General Meeting January 17th, 2010 Meeting called to order at 1:00 PM

Membership

3836 pre-reg

298 staff

Could use more registration staffers; please contact registration@sakuracon.org

Will have registration starting next meeting

Staff preservation would like to know staff dietary restrictions; please post on the tread on the forums

Volunteer office is looking for one or two more staffers

Also please let volunteers know your volunteer needs

To have a custom badge image, log onto the staff website and upload your picture -- Same restrictions as last year.

Operations

IT needs your computer needs list; please mail it@sakuracon.org

SAS is looking for more staff; please contact sas@sakuracon.org

Section 9 is looking for applicants

Ops office needs your telecom lists ASAP

Office needs more staff

AV is looking for theater techs and main event techs

Logistics needs lists of equipment to move from the shed to the con

Programing

All-hands exec/manager/coordinator meeting directly after the February general meeting

Need more morning panels

Three cosplay chess panels this year

Kimono workshop is coming back

Need panel moderators; please contact panels@sakuracon.org

Dance will be amazing

Karaoke needs staff; karaoke contest form will be up tonight

Masquerade has a space opera theme this year

AMVs have entries

Gaming is going well

Prog office needs staff

Manga library needs content, either lent or donated.

Publicity

Website is where it always is

Forum staff access must use same email as your staff registration

Team Sakura will have a table at the Asia Pacific Cultural Association festival on Feb. 13th

Info Booth looking for staff

Blood drive link is on the website; there will be prizes.

Publications deadline is February 14th. No exceptions!

Posters have three designs and will be here next week

Merchandising will have stainless steel water bottles and umbrellas

Staff coin will be available again

Commercial contest is open to staffers as well

Bus ads will be back!

Advertising is ramping up in all media channels

Newsletter needs content

Facilities

Links for staffers to register for hotel rooms are on the website

Secretary

501(c)3 application will be gone over with the lawyer next Thursday

Relations
25 exhibitor tables left
Need staff for exhibitors' hall
Looking for art staff positions
If you have a suggestion for a corporate sponsorship, mail corporate@sakuracon.org
American Guest Liaison position filled
Soul Candy will be Sunday opening band
Hsu-nami will be our Sunday band
Guest announcements: Ellen Stern, Vic Mignona, Troy Baker

Motion to adjourn made and seconded. Meeting adjourned at 2:25 PM.