

General Meeting Notes

November 12, 2023

Attended:

- Tom Allmendinger
- Alyx Lechner
- Sarah Roh
- Ashley Motta
- Shane Rideout
- Mychal Thompson
- Annastasia Galleher
- Tobias McCurry

Presiding Officer: Tom Allmendinger

Start Time: 1:00 p.m.

Operations

- Ops is hiring in logistics, IT and SAS. If anyone has questions, please email operations@sakuracon.org

Programming

- A lot of new, interesting programs are coming in gaming.
- Going to start hiring soon.
 - Volunteers@sakuracon.org
 - Programming@sakuracon.org
- The AMV contest is live.
- Panels looks to be opening at the 1st of 2024.

Publicity

- Currently on track to start the hiring process soon.
 - Finishing up with rebuilding the organization from
- We have a rebranding process started and should be available sometimes in November or December.

Membership

- The next price bump is in early January.
 - Please pre-reg as soon as possible.
- Getting ready for artist alley applications as soon as possible.
- Hiring across multiple departments.

Relations

- Everything is moving along well.
- Getting ready to start guest announcements soon.

Treasurer

- No Report

Facilities

- Housing link has been tested and shared with Membership, Operations & Publicity to coordinate next steps (e.g. email announcements & web posting).
- Haven't gotten separate discounted hotel link for General staff, will ask Orchid next week.
- Hotels for coordinators & above will be collected in Jan- talk to your director if you have questions- please don't contact Facilities directly.

Membership Comments:

- Is the same app being used for programming as last time?
 - Yes, the same app is being used as last year.
- Is there a deadline for the schedule this year?
 - App will be live roughly 1-2 weeks before con, actuals TBD.
 - Schedule lock date is TBD.
- Will there be a PDF schedule provided?
 - This is still being discussed at the board level.
- Will there be a souvenir guide this year?
 - The board is working on some updates.
- Is there a requirement for mask or covid proof?
 - As of right now there isn't one slated, but the board will discuss and make an announcement closer to the event.

Motion to adjourn by Dessa

- Seconded

Adjournment: 1:19 p.m.