

General Meeting Notes

11/24/2019



Attended:

- Tom Allmendinger
- Brenton Maynard
- Mitch Brackett
- Sarah Roh
- Dan Weiner
- Molly Schnelle
- Heather Chamber

Start Time: 1:00 pm

Operations

- Getting all the contracts started.
- Need volunteers for all departments except main stage.
- Shed Days
 - December 8th, January 26th, February 16th
- May have new telecom this year.

Programming

- Hiring in most areas.
- Live Programming
 - Opening panel on January 1st.
- Media Programming
 - AMV and Opening Ceremony Contests open
 - Cosplay and Karaoke open January 3rd.

Membership (Via Email)

- Regular Membership Registration is open.
 - Price increases are listed on the website, please see the timing on the site.
- Staff Registration is getting a system overhaul, hence the delay.
 - Your Directors can verbally/textually hire you for now until we get the new system up and running.
- Registration is full on management staff for now. If you are interested in staffing for general Registration or Registration Line Control, please email registration@Sakuracon.org
- Staff Preservation overall details and Membership Office hours will be announced at the January meeting.
- Please email membership@sakuracon.org with any other questions!

Relations

- Announced Eric Mendez on the website.
- Other announcements coming soon.
- We will have two musical acts for the Saturday concert.

Publicity

- Hiring across all departments.
- Will not be having a holiday party.
- Community calendars got sent out.
- IOEA
 - Sakura-Con is on the founding board.
 - We have been invited to present during the Olympic in Japan.
 - There will be an Otaku Summit during the Olympics in June.
- Table swap at Kumori-Con.
 - Table was in a nice area and did a lot of positive PR.
- Print Shop requests that departments email with an idea of how much you will need so ordering can be done.
 - There will be printing available before the convention this year.

Facilities

- The hotel link will be available this week.
 - There will be a staff code and will be released once hiring starts on the website.

Treasurer

- No Report

Membership Comments:

- Through Dec 1: Exhibit **Gentleman Warrior: Art of the Samurai** (Seattle Art Museum, <http://seattleartmuseum.org/Exhibitions/Details?EventId=65045>)
- Nov 29: Concert **Kikagaku Moyo** (Capitol Hill Block Party, <https://www.facebook.com/kikagakumoyo/>)
- Nov 30-Dec 21: **Hosekibako Holiday Sale** (JCCW, <https://www.jccw.org/hosekibako>; open Thurs-Sat only)
- Dec 1: Check out Kobo Seattle for great style (and shopping! <https://kobo-seattle.com/>)
- Dec 5: Anime **Mobile Suit Gundam: Char's Counterattack** (Fathom, subtitled, https://www.fathomevents.com/events/gundam-chars-counterattack?layout_id=1224&preview=1)
- Dec 7: **Akaihana @ Juanita Holiday Bazaar** (Juanita Elementary, <https://www.facebook.com/events/2364853343550171/>)
- Dec 7: **Local Artists Crafts Fair** (Wing Luke Museum, <https://www.wingluke.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/2019-Shop-O-Rama-Holiday-Catalogue.pdf>)
- Dec 7: **Hello Kitty Friends Around the World** (Celebrate Kitty and her friends' 45th anniversary! <https://helloworldkitty45.com/>)

- Dec 8: Class **Furoshiki Gift Wrapping Workshop**
(Follain, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/furoshiki-gift-wrapping-workshop-tickets-82277120081?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>)
- Dec 8: Anime **Promare** (Fathom Events, subtitled, return showing, <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/promare?date=2019-12-08>)
- Dec 16, 18: Anime **Tale of Princess Kaguya** (Fathom Events, <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/studio-ghibli-fest-2019-the-tale-of-the-princess-kaguya?date=2019-12-16>)
- Jan 15-16: Anime **Weathering With You** (Fathom Events, <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/weathering-with-you?date=2020-01-15>)
- Feb 1: **Lunar New Year** (Bellevue Square, <https://lunarnewyear.bellevuecollection.com/>)
- Feb 8: **Lunar New Year** (Chinatown/International District, <http://cidbia.org/lunar-new-year/>)
- Feb 8-9: **Seattle Asian Art Museum Reopening!!!**
(<http://inspire.site.seattleartmuseum.org/>)
- Feb 27-Mar 8: Film **Children's Film Festival**
(NWFF, <https://www.childrensfilmfestivalseattle.org/>)
- Mar 3: Lecture **Zen Master Zekkai: The Life of a Medieval Japanese Monk** (UW)
- Mar 10: **Worlds of Dreams - Takarazuka Revue Alumni Show**
(Bellevue, <https://www.facebook.com/WorldOfDreamsTour>)
- **EARLY WARNING:**
 - Apr 9-11: Concert **Joe Hisaishi Symphonic Concert: Music from the Studio Ghibli Films of Hayao Miyazaki** (<https://seattlesymphony.org/concerttickets/calendar/2019-2020/symphony/hisaishi-miyazaki>) Thanks, Ron!

Adjournment: 1:14pm