 PM |
| The Art of Donato Giancola | Best Face Forward: Character Make-up | Reading by L. Donahue | | Reading by Ethan Nahté | 4:00 PM |
| | and Painting | Reading by L. Smith | | Reading by Rhonda Eudaly | 4:30 PM |
| Travelling To Mars | It's A Puzzlement | Reading by M. Muenzler | | Reading by Rachel | 5:00 PM |
| | | Reading by Ethan Nahté | Reading: Cat Wings | Caine | 5:30 PM |
| Classicalism in Science Fiction & Fantasy Art | Rogue Cheddar II † | Reading by R. Clement- Moore | Roll for Initiative | | 6:00 PM |
| | | Reading by C. Fulbright | | | 6:30 PM |
| | | | | | 7:00 PM |
| The Future of Comics | Bazinga! | Reading by P. Roberts | | | 8:00 PM |
| 10 Years of Serenity | SF Pictionary | | | | 9:00 PM |
| | Slash: Fiction, Art, Videos | | | | 10:00 PM |
| | | | | | 11:00 PM |

Saturday - Grid

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| Time | Trinity I-IV | Red Oak | Live Oak | Pin Oak | Time |
|----------|------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|----------|
| 9:00 AM | | | | | 9:00 AM |
| 10:00 AM | FenCon Squares | Return of Son of Super-Hero | Evolving Style: From | Publishing 2020 | 10:00 AM |
| 10:30 AM | (game show) | Summer | Indiana Jones to Mad Men | | 10:30 AM |
| 11:00 AM | Alex Boyd Concert | I Still Believe in Heroes: The | Artistic License to Kill | Digital Art and Its Struggle | 11:00 AM |
| 11:30 AM | | Avengers Movie | | for Respect | 11:30 AM |
| Noon | Bedlam Bards Concert | Beyond Computing | Prosthetic Makeup on a | Genres: Will They Blend? | Noon |
| 12:30 PM | | | Budget | | 12:30 PM |
| 1:00 PM | Keith Kelly Concert | Sherlock v Holmes | Applying Special Effects | Remembering TSR | 1:00 PM |
| 1:30 PM | | | Makeup | | 1:30 PM |
| 2:00 PM | Bland Lemon and the | Redheads of the Apocalypse | What's After Science? | Fan GoH Spotlight on | 2:00 PM |
| 2:30 PM | Lemonades Concert | Press Conference | | Teresa Patterson | 2:30 PM |
| 3:00 PM | Darwin Prophet Concert | Future of Space | Random Novel Reading | The Dark Knight Rises: | 3:00 PM |
| 3:30 PM | | | | What Breaks Batman? | 3:30 PM |
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| 4:00 PM | C.J. Cherryh Keynote | | | | 4:00 PM |
| 4:30 PM | Address | | | | 4:30 PM |
| 5:00 PM | John Anealio Guest of | It's All Von Neumann's fault | Reading, Writing & | Creating Alien Voices in | 5:00 PM |
| 5:30 PM | Honor Concert | | Wargaming | SF/F | 5:30 PM |
| 6:00 PM | Brazen Bellies Dance | Conventions In and around | Once Upon a Fairy Tale | One Giant Leap | 6:00 PM |
| 6:30 PM | Ravenar Dance | Texas | | | 6:30 PM |
| 7:00 PM | | | How to Kill Your Novel's | There and Back Again | 7:00 PM |
| 7:30 PM | | | Chances in 5 Pages | (Again) | 7:30 PM |
| 8:00 PM | | Masquerade Muster - | 50 Years of Web-Spinning | Cabaret Musicians Tune- | 8:00 PM |
| | | Masquerade Participants | & Smashing | Up | |
| 9:00 PM | FenCon Cabaret | Only | | | 9:00 PM |
| 10:00 PM | | | | | 10:00 PM |
| 11:00 PM | | | Chaos Filk | Open Bardic Filk | 11:00 PM |

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| Robotics 2050 Writers Workshop: Session C† Reading by K. Hutson Price Reading by J. Fancher Reading by L. Carl Reading by L. Carl Reading by A. Porter Reading by Ma. Finn Guest Dr. David Hanson Press Road Show Worldcon 101 Reading by C. Havens Reading by C. Havens Reading by P. David Reading David Reading P. Popet P. Reading P. Reading P. Popet | Addison Lecture Hall | |
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| STS-122 Atlantis Crew Video Presentation Science Today! with Guest Dr. David Hanson Yard Dog Press Road Show Run Along, Pond Reyond Words Robots 4 U (Ages 5-8) Robots 4 U (ages 9-17) Reading by A. Martinez Reading by B. Hale Reading by B. Martinez Reading by B. Martinez Reading: Captain Underpants! Kids Second Breakfast 11:00 AM Rin Horo Am Noon Look at that FACE! 12:30 PM Parade Muster 1:30 PM Reading by B. Hale Reading by B. Hale Reading by P. David Reading: The Lightning Thief Reading: Captain Underpants! I'm the Rocketman 2 Time in a Bottle 2 S:00 PM Time in a Bottle 2 S:00 PM Time in a Bottle 2 S:00 PM | Robotics 2050 | M |
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| Run Along, Pond Costuming for Those With Special Needs Reading by B. Hale Generic Radio Workshop Love a Parade! 2:00 PM | Guest Dr. David Hanson | VI |
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| Project Hieroglyph: The Future of Family Filk with 6:00 PM | | |
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| Inspiring the Future Bookstores Margaret Middleton 6:30 PM | | i |
| Art and Charity Auction Chocolate and WTF, Zombies?!? 7:00 PM | Art and Charity Auction | i |
| Cheese Tasting † 7:30 PM | | i |
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| Time | Trinity I-IV | Red Oak | Live Oak | Pin Oak | Time |
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| 9:00 AM | | | | | 9:00 AM |
| 10:00 AM | All History is Alternate | Building Your Own World | Forming and Maintaining | Art Theft No More | 10:00 AM |
| 10:30 AM | | | a Critique Group | | 10:30 AM |
| 11:00 AM | Margaret Middleton Concert | BillionairesinSPACE! | How to Get Started in | Alchemy & Algorithms | 11:00 AM |
| 11:30 AM | Randy Farran Concert | It's About Time! | Genealogy | | 11:30 AM |
| Noon | Ghost of a Rose Concert | YA, Not Just for Kids | Growing Games | Co-Authoring: Mechanics | Noon |
| 12:30 PM | October Country Concert | | | & Rewards | 12:30 PM |
| 1:00 PM | Cliff McMurray Concert | If This Goes On | All is Not Book Covers! | Cage Match: Colossus vs. | 1:00 PM |
| 1:30 PM | Joe Abbott Concert | | | SkyNet | 1:30 PM |
| 2:00 PM | Triskelion Concert | Take One TARDIS and Call | SF/F Music That Isn't Filk | Learning the Rules to | 2:00 PM |
| 2:30 PM | | Me in the Morning | | Break Them | 2:30 PM |
| 3:00 PM | Teresa Patterson Concert | But It's Funny! | Rebooting Buffy: Insane | FenCon Feedback | 3:00 PM |
| 3:30 PM | | | or Merely Crazy? | | 3:30 PM |
| 4:00 PM | Closing Ceremonies | | Closed, See Y | "all Next Year | 4:00 PM |

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Sunday - Grid

| Addison Lecture Hall | Elm | Pecan | Director's | 2037 FenKids | Time |
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| | | | | Intro to Comics | 9:00 AM |
| Portraiture: Live | How Do You Size Up? | Reading by S. Swendson | | Snowball Fight! | 10:00 AM |
| Painting Demo by | | Reading by J. Perez | | | 10:30 AM |
| Donato Giancola | | | | | |
| The Art of Gaming | Creating an Interactive | Reading by K. Turski | | Tie-Dye Without the | 11:00 AM |
| | Book iPad App | Reading by D. Hanson | | Tie | 11:30 AM |
| Whatcha Dooooin': A | Speed Forecasting: | Crystal Clear - Working | Writers of the Future | Kids Lunch | Noon |
| Phineas & Ferb Panel | Foresight and How it | with Liquid Resin | | | 12:30 PM |
| King Arthur in the 21st | Differs from SF † | Reading by J. Mandala | Crowdfunding: Being a | Intro to Roleplaying | 1:00 PM |
| Century | | Reading by K. Bogen | Patron of the Arts | | 1:30 PM |
| 80 Years of Conan | Fast Forward Fashion | Reading by S. Rosen | | Play Your Character | 2:00 PM |
| | | Reading by W. Ledbetter | | | 2:30 PM |
| File This! | It's (Monty Python's | Reading by J. Kerr | | Games and Activities | 3:00 PM |
| | Flying Panel) | Reading by R. Rogers | | | 3:30 PM |
| Closed, See Y'all Next Year | | | | | |

Attending FenCon

Getting the Most from This Convention

You've waited through the registration line. You handed money to the convention and they gave you a badge, a book with a pretty cover, and this book, called a Convention Guide. Now what?

First, put your badge on. It is your passport to most of the convention activities, so keep it visible.¹

Second, take a few minutes to review this Convention Guide. It provides a schedule of when the events start and stop and detailed descriptions toward the back of what the panels will cover, when and where.² Think of this convention as a circus: lots of performances happen simultaneously, so there is something happening wherever you look.

Third, read through the descriptions at the back, choose which ones you want to see, then find them on the grid earlier in the book (marking them with a highlighter makes them easier to find later). The grid format lets you scan across the different activities during an hour, making it easier to find conflicts (or, if a panel isn't quite what you wanted, to find alternatives).

You may not be so interested in the panels, but the convention has other activities, too. Take time to enjoy the Art Show, play some games in Gaming, shop for books, jewelry, clothing, accessories, etc. in the Dealer Room, watch movies or shorter videos in the Video Room, or just hang out.

¹ By paying for your membership, you help finance the convention. Although a registered, non-profit 501(c)3 organization, the convention still needs real money to pay for the hotel, airline tickets for the guests, and food for the Hospitality Suite. Showing your badge shows that you've done your part to make this convention happen.

² Wait... what's a panel? Some attendees are happy to meet the Guests of Honor, listen to authors read their own stories or hear how artists put together that really cool piece of art. The convention schedules these discussions and presentations into panels. The Convention Guide describes what the panel topics are and who is on them (as well as concerts, demonstrations, workshops and guest autograph sessions), but also lists when and where they will happen, in the order they will happen.

After the Dealer Room and Art Show close, other conventions and groups often throw parties. On Saturday night you have the All-Star Git-Down Filk-Sing Hootenanny™ and Masquerade, the charity art auctions, and into the wee hours of the morning you may hear strains of music with fannish phrases³ from the filk rooms. If you start to feel run down, you can grab a quick snack or drink in the Admiral's Club, the hospitality room for FenCon. It's a good place where you can sit down and chat with friends, too.

Fourth, activities continue round-the-clock from Friday until the convention closes Sunday afternoon, so pace yourself. Schedule time for eating, drinking, sleeping, and being kind to your fellow convention attendees by taking care of personal hygiene (bathing, etc.).

Finally, the schedule can change after this book is printed. Look for schedule changes published in the FenCon *ION* newsletter. For the latest, complete schedule go to http://www.fencon.org/programming.html.



³ Some terms you may hear around the con but may be new to you:

fan \'făn\ noun Merriam-Webster lists: an ardent admirer or enthusiast (as of a celebrity or a pursuit) <science-fiction fans> fen noun: The plural form of fan.

fanzine \'făn zēn\\\ noun \text{ An amateur-produced magazine written for a subculture, usually for little or no compensation (only to defray costs). Original source: fan + \(\text{maga}\)zine

filk \'fĭlk\ Music or songs associated with science fiction/fantasy culture. The word was originally a typographical error from 'folk'. **newbie** \'n\"u b\"e\"\ A person who is new to fandom. We were all new, so don't hesitate to ask someone if something is confusing.

Friday Panels

9:00 AM

Elm

Writers Workshop: Session B†

Second session of the FenCon Writers Workshop with Special Guest Karl Schroeder.

K. Schroeder*

2037 FenKids

Games

Have some fun with new games, or enjoy some of the classics

10:00 AM

2037 FenKids

Games

Learn new games or play some classics

11:00 AM

2037 FenKids

Kids Lunch

A little break for the kids to refuel.

Friday Noon (12:00 PM)

Red Oak Days of Future Past

Predictions haven't always been that successful. Some of the visions of the future from the past have been spot on...but most failed spectacularly. Let's discuss the hits and the misses about the predictions of the world we live in today. *S. Compton, C. Donahue**

Video (Maple) 2010: The Year We Make Contact

A team of American and Russian astronauts return to Jupiter to find answers about the fate of the *Discovery*.

2037 FenKids

Create a character

F. Brigdon*

1:00 PM

Red Oak

Barnabas Still Lives: The *Dark*Shadows Panel

With its revival as a Tim Burton movie and the recent passing of star Jonathan Frid, the classic Gothic soap opera is bigger than ever. Share memories of watching the show, and discuss its impact of horror on television.

E. Braun, C. Clamp, G. Oliver, R. Rose, V. Kennedy*

Pin Oak

Citizens in Space

Edward Wright discusses current developments in the commercial spaceflight industry, how modern technology allows citizen scientists to build space-science experiments with off-the-shelf parts from Radio Shack and Home Depot, and specifics of the Citizens in Space program.

E. Wright

Pecan

Reading

A. de Orive

2037 FenKids

Snowballs in Texas!

Make felt snowballs in preparation for a snowball fight on Sunday.

M. Miller*

1:30 PM

Pecan

Reading

S. Compton

2:00 PM

Red Oak

You're Scottish, Fry Something!

Racial and ethnic stereotypes in science fiction. How are they presented? Which groups are fair game and which are kryptonite?

C. Donahue, J. Fancher, S. Rosen, M. Tatum, B. Kemper*

Live Oak

A Quieter Influence

Not every author who influences others is one of the big names. Panelists discuss lesser-known storytellers, who nonetheless inspired them to tell their own tales.

P. Black, C.J. Cherryh, B. Hale, D. Ross, K. Turski*

Pin Oak

The First Book I Bought With My Own Money

Our panelists tell the stories of their first book purchases.

K. Schroeder, K. Sullivan, S. Wedel,

R. Clement-Moore*

Pecan Reading

V. Kennedy

Video (Maple) Oblivion

Zack Stone must return to the planet Oblivion after his father is killed by the evil Red Eye. Zack is a pacifist but Oblivion needs a new sheriff to foil Red Eye and his gang of hellions.

2037 FenKids

I'm the Rocketman... or Woman, or Alien, or Cephalopod

Let's make a jetpack.

S. Brigdon*

2037 FenKids

Tear 'em Ups

An opportunity for young people to see how their world works. By tearing it apart. NOTE: Children must be accompanied by an adult for this panel.

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* indicates Moderator

2:30 PM

Pecan Reading

R. Rose

Gallery

Autographs
M. Bardsley

3:00 PM

Red Oak

Asimov Has Left the Building

Androids and humanoid robots, how and when will we get them? And if we do, can we control them?

C. Donahue, D. Gray, D. Hanson,

Live Oak

Fraught With Peril

M. Spong, M. White*

Creating realistic suspense and conflict in stories.

J. Fancher, C. Havens, R. Rogers, F. Summers*

Pin Oak

Hey, I Was Watching That!

Unfortunately, some really good shows get cancelled long before they jump the shark. Join our panelists for a discussion on beloved shows that vanished with plenty of story left.

J. Anealio, K. Hill, S. Swendson, D. Rainbolt*

Addison Lecture Hall Early Bird Panel

Your reward for showing up at FenCon early!

C.J. Cherryh, P. David*

Pecan

Reading D. Ross

2037 FenKids

Time in a Bottle... Capsule, Whatever Making history. Or what will be history. In a few years. Making a time capsule. S. Brigdon*

Gallery

Autographs

T. Patterson, K. Schroeder

3:30 PM

Pecan

Reading

E. O'Neal

4:00 PM

Red Oak

Playing God: Controversial Science

Science is unleashing Promethean tools of creation and destruction. Where do we draw the line on controversial sciences like genetics, geo-engineering, artificial intelligence, and self-replicating machines? *C.J. Cherryh, S. Compton, J. Fancher, M. Fletcher*

Live Oak

Farewell Summer: Ray Bradbury Remembered

His life, his work, his influence.

D.L. Anderson, K. David, S. Rosen,
F. Summers*

Pin Oak Publishing Pitfalls

T. Patterson, C. Clamp*

Anyone can get published these days, but getting published well can be difficult. How do you distinguish between the professional publishers, agents, and services and the earnest but inexperienced, or those just out to lighten your pocketbook?

R. Caine, P.N. Elrod, S. Hoyt, A. Martinez,

Addison Lecture Hall The Art of Donato Giancola

Join our Artist Guest of Honor as he presents a retrospective of his work. *D. Giancola*

Elm

Best Face Forward: Character Makeup and Painting

Join us for a demonstration on applying character make-up, fake tattoos, and face painting.

M. Moore*

Pecan Reading

L. Donahue

Video (Maple) Oblivion 2: Backlash

In the alien-western world of Oblivion, a suave, yet lethal bounty hunter named Sweeney arrives to arrest the seductive outlaw Lash on multiple charges, including murder.

2037 FenKids

Reading: Ethan Nahté

Gallery Autographs

J. Anealio

4:30 PM

Pecan

Reading

L. Smith

2037 FenKids

Reading: Rhonda Eudaly Simpson

Reading by FenCon's own Rhonda Eudaly Simpson R. Eudaly

5:00 PM

Red Oak

Open the Podcast Doors, Hal

Behind the scenes on how podcasts are created. Understanding your audience, choosing hardware, distribution, marketing.

J. Anealio, M. Fletcher*

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* indicates Moderator

Live Oak

It's the Muppet Panel

With our very special guests who talk about the lovable puppets, their past and future, and the most recent movie. Yaaaay! (arms waving)

K. David, R. Farran, M. Largent, L. Smith, A. Balthrop*

Pin Oak We Got It Covered!

There are many decisions that go into selecting a book's cover, from editorial personnel, book buyers, and yes, even the author. Learn how artists work with publishers to design and create cover art.

C. Clamp, J. Fancher, B. Foster, A. Martinez, D.L. Anderson*

Addison Lecture Hall Travelling To Mars

Astronaut Stanley Love discusses the challenges of sending humans to Mars. *S. Love*

Elm

It's a Puzzlement

Do the instructions that came with your pattern make no sense? Did you get a pattern from somewhere that has no instructions? Have you made something that didn't turn out right, even though you'd swear you did everything properly? Join us for a panel that helps people solve their problems with patterns.

M. Miller, D. Ross, Sundara, B. Demonja*

Pecan Reading

M. Muenzler

2037 FenKids

Reading: Rachel Caine

Rachel Caine reads excerpts from her work.

R. Caine*

Gallery Autographs

D. Hanson

5:30 PM

Pecan Reading

E. Nahté

Director's

Reading by Iain Miller: Cat Wings

A wonderful series for young children by Ursula LeGuin. Excerpts read by a fan.

I. Miller

6:00 PM

Red Oak

Talkin' About My Regeneration

Time Lords originally had twelve lives. Now maybe it's 401. What's changed? What can kill a Time Lord? B. Hale, A. Porter, K. Sullivan, S. B. Taylor, P. Roberts*

Live Oak

Three Recent Plans for Near-Earth Asteroid Mining

As much as Near-Earth Asteroid (NEA) mining could establish the background for a sci-fi/horror story, these plans are real - and at least one plan is expected to be really profitable.

K. Ruffin

Pin Oak

I Saw It in the Movies

So, you always wanted to dress like your favorite movie character? Come join us as we discuss the costumes we've done, the ones we'd like to do, and how we do it.

K. David, C. Denney, L. Donahue, B. Demonja*

Addison Lecture Hall Classicalism in Science Fiction & Fantasy Art

Join the award-winning artist Donato Giancola in a comprehensive slide presentation on the classical and modern influences in his art; from the great figuration of Rubens to the portraiture of Rembrandt, see how this contemporary artist blends these traditional influences with the fascinating worlds of science fiction and fantasy today.

D. Giancola

Elm

Rogue Cheddar II †

Cheese, the encore! Join Sam Gayle for a sampling of cheesy comestibles. Limited to 20. Please sign up at the Information Table by Registration.

S. Gayle*

Pecan

Reading

R. Clement-Moore

Director's Roll for Initiative

Discussion of your favorite tabletop roleplaying games.

A. de Orive, B. Guanieri, T. Franzoni*

Video (Maple) Babylon 5 "Soul Mates"

Londo, with his political fortunes on the rise, is given permission to divorce two of his three wives. Written by Peter David.

6:30 PM

Pecan Reading

C. Fulbright

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* indicates Moderator

7:00 PM

Trinity I-IV

Opening Ceremonies

The Con has been open all day, but this is when it officially begins. Meet our guests and find out about the great weekend of programming coming up. *J. Anealio, C.J. Cherryh, P. David, D. Giancola, D. Hanson, S. Love, T. Patterson, K. Schroeder*

Video (Maple)

Babylon 5 "There All Honor Lies"

Sheridan is in hot water when he kills a Minbari warrior in self-defense. Written By Peter David

8:00 PM

Trinity I-IV John Anealio Guest of Honor Concert

J. Anealio

Red Oak

The Future of Halloween

With the cost of materials coming down, the availability of simple tech, and widespread sharing of knowledge on the internet, people are creating incredible haunted houses, even on their lawns! What's next for the celebration of Halloween?

R. Farran, T. Franzoni, D. Hanson, Z. Melder, C. Denney*

Pin Oak Distant Shores

Will mankind ever send humans to other stars? Our panel discusses likely and unlikely scenarios for expanding outward from Earth and into the galaxy.

C.J. Cherryh, K. Murphy, E. Wright,
C. Donghue*

Live Oak

Monster De-evolution

How monsters of horror and myth have morphed and changed over time to fit the modern era.

M. Bardsley, A. de Orive, L. Killough, S. Wedel, A. Martinez*

Addison Lecture Hall The Future of Comics

What's next for comics? Our panelists discuss the marketplace, digital distribution, and suggestions on how to improve comics.

Ma. Finn, B. Waller, M. White, A. Porter*

Elm

Bazinga!

The Big Bang Theory is one of the most popular series because of its portrayal of science, geek culture, and awkward romance. Join us for a fun discussion about the show, its characters, and future!

T. Caldwell, P. David, M. Fletcher,
C. Havens, C. McMurray

Pecan

Reading *P. Roberts*

Video (Maple)

Crusade "Ruling from the Tomb"

On a visit to Mars the crew encounter the 'Sacred Omega' doomsday cult. The cult plants a bomb at an antiplague action conference in the belief that judgment day is soon. Written by Peter David

Sewing Room Teaching You the Stitches: Basic Blackwork †

You will be shown how to do blackwork needle work. You will be given Adia cloth, hoop, thread, and needle. Also there will be a hand-out showing various stitches in addition to the one being taught. This panel is limited to 15 participants and requires a sign-up. *B. Demonja**

9:00 PM

Trinity I-IV Bedlam Bards in Concert

Bedlam Bards

Red Oak LoneStarCon 3, Yee-haw!

Worldcon is coming to Texas next year! Come learn about why you should go to Worldcon in San Antonio in 2013, and how to get the most out of the experience. L. Domitz, B. Parker, K. Meschke*

Live Oak Not the Liar's Panel

We lied. This is the Liar's Panel. B. Denton, Mi. Finn, K. Hutson Price, K. Turski, S. Wedel, S. Rosen*

Pin Oak

Ghost Hunting 102: Where to Find Ghosts

Who ya gonna call? Dusty Rainbolt! Join her for a demonstration of the equipment and techniques used to track ghosts. She'll also share audio and video of her own expeditions. *D. Rainbolt*

Addison Lecture Hall 10 Years of Serenity

Ask any browncoat and you'll be told "You still can't take the sky from me." Firefly lasted less than one season but still glows brightly in the hearts of fans. What is it about this short-lived show that has fans still demanding more?

H. Berthiaume, T. Eber, G. Oliver, E. O'Neal, F. Summers, E. Nahté*

† indicates Sign Up Required

* indicates Moderator

Elm

SF Pictionary

Join in the fun as we play this tried and true game which combines charades with art. Our teams battle to see which can interpret their artist's renderings quickly and accurately.

C. Conrad, R. Farran, B. Foster, D. Harris, T. Harvia, M. White*

Video (Maple) Fun at the Funeral Parlour

Two episodes from this Welch sitcom about a highly dysfunctional family of funeral directors. With guest appearances by Brian Blessed and Tom Baker.

10:00 PM

Trinity I-IV Starcruisers in Concert

David Lee Anderson brings his SF rock band back to FenCon.

D.L. Anderson

Elm

Slash: Fiction, Art, Videos

Slash has been around for a very long time, and thanks to the internet we have bigger communities and new ways of exploring it. In this late-night panel, we'll talk about the stories, art, and videos that pay tribute to our favorite OTP's. Mature content. *C. Denney, M. Fletcher, M. Hines**

Video (Maple)

The Hobbit (Rankin/Bass Productions)

The 1977 animated musical version, produced by Rankin/Bass, presented in recognition of the 75th anniversary of the release of Tolkien's *The Hobbit*.

11:00 PM

Trinity I-IV

Darwin Prophet and Chronus Mirror in Concert

Darwin Prophet and Chronus Mirror

Live Oak Bardic Filk

Bardic filk tonight!

J. Abbott*

Pin Oak

Chaos Filk

Filk all night and filk a little longer!

J. Abbott*

11:30 PM

Video (Maple)

Star Chaser: The Legend of Orin

Set on the subterranean Mine-World, a band of human workers are treated like slaves under the power of the evil overlord Zygon until one, Orin, unearths the hilt of a mythical sword that only he can master.

Saturday Panels

1:00 AM

Video (Maple) Fire and Ice

Director Ralph Bakshi and famed illustrator Frank Frazetta bring to life this tale of a young hero who must save a princess from an evil sorcerer.

8:00 AM

Video (Maple)
Flash Gordon "Planet in Peril"
FenCon's early morning block of cartoons to start the day.

8:30 AM

Video (Maple)

Reboot "To Mend and Defend"
The first episode of the third season of

9:00 AM

the series.

Director's Learning to Draw with Michael

Braun

Michael Braun teaching basic and perspectives by participation.

M. Braun*

Video (Maple) Men in Black "Long Goodbye Syndrome"

Jay is hunted by aliens after killing one of their kind.

9:30 AM

Video (Maple) Star Wars: Clone Wars "Ambush"

Yoda and a team of Clone troopers find themselves trapped and under attack by Count Dooku.

10:00 AM

Trinity I-IV FenCon Squares

It's the classic game show Hollywood Squares with a FenCon twist! Join us for an hour of fun and games as our panel of guests try to help (or bluff) our contestants. We even have a "Secret Square" in each game! Come check it out. You might win a prize!

R. Clement-Moore, Joe Dalek, P. David, R. Eudaly, Ma. Finn, Ke. Pajak, Ka. Pajak, D. Prophet, K. Turski, Prof. Otto von Schnapps, M. Sims*

Red Oak Return of Son of Su

Return of Son of Super-Hero Summer

Just like 2011, this summer has seen a flood of great superhero movies at the box office! How do you think it went, and do you think the movies are getting better or worse?

J. Anealio, A. de Orive, C. Medellin, P. Roberts, R. Rogers, A. Porter*

Live Oak

Evolving Style: From *Indiana Jones* to *Mad Men*

Vintage clothing (mostly women's) from the 1930s to the 1960s, including construction techniques and tips for choosing pieces when shopping at used clothing stores.

K. O'Brien*

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* indicates Moderator

Pin Oak

Publishing 2020: The Future of Writing and How to Prepare for It

In the 1930's, e-readers would have been science fiction. Today, electronic books are changing how we read. Our panelists will extrapolate what publishing might look like in 2020 and how writers can prepare for the future. *C. Clamp, C. Douglas, P.N. Elrod, C. Spector, G. Warfield, T. Patterson**

Addison Lecture Hall Robotics 2050

The near future of robotics.

D. Hanson, J. Randall, M. Spong,
B. Kemper*

Elm

Writers Workshop: Session C†

Third session of the FenCon Writers Workshop with Special Guest Karl Schroeder.

K. Schroeder*

Video (Maple) Godzilla vs. The Sea Monster

A group of people run aground on an island inhabited by giant monsters,

island inhabited by giant monsters, including Godzilla. The eighth movie in the Godzilla franchise.

Pecan Reading

K. Hutson Price

Director's

FenKids' Writers Workshop

Children's and young adult's writing workshop. Authors Bev Hale and Ethan Nahté join forces with artist Mike Braun to assist our talented participants in making their own story.

M. Braun, E. Nahté, B. Hale*

Gaming (Willow)

"Little League" Magic

Open to players younger than 16.

2037 FenKids

ZOMBIE DICE!!!

Learn to play Zombie Dice and other cool games.

F. Brigdon

Gallery Autographs

V. Kennedy, W. Ledbetter, K. Sullivan

10:30 AM

Pecan Reading

J. Fancher

Gallery Autographs

P. Black, S. Compton, C. Havens, R. Rose

11:00 AM

Trinity I-IV Alex Boyd in Concert

The "Lone Gunman" returns to FenCon and he brings his passion for all things filk with him once again.

A. Boyd

Red Oak

I Still Believe in Heroes: The Avengers Movie

Marvel has been making excellent superhero movies in the last few years, and this summer they brought the Avengers out of the comics and onto the big screen. Our panelists discuss the cast, the characters, the story, the special effects, and how this movie affects the whole Marvel 'verse. *P. David, A. de Orive, A. Martinez,*

Live Oak

Artistic License to Kill

Our panelists discuss creative and inventive ways to bump off characters in their stories.

C. Clamp, B. Kemper, J. Mandala, K. Hutson Price, A. Simmons, S. Wedel*

Pin Oak

Digital Art and Its Struggle for Respect

Our panelists discuss the increasing popularity of computer-generated techniques in SF/F art and the attitudes of galleries, art shows and collectors.

D. Giancola, T. Harvia, M. Largent,
A. Lowry, J. Randall, C. Conrad*

Addison Lecture Hall STS-122 Atlantis Crew Video

Presentation

Astronaut Stanley Love presents a video of the STS-122 *Atlantis* mission to the International Space Station in 2008. *S. Love*

Pecan Reading

2037 FenKids

Kids Second Breakfast

Lunch for the kids in FenKids. NOM NOM NOM

Gallery

Autographs

K. Bogen, Ma. Finn, L. Smith

11:30 AM

Pecan

Reading

A. Porter

2037 FenKids

Just the T-Rex, Ma'am: Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About

Dinosaurs

FenCon's resident dinosaur expert tells you all about dinosaurs!

M. White*

Gallery Autographs

L. Carl, A. Hawkes, L. Killough, N. Romberg

K. Turski, R. Clement-Moore*

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Saturday Noon (12:00 PM)

Trinity I-IV

Bedlam Bards in Concert

Bedlam Bards

Red Oak Beyond Computing

Are we moving to wearable computers, embedded computers, constant connection to the net? Is the future as bright as it could be? How much farther can conventional computing go, where is it headed, and what will supplant it? *C.J. Cherryh, J. Randall, E. Wright**

Live Oak

Prosthetic Makeup on a Budget

Have you wanted to try your hand at SFX makeup, but are intimidated by the process and cost? This panel shows you how to create professional-looking alien and sci-fi makeups, without the high cost of having to order custom pieces *M. Martin*

Pin Oak

Genres: Will They Blend?

A cup of Science Fiction, a dash of Horror, a splash of Gothic Romance. Grab your literary mixing bowls and listen to our guests talk about the do's and don'ts of mixing genres.

P. Black, C. Douglas, E. Fairchild, J. Fancher, N. Romberg, Mi. Finn*

Art Show (Chinaberry) TSR Art and Art Show Walk-Thru

Come see a collection of early TSR artwork. Hear our artists tell stories of what happened to some of that early art. Then join them on a walk through the rest of the art show.

Addison Lecture Hall Science Today! with Guest Dr. David Hanson

Our Science Guest of Honor talks ... science! Imagine that.

D. Hanson

Pecan Reading

Ma. Finn

Video (Maple) Space Island One

An episode of the British/Canadian near future science fiction series about the crew of a corporate owned international space station.

Gallery Autographs

C. D. Andersson, R. Clement-Moore, C. Fulbright

12:30 PM

Pecan Reading

A. Simmons

2037 FenKids Look at that FACE!

Heather Glenn from the USS *Navras* will be sharing how to create a great costume accessory. A new face! Join us as she demonstrates cool make up ideas.

H. Glenn

Gallery

Autographs

C. Clamp, P.N. Elrod, E. Nahté, M. Tatum

1:00 PM

Trinity I-IV Keith Kelly in Concert

"Funny Filker" Keith Kelly makes his first trip to FenCon. Be sure to check this one out

K. Kelly

Red Oak Sherlock v Holmes

TV Sherlock, Movie Sherlock, Book Sherlock, and Jeremy Brett. From Conan Doyle to Cumberbatch, we discuss all things Holmes.

J. Barrett, L. Carl, K. David, C. Douglas, F. Summers, Ma. Finn*

Live Oak

Applying Special Effects Makeup

Learn how to apply SFX prosthetic appliances and create a complete look for your sci-fi character. One lucky audience member will be chosen to aid in the demonstration by being transformed into a Klingon!

M. Martin

Pin Oak

Remembering TSR

Dungeons & Dragons. Gamma World. Boot Hill. These and more TSR games dominated the emergence of RPGs in the 70s & 80s. Listen to our panelists discuss the original company and people behind the D&D juggernaut.

D. Laforce, M. Nystul, Misaims*

Addison Lecture Hall Yard Dog Press Road Show

Those wild folks from Yard Dog once again explain to you what you're missing with a show...well it's kind of a... um, you're just going to have to go see it!

R. Rose, K. Turski, S. Rosen*

Elm

Worldcon 101

Worldcon is the moving center of the SF&F literary universe. If you have never been to a Worldcon, we are here to tell you why you should start attending. Come find out all the facts: what happens at a Worldcon, where it will be in coming years, where some hope it will be, and more.

B. Parker, T. Miller*

Gallery

Friend of the Fen GoH Autograph Session

Meet the FenCon IX headliners at this special autograph session for the Friend of Fen members. (Will be opened to all members, as time permits.)

J. Anealio, C.J. Cherryh, P. David, D. Giancola, D. Hanson, T. Patterson, K. Schroeder

Pecan

Reading

C. Spector

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Director's

The OctopodiCon Egyptian Tea†

OctopodiCon has acquired several Ancient Egyptian Artifacts and is delighted to invite you to attend a Tea at FenCon in the style of Egypt to unwrap one Artifact to see if it holds treasures within. The other Artifact will be unveiled at OctopodiCon, so do come for Tea and possible treasure, a sneak peak at the future and the past. M. White, Noddy*

Video (Maple)

The Robinsons: Lost In Space

The unaired pilot from 2004 of the attempted remake of the 1960s series.

1:30 PM

2037 FenKids

Parade Muster

Let's meet up and get ready to Parade! S. Brigdon, F. Brigdon

Pecan

Reading

C. Havens

2:00 PM

Trinity I-IV

Bland Lemon and the Lemonades in Concert

B. Denton

Red Oak

The Redheads of the Apocalypse Press Conference

Have you ever wanted to be part of the press corps but didn't know how? Wonder how you can survive the apocalypse? Just curious as to how FOUR REDHEADS would even come to be part of the Apocalypse? Whether you're new to the series or a long time reader, come join The Four Redheads of the Apocalypse to find out what's new, what's fun, and why it really has to be done in formal wear.

L. Donahue, J. Mandala, D. Rainbolt, R. Eudaly*

Live Oak

What's After Science?

Humanity has struggled throughout history to describe how the universe works. Science is a relatively recent method of modeling reality. Can Science continue to help us understand a world going through exponential changes? Are there systems of knowledge that can do a better job than the Scientific Method? *B. Kemper, M. White, K. Schroeder**

Pin Oak

Fan GoH Spotlight on Teresa Patterson

T. Patterson

Addison Lecture Hall Run Along, Pond

Spoilers! *Doctor Who* is back on the air and cast changes are coming. Let's talk about the new season.

A. Balthrop, J. Epps, Mi. Finn, M. Fletcher, M. Nelson, S. Swendson*

Check the daily ION for Schedule Updates

Panel Listing

Pecan

Reading

B. Hale

Elm

Costuming for Those with Special Needs

Costuming can be hard to fit for anyone, whether you're plus-sized, petite, tall, in a wheelchair, or have medical equipment. Come see how to make it work for you.

C. Denney, L. Lindsey*

Director's

Generic Radio Workshop Auditions/ Rehearsal

Join the radio play performed during the Cabaret!

J. Barrett*

Video (Maple)

Stalled Trek: Amutt Time

Local animator Mark Largent created this delightful parody of the classic *Star Trek* episode "Amok Time" *M. Largent*

2037 FenKids

I Love a Parade!

FenKids get a chance to show off their cool costumes and say "hello" to everyone.

S. Brigdon, F. Brigdon

Gallery Autographs

S. Love

2:30 PM

Pecan

Reading

P. David

Video (Maple)

Star Trek: The Animated Series

"All our Yesteryears" After travelling into the past, Spock finds he no longer exists.

3:00 PM

Trinity I-IV

Darwin Prophet in Concert

Darwin Prophet is back with her steampunk-inspired songs for a second year at FenCon.

D. Prophet

Red Oak Future of Space

Space, is it the final frontier? Our experts discuss the future of manned and unmanned space exploration. *P. Abell, S. Love, K. Murphy, K. Ruffin, W. Ledbetter**

Live Oak

Random Novel Reading

Want to hear something crazy? Panelists read random passages from randomly selected books. You may need a note from your doctor - it's hilarious and hard to look away! Z. Melder, R. Rogers, S. Rosen, L. Smith*

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Pin Oak

The Dark Knight Rises: What Breaks Batman?

Dr. Travis Langley, author of the book *Batman and Psychology: A Dark and Stormy Knight* and writer of the PsychologyToday.com column "Beyond Heroes and Villains" gives a presentation on the psychology of one of DC's most iconic heroes: Batman.

Dr. Travis Langley

Addison Lecture Hall Beyond Words

Finding a character's voice is frequently tied to their unique word choices and phrasing. Picking the right things to say is a key to quickly communicating things about a character that would take pages of exposition. So, how do you figure how to use specific vocabulary, phrasing, and idiom to define your characters?

C. D. Andersson, J. Fancher, B. Hale,
J. Kerr, N. Romberg, S. B. Taylor,
R. Clement-Moore*

Elm

Robots 4 U (Ages 5-8)

Learn about robots while you build them! *M. Hayes*

Pecan

Reading

G. Oliver

Director's

Reading: The Lightning Thief

A Rick Riordan fan reads from *The*Lightning Thief
J. Tharp, K. Tharp

Video (Maple)

USS Navras Open Meeting

Star Trek videos and information about one of Starfleet's largest chapters.

Gaming (Willow) The Magic of Donato Giancola

A chance to meet our Artist Guest of Honor who has created art for Magic: The Gathering cards! To be held in the Magic Tournament area.

D. Giancola*, T. Morgan*

Gallery

Autographs

L. Donahue, R. Eudaly, J. Mandala, D. Rainbolt

3:30 PM

Elm

Robots 4 U (ages 9-17)

Learn about robots while you build them!

M. Hayes

Pecan Reading

A. Martinez

Director's

Reading: Captain Underpants!

A Reading from a Fan of Dav Pilkey's Captain Underpants.

I. Miller, J. Tharp, K. Tharp

Gallery Autographs

R. Caine, C. Douglas, S. Hoyt

4:00 PM

Trinity I-IV

C.J. Cherryh Keynote Address

Our 2012 Guest of Honor speaks! She might even take some questions, too. *C.J. Cherryh*

2037 FenKids

I'm the Rocketman... or Woman, or Alien, or Cephalopod (2)

Let's make a jet-pack! Another opportunity to create or finish your jet-pack.

S. Brigdon

5:00 PM

Trinity I-IV John Anealio Guest of Honor Concert

The Musical Main Event at FenCon, another concert by our Music GOH John Anealio.

J. Anealio

Red Oak

It's All Von Neumann's Fault

From automated fuel processing stations on the moon and Mars, to self-replicating probes sent out to explore the galaxy, our panelists will discuss the use of autonomous robotics in space exploration. *P. Abell, C. Donahue, D. Hanson, J. Randall, M. Spong, W. Ledbetter**

Live Oak

Reading, Writing & Wargaming

Games are fun, but are they educational? We discuss how educators and others can use tabletop gaming to explore history, math, science, and other academic subjects.

T. Franzoni, B. Guanieri, Ka. Pajak, Ke. Pajak*

Pin Oak

Creating Alien Voices in SF/F

Characters in science fiction and fantasy may run the gamut of the bizarre, heroic and comedic, and the settings selected for these characters may be anywhere in space and time. C.J. Cherryh, M. Muenzler, K. Sullivan, G. Warfield*

Pecan

Do It with Honor and The Royal Manticoran Navy

The Royal Manticoran Navy wants you! Have you heard of the Honor-verse? Did you know David Weber's Honor Harrington series has an Official Fan group?

Video (Maple) 17th Precinct

Battlestar Galactica producer Ron Moore's unaired pilot for a crime drama series, set in a world of magic.

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2037 FenKids

Time in a Bottle... Capsule, Whatever (2)

Making history. Or what will be history in a few years. Making a time capsule. (A second opportunity to make history.) *S. Brigdon*

Gallery

Autographs

B. Hale, A. Lowry, A. Martinez, A. Simmons

Admiral's Club Benefit CD Release Party

All the proceeds from the CD will be donated to the Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research. *M. Tatum**

5:30 PM

Director's

Do You Feel Like an Alien?

A panel for kids, by kids about feeling out of place in school, sports or the community, and how our FenKids handle it.

Gallery Autographs M. Fletcher

6:00 PM

Trinity I-IV Brazen Bellies Dance

Dance performance by Brazen Bellies T. Haranda, K. Hart, S. Kirgis, J. Medford, E. Todd

Red Oak

Conventions In and Around Texas

FenCon isn't the only place in Texas to go for a good, fannish time. Our panelists discuss other events around the state and talk about why it's important to support regional conventions.

C. Denney, L. Domitz, S. Felix, J. Guthrie, B. Hale, T. Miller, D. Robb, T. Morgan*

Live Oak

Once Upon a Fairy Tale

Folklore has found new life with the success of two fairy tale-themed TV series and three movies. Is this a new trend, with the difference being that writers are overtly referencing the sources for their themes and characters instead of weaving them in more subtly?

M. Bardsley, C. Havens, L. Killough, R. Rose, A. Sisson, S. Swendson*

Pin Oak

One Giant Leap

With the recent loss of Neil Armstrong, we remember the epic journey that finally brought humanity to the moon.

D.L. Anderson, C. McMurray, K. Ruffin, K. Murphy*

Pecan

The Future of Bookstores

Publishing hasn't stabilized, ebooks sell more every year, and print-on-demand is getting more affordable. Are brickand-mortar bookstores still viable? C.J. Cherryh, S. Compton, J. Fancher, Z. Melder, S. Rosen, C. Fulbright*

Video (Maple) **Special Presentation**

A special presentation made possible by members of FenCon.

Elm

Project Hieroglyph: Inspiring the Future

Elements of science fiction have inspired authors, artists, scientists, city planners, and a lot more over the years. What's happening now that will inspire society to progress and excel? K. Schroeder*

2037 FenKids

Family Filk with Margaret Middleton

Fun with music and Margaret Middleton! M. Middleton

6:30 PM

Trinity I-IV

Ravenar Dance

Dance performance by Ravenar Amora, L. Donahue, J. Mandala, Suzette

7:00 PM

Live Oak

How to Kill Your Novel's Chances of **Selling in Five Pages or Less**

As harsh as it sounds, many agents and editors judge novels within the first five pages of the manuscript. A whole host of pitfalls -- misspellings, slow pacing, boring characters -- can kill your novel's chances of selling. Our panelists will help writers avoid the most common mistakes. J.K. Cheney, P.N. Elrod, V. Kennedy, A. Martinez, S. Rosen, J. Mandala*

Pin Oak

There and Back Again (Again)

The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey will be out within a couple months, and expectations are high. Panelists discuss casting, the breaking of the story into multiple movies, the soundtrack, the special effects, and other related topics.

T. Eber, M. Fletcher, F. Summers, P. Roberts*

Addison Lecture Hall **Art and Charity Auction**

The annual FenCon Art and Charity Auction. Come and bid on some rare and collectible items right here in Dallas! Bid high!

C. Conrad

Elm

Chocolate and Cheese Tasting †

Mmm...cheese! Join Sam Gayle for a sampling of cheesy comestibles. Limited to 20. Please sign up at the Information Table by Registration. S. Gayle

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Pecan

WTF, Zombies?!?

Zombies are everywhere now, even on CNN, and the CDC has had to issue a statement that there is no known virus that would cause zombieism. What is behind the current upsurge in interest in the undead?

Ma. Finn, C. Fulbright, A. Hawkes, C. Medellin, S. Wedel, C. Clamp*

Video (Maple) Hawking

"Sherlock's" Benedict Cumberbatch stars in this biography of the early career of noted physicist Stephen Hawking.

8:00 PM

Red Oak

Masquerade Muster - Masque Participants Only

Gather together all ye costumers and performing folk, in preparation for the FenCon Cabaret!

Live Oak

50 Years of Web-Spinning & Smashing

Come celebrate the birthdays of Spider-Man and The Incredible Hulk, two of the greatest radiation-affected heroes of all time.

Ma. Finn, P. Roberts, C. Sledge, S. Patrick*

Pin Oak

Cabaret Musicians Tune-Up

Musicians who will perform in the Cabaret can tune up their instruments and voices in this room.

9:00 PM

Trinity I-IV FenCon Cabaret

Our signature Saturday night event featuring the Masquerade, the All-Star Git-

Down Filk-Sing Hootenanny™, and much more.

P. David

Video (Maple)

FenCon Cabaret Simulcast

Watch the FenCon Cabaret in the video room, in case you couldn't get a seat in main programming.

Admiral's Club Ice Cream Social

11:00 PM

Live Oak

Chaos Filk

Sing to your heart's content. Try not to scare the cleaning people.

J. Abbott*

Pin Oak

Open Bardic Filk

Filk the night away. We'll see you at breakfast.

J. Abbott*

Video (Maple) House of Dark Shadows

The late Jonathon Frid stars in this film adaptation of the Gothic soap opera.

Sunday Panels

12:30 AM

Video (Maple) A Game of Thrones

The first two episodes of the George R.R. Martin fantasy series that won the 2012 Hugo Award for Best Dramatic Presentation, Long Form.

8:00 AM

Video (Maple) The Lost Skeleton Returns Again

The sequel to *The Lost Skeleton of Cadavra* brings back the original cast in a send up of 1950's sci-fi movies.

9:00 AM

2037 FenKids
Intro to Comics
B. Waller

9:30 AM

Video (Maple) Impossible Dreams

A movie buff finds a video store that rents movies from a parallel universe. In Hebrew with English subtitles.

10:00 AM

Trinity I-IV All History is Alternate

The winners write the history books, and what's in those books may not match up to the experiences of those who were there. *C. Donahue, E. Fairchild, Z. Melder, J.K. Cheney**

Red Oak Building Your Own World

Habitats, hollow asteroids, shell worlds, ring worlds, Dyson spheres.

P. Abell, Mi. Finn, L. Killough, D. Ross,
W. Ledbetter*

Live Oak

Forming and Maintaining a Critique Group

Are you in a writing critique group, or interested in starting one? Join members from multiple groups in the region in a round table discussion sharing how they created theirs, how it's maintained, and how to attract new participants.

B. Christ, J. Mandala, M. Muenzler, T. Patterson, K. Schroeder, T. Howard*

Pin Oak Art Theft No More

Learn preventative measures to keep your artwork from being stolen and find out your rights as an artist.

A. Lowry, M. White*

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Addison Lecture Hall Portraiture: Live Painting Demo by Donato Giancola

Ever want to get inside the mind of an artist? Aside from a brain transplant, this might be the closest thing. Witness live painting-in-oils as Artist Guest of Honor Donato Giancola shares his technique, palette, and craft, while creating a portrait from sketch to finish. *D. Giancola*

Elm

How Do You Size Up?

This panel will teach you how to measure yourself, and others, before sewing.

B. Demonja, R. Demonja, C. Smith*

Pecan Reading

S. Swendson

Video (Maple)

Fandom Videos Found On the Web

A compilation of various internet videos complied by Alan Laska.

2037 FenKids

Snowball FIGHT!

Snowballs in Texas? Sure! Felted snowballs! Make them and then...well you know what to do with a snowball don't you?

S. Brigdon, M. Miller

10:30 AM

Pecan Reading

J. Perez

Gallery Autographs

A. Porter, P. Roberts

11:00 AM

Trinity I-IV

Margaret Middleton in Concert

Margaret Middleton has not missed a FenCon yet. You should not miss her concert.

M. Middleton

Red Oak

Billionaires...in...SPACE! It's About Time!

This has been a remarkable year in the private space industry with the Dragon flight, asteroid miners, a space elevator hopeful. What's the latest with Planetary Resources, SpaceX, Bigelow Aerospace, Virgin Galactic, etc.?

P. Abell, C. McMurray, K. Murphy, K. Ruffin, E. Wright, W. Ledbetter*

Live Oak

How to Get Started in Genealogy

Tracing your family history can be fun and educational. Our panelists provide tips and guidance to help get you started.

C.J. Cherryh, D. Foye, K. Sullivan, C. Denney*

Pin Oak

Alchemy & Algorithms

More and more, authors are creating strict rules for how magic works in their stories. Are these rules turning Fantasy into Science Fiction-lite.

A. de Orive, L. Donahue, J. Fancher, A. Simmons, J. Mandala*

Addison Lecture Hall The Art of Gaming

Modern games are intertwined with their art. From the simplest sketches to full paintings, our panelists discuss the creating art for games.

D.L. Anderson, D. Giancola, D. Laforce*

Pecan Reading

K. Turski

Elm

Creating an Interactive Book iPad App

Heidi Berthiaume reviews different types of interactive books available on the iPad and some of the options available to create your own app, including a high-level demo of how she used Demibooks Composer to develop her Bud the Bunny iPad app without writing any code.

H. Berthiaume

Video (Maple)

Doctor Who "The Doctor's Wife"

Neil Gaiman wrote this episode in which the Doctor is drawn outside of the universe in search of a lost Time Lord.

2037 FenKids Tie-Dye Without the Tie

Ever wanted to draw on your own clothes, just for the fun of it? Now you can, and then make it look like tie-dye with our secret ingredient.

S. Brigdon

Gallery Autographs

P. David

11:30 AM

Trinity I-IV

Randy Farran in Concert

R. Farran

Pecan Reading

D. Hanson

Sunday Noon (12:00 PM)

Trinity I-IV Ghost of a Rose in Concert

D. Foye, Sundara

Red Oak YA, Not Just for Kids

Many books that are primarily marketed at young adults aren't for them alone. Our panelists discuss YA-targeted books that will appeal to adults as well.

R. Caine, C. Fulbright, B. Hale, E. O'Neal, K. Sullivan, C. Havens*

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Live Oak

Growing Games

Tabletop games don't play themselves (yet). Join our panelists for a discussion on ways to expand your gaming group and keep it lively.

B. Guanieri, K. Hutson Price, T. Franzoni*

Pin Oak

Co-Authoring: Mechanics & Rewards

Our panelists discuss the many ways a co-authored project can work, how you can benefit from collaboration, and pitfalls to avoid.

C. Clamp, R. Eudaly, T. Patterson*

Addison Lecture Hall Whatcha Dooooin': A Phineas & Ferb Panel

This so-called kids' show is certainly not just for kids. The clever writing, nostalgic pop culture references and catchy songs make *P&F* a true family show.

T. Caldwell, B. Kemper, A. Martinez, I. Miller, G. Oliver, S. Swendson*

Elm

Speed Forecasting: Foresight and How it Differs from SF †

What do futurists do that's different from what science fiction writers (and fans) do? Is 'strategic foresight,' as it's usually called, an attempt to predict the future? This short, intensive workshop introduces the principles and practices of foresight. Explore alternative futures, develop a scenario or two, and learn the difference between predicting the future, and preparing for it.

This workshop requires at least 10 participants or it will be cancelled. The sign-up sheet is next to Registration. *K. Schroeder**

Pecan

Crystal Clear - Working with Liquid Resin

Join us for a demonstration of working with poured resin to make accessories, jewelry, and prop items.

M. Moore*

Director's

Writers of the Future

Listen to three winners of the prestigious Writers of the Future contest discuss their winning stories and what it means to be singled out as a Writer of the Future.

J.K. Cheney, G. Warfield, W. Ledbetter*

Video (Maple) Stargate SG-1 "200"

A reluctant SG-1 assists Martin Lloyd with his feature film script as a cover story to keep the Stargate Program secret.

2037 FenKids

Kids Lunch!

Lunch for the kids in FenKids. NOM NOM NOM

Gallery Autographs

K. Bogen, E. Fairchild

12:30 PM

Trinity I-IV
October Country in Concert
C. Sledge, S. Walter

Gallery Autographs

S. Rosen, K. Turski, S. Wedel

1:00 PM

Trinity I-IV
Cliff McMurray in Concert
C. McMurray

Red Oak If This Goes On...

"Just call him on your cell phone!" You can't write a story anymore without assuming that everyone has easy access to communication. Science Fiction has always been about the extrapolation of ideas into what the future will be like, and writers haven't always succeeded in getting it right. How should a writer approach extrapolating the present into the future? C.J. Cherryh, J. Fancher, K. Schroeder, A. Sisson, L. Smith, M. White*

Live Oak All is Not Book Covers!

A long time ago when the Moon was made of green cheese, you could define SF/F art as art that appeared on SF/F book covers and illustrated SF/F stories in magazines. That's not true anymore – if it ever was. Now with some SF/F artists working in 3D and other media, how do you define SF/F art? What are some of the alternate possibilities?

P. Black, C. Conrad, M. Middleton, M. Newman, A. Lowry*

Pin Oak

Cage Match: Colossus vs. SkyNet

Welcome our new AI overlords or not, those ominous beings lurk in our proto-futures. Will they spring spontaneously from the internet or be deliberately built by man? Our panelists discuss the possibilities.

C. Donahue, D. Hanson, D. Ross, M. Spong, W. Ledbetter*

Addison Lecture Hall King Arthur in the 21st Century

Despite the fact that strange women lying in ponds distributing swords is no basis for a system of government, the story of King Arthur has been told and retold over the centuries. Each time it gets updated, it gets a new take and a whole new audience.

P. David, A. Porter, G. Warfield, P. Roberts*

Pecan Reading

J. Mandala

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Director's

Crowdfunding: Being a Patron of the Arts

Websites and companies allowing authors, musicians, artists and inventors to fund a project with small donations have proliferated in the last twelve years. From ArtistShare to Kickstarter to Funding4Learning, anyone can patronize the arts.

H. Berthiaume, M. Largent, J. Anealio*

Video (Maple) The Outer Limits "Starcrossed"

Nathan Fillion stars in this futuristic update of *Casablanca*.

2037 FenKids Intro to Roleplaying

An introduction to roleplaying games. *I. Huff*

Gallery Autographs

J. Perez

1:30 PM

Trinity I-IV
Joe Abbott in Concert

J. Abbott

Pecan Reading

K. Bogen

R. Caine

Gallery
Autographs

2:00 PM

Trinity I-IV
Triskelion in Concert

S. Brigdon, F. Brigdon

Red Oak

Take One TARDIS and Call Me in the Morning

The TARDIS changes with each regeneration of her Doctor. Our panelists discuss her abilities, the rooms she sometimes has or doesn't have, and what might be in future episodes.

A. Balthrop, K. David, B. Hale, K. Sullivan*

Live Oak

SF/F Music That Isn't Filk

Science Fiction & Fantasy music is all around us, not just at the Filk table. Diverse artists from classic groups like Pink Floyd to modern artists like Janelle Monae frequently use SF&F themes in their music. D.L. Anderson, D. Foye, Sundara,

M. Tatum, J. Anealio* Pin Oak

Learning the Rules to Break Them

As with many skills, understanding the rules means you know how and where they can be broken. Our panelists discuss the rules of various styles of art.

C. Conrad, R. Farran, D. Giancola, D. Laforce, A. Lowry*

Addison Lecture Hall 80 Years of Conan

Stories about Conan the Barbarian were first published in 1932, in *Weird Tales* magazine, and since then have appeared in just about every form of media we have. Join our panelists in discussing this legendary character.

C. D. Andersson, E. Nahté, B. Waller, Ma. Finn*

Elm

Fast Forward Fashion

What do you think you will be wearing a hundred years from now? Come share your ideas and hear what others may think.

C. Talbot*

Pecan Reading

S. Rosen

Video (Maple) Flash Gordon

Sam Jones stars in this all-star spectacle of the Alex Raymond sci-fi comic strip.

2037 FenKids

Play Your Character

So you've spent the weekend making a character. Now let's play it! Or play a different one.

I. Huff

Gallery Autographs

C.J. Cherryh, J. Fancher

2:30 PM

Pecan Reading

W. Ledbetter

3:00 PM

Trinity I-IV Teresa Patterson in Concert

T. Patterson

Red Oak But It's Funny!

Just because a line or a scene is funny, that doesn't mean it belongs in your story. And how many times have you rolled your eyes when an author went too far just to make a joke?

K. Bogen, J. Fancher, Ma. Finn,
J. Mandala*

Live Oak Rebooting Buffy: Insane or Merely

Crazy?

First it was a movie in 1992, and then it was a seven-season television show from 1997-2003. Is it too soon to consider a reboot? Or in a vampire-crazed world is now the right time to dip into the pool a third time? R. Clement-Moore, J. Epps, K. Hill, V. Kennedy*

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Pin Oak

FenCon Feedback

Here's your chance to give feedback to the convention organizers. What did you enjoy? What can we improve? Your input is important to us!

M. Hines, T. Miller, R. Miller, T. Morgan*

Addison Lecture Hall File This!

Being a writer is about more than words on a page. Professional writers have to organize ideas, create summaries, contracts backlist stories, and more. Our panelists discuss their tips and tricks for keeping it all together.

J.K. Cheney, C.J. Cherryh, M. Fletcher, N. Romberg, F. Summers, M. Muenzler*

Elm

It's... Monty Python's Flying Panel

Enjoy some Owl Stretching Time as we discuss the greatest sketch comedy show ever. Monty Python changed the face of comedy forever, and for some reason science fiction fans still love it today. We want to know why.

D. Rainbolt, S. B. Taylor, P. Roberts*

Pecan

Reading

J. Kerr

2037 FenKids Games and Activities

Activities and games.

3:30 PM

Pecan

Reading R. Rogers

4:00 PM

Trinity I-IV

Closing Ceremonies

Join us for one last hurrah as we say goodbye. Remember, it is not the end of a great convention; it is the start of the next one!

T. Morgan*

Video Room Schedule

| Maple | 2010: The Year We Make Contact |
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| Maple | Oblivion |
| Maple | Oblivion 2: Backlash |
| Maple | Babylon 5 "Soul Mates" |
| Maple | Babylon 5 "There All Honor Lies" |
| Maple | Crusade "Ruling from the Tomb" |
| Maple | Fun at the Funeral Parlour |
| Maple | The Hobbit (Rankin/Bass Productions) |
| Maple | Star Chaser: The Legend of Orin |
| Maple | Fire and Ice |
| Maple | Flash Gordon "Planet in Peril" |
| Maple | Reboot "To Mend and Defend" |
| Maple | Men in Black "Long Goodbye |
| | Syndrome" |
| Maple | Star Wars: Clone Wars "Ambush" |
| Maple | Godzilla vs. The Sea Monster |
| Maple | Space Island One |
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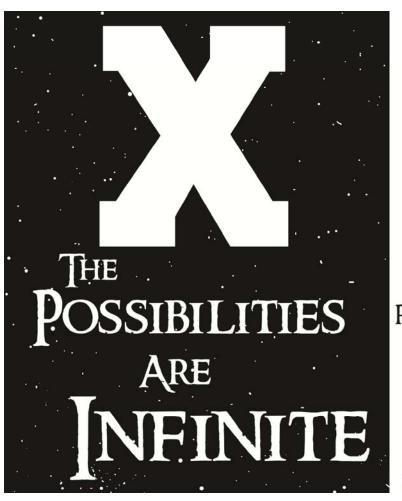
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FenKids

Young Fan Schedule

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| FRI 11:00 AM | 2037 FenKids | Kids Lunch |
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| FRI 1:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | Snowballs in Texas! |
| FRI 2:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | I am the Rocketman |
| FRI 2:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | Tear 'em Ups |
| FRI 3:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | Time in a Bottle, Capsule, |
| | | Whatever |
| FRI 4:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | Reading by Ethan Nahté |
| FRI 4:30 PM | 2037 FenKids | Reading by Rhonda Eudaly |
| | | Simpson |
| FRI 5:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | Reading by Rachel Caine |
| FRI 5:30 PM | Director's | Reading: Cat Wings |
| SAT 9:00 AM | Director's | Learning to Draw with M. Braun |
| SAT 10:00 AM | Director's | FenKids' Writers Workshop |
| SAT 10:00 AM | 2037 FenKids | ZOMBIE DICE! |
| SAT 11:00 AM | 2037 FenKids | Kids Second Breakfast |
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| SAT 11:30 AM | 2037 FenKids | Just the T-Rex, Ma'am |
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| SAT 12:30 PM | 2037 FenKids | Look at that FACE!!!! |
| SAT 1:30 PM | 2037 FenKids | Parade Muster |
| SAT 2:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | I Love a Parade!! |
| SAT 3:00 PM | Director's | Reading: The Lightning Thief |
| SAT 3:30 PM | Director's | Reading: Captain Underpants! |
| SAT 4:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | I am the Rocketman 2 |
| SAT 5:00 PM | 2037 FenKids | Time in a Bottle 2 |
| SAT 5:30 PM | Director's | Do You Feel Like an Alien? |
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