



Attended:

- Tom Allmendinger
- Brenton Maynard
- Ashley Motta
- Mitch Brackett
- Topher Fultz
- Anastasia Gallaher
- Ashley LaBreck
- Molly Schnelle
- Shane Rideout
- Tim Hoang

Start Time: 1:00pm

Operations

- Assistant AV Manager
 - Any changes for rooms, you have a week to make changes.
- IT
 - Please send in requests if you have changed from last year.
 - Sending someone from Rockstar Networking out to help with internet connection this year.
 - Will have a channel on the radio to help solve IT problems so it isn't tying up the other channels.
- Logistics Manager
 - Two more shed days scheduled
 - March 31st
 - April 14th
 - Can schedule more shed days. Please fill out the form:
 - https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdeXE0hJi8oRmix71n9ijhZxYuFkB00gIZ5rjiLneYya0RLNg/viewform?usp=sf_link
 - Load in and load out requests can start in the next few weeks.
- Main Stage Manager
 - Good on staff.
- Going to start paying bills.
- Doing a tour after April general meeting.
- Facilities
 - Directors or managers should be reaching out to coordinator and up for hotel information.
 - A staff link was sent out for other staff for hotel deals.
 - Email facilities@sakuracon.org
 - ECCC Changes
 - Sakura-Con will not be going near those policies. That was a Reed decision.
 - Access to room is changing this year.
 - Only 4 card keys available this year.

- Call dispatch and they will unlock it.
- Hard keys will still be available for those rooms that use them.

Programming

- Media Programming Manager
 - Email hunt@sakuracon.org for the scavenger hunt code.
 - Opening ceremonies closes on March 14th.
 - Cosplay closes on March 28th.
- Dance Manager
 - Friday is the Hard Dance Party
 - Saturday is the EDM party.
- Gaming
 - In need of staff.
 - Gaming schedule will be ready in a few days.
- Live Programming
 - Cosplay chess closes March 14th
 - Masquerade Ball Host closes April 5th
- Mahjong
 - Definitely have people to teach staff to learn from 6pm to 10pm on Thursday of con.
- Still hiring for panel moderator, Arts & Crafts and panel support staff.
 - Email programming@sakuracon.org

Membership

- Staff preservation will be happening this year.
 - More information at April con meeting.
- For attendees, address on ID needs to match your registration.
 - Email registration@sakuracon.org if changes need to be made.
- Membership office
 - Hiring for 1 coordinator and 30 spots for general staff.
 - Email membership@sakuracon.org.
- Registration Line control is hiring.
 - Email registration@sakuracon.org.
- Email membership@sakuracon.org if you need a refund because you paid for a membership then joined on as staff.
 - If you signs up at con, use the above email and they will get back to you one to two weeks after the convention.

Relations

- Still looking for Japanese speaking liaisons.
 - Email: relations@sakuracon.org
- Exhibits Hall and Artist Ally looking for staff
 - Email: exhibitors@sakuracon.org

Publicity

- Info Booth
 - Looking for volunteers.
 - Email info.manager@sakuracon.org.
 - Hiring SCMA Coordinator & Staff
 - Email info.manager@sakuracon.org.
- Blood Drive continuing this year.
 - Go onto the con website to sign up.
- Merchandise
 - Looking for volunteers.
 - Email merchandise@sakuracon.org.
- SAS
 - Looking for a new coordinator and other positions.
 - Email sas@sakuracon.org.
- Press & Industry Office
 - Looking for staff: publicity.gm@sakuracon.org
 - Contacting other about comp badges soon.
- Hiring for Make a Wish Manager
 - Email: publicity@sakuracon.org
- Print Shop
 - Email print.shop@sakuracon.org with any printing needs.
 - Will be open on Thursday.
- If anyone is interested in a position, please email publicity@sakuracon.org.

Treasurer

- Guest reception same place and time as last year.
 - \$50 per person.
- Elections on June 2nd at the Sheraton.
- Changes are going to be made to the prizes and awards at the election meeting.
 - To the benefit of the staff.
 - Stay tuned.

Membership Comments:

- Zoe Holbrooks
 - Mar 13, 20: Event **Sashiko Style Mending workshop** (Ragfinery, Bellingham, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/sashiko-style-mending-workshop-at-ragfinery-registration-55315991620?>)
 - Mar 14: Anime **Fate/stay night Heaven's Feel II: Lost Butterfly** (Fathom Events, <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/fatestay-night-heavens-feel-ii-lost-butterfly?>)
 - Mar 16-Dec 1: Exhibit **Gentleman Warrior: Art of the Samurai** (Seattle Art Museum, <http://www.seattleartmuseum.org/Exhibitions/Details?EventId=65045>)
 - Mar 17: Event **Tea Ceremony Demonstration** (Seattle Art Museum, <http://seattleartmuseum.org/Exhibitions/Details?EventId=63719>)

- Mar 20, 25: Anime **Made in Abyss** (Fathom Events, <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/made-in-abyss>)
- Mar 25, 27: Anime **Fruits Basket** returns! (Funimation Films, <https://www.funimationfilms.com/movie/fruitsbasket/>)
- Mar 29: Anime **Trinity Seven Heavens Library & Crimson Lord** (Avex Pictures, <https://trinityseven.us/>)
- Apr 7-8, 10: Anime **Howl's Moving Castle** (Studio Ghibli Fest returns! Fathom Events, <https://www.fathomevents.com/series/studio-ghibli-fest>)
- Apr 19-21: **SAKURA CON 2019!**
- Apr 19-25: Anime **Penguin Highway** (Grand Illusion, <http://www.grandillusioncinema.org/>)
- Apr 22-23: Anime **Okko's Inn** (Fathom Events, <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/okkos-inn>)
- Apr 26-28: Event Seattle's **Cherry Blossom & Japanese Cultural Festival** (<http://www.cherryblossomfest.org/>)

Adjournment: 1:48pm