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Recent Events



Picture from the June get-together / meeting - Left to right: Randall, Paula, Mahala, Natalie, (potential new member) and Sharan. Ye editor had car issues.



Briefs

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Heard about something interesting – the Jamestown Settlement Biannual 17th Century Clothing Conference. A friend of mine who lives in Virginia attended and was blown away. It's a Facebook group. The next conference is in 2024. Time to look into it if interested.

Estrella War will be returning – details when available.

Minutes

We have scheduled the next get-together for noon on July 16. We will grab a sandwich at Coyote Oaties on the Glendale town square at 7005 N 58th Avenue, then walk a block north to Papa Ed's Ice Cream at 7146 N 58th Ave. Please double-check with Paula about the time.

Ye editor likes a minute of humor, so it will continue .(courtesy of laughoutloud@thinkandlaughdaily.net)

Waiter: Do you want to hear today's special? Me: Yes please. Waiter: No problem, Sir. Today is special.

Where do rabbits go out to dance? A hip-hop club

What's a lawyer's favorite drink? Subpoena colada.

Where do colds go on vacation? Germ-any.

What do you call a dangerous fish who drinks too much? A beer-a-cuda

What's a horse's favorite fruit? Straw-berries.

Calendar

Do you know an event of interest to Arizona costumers? Please contact your editor with the details. **Red text and an asterisk*** designate an SWCG-sponsored event. *Unless otherwise noted, our monthly meetings start at 1PM.*

***July 16 – SWCG get together – Glendale (see above)**

September 1-5 – Worldcon in Chicago <https://www.worldcon.org/> or <https://chicon.org/>

At the Hyatt Regency – Chicago

Chengu, China, won the 2023 bid to be held in August

<http://www.worldconinchina.com/kh/memberShipE.html>

Glasgow is running unopposed for 2024

September 2-5, 2022 CoKoCon 2022
<https://fancons.com/events/info/17770/cokocon-2022>

DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Phoenix Tempe

Science Fiction Convention with Fantasy programming

CoKoCon is a traditional science fiction/fantasy convention in the Phoenix, AZ metropolitan area, which will return to the Labor Day weekend for a fifth year in 2022. COVID permitting, we're back to a being a physical event.

November 11th – 13th, 2022 TusCon 49

Hello, fellow fans. Welcome to TusCon, Arizona! More specifically, welcome to TusCon 49, our 49th annual Sci-Fi, Fantasy, and Horror convention in Tuscon... ah, we mean rather Tucson, Arizona. Attendees of TusCon are among the most dedicated fans of science fiction, fantasy, and horror and many attendees are professional writers, film producers, artists, and reporters who keep others informed about the goings-on in the industry. TusCon is an annual science fiction convention sponsored by the Baja Arizona Science Fiction Association (BASFA), a Southern Arizona section 501(c)(4) nonprofit organization. The primary focus of TusCon is science fiction, fantasy and horror, but we also pay attention to art, animation, science, media and gaming.

Sheraton Tucson Hotel & Suites
5151 East Grant Road, Tucson, Arizona 85712

NOVEMBER 25TH -27TH, 2022 – LOSCAON 48
<https://loscon.org/48/> MARRIOTT LOS ANGELES AIRPORT HOTEL

Ye editor does not have much data further out

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