

Panel/Workshop Name	Day Time	Location	Brief Description
Crazy and funny convention stories	THURS 6PM	Panel 2	Come hear crazy and funny convention stories and share your own.
Korea, Are you OK?	THURS 6PM	Panel 9 (18+)	After reading so many webcomics we have one question to ask... Korea, Are You Ok? Because after seeing all of this I don't know anymore. Killing Stalking is only the tip of the iceberg.
MMQ: The Massively Multiplayer Quiz	THURS 7PM	Hall Stage	Become the quiz hero Tekko deserves with the first-ever ONLINE interactive multiplayer anime game show! Can you outlast the masses and win fantastic prizes? Or will the horde strike you down in hopes of taking its place
How to wash a Weeb!	THURS 7:30PM	Panel 9 (18+)	ALRIGHT YOU FILTHY DEGENERATES, IT'S TIME TO GET CLEAN! In this educational and entertaining panel, We'll give you tips and tricks to keep yourself healthy and clean over the weekend, so the only thing that's actually dirty is your thoughts... and remember all jokes are just good, clean fun. :)
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Gendo Did Nothing Wrong: An Evangelion Explanation(?)	FRI 10AM	Panel 9 (18+)	Let's face it. Evangelion made no sense. What were all those outlandish visuals and nebulous plot lines getting at? Let's explore the symbolism of Evangelion, from Kabbalah concepts to Shinto imagery, and see if we can guess what was going on in Anno-sensei's head!
Tekko Today Live	FRI 10AM	Hall Stage	Wake up and get excited for Tekko with your favorite Pop Ramen personalities live from the convention floor!
Wiggin' Out?!?!?	FRI 10:30AM	Panel 8 (W)	Don't trash it, fix it! Curious about the best way to store and travel with a wig? Want to know how to get the most bang for your buck or ensure you are taking good care of your lovelies? Come join Yosejira and her 10+ years caring for wigs to learn about the fundamentals of wig care!
OMG, we've survived 5+ years of conventions?	FRI 11AM	Panel 6	Have you been going to Conventions for over 5 years already? Come on by to reminisce with the rest of us. Younger congoers please drop on by, and you might hear a tale or two from us veterans.
Cosplay Budgeting 101	FRI 11AM	Panel 10	Have you ever wanted to save money while cosplaying? Come learn about healthy budgeting techniques and an easy way to save money for conventions!
Kawaii AF	FRI 11:30AM	Panel 9 (18+)	Do you Love kawaii anime? How about fan service? What if I told you there are tons of anime that combine them?! Come learn all about anime that is super kawaii and a little naughty! *chu*
Geekout Gameshow: Anime Family Feud	FRI NOON	Panel 4	IT'S FAMILY FEUD! This is a take on the classic game show but with anime themed questions. We surveyed 100 people, will your answers match? Suuurvey says! Presented by Geekout Gameshow
Masks: for Illness or Fashion in Japan	FRI NOON	Panel 2	Covid has created a worldwide demand and common use of masks. But masks were pretty common in Japan before, right? And why in the manga do the yankee characters always have mask? Come learn Japan's unique relationship and history with masks!
That Gundam Thing	FRI NOON	Panel 5	Gundam has been around since 1979 and has spawned a vast number of series over the years. This primer brings you into the multiverse that is Gundam. Taking a look at numerous shows and timelines, we will find out what series is right for you!
Cosplay 101- A Guide for Beginners	FRI 12:30PM	Panel 6	This panel breaks down a process to beginning cosplay. From what characters to start with, how to plan efficiently, and how to gain confidence to do it! An easy to follow and beginner friendly guide including advice on making/buying cosplays and how to get your feet off the ground!
Anime Icebreaker Games w/Nancy Kepner	FRI 12:30PM	Panel 7 (Space)	Get to know your fellow Anime fans while playing fun Icebreakers and Improv games. Team up to complete anime themed challenges and receive fun prizes! Do well enough and maybe Nancy Kepner will write a song about it. This panel is what you make it. You'll have a blast!
Shoestring Scientists presents: Furoshiki: The Art of Package Wrapping	FRI 1PM	Panel 8 (W)	Furoshiki is the traditional Japanese art of wrapping everyday parcels for carrying, and this workshop will teach you multiple common methods and techniques for wrapping and tying.
Price Is Right: Video Game Edition	FRI 1:30PM	Panel 4	Join us for a take on a classic game show, the Price is Right! Do you know what these games cost nowadays? Will you have what it takes to make it to the show case showdown? Come on down! Presented by Geekout Gameshow
The History of Cuphead	FRI 1:30PM	Panel 5	The story and inspiration in the making of the popular 1930s themed video game, Cuphead presented by a CupTuber.
Seinen and Josei Appreciation	FRI 1:30PM	Panel 3	Seinen and Josei deserve some respect! These more 'mature' genres often receive the short end of the stick within the anime fandom, so it's time to show our support for these underappreciated gems.
Pop Ramen Presents: Dungeons & Dragons & Bad Decisions	FRI 1:30PM	Hall Stage	It's another round of crowd-shouted shenanigans as the best party at Tekko tries to do a Heroism with help from YOU!
Not Today Satan: The Devil in (Japanese) Media	FRI 1:30PM	Panel 2	Because if fandom gets blamed for being devil worship, might as well show them some actual devils for a change. Or at least, what people have misconstrued as devils since forever. But seriously, the image of the devil undergoes some interesting transformations when crossing boundaries between cultures. This panel looks at the idea of the Devil in Japanese folklore, images of the Western devil in Japanese media, and how sometimes it can go horribly wrong.
The Heroes we deserve (One Punch/Hero Academia+)	FRI 2PM	Panel 6	How come some of the best depictions of American style Super Heroes come from Japan: Their Academia, while only using One Punch.
Cosplay Makeup 101	FRI 2PM	Panel 10	Cosplay makeup is a diverse aspect of every cosplayers hobby, but are you doing it correctly? Costay.moo is hosting a panel dedicated to instructing all types of cosplay makeup and styles, as well as informing about harmful makeup techniques that affect various races. If you want to learn more about how to achieve long lasting makeup for conventions or the stage makeup for tiktok, this panel is for you!
Anime QI - Bats and Balls	FRI 3PM	Panel 5	Adapted from the BBC panel show, QI is an exploration of trivia and facts that are "Quite Interesting" to consider, especially when what we think of as common knowledge turns out to be very, very wrong. Join us and our (un)lucky panelists for a discussion of fun facts and surprising revelations about physical anime, the Olympics, and other sports related fun from Japan.
Pokemon: Gotta Know 'em All	FRI 3PM	Panel 4	So you want to be a master of Pokémon? Do you have the skills to be number one? Test your knowledge and prove, once and for all, that you are the Ultimate Pokémon Master.
Criminal Theory in Anime: Understanding Character Development	FRI 3PM	Tekko Gakkou	Join Moby White in discussing Criminological Theory and how they apply to Animation and Characters.
Bento Basics!	FRI 3PM	Panel 8 (W)	Bento Basics!
Geeky Song Writing 101 w/Nancy Kepner	FRI 3PM	Panel 2	Nancy Kepner known as HeartfeltHumor on YouTube takes you through her own unique song writing process and then works with you to create a song from the ground up! She's written over a hundred songs on topics ranging from "Fanfiction Addiction" to "Pervy Anime Nosebleeds!" She has this geeky song writing thing down and wants to share it with all of you!
KPOPittsburgh	FRI 3:30PM	Panel 3	412 K Town (KPOPittsburgh) hosted by Dj.kidplay , Presents.. KPOP dance party and random dance play!! KPOPittsburgh is where pittsburgh meets kpop !! we are a social community hosting KPOP themed events in the greater pittsburgh area , where fans of KPOP can share their love for music Genre. so Come Join Us
That Time I Got Reincarnated as an Anime Panel	FRI 3:30PM	Panel 6	This panel is a look at how Rimuru becomes so powerful by befriending so many people and monsters through his journeys rather than throwing down with them. Major spoilers ahoj!
Cosplay & Diversity	FRI 3:30PM	Panel 10	Cosplay and Diversity is a down to earth community discussion about the importance of inclusion in cosplay as well as nerd spaces. Covering topics such as being POC, plus size, gender spectrum, and many others, we create a safe space to help raise awareness to those who deserve to have a voice! Everyone is welcome to this panel! Bring your personal experiences, questions, and an open mind to discuss how we can help make this community a safe and welcoming place for people of all walks of life!
WTF Japan?!	FRI 4PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Semes, Ukes and Switches. Oh My! If you love to see two guys together this is the panel for you. This panel consists of yaoi manga and anime and also a few clips from different shows. We'll cover some brief history and some need to know vocabulary. Oh and don't forget the legendary corn. Those faint of heart need not inquire. Come squeal over the bishonen with Punny Panels.
Jackbox & Jagoffs	FRI 4:30PM	Hall Stage	Yinz wanna play Jackbox?

Jeopardy: New Game Plus Edition	FRI 4:30PM	Panel 4	Do you think 'regular' nerd trivia is just too easy for your big brain? If so, try your luck at Jeopardy: New Game Plus, where each category is one of the panelist's hyper fixations. Can you beat all of these unofficial experts on all things niche and pedantic in nerdom?
Alas, Poor Villain: Shounen Edition	FRI 4:30PM	Panel 5	What would a shounen protagonist be without a villain to rise against? Join us for a talk about the Big Bads we hate to love!
Pokemon: Banned & Beyond	FRI 5PM	Panel 6	Explore and discuss the darker sides of the Pokemon franchise! Including banned episodes, lore, and other controversies!
Manga Time Kirara: The Magazine that Popularized Moe	FRI 5PM	Panel 3	You know what K-On, New Game, Blend-S, Yuru Camp, Kinmoza, and a lot of other popular moe shows have in common? They come from the same manga magazine, Manga Time Kirara! Join us as we take a dive into this famous moe manga magazine, and the series that originated from it that have not only impacted the moe genre, but anime as a whole!
Make A Light-Up Holiday Card!	FRI 5PM	Panel 8 (W)	Learn about circuits while you design a geeky gift that really lights up using paper circuits - no soldering required! SUPPLIES ARE LIMITED, FIRST COME FIRST SERVE. Limit 1 card per person.
Tekko Ribbon Game 101	FRI 5PM	Panel 2	What are those ribbons on people's badges and how do I get them? Come to the Ribbons 101 panel, where we explain the game, how it works, and where you can find ribbons at Tekko! Join us for a design demo, to have your questions answered, and to have fun. Who knows, there might be a ribbon in it for you! ;)
Pokemon Password	FRI 6PM	Panel 4	The classic gameshow with a Pokemon twist! Two teams go head to head giving one word clues in an attempt to guess the password (pokemon) first. Participate to win all sorts of prizes! Presented by Fuzion Games.
Yokai Nation: Japanese History and Monster Culture	FRI 5:30PM	Tekko Gakkou	Japan has one of the most developed monster cultures of any country. Yokai Nation attempts to trace how the Japanese fascination with ghosts, goblins and other creepy denizens of the world have been born out of Japanese cultural ideas, and how they in turn have influenced Japanese culture and history, all the while serving as ambassadors to the world. Drawing examples from literary works, Japanese cinema, anime, manga and video games, this panel will take a closer look at some of the popular monsters, trace their histories and contexts, and look how how yokai have been used as cinematic devices, cautionary tales, cultural ambassadors to the West, and representations of Japanese fears and hopes.
Get Wiggly With It - 101	FRI 5:30PM	Panel 10	Cosplay Guest and Judge
Behold Corn! A Yaoi Panel	FRI 6PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Japan does all this crazy stuff that makes us wonder what they were thinking. They have weird food products, crazy commercials and ridiculous movies that some of us can't get enough of. Punny Panels is ready to blow your mind with all the out of the world stuff from Japan.
Spirit School 2020	FRI 6PM	Panel 5	Spirit School is in session! A panel exploring Japanese spirits (yokai), folklore, religion and mythology. We will investigate how spirits are featured in other countries and how spirits are depicted in the media.
Game night with Enrana of Asgard	FRI 6PM	Meet Ups 2	Come join Enrana of Asgard for a game night! We will have a choice between card or board games, and prizes for winners.
Ultimate Fandom Championship	FRI 6PM	Hall Stage	Fandom is wide, and fandom is deep. Does your brain match it? Teams square off in a series of tests to see who holds the most nerd knowledge?
How to Feed a Broke Weeaboo	FRI 7PM	Tekko Gakkou	Anime fans are famously broke and hungry. It's hard to keep yourself going on a diet of pockey and ramen. Lets take an hour to learn how to feed ourselves... for cheap!
Cosplay Has No Waist Size!	FRI 7PM	Panel 10	An overwhelmingly positive experience that tackles the struggles of being a plus-size cosplayer head on and combats it with confidence!
Name that Blip: A VGM Game Show	FRI 7:30PM	Panel 4	Ever catch yourself humming the Song of Storms? Do you express your soul in Chiptune? Does Guile's Theme still go with everything? If these apply to you, come and test your knowledge at our Videogame Music Game Show. Prizes will be awarded and auditory bliss will be had by all.
The Do's and Don'ts of Fanfic Writing	FRI 7:30PM	Panel 5	Want to take your fanfic writing to the next level? Come hang out with fellow authors, readers and fans as your panelists cover some basics to help your fanfic stand out on the Internet!
How shapes can tell a story: The visual language of 'Promare'	FRI 8PM	Panel 6	Come learn and discuss how the use of shapes helped to tell a strictly visual story in Studio Trigger's 2019 film 'Promare.'
Time to slay the f***ing Goblins	FRI 8PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Join us in the complete appreciation of our favorite generically named Hero of Dark Fantasy.
Pop-Up Kigu Karaoke	FRI 8:30PM	Hall Stage	Get your singing voice ready, and put your favorite kigurumi, or onesie on (or whatever you want to wear), and party! Back for a 2nd year, The Pop-Up Kigu Karaoke Party is ready to have everyone come by and sing their favorite karaoke songs all night! (Advisory: suggestive/explicit lyrics)
How To Write A Novel In 30 Days	FRI 8:30PM	Tekko Gakkou	30 Days. 50,000 words. All you need is a protagonist, an antagonist, some sort of plot, conflict, maybe a thesaurus, and... oh, that's right - caffeine. Come warm up your pens by sharing tips, tricks, and more with other writing enthusiasts!
Retro Import Gaming	FRI 8:30PM	Panel 3	Learn about and play old-school video games from Japan from Famicom to PS2! You can even win a prize!
The Match Game: Tekko	FRI 9PM	Panel 4	The classic game show comes to Tekko. Can the contestants match their answers to a group of six strangers? More matches means more prizes! Presented by Fuzion Games.
The Dark, Dark World of Shoujo	FRI 9PM	Panel 5	We all love a good romance. How about some romance with a side of genocide? Don't worry, shoujo has you covered. Come and join us as we journey through the dark, dark world of shoujo..
Crunching the Con-Crunch: Making Appropriate Time for Cosplay	FRI 9PM	Panel 10	Do you find yourself struggling to finish your cosplay in time for the convention? Believe it or not, sleepless nights and increasing your stress levels aren't the best way to make sure you complete everything. Learn about how to budget your time for your cosplay creations and shortcuts to getting back on your feet when all hope seems lost before the con~
HeartfeltHumor/Nancy Kepner Performance	FRI 9PM	Panel 1	Nancy Kepner whom you may know her from her viral hit the "Explaining Anime to your Parents Song." has written 100+ songs about the experience of being an Anime fan and all-around Geek. She has songs about Magical Girls, Fanfiction, Robots and so much more. Come and listen! You're sure to leave laughing.
Shounen: Deconstructed	FRI 9:30PM	Panel 2	How can we love AND hate Naruto so much? Does the power of friendship REALLY trump all? Find out in this hour long deconstruction of the shounen genre!
Basic Origami	FRI 9:30PM	Panel 8 (W)	This is a panel for those who have never tried Origami (The Japanese art of folding paper) before, but were always curious. Origami paper will be provided.
This is my fetish 101+ game show	FRI 9:30PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Explore the side of what sex ed hasn't taught you in school with anime to help out plus a place to win games as well. You loved the pilot, so we're bringing it back! This time in its true title. Come compete against the panelist and fellow attendees for a chance at a grand prize for "Best in Show"! Come show off your improv talents or watch the comedy unfold.
On the Spot	FRI 9:30PM	Panel 6 (18+)	Many have experienced the acclaimed Metal Gear series by Legendary creator Hideo Kojima; but what of his other works? Join us as we take a look at his other work, from early cult classics to forgotten gems and oddities. Oh, and also that recent game with Norman Reedus and the baby in the pickle jar too.....
Beyond Metal Gear: The other works of Hideo Kojima	FRI 10PM	Tekko Gakkou	
My Hero Sleepover	FRI 10PM	Panel 7 (Space)	Come Join UA for a sleepover! Heroes and villains welcome. We will be playing games and have prizes.
The Artistry of Video Games	FRI 10:30PM	Panel 5	Do you love beautiful video games? The aesthetically pleasing, the profound, the deep, the thoughtful games that make you say "video games are art, and here's why". Come join us as we talk about these gems of video games and what makes a game 'artsy'.
I watched it for the Plot - Send Lewds Edition	FRI 11PM	Panel 1 (18+)	Quality Content 100% Approved Tekko Programming. This panel underwent serious research to provide the most academic and scholarly discussion of lewd material.
Harems = Harm 18+	FRI 11PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Having your own harem isn't all that it's cracked up to be. Join us as we examine why harem protagonists are everyone's punching bags.
Magical Girls: Deconstructed	FRI 11:30PM		Shounen is all the rage, but lets take a break for something... frilly. Join us for one magical hour dedicated to the Magical Girl Genre!

Anime Family Feud	SAT 10AM	Panel 4	It's the game you all know and love with an anime twist. Come join us for clashing contestants, fabulous prizes, and a somewhat tolerable host at Anime Family Feud. Two teams enter, one team leaves... with prizes.
Creating Your World	SAT 10AM	Panel 3	Do you want to build your world to where it can stand even the harshest of nerd criticisms? Need to know what tropes work and what to avoid? Fear not, we are here to help.
A Villainess' Guide to Webcomics	SAT 10AM	Panel 5	What is a Webtoon and why is it on my Crunchyroll? Let us show you the way into the wonderful world of webcomics.
D&D Behind the Screen	SAT 10AM	Panel 6	Welcome to the fantasy world of Dungeons and Dragons! This panel is great for those new to the fantastic world! We will go over the basic rules and backstory's for players. World crafting and storytelling for the Dungeon Masters out there. Look out! This fantastic world is coming for you!
You're Watching Evangelion Wrong	SAT 10AM		With the recent release of 3.0 + 1.0, I think it's time to talk about Evangelion again. Lets explore the ins and outs of the critically acclaimed mecha series in You're Watching Evangelion Wrong.
Anime Archetypes Unleashed! w/Nancy Kepner	SAT 10:30AM	Panel 2	Are you a Tsundere, Yandere, Kuudere, Dandere? All four? Several more? None of them? Come explore the anime archetypes with otaku singer-songwriter Nancy Kepner (Heartfelt/Humor). This panel may involve archetype themed improv games, quizzes, songs, and even discussion. Well, unless only Dandere people show up.
MechaMerica!!	SAT 11:30AM	Panel 5	We all know that Mechs are all over in Anime. Fair to say that Japan has a love affair with robots. But what about the US of A and how western audiences have treated Mecha and Giant Robots. Come and explore the wonderful world of mechs in American pop culture!
Hard work, Friendship and... Trivia?	SAT 11:30AM	Panel 4	Katy is back with a brand new trivia panel. The name of the game is SHOUNEN! Compete for prizes (and honor) in this Shounen Trivia Showdown!
What Makes a (good) Story?	SAT 11:30AM	Panel 3	Writing quality can make or break a story. This panel will deconstruct the writing elements and tropes which make good shows "good," and others forgettable or dissatisfying. We will also discuss how you can utilize these elements to recognize and articulate why one show succeeds where another fails.
Shoestring Scientists Presents: Build Your Own Clamp Style Manga Wings	SAT 11:30AM	Panel 8 (W)	Wings can be one of the most difficult parts of a cosplay to execute, but they don't have to be! In this advanced (read: not for beginners!) workshop, you will build your own set of Clamp Manga-style wings while learning advanced crafting techniques. This workshop is not recommended for beginners.
Japan's Growing Pain: Why Golden Kamuy is Better than the Things You Like	SAT NOON	Tekko Gakkou	Japanese history is awesome. Want proof? Look no further than Golden Kamuy. War? Check. Culture? Check. Intrigue, assassins, stolen gold, and chases through the snow? Check, check, check. BEAR FIGHTING? YOU BET! But underneath it all is a look at Japan's evolution during the early 20th century, struggles with the Ainu, and growing pains of a rapidly modernizing nation. And a dude named Immortal Sugimoto, who somehow figures into it all, and was probably a real person. Come for the anime, stay for the history.
Dungeons and Dragons 5E Intro!	SAT 1PM	Panel 5	It's time to bring in more fun and helpful tips on making your D&D game engaging! Make the players hear, smell and even taste the world you, the DM has created. While helping players connect to their character on a more personable level. Come and let's create together!
Pokemon: Race to Victory Road	SAT 1PM	Panel 4	A unique game show where two teams of trainers compete in a Taboo like competition. The first to collect all 8 gym badges and defeat a member of the Elite Four first wins! Presented by Fuzion Games.
Planes, Trains, & Battleships: Enter the Leijiverse	SAT 1PM	Panel 3	Ever marvel at the myriad series that make up the Leijiverse? Wonder at the appeal of their storylines or the connections between each character? Come and discuss the fascinating world that Leiji Matsumoto has built, its awe inspiring depth, the scope of the stories, and of course all his different alien queens and romantic space pirates.
Cosplay Acting 101 Extravaganza	SAT 1PM	Panel 10	Ever wanted to act as that special character you've cosplayed/ wanted to cosplay? Look no further, ladies, gentlemen, and all other! This panel will give you a step by step plan on how to form that cosplay acting personality that you've been desiring! Also you can enjoy watching and participating in a cosplay roleplaying game for yourself while getting a chance for some prizes! So come on down!
But Is it Art?	SAT 1PM	Panel 6	A brief journey into contemporary Japanese Visual Arts and the anime that influenced and have been influenced by them. Where Fine Art and Popular culture collide.
Am I Pretty? Urban Legends of Japan	SAT 1:30PM	Tekko Gakkou	Japan's urban legends, or toshi densetsu, have long been a prime source of fuel for works of wonder and horror. What are the origins of these tales, though? What kernels of truth might be found? In this panel, we'll look at the cultural and historical elements behind some of Japan's most famous urban legends.
WTF Japan 3?!? Very Vocaloid Edition	SAT 2PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Because you all seem to love the craziness, we're back a third time! And this time, a little different. Join us another year, as we showcase and appreciate the weirdest, funniest, and most graphic music videos from Japan... but this time with a focus on Hatsune Miku and other vocaloid idols!
Who's That Pokemon? The Game Show	SAT 2:30PM	Panel 4	A game show where you can push your pokemon knowledge to its limits! Combine that with luck to guess the pokemon before the other contestants and win amazing prizes. Presented by Fuzion Games.
Jigsaw Plot: When Everything Comes Together	SAT 2:30PM	Panel 3	An anime recommendation panel for those who revel the moment all the pieces fall into place. This panel is dedicated to animes that keep us guessing until the last second!
Lets make a 3D NPC!	SAT 2:30PM	Panel 5	Sure, you can run a classic dungeon crawler. Or, maybe a hack n' slash. But what about the role playing side of the table? Come on down, help me and the others in the audience to make an NPC, and learn some tips and tricks to making memorable characters for your tabletop RPG tables!
Anime a bridge into western comics	SAT 2:30PM	Panel 6	are you a anime fan that wants to get into western comics but don't know where to start then come to this panel i will be comparing anime and comics to see the similarities.
Oh for the Love of Folklore: A Fan's perspective on Rumiko Takahashi's work.	SAT 3PM	Tekko Gakkou	Do you remember the playful joy of Urusei Yatsura? Ever wonder why Lum wears tiger print? Why magical hot springs in Ranma 1/2? Wonder how Rumiko Takahashi got the idea for a time traveling well? We'll discuss the folklore that inspired her work and the ways she has reimagined it during her career.
Furry floor wars	SAT 3PM	Panel 7 (Space)	If you're a furry or fursuiter or cosplayer that wants to dance this is for you.
I can has panel? A brief look at the history of cats on the internet.	SAT 4PM	Panel 3	If you asked a cat they would say the internet was created to honor them. With over 2 million videos on YouTube alone, they aren't wrong! Come learn all about the cats who've gained internet fame, including Maru, Grumpy Cat and the ever elusive Ceiling Cat! Memes, Videos and Cute Cat Pictures, Oh Meow!
Dungeons and Dragons: designing the dungeons and crafting encounters.	SAT 4PM	Panel 4	Teaching players to create interesting dungeons and memorable encounters
Is that even an Anime?	SAT 4PM	Panel 4	Vigilante Schoolgirls Save the Planet! Rubber Boy Accidentally Leads a Crime Ring! Are those even real anime?! Come and test your anime knowledge with this Kahoot Challenge!
lets dub a hentai	SAT 4PM	Panel 9 (18+)	you like hentai? you ever wanted to voice act? or get weird with people you never met before then come out and dub a hentai!
Shoestring Scientists presents: 3D Printing for Cosplay: More Accessible Than You Think	SAT 4PM	Panel 10	3D printing is making complex cosplays more accessible than ever before! Join professional 3D artist, professor, and cosplayer, Keah, along with the rest of the mad geniuses from Shoestring Scientists for a lively panel full of advanced tricks and tips, as well as beginner basics for this crazy new technology.
Lovecraftian Horror in Anime and Manga	SAT 4PM	Panel 6	HP Lovecraft may have been an American, but that doesn't mean America has a monopoly on Cosmic Horror. In this panel we're going to talk about a few anime and manga that are Lovecraftian, and talk about the themes that make something Lovecraftian even when the author has never read Call of Cthulhu.
The Food of Food Wars!	SAT 4PM	Panel 5	Food Wars! just gave us a 4th season of decadent, high-stakes cooking, leaving us wondering: how accurate is it to real chefs? Join us on a deep dive into the fine dining industry to see how much the show got right!
Anime Fight Club: The Preshow	SAT 4PM	Hall Stage	After two years, Anime Fight Club is two big! Get ready for the main event with previews, analysis and prelim matches all designed to answer the ultimate question: Who Would Win In a Fight?
The Ramen Panel	SAT 4:30PM	Tekko Gakkou	Every anime fan knows ramen as Naruto's favorite food. But there's a little more to this noodly treat than ten cent instant packs. Delve into the theory and history of Ramen in The Ramen Panel.

American Anime	SAT 4:30PM	Panel 2	"Western Anime" has long been considered an oxymoron- anime is Japanese, so how can Western nations lay claim to it? But in the contemporary world, these lines blur more and more. This panel explores two different lines of thinking: inspirations that draw from anime style of Japanese visual culture, and the outright adaptation of style found in series literally everywhere now. Cowboy Bebop will be discussed. And something about a giant Toblerone from that show you definitely watched then forgot about entirely.
Yaoi Kisses Sweet and Dark	SAT 5:30PM	Panel 5	Yaoi is harsh, cruel, dangerous, tragic - dark. Yaoi is tender, loving, funny, beautiful - sweet. This year, both sides of Yaoi.
The Metaphorically Music Panel: A Nujabes and Hydeout Productions Retrospect Panel	SAT 6PM	Tekko Gakkou	From hip-hop aficionados, to die-hard otaku, people know the name Nujabes (born Jun Seba) the world around: From his influential music releases to Samurai Champloo, this panel will talk about the history and legacy of Japanese hip-hop producer Nujabes, his record label, and the posthumous legacy.
Bad Fanfiction Sex Scenes Read-Along	SAT 6PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Come unwind with some of the spiciest, silliest smut that fanfiction has to offer! Whether you want to join in on the reading or just sit back and listen, there's fun to be had.
Crafting to Career	SAT 6PM	Panel 10	Do you have a lot of creative energy, and want to try selling your work? Or maybe do you have a really cool product, but just don't know where to start? Come learn all about how to turn your artistic endeavors into a thriving business! Learn how to choose what customers will want to buy, advertise, grow customer support, build and organize inventory, price products, and more. We'll teach you all you need to know to turn your hobby into a creative empire! There will be a Q&A at the end of the panel for any additional questions you may have!
Hero or Villain: Let the Con Decide	SAT 6PM	Panel 2	Hero or Villain, that is the question. This panel will explore the physical and behavioral features of anime characters from across the spectrum, and it is up to you to determine who is a "good guy", an "bad guy", or even something else entirely.
Life with full bars: How fandom restored our HP	SAT 7PM	Panel 3	Depression and anxiety are a bit part of our reality. Fandom and conventions give us an alternative to that reality. Come listen to some personal stories of how fandom helps us live our best lives.
Shoestring Scientists presents: Spider-Man has a Giant WHAT?	SAT 7PM	Panel 6	American and Japanese animation have been influencing each other for decades. While many are familiar with the changes that Japanese animation often goes through during localization for American audiences, not many are knowledgeable of the changes that American media undergoes when being modified for Japanese audiences.
Youtuber Tekking101 Q&A Panel	SAT 7PM	Panel 5	A Q&A panel with anime YouTuber, Tekking101. Discussing anime/manga and the YouTube industry.
Rice to Meet You!	SAT 7PM	Panel 8 (W)	Rice is the cornerstone for most Japanese meals. Careful and inventive preparation can make the rice the best part of the dish. And we're showing you how to prepare it - for bento, sushi, onigiri and more!
Anime Fight Club - 2021	SAT 7PM	Hall Stage	Do you think Luffy can beat Naruto? Could Sailor Moon go 3 rounds in the ring with Spike Spiegel? Are you passionate and knowledgeable enough to argue the case for your favorite characters from anime, games and more? Join us and see who claims the championship belt this year as we once again answer the eternal question of fandom: who would win in a fight!
All About Gundam Models	SAT 7:30PM	Panel 4	You hear the word "Gunpla" but you don't know what it is, well stop on by and get a crash course in the world of Gundam models and how you can join a community that spans decades.
History of Sharp Shiny Pointy Things; Real Sword or Piece of Crap; Samurai Sword Class	SAT 7:30PM	Tekko Gakkou	The acknowledged master of martial mayhem, Samurai Dan, along with his beautiful wife Jillian and their akitas Kiba and Reina, brings his unique brand of history and education to conventions near and far. With over 25 years of experience in way of the Samurai, Dan teaches and performs with passion and understanding.
Littlekuriboh is God! The Musical	SAT 7:30PM	Panel 7 (Space)	Calling all Littlekuriboh fans! Join us for the ultimate Yu-gi-oh the Abridged Series karaoke event. Sing your heart out to the hilarious musical medley brought to you by your favorite Internet abridger.
Not Your Grandfathers Pinewood Derby: At The Olympic Games Ft. The Honeymooners	SAT 8PM	Panel 9 (18+)	BA da dah da daaah ba da dah da daaah chikah chikah! Join Not Your Grandfather's Panelists for a special olympic dash like no other featuring the Honeymooners.
Freakin Filler!! w/Nancy Kepner	SAT 8PM	Panel 2	Beach Trips, Shower Scenes, Angst Flashbacks, Filler Episodes, Filler Arcs... Where did the plot go anyway? Just how many episodes does it take to go Super Saiyan? Come experience the best and worst filler anime has to offer in this musical panel offered by local geeky musician: Nancy Kepner (HeartfeltHumor).
Rate My Husbando Vol. 2	SAT 8:30PM	Panel 3	Who is best husbando? Luffy or Zorro? Goku or Vegeta? Levi or Eren? Will Ace reign supreme again this year? Come defend your man in an interactive debate panel where YOU decide who is the sexiest man in anime! Arrive early to sign up, there will be prizes for everyone who debates!
Your Faves Need Therapy: AI: The Somnium Files	SAT 8:30PM	Panel 6	Back for a third year, the Cosplayer Survivor Support Network (CSSN) guides you through a reading of psychological trials and traumas on characters in AI: The Somnium Files by Kotaro Uchikoshi, creator of the Zero Escape series. We'll also offer trauma-informed resources for those interested in learning more.
Trails of Cold Steel and Beyond: A Dive into the Legend of Heroes	SAT 8:30PM	Panel 5	The Legend of Heroes: Trails of Cold Steel is a JRPG franchise by Nihon Falcom that has garnered much deserved popularity as of late, but there is much more to this Legend of Heroes than meets the eye. Come and learn about what makes the series so special as we delve into the history, lore, and elements of the series that fans have come to love.
Itabags 101	SAT 9PM	Tekko Gakkou	Have you ever wanted to become a walking shrine dedicated to what you love most in life? Join us in Itabags 101 to learn everything you need to know about assembling your very own pain bag!
More than a Pretty Face: Women of Gundam	SAT 9PM	Panel 4	Well behaved women seldom make history, especially in Gundam. From Sayla Mass to Lacus Clyne, these women makes their marks in the world by defying their roles. Join us as we explore just some of the amazing women in the Gundam Multiverse!
Mafia with John Egbert!	SAT 9PM	Meet Ups 1	John Egbert hosts his very own game of Mafia! An audience interactive panel in which John Egbert narrates the story of the audience, where three players are hidden among the crowd; A doctor, A police officer, and the infamous Mafia Man. The crowd must work as a group to discover who the mafia is before its too late!
CCS Presents The Completely Legal And Pet Friendly Amiibo Tourney	SAT 9:30PM	Panel 9 (18+)	This is going to be a panel where we get several high level amiibos and stage a Super Smash Brothers Ultimate tournament where people can wager tickets on the winner. The tickets can be exchanged at the end for prizes. There will be zero humans playing the game, only CPU controlled amiibos, the people are there to just watch. There will be two people providing commentary on tournament.
Jojo's Bizzare Slumber Party	SAT 10PM	Panel 7 (Space)	Come join Rikiel (@cowboysimpco) and Jolyne (@toedette) for the most bizarre slumber party you will ever attend. Wear your favorite cosplay (and pajamas of course) and play fun games like "Pin the Hair on the Jojo Character", participate in fun challenges, and watch us defend problematic characters via PowerPoint! Prizes and Candy all around!
Yaoi Nostalgia	SAT 10PM	Panel 3	Oldtaku Fujoshi and Fudanshi, our time has come. Games, Prizes, and Singalongs? We got it all.
Exploring Rarepairs: Lesser Discussed Dynamics in Haikyuu	SAT 10PM	Panel 6	We all love Kagehina and Iwaobi, but what about some of the other high-quality Haikyuu ships? In this panel we'll chat about other excellent Haikyuu pairings and relationships!
Rules to Live By: An Anime Survival Guide	SAT 10PM	Panel 5	We reveal how anime is meant to be watched, raw and uncut, and why it was changed.
LipSync for your Extra Life: Charity Drag Show	SAT 10PM	Panel 1	The queens have returned to raise money for Extra Life, a program of Children's Miracle Network, and this time we've brought friends! Join us for our first ever PG-13 show at Tekko, and bring that tip-money, because all tips collected will go to CMN to aid in their mission to change kids health and change the future! (Tips will be collected by mask wearing helpers in the audience to ensure the safest experience fore everyone!)
Psychology in Danganronpa	SAT 10:30PM	Tekko Gakkou	From the series formerly known as "Trauma in..." hosted by the 'kumas of the Cosplayer Survivor Support Network, this panel delves into everyone's favorite classmate murder game! Spoilers limited to Danganronpa: Trigger Happy Havoc and Ultra Despair Girls. ***Not medical advice intended to diagnose/treat individuals; entertainment/educational purposes only!***
Games to Play in the Dark: RPG Maker Edition	SAT 10:30PM	Panel 4	In the mood for a good fright? Horror doesn't always need jump scares and gore. Join us for an hour of paranormal pixels in Games to Play in the Dark: RPG Maker Edition!

Anime Bingo	SAT 11:30PM	Panel 8 (W)	Bingo with a twist! Combine your anime knowledge with your bingo luck. Clues to an anime character will be given, it is up to you to mark them! Bring your friends and win prizes! Presented by Fuzion Games.
Sweet Viktuuri – Behind the Scenes of “Yuri!!! on Ice”	SAT 11:30PM	Panel 5	“Can you hear my heart beat?” The smash hit ice-skating anime that had us all fangirling! Get the scoop on the creative team behind the show, and the real-life skaters, choreography, locations, and music that inspired them. They were born to make history! Cynthia Crise
Are You Smarter Than Organization XIII?	SAT 11:30PM	Panel 1	Keyblades and munny and hearts - oh my! Celebrate 20 YEARS of Kingdom Hearts at this quiz show extravaganza for a chance to compete against a lot of Nobodies and prove that you have the knowledge of a true Keyblade Master.
Songs on the Spot! w/Nancy Kepner	SAT 11:30PM	Panel 2	YOU make suggestions, and Nancy Kepner (HeartfeltHumor) makes up songs I based on anything you suggest. That's right. ANYTHING... almost anything. Push the boundaries and see what happens. You know you want to!
Kimono 1-2-3	SUN 10AM	Tekko Gakkou	A basic introduction to the different types of kimono, obi, and other articles of traditional Japanese clothing. With hands-on examples.
Who Said It?: Edgy Anime Character or Serial Killer?	SUN 10:30AM	Panel 3	Are you an enthusiast of True Crime and have a soft spot for the Edgelords of the Anime world? Well look no further because this is the panel for YOU! Come participate in our game where you guess if the phrases came from an Anime or a real life murderer!
I Was A Cosplay Mean Girl	SUN 11AM	Panel 5	Certified victim assistant Trickssi recounts the path that led her to changing her former “mean girl” ways. This community-focused panel will discuss ways to spot “red flags” in friendships, the difference between “drama” and danger, what crisis intervention is, and how you can help make our spaces safer for everyone.
The Waifu Game	SUN 11AM	Panel 4	Ever hear of the Newlywed Game? Well that's basically what this is! Bring your SO, your best friend, or a complete stranger and put your relationship to the test!
Diving into the Deep: Sexuality in Anime and Manga	SUN 11:30AM	Panel 9 (18+)	Wanna talk about sex, baby? Wanna talk about you and me-and Japan? Let's talk about sexuality in anime and manga. Come and hear about the way sexuality is portrayed in different types and series of romantic/erotic anime and manga as well as what this means in terms of culture.
Kimono 4-5-6	SUN 11:30AM	Tekko Gakkou	An introduction to the different types of kimono accessories from All The Unseen Belts to All The Coats, and practically everything in between. Hands-on samples at the end!
Marvel vs. DC: the Top 10 Animated Edition	SUN NOON	Panel 3	In a world where media is overly saturated, how can you know where to turn? We'll show you examples of animated comic book fare that are both essential to the overall nerd experience, and those that are better left unseen.
Bodypaint 101	SUN 12:30PM	Panel 5	So you want to cosplay as your fave, but they're not exactly a human skintone... Fear not! Body paint can help make your look, but it's not the easiest tool to master. Join award winning cosplayer and shapeshifter Morning Mist Cosplay to learn the basics of face and bodypaint as well as how to make it look great!
The Works and Themes of Satoshi Kon	SUN 1PM	Tekko Gakkou	In his all too short career, Satoshi Kon wrote and directed incredible character stories with fascinating psychological themes. We aim to explore those themes and characters by breaking down all of Kon's most famous animated works.
Lemons, Lemons Everywhere!	SUN 1:30PM	Panel 9 (18+)	Oh fanfiction, what are we going to do with you? Come with us on a journey through the history of fanfiction and the many debates about fanfiction and fandom spaces.
Fantasy Metal for Fantasy World	SUN 1:30PM	Panel 3	Finding the right music can be a challenge for any game online or off. This listening party panel hopes to provide just one professional DM's advice on choosing the right inspirations for your games, or soundtracks to TPK your players by. Now with bardcore!
Level Up Your Cosplay	SUN 2PM	Panel 5	If you've mastered the basics, or you simply want to add more to your cosplay, let's level it up! Learn about using a character's setting, harder sewing techniques, weathering, and more! This is a "Cosplay 201" panel run by award winning cosplayer and detail enthusiast Morning Mist Cosplay.
Re-telling of stories of the Rising Sun: Japanese Space Operas	SUN 2:30PM	Tekko Gakkou	Remember Buck Rogers and his adventures? How about Duck Dodgers? Maybe you soared with Luke Skywalker, Han Solo, and Princess Leia. But what about Legend of the Galactic Heroes or Captain Harlock? Space Opera has captured our imaginations for a century, taking us to far away galaxies and planets. Join us as we take a look through Glass Fleet and space operas of anime and manga.
Anime Christmas Carols! w/Nancy Kepner	SUN 3PM	Panel 2	- Tekko's not normally a December convention. Let's make the most of this one and only December Tekko, by singing and creating anime themed holiday parody songs with local geeky musician: Nancy Kepner (HeartfeltHumor)
Enter the Hero!	SUN 3PM	Panel 3	Sports anime for those who may not like sports, as well as for jocks or those who just enjoy the genre.
How to (not) Conquer the World 1980s Cartoon Supervillain Style!	SAT 12PM	Panel 3	Step forward into the minds of Cobra Commander, Megatron, and all your other favorite 1980s cartoon supervillains for a look into their zaniest plans! Who needs things that make sense when you can be playfully evil! Come and join the fun!