**SABAKON 2017 PROGRAMING DESCRIPTIONS**

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**AbeyantHero's Bizarre Gameshow Giveaway**

Step up & challenge your skills of Anime/Pop Culture with trivia questions, finishing song lyrics, reflexes, and redemption rounds to win awesome FREE PRIZES.  Preview the comedy films & vlogs of AbeyantHero at YouTube.com/c/theAbeyantHero & instagram.com/theAbeyantHero

**AbeyantHero's Cosplay Workshop on a Budget**

Have you ever wanted to cosplay a character you admire but thought it was more than you could afford?  This panel will help you make award winning cosplays from armor to gijinka designs all on a modest budget

**Abridged Series with The Schmuck Squad**

Do you like Abridged Series? Do you not like abridged series? Do you not know what an abridged series is? Then come see Grimmjack69 and Coffinjockey host some Schmucky goodness! Q&A and maybe even sneak peaks at a new episode~

**Anime Bingo**

Your favorite classic game of BINGO will be played with an anime twist at Sabakon. Instead of the letters and numbers, the squares will be filled with anime characters. Simple game, a character name will be called, mark your board if you have the character, and a straight line of 5 boxes will earn a win in this game. Easy and fun to play for everyone, do not miss out on this fun game and the prizes!

**Anime Royale [All Ages]**

It’s as if Anime and Vegas did the fusion dance for this fun event! Come play Blackjack, Texas hold ‘em poker, Roulette, and NEW game Craps in our Anime Royal casino room. Everyone gets their first set of chips for free, and it’s up to you to win your way to the top. Trade in you chips for some great prizes and walk away a champion.

**Anime Royale with Dobutsu Lounge [18+]**

It’s as if Anime and Vegas did the fusion dance for this fun event! Come play Blackjack, Texas hold ‘em poker, Roulette, and NEW game Craps in our Anime Royal casino room. Everyone gets their first set of chips for free, and it’s up to you to win your way to the top. Trade in you chips for some great prizes and walk away a champion with Dobutsu Lounge**.**

**Anime Voice Acting Competition**

Think you have what it takes to be the best Amateur Voice Actor or Actress in all of Nevada? Do you have the chops, the golden voice needed to stand above the rest? Then register and audition at the Arizona Voice Acting Guild booth before the competition for your chance to stand behind the condenser mic and test your skills in an epic battle of sheer acting prowess and talent.

**An Intro to Accents and Dialects for Voice Acting with Karen Strassman**

Karen has been a professional dialect coach for over 20 years and has coached hundreds of actors to do many different accents for TV, film, and voiceover. In this panel she will give an introduction to learning accents and dialects, covering information and the nature of different dialects, where they come from, and the best ways to learn them.

**An Intro to Voice Acting for Anime, Video Games, and Cartoons with Karen Strassman**

As it has often been said, voice-acting is a lot more complex than just making a "funny voice."  This panel is an introduction to the different elements in creating characters that can touch an audience, compel them, move them to tears, laughter, delightful endearment, or simply make them want to hear that voice over and over again.  Karen will bring in examples of characters and typical voice-over audition copy, and members of the audience will be invited to come up to the mic and try their hand (...or their voice) at it!   This panel is very informative and tons of fun.

**Assassination Classroom Scavenger Hunt**

Help Koro-sensei find his students! The students of class E are have decided to come to Sabakon with their teacher, but they have all split up and Koro-sensei needs you to help take attendance. The Assassination Classroom Scavenger Hunt is a two day event (Saturday and Sunday) where you pick up an official attendance sheet from Koro-sensei himself and start searching for the students around the convention. Whoever gets to all the students before the end of day 2 and returns the sheet to Koro-Sensei get a chance to win great prizes at Closing Ceremonies. With special guests Eleph an Faeire!

**Autographs (Saturday)**

Autograph session with Karen Strassman, Patrick Seitz, and ProZD

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**Blazblue Central Fiction Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**BlazBlue Voices with Patrick Seitz**

Q&A session to discuss the popular video game BlazBlue.

**Both Dies of the Mic: Voice Acting and Directing with Patrick Seitz**

Ever wondered how your favorite dubs are actually made? Go behind the scenes with Voice Actor and veteran ADR Director/Scriptwriter Patrick Seitz, as he peels back the curtain and discuss the process of adapting and directing anime and video games for the English-speaking world.

**Bona El Zee Performance**

**Cardfight Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Closing Ceremonies**

Join the Sabakon Staff as we say goodbye to our guests of 2017, celebrate with some prizes, and discuss what is to come.

**Cosplay Chess**

What's more fun than chess? COSPLAY CHESS! Come see this great spectacle where cosplayers become chess pieces in this gigantic game of wits!

**Cosplay Foam 101**

A crash course in utilizing foam (those weird puzzle floor mat things) for cosplay! We're going to cover everything from armor to props, and all the basic steps from start to finish.

**Cosplay from Start to Finish with Dustbunny**

Want to start cosplaying but unsure how to start? This panel is designed to breakdown the steps to making a cosplay. Where to find materials, along with how to successfully manage your budget and time.

**Cosplay Guest Q&A**

Come meet our talented cosplay guests as they answer all of your cosplay questions.

**CosPositivity 101 with Porcelain Cosplay**

When cosplay seems more and more like a popularity contest than a fun hobby, it's important to remember why we started dressing up, how to treat others who are cosplaying, and how to view ourselves while in costume.

**Cosplay Makeup 101 With Porcelain Cosplay**

Join Porcelain Cosplay, To-Love Aruru, and Yuuka Cosplay in a masculine and feminine cosplay makeup demonstration.

**DDR Mini game Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Desperate Houseguys of Maple Bay**

Join some of the cast from DDADDS for a fun filled hour and mostly dad jokes, questions about cryptids, trivia from vacation bible school, games from the crypt and a healthy sense of competition. Who's your dream daddy?

**Dengeki Fighting Climax Ignition Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**DFC**

The anime community, illustrators, and light novel authors themselves seem to focus on promoting heroines, or female leads/support characters, with larger than realistic attributes. This panel will focus on female characters in anime that are not of this common mold, but who are flat-chested. This will be a discussion oriented panel, and while nothing prepared for the panel will be explicit in nature, discussions on the subject for those attending are possible - so please keep that in mind.

**Dj Dax Performance**

**Dobutsu Lounge Auction [18+]**

After spending time with a host/hostess throughout the event the attendees have a chance to bid on a chosen host/hostess to spend a extra hour of VIP time with them. *Note\* this time is spent in the room that the lounge takes place in and leaving the room is not permitted*

**Dragon Ball Z Scavenger Hunt**

The 7 Dragon Balls have been scattered around the convention and are just waiting to be found! Do you have what it takes to complete this epic game of hide-and-seek? Grab a few friends or go on this quest solo -perhaps you'll get lucky and get a wish from the Eternal Dragon. **Turn in Sunday 19th 5pm in Chardonnei Lougne, Drawing for prizes 6pm**

**Fandom Face Off (Quiz Show)**

Test your knowledge of your favorite TV shows. My Hero Academia, Naruto, Steven Universe, Star vs The Forces of Evil, and Voltron Legendary Defenders.

**Fashion Show**

Join us at the Sabakon Fashion Show and come check out our featured 6 talented designers in all areas of geek fashion.

**Filthy Weeaboo Garbage Anonymous**

Do you know that your obsession with escapism and anime is unhealthy, but you still can't look away? Do you cry at night because your body pillow won't talk to to you? Well come share that pain and maybe some laughs at Filthy Weeaboo Garbage Anonymous.

**Final Fantasy Gathering**

Come join Porcelain Cosplay, Gabrielle Cooke Cosplay, and Xxfruitcakexx for Sabakon's official Final Fantasy Gathering! Our Delivery Moogle will be handing out attendee ribbons, snap a selfie with Prompto (maybe even catch a glimpse of Gentiana in the background!), and play a few easy group games with the cosplay guests. We will have an official event photographer as well!

**Final Fantasy TCG Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Guilty Gear Xrd Rev2 Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Guilty Grills**

Guilty Gear XRD Rev2 Girls only Tournament

**Homestuck 2017 - A Final Hurrah!**

With the comic over and a new game around the bend, trolls and kids alike have gathered to throw a final goodbye with trivia, Q&A, games, and prizes!

**How to Make A Cosplay Skit with Eleph an Færie**

Ever wondered what goes into making a Cosplay Skit for a performance? Come join Eleph an Færie and learn the dos and don’ts of creating a cosplay skit.

**Iron Cosplay with Porcelain Cosplay and XxfruitcakesxX**

Join us for Iron Cosplay where teams face off to try and make the best cosplay they can using only duct tape and other random items. Better be ready for a fast pace build with a time limit in place to make our game more interesting. Do you have what it takes? Well join us for Iron Cosplay and find out!

**ItaBags - What are they and how do they work?**

Learn about the interesting hobby of building an itabag of your favorite series, characters or even voice actors with your hosts Saku and Lala.

**JaH Performance**

**Jojo's Bizarre Adventure Gathering**

Fan Photo Gathering for Jojo’s Bizarre Adventure

**Karaoke**

It’s time to sing your heart out, solo or in a group, let your voices be heard!

**Kigu Slumber Party**

Join special guests Porcelain Cosplay and xxfruitcakexx Cosplay for this fun-filled slumber party! Dress up in your favorite kigurumi and hang out with the gang as they play games, watch shows, and eat food throughout the evening. Snacks will be available!

**K-Pop Battles: Siren**

Join Superanx Kpop Battles in its Official Kpop Vocal Debut Event

**K-pop Battles: Dance Competition**

The Kpop Battles is a live Kpop Dance-Cover event where fans of all kinds come together to showcase their favorite Kpop Dances.

**K-pop and J-pop Dances with Eleph an Færie**

It’s a dance class, for nerds! Come learn some K-pop and J-pop dances with the dance senseis Airedail and Genius Program of Eleph an Faeire. They will give you some basics of dancing along with tips and tricks with learning dances from YouTube videos. For people of all dance levels, no previous experience needed.

**Kpop Karnival**

Annyeong~ Come one Come All! To K-Krews Kpop Karnival! Join your fellow K-pop Karnis in a race to collect kpop prizes. If you dont want to play Games for prizes come play for fun, you can even play the kpop dance game, or just watch the madness! It will be a heck of a time! Also by the end of the panel we will be raffling off a GRAND PRIZE! So come on down to K-krews Kpop Karnival! You may be the Winner! READY! SET! GO!

**L8ye Performance**

**Let's Play An Eroge! [18+]**

School girls, monster girls, magical girls oh my! Join in on this edition of Let’s play an eroge and find out which we’ll be dealing with this time! This panel is an interactive play through of the an eroge visual novel.

**Lip Sync for Your Cosplay**

Do you get your life from performing? That rush of getting onstage and being fierce? Then you'd better WERK! Lip Sync for Your Cosplay is the high-energy, heads-up dance battle competition where you show us what you're made of! Two people are selected to square off against each other while performing well known Anime/Video Game/Disney/Pop Culture songs in a battle to keep the attention on themselves!

**Maid Cafe 101**

Come learn about Maid Cafes from the Otaku Dreams Maid Cafe! They’ll have fun interactive activities, adorable maids and butlers, and lots of info!

**Making Cosplay Wigs 101**

Ever wanted to know how to make a wig for a specific cosplay but don't know how to get started? Join Queens Cup Cosplay and Prince-Camui Cosplay for a wig making demonstration! Wanna try it yourself? Bring a wig head, curved needle, dome cap and some wefts!

**Magic Draft Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Mario Party with ProZD and Innocently Creating**

Come join Youtubers ProZD and Innocently Creating as they keep the party going by playing a game of Mario Party 10 with You!

**Masquerade**

Calling all cosplayers! Come show us your best cosplays, your best performances, and your best spirit in this year's masquerade competition.

**Materials and Methods of Prop-making for Film and TV With Nathan Longest**

Nathan will walk panel-goers through the process of what it takes to make real film props through a Q&A session that will allow participants to specify a type of prop and receive a detailed description of how it would be realized in true industry fashion using material samples, photographs, and small demos.

**Mayonaka Performance**

**Mittens Performance**

**Nakama Performance**

**Name that Pokemon**

Test your Pokemon skills in the famous who's that pokemon silhouette game! There are 3 silhouettes to guess per day, with each silhouette rewarding one prize for a correct guess in a raffle on the final day. Make sure to participate each day for the most chances to win!

**Natural Hentai [18+]**

A game to determine the perfect level of hentai. There are those who are closet hentais, and then there are those who are TOO hentai. In this game we strive to bring out the NATURAL HENTAI, someone who understands the hentai world and can easily flow with it or without it. Contestants will be chosen and quizzed on the flow of different animated hentais. The contestant will be given a scene/event in the hentai, followed by a question. The conestant will have to pick the correct answer from the choices given. Only the perfect score can determine who is a NATURAL HENTAI!

**Off the Spot [18+]**

Based entirely off of Rooster Teeth's official game show, On The Spot, the games you all know and love have finally been brought to you, a live Las Vegas audience!! Join our Improv Masters (or so they call themselves) in a battle of wits to see who will take home our grand prize!!

**Opening Ceremony**

It’s time! Come on down and join our Staff as we kickstart Sabakon 2017 with a bang!

**Origami Workshop**

Come join us in this workshop as we work on several different origami pieces. There will be 3 models to make with instructors, and a free origami zone. If you find the art of Origami interesting, don't miss this workshop!

**Otaku Jeopardy**

Otaku Jeopardy is back again and is ready for another round of all things anime. Beat your rivals, earn prizes, and claim your title of otaku ruler.

**Ouran Host Club Formal Ball**

For the first time ever, the King of the Ouran High School Host Club will be holding a formal masquerade ball at Sabakon! All are invited, and all are expected to dress the part and have a lovely time at this elegant evening event. Your lovely host Tamaki will be available to dance with all the fair maidens. Joining him will be the host club and special guest. Be ready for a fantastic evening.

**Panty Game [18+]**

Ever wanted to see how many panties you can wear?.......ever wanted to wear panties without judgment? You’re in luck! Come join us for a game that’d be sure to satisfy your curiosity lol. In this game you will compete against others to see who can fit the most panties in a short period of time.

**Persona 4 Ultimax Tournament**

Sign ups Half hour before tournament

**Plus Ultra**

Everything will be alright! BECAUSE I AM HERE! Join Jessiy Senpai for a spirited discussion about My Hero Academia! Treats will be had.

**Pokemon Pageant**

Want to be the master of all Pokemon and not just a Pokemon Master? Come and compete in Sabakon’s third annual Pokemon pageant, hosted by a few talented Pokemon Trainers. Show your battle skills, show your determination, show that you can catch them all….off guard and beat the competition!

**Pokemon VGA Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Press Start To Play Live From Sabakon**

The entire cast of PS2P, Las Vegas 11th best geek podcast, will be recording the latest episode live at Sabakon! There will be games, giveaways, and more!

**Prop Making & Cosplay: Teamwork with Dustbunny and Nathan Longest**

Are you ready to take your cosplays to the next level? Learn how having a team to create a costume makes all the difference. This panel will be advice on how to work together, schedule and budget your projects. Dustbunny and Nathan Longest will be your guides answering all your cosplay and prop making questions.

**Random Encounters' Musical REwrites**

Madlibs meets karaoke in this musical improv game hosted by Random Encounters, where their most popular songs are getting a wacky face-lift! Come contribute silly new song lyrics for classic videos like FNAF THE MUSICAL! The twist? Someone's gotta sing the new revisions once we're done...

**Reapers Rebellion: Demo Panel**

Interested in legally barely above mediocre humor, dialogue battles tackling the real problems of laifu or waifu, or maneuvering through a tower to save your coworkers that seldom seem to remember? Then come one, come all to the game launch of the Reapers Rebellion Visual Novel! We will be doing a live read through of the demo of the game, as well has having some fun promo item giveaways!

**R.F.A. Party!**

Join the RFA as we answer questions, play games (such as Kahoot and dance battles), give out awards, and have the audience take pictures with their favorite members! We hope to see you there!

**R.F.A. After Party [18+]**

Ever wanted to speak to the characters of Mystic Messenger without restriction? Maybe ask them their deepest secrets? Well now you can at the adult panel with yours truly! Join us for fun, questions, dares and stories!

**Rick and Morty: Truth or Dare [18+]**

Join us in the H lounge as we play the infamous Rick and Morty Truth or Dare game! This game is next level fun, a slight bit of explicit, and a whole lot of Wuba Luba Dub Dub. It's a late night game for the Mature con-goer.

**Role Reversal Game [18+]**

Ever wonder what an adult version of musical chairs would look like? How about we show you!

**Ronin-Expo presents "Comedy Hour" [18+]**

Otaku & Nerd comedy show. A show devoted for all fan-dom communities alike. Hosted by the Chairman & Founder of Ronin-Expo.

**Sabakon Live Action Battle!!/ Find My Partner Games**

Sabakon Live Action Battle! Enter in as a player and receive a character card representing a Sabakon Character. Players are put in teams of 3 and are used as RPG characters in a live action battle against other teams. Strategy and might determine the team winners, with some prizes and fun to go along! ////

Find My Partner! Come join us for this fun game to see if you can find your partner! All players will be given a character, whose name will be placed on their back. By asking other players yes or no questions, players must try to figure out who they are. Players who figure out what characters they are must then try to find that character’s partner. The first couple to find each other wins. This year we will cover Anime, Comics, Disney, and Video Games, so brush up on your fandom knowledge!

**Sentinel High School!**

A talented group of High School students stands ready to take over the world! Or... at least this panel.

**Sewing for Lolita 101**

Learn how to choose patterns, how to spot proper silhouettes, what kind of material is best for what type of garment and more.

**Shiki Performance**

**Shin Imouto Taisen Siscalypse**

With the recent popularity of shows like Oreimo and Eromanga Sensei, the imouto genre of anime has seen a large growth in its fan base. This panel, named after a sister battling game within the Oreimo series will feature discussions on why the genre is getting more popular, past, present, and future animes in the genre, and of course, little sister waifus.

**So You Want To Be A Panelist?**

Ever thought about submitting panels to a con but couldn't find the right topic? Got any question about how to further engage your audience? From Anime and Manga, to Gaming, to Cosplay help, we've covered it all and we're here to help!

**Sports Festival Game: Team Ninja Strike**

This year for the UA Sports festival, Team Stronghold! Inspired from the classic hand slapping, rotation game we all know and love, Ninja. Players will form teams of 2, choose role of attacker or Stronghold, and enter the team battle royal circle. Players are numbered for turn order, each attacker on their turn makes a move to try and tag the hand of another player. A player can only move during their turn, or to avoid a hand tag. Attackers can freeze each other for one turn, or tag one hand of the stronghold to win. The last team standing wins, so stay on your GAME!

**Story Time III: The Story and the Time 18+**

Got a crazy fandom-related story guaranteed to leave an audience sobbing with laughter?  Think it can stop the insanity of the stories our panelists are sharing? There’s only one way to find out; come visit the third-annual story time panel!

**Super Mario Maker Challenge: Mario Party Wars Edition**

Join the Mario Party King, Bad Luck Yelthin, & friends for some good times playing Super Mario Maker. Think you can take on our officer challenge? Complete our levels as fast as possible for a chance to win some cool prizes.

**Survey Corps Dance Performance**

**Tekken 7 Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**The Ghibli Alternative**

You love Ghibli, you've watched their movies dozens of times. What's next? The year is 2017 and there are so many outstanding Japanese animated films. This is a comprehensive panel introducing a few of Japan's leading animated films plus directors.

**The Great Armor Debate with WindoftheStars**

Want to finally tackle making armor but don’t know what materials to use or how to go about it?  Come join us to learn about different armor making techniques, materials and see live demos on how to work with foams and thermoplastics.

**The Life of an Artist: How to Create a Life Based on your Passions and Succeed Doing What You Love with Karen Strassman**

I feel so incredibly lucky to spend my life doing what I love.  I am lucky, but living the life that I do also takes a lot of focus, care and intention.  Life is short and precious.  What a wonderful thing to be able to spend your life doing the things that you love...  How do you make your dream a reality?  What qualities are needed to live life in such a way that you are not just "dreaming," but actually taking the concrete steps to do what you yearn to do.  How do you balance your present reality with your dreams?  How do you ground your dreams in reality and live a life that is truly fulfilling, brings you joy, and brings joy and inspiration to others?  A provocative, magical (and even potentially life-changing) heart to heart conversation...

**The Musical World of Random Encounters**

Ever wonder what Hello Neighbor, Undertale, or Pokemon would be like as Disney musicals? Now's your chance to find out! Whether they star Freddy Fazbear or Yandere-chan, video games make great musicals -- and Random Encounters has brought their popular YouTube series to Sabakon to prove it!

**The Other Side of the Mic: Writing and Directing Anime with Patrick Seitz**

Ever wondered how your favorite dubs are actually made? Go behind the scenes with veteran ADR Director and Scriptwriter Patrick Seitz as he peels back the curtain and discusses the process of adapting and directing anime and video games for the English-speaking world.

**Twerking with Vamplette [18+]**

Ever wanted to be in a music video? Well now is your chance to Twerk it out in style.

**Under Night In-Birth Exe Late[st] Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Voice Acting for Beginners**

Voice actors usually give handy tricks on how they've made their success, but there's a lot more to it. The actors of podcasts and other series at Black Moor Productions would like to give advice to con-goers on how to start working on a voice acting reel and other tips.

**Voice Actor Q&A**

Come join Karen Strassman and Patrick Seitz as they answer your questions about what it takes to be a professional voice actor.

**Voice Directing for Abridged Series with The Schmuck Squad**

Have you ever wanted to voice act, but specifically in a parody of an anime? Come on down and get live direction from Grimmjack69 and Coffinjockey, who will show you the ropes in Abridged voice acting!

**Voltron PJ Party**

Join the Paladins of Voltron in your favorite PJ's for competitive games and the chance to win awesome prizes! Enter the raffle for your chance to win your very own Voltron! (Unless you're Zarkon...)

**Vol-Tron?**

Legendary Defenders! After a long day of training and fighting off the Galra,Princess Allura decides to reward the reluctant Paladin with a surprise trip back to Earth! But..'QUIZNACK'.."WHERE ARE WE?!" Things can get a bit intense in a room full of Paladin! They need your help to Space things out! Who knows, maybe you'll go home with a hot Space Dad after a few fun exciting games and trivia...or maybe some yummy treats and prizes.

**Waifu Wars (18+)**

Defend your waifu's (or husbando's) honor in a one-on-one face off. Debate the superiority of your waifu with other audience members to determine whose waifu reigns supreme.

**Weeaboo Jeopardy**

Come one, come all, to an invigorating game of Weeaboo Jeopardy! All weebs are welcome to participate in this great game - and some will even walk away with some interesting prizes! Join us for a fun time!

**Weisse Schwartz Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament

**Werewolf with Sabakon Staff**

The Village of “Sabakon” was oh so quiet until something sinister came to play. Will you survive? Well I’m sure we will find out soon won’t we?

**Why Your Anime Sucks [18+]**

Come watch us rip your favorite shows apart!  We take any suggestions from the audience and tell you why you're wrong.

**World Cosplay Summit**

Come learn the ins and outs of competing in one of the most prestigious international cosplay competitions in the world from a member of Team USA 2017!

**Wrap it Game [18+]**

Are you the quickest when it comes to wrapping it up with a condom? As they say fastest person wins!

**Your Anime is (NOT) Flawless**

We can all take comfort it the fact that our favorite anime like: Cowboy Bebop, No Game No Life, and SAO are flawless. Right? Wrong! Join the M.S.D.F as we explain why Your Anime is (NOT) Flawless!

**Your Waifu Sucks**

Think your waifu can stand in a gauntlet of trash? Do you have what it takes to hear your beloved 2D companion being ripped to shreds? Perhaps it's time we had the talk. The garbage waifu talk!

**Youtuber Q&A**

Join our Youtube guests ProZD, Random Encounters, and The Schmuck Squad and find out what it takes to create content for Youtube.

**Yugioh Tournament**

Sign ups half hour before tournament