

# SCHEDULE

## FRIDAY

TIME	TRACK 1 (Seneca Room)	TRACK 2 (Salon A)	TRACK 3 (Treaty Room)
5:00 PM	Opening Ceremonies	The Worlds of Gerry Anderson	JWST: How a New Telescope Could Change our Understanding of the Universe!
6:00 PM	The State of Science Fiction and Fantasy	So You Want to Be a Writer	Starship Troopers: What's All The Fuss??
7:00 PM	Meet the Pros (con suite)	Meet the Pros (con suite)	Meet the Pros (con suite)
8:00 PM	Meet the Pros (con suite)	Meet the Pros (con suite)	Meet the Pros (con suite)
9:00 PM	Tom Smith / Worm Quartet Concert	Angry Nerds!!	Genre Shows You Should Be Watching But Probably Aren't
10:00 PM	Astronomicon Tonight		
11:00 PM			

# SUNDAY

TIME	TRACK 1 (Seneca Room)	TRACK 2 (Salon A)	TRACK 3 (Treaty Room)
10:00 AM	Does Science Fiction Still Affect How We Think of Science Fiction?	Guilty Pleasures	Bending Time
11:00 AM	From Dr. Frankenstein to Dr. Horrible	Bring Us Your Love	Fan Fiction -- It's Older Than You Think
NOON	Bringing Up The Next Generation of Genre Readers	In the Beginning.....	Strange New Worlds: The Demographics of Exoplanets
1:00 PM	The Ethics of "Hacking" Your Children	Coloring Outside The Lines	A Pictorial History Of Cats In SFFH For 2022: The Year Of The Tiger
2:00 PM	What Line is Mine?	Where Do Villains Come From?	Adult Men Who Love Ponies, Why Are There Bronies?
3:00 PM	So You Want To Be An Internet content creator?	Writing Humor	Fermi's Paradox
4:00 PM	Astronomicon in Review		
5:00 PM	Closing Ceremonies		

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## SATURDAY

TIME	TRACK 1 (Seneca Room)	TRACK 2 (Salon A)	TRACK 3(Treaty Room)
10:00 AM	Convention Preparedness	Science Fiction and Fantasy In The Classroom	Morning Buzz
11:00 AM	ElfQuest - A Half-Century (Almost) of Innovation	The Perils of Art	Jobs in Science Fiction
NOON	The Next 10 Years in Space	Utopia, Dystopia and the Default?	Science Fiction in China
1:00 PM	Welcome to the Silver Age	Women in Comics	The Twiddle Twaddle Appreciation Panel
2:00 PM	The Past Ain't What it Used To Be	When a Fandom Refuses to Die	OUR VAMPIRES, OURSELVES: Vampire Tales & the Times They Reflect
3:00 PM	Earth, We're Stuck Here	Star Trek: The Revival	Poetry Round-Robin Reading
4:00 PM	ViaBella Concert	Computers in Science Fiction	Naval Metaphors in Science Fiction
5:00 PM	Tom Smith Concert	Two Hearts and Blue Box	Ecology of the Batmobile
6:00 PM	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER
7:00 PM	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER
8:00 PM	Masquerade	Giant Monstrosities	
9:00 PM	Cosplay Ball	Art Auction	
10:00 PM	Cosplay Ball	The Panel of the Ricks	
11:00 PM	Cosplay Ball	Galactic Champions	

### Friday Readings

Time	Author
5:00 PM	Ira Nayman
6:00 PM	Nick DiChario

### Saturday Readings

Time	Author
10:00 AM	Shirley Meier
11:00 AM	Adrienne Kress
Noon	Marie Vibbert
1:00 PM	Allen Steele
2:00 PM	Robert J. Sawyer
3:00 PM	Dr. Shaun Duke

### Sunday Readings

Time	Author
10:00 AM	Mary A. Truzillo
11:00 AM	Christie Meierz
3:00 PM	Dr. David DeGraff

### Saturday Workshops

1:00 PM	Encaustics!
2:00 PM	Tiara Workshop
3:00 PM	Watercolor Sunset
5:00 PM	Crafting With Wine

### Sunday Workshops

11:00 AM	Alcohol Ink
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# Hotel Maps

Art Show.....Salon C & D

Con Suite.....Concierge Lounge 5th Floor

Dealer's Room.....Cayuga & Mohawk & Oneida

Fan Club Tables.....Dealer's Room

Gaming Rooms.....Pre-Assembly Court

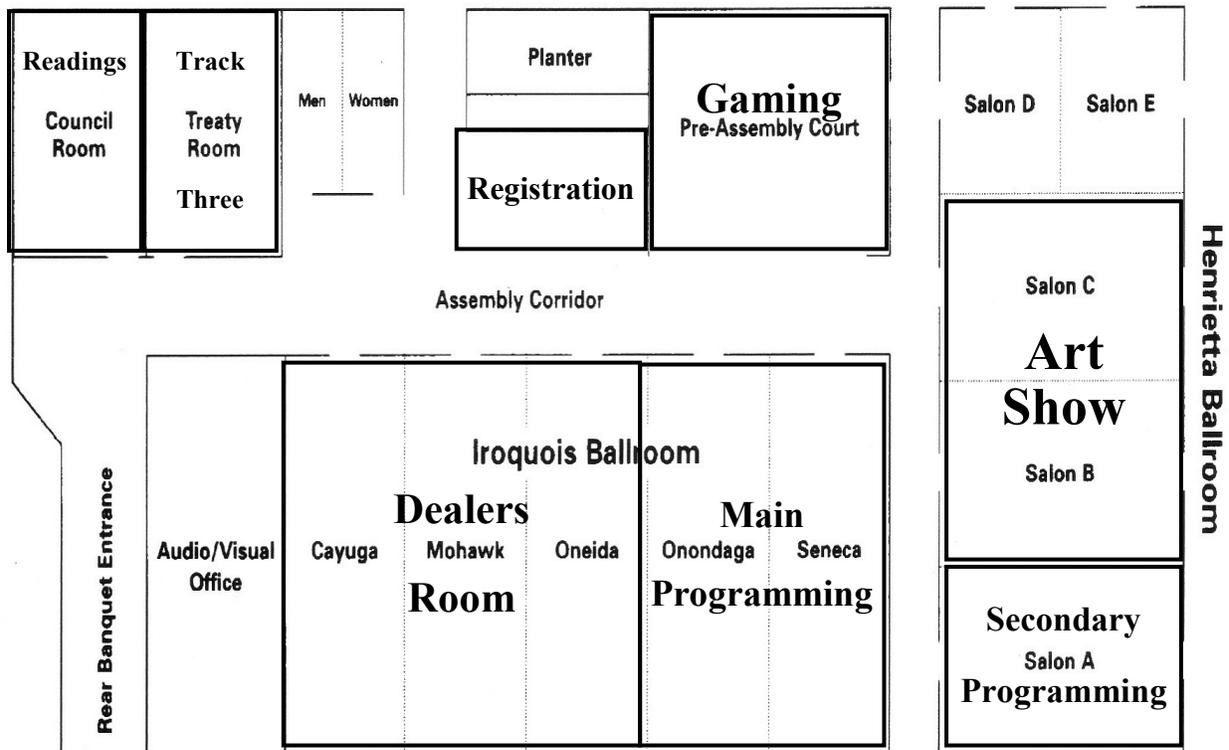
Main Programming.....Onondaga & Seneca Room

Reading Room.....Council Room

Registration.....Pre-Assembly Court

Secondary Programming.....Salon A

Track Three.....Treaty Room



## **Friday:**

### **Opening Ceremonies:**

**Wayne Brown (Mod)**, Bill Horst-Kotter

### **The Worlds of Gerry Anderson:**

The creative mind behind many British pop culture hits with his Supermarionation and Live Action programs like Thunderbirds, Fireball XL5 Captain Scarlet, UFO and Space 1999.

**Andre Lieven(Mod)**, D Cameron Calkins, Chris M. Barkley, Jim MacDougal

### **JWST: How a new telescope could change our understanding of the universe:**

The James Webb Space Telescope can see galaxies as they were first forming, and characterize the atmosphere of planets, and see stars forming inside their dust shrouds in unprecedented detail. Let's look at the pictures and marvel at them together. (only if NASA person won't be there)

**Dr. David DeGraff (Mod)**

### **Reading - Ira Nayman**

### **The state of Science Fiction and Fantasy:**

What shape is the science fiction and fantasy industry in?

**John (J.F.) Holmes(Mod)**, Allen Steele, Shirley Meier, Sara Felix

### **So you want to be a writer:**

You have an idea for a book, but you have no idea how to get started. This panel of authors will show you how to start and what pitfalls to avoid.

**Adrienne Kress (Mod)**, Chuck Rothman, Rick Taubold, Edward Ashton

### **Starship Troopers: What's All the Fuss:**

"Starship Troopers" is one of Robert Heinlein's most popular -- and controversial -- books. This talk examines some of the controversies surrounding both the book and the movie.

**Christopher Weuve (Mod)**

### **Reading : Nick DiChario**

### **Meet the Pros (Con Suite)**

In the con suite come to a meet and greet with our pros.

### **Tom Smith/Worm Quartet Concert**

Two funny musicians of nerdy content. Opening is Worm Quartet, Shoebox's one man comedy synth-punk that can be described as putting Frank Zappa, The Ramones, and a Casio Keyboard into a blender. (Warning: Explicit Lyrics) Long delayed, but worth the wait -- it's The World's Fastest Filker Tom Smith, doing what he does best: making you laugh! and cry! and dream! and groan! and maybe even buy a CD or two. You'll believe a man with a classical guitar can rock the house. If you have seen Tom in concert, you know what he's about. If you haven't, come on down, and live the myth of Smith!

**Angry Nerds:** Is fandom getting toxic? Has it gotten so popular that bad actors have infiltrated the scene or has that element been there and is amplified with its popularity in recent years?

**Jeremy Scott Craig (Mod)**, Chris M. Barkley, Jim MacDougal, Andre Lieven

**Genre Shows you Should Be Watching, But Probably Aren't:** Finding it hard keeping up with the glut of genre shows and you need us to tell you which ones you should be watching? We will enthusiastically tell you which shows are worthy to binge watch. Then we will ask for suggestions from the audience to tell us (and prove) their favorites are binge-worthy!

**Shaun Duke(Mod)**, Jen Zink, Elektra Hammond, David Clink

### **Astronomicon Tonight:**

This is Astronomicon's own late-night talk show. Be part of the studio audience, and join Rob Sawyer as he interviews some of our honored Guests!! It's more fun than you can shake a sonic screwdriver at.

**Hosted by Rob Sawyer**

### **Saturday:**

#### **Convention Preparedness:**

First time at a con? Seasoned con-goer? Just planning on going? Dressing up in costume? Taking pictures? Want to do some gaming? We are going to cover all the tips and tricks you will need to be prepared for an enjoyable convention. What to bring, how to fight con crud, con etiquette and much, much more.

**Bill Horst-Kotter (Mod)**, Sara Felix, Debra Lieven, Mark J. Mendola

**Science Fiction and Fantasy in the Classroom:** Science Fiction and Fantasy is a growing phenomenon in the classroom. What aspects of the curriculum are addressed by science fiction and fantasy more readily than some other non-genre writing? What novels and writers should be part of the school curricula at the various grade levels?

**John (J.F.) Holmes (Mod)**, Shaun Duke, Dr. David DeGraff, Mary A. Turzillo

#### **Morning Buzz:**

Get your Saturday morning rolling with this one-half-hour free write. Nick will give you a few writing prompts to work with in 10-minute spurts. In the second half hour, you can read some of your masterpieces aloud (or not) as you like. Bring your coffee, creativity, sense of play, and the writing tool of your choice to this laid back, no pressure, just for fun activity.

**Nick DiChario (Mod)**

#### **Reading - Shirley Meier**

#### **ElfQuest - A Half-Century (almost) of Innovation:**

2023 marks ElfQuest's 45th year. It's the longest running independent comic book title. It's America's first manga. It's the first indy comic to be licensed by the three biggest comics publishers. It's the first fantasy graphic novel epic co-created, written and drawn by a woman. It has spun off books, music, and most recently, an amazing "Audio Movie" podcast. Join the celebration with ElfQuest's final convention appearance as we close out 2022.

**Richard Pini, Wendy Pini**

**The Perils of Art:** Making art seems like a lovely pastime, but it can be hazardous to your health! Learn about chemical, physical, and environmental health hazards, proper ergonomics, and more.

**Lisa Hertel (Mod)**, D Cameron Calkins, Shirley Meier, Sara Felix

#### **Jobs in Science Fiction:**

Does science fiction favor working-class or wealthy characters? To answer this question, I did a statistical survey of the jobs of main characters in notable science fiction works. The results raise more questions about how we define class and approach it in our work. (This study was published by the BSFA Vector magazine this year, and also presented at WisCon for their academic track.)

**Marie Vibbert (Mod)**

## **Reading - Adrienne Kress**

### **The Next 10 Years in Space:**

Elon Musk wants to colonize Mars in the next 10 years, Jeff Bezos wants the moon, NASA is now jobbing out their manned spaceflight services, and China and a lot of other countries are taking over what used to be the United States' domain. So where will this leave us by the end of the decade?

**Mary A. Turzillo (Mod)**, Christopher Weuve, Dr. David DeGraff, Geoffrey A. Landis

### **Utopia, Dystopia and the Default:**

Many stories are either set in the grand interstellar deep space futures, or a "trapped on Earth" dystopia. We will discuss a "middle future" in written science fiction today, and yesterday, and where it falls on the Utopia/Dystopia spectrum.

**Jonathan Davis (Mod)**, Allen Steele, Christie Meierz, John (J.F.) Holmes

### **Science Fiction in China:**

In this PowerPoint presentation Ruhan will introduce a brief history and current status of Science Fiction in China.

**Ruhan Zhao (Mod)**

## **Reading - Marie Vibbert**

### **Welcome to the Silver Age:**

This is when the superhero genre re-surged after its decline in the late 40s. From 1956 to circa 1975 comics had new heroes and revamped golden age heroes. More superheroes had their own books, superhero team-ups, and a shared universe became the norm. Art styles changed to that of pop art of the time and more sophisticated stories having heroes with character flaws and self-doubt.

**Chuck Rothman (Mod)**, Chris M. Barkley, Jim MacDougal, Andre Lieven

### **Women in Comics:**

How has the advancement of more women into the field of comics changed and evolved the field. Are the characters stronger than they should be, or just different?

**Debra Lieven (Mod)**, Jeff Brennan, Shirley Meier, Rand Bellavia

### **The Twiddle Twaddle Appreciation Panel:**

What was the greatest science fiction show of all time? Was it Star Trek: TOS; or The Prisoner; or Quark; or, The Starlost? None of those! It was a show called Twiddle Twaddle. Or, was the show called Devon's Lair? People have differing recollections. Depending on who you ask, the show was set on a spaceship. Or was it a space station? Or, a mining colony? Some think it was a radio series in the 40s, or a British competitor of Doctor Who in the 60s (chock full of cheesy effects and aliens with English accents), or a mix of high fantasy and space opera in the 70s, or a sitcom in the 80s. Everyone remembers the heroic captain, the dashing first officer, the robot with its secret orders, and little Jimmy. The catch phrases, the great and not-so-great moments, the first interspecies kiss on TV. Can a television series be both wildly popular and extremely niche? This is the dilemma posed by Twiddle Twaddle, which is now largely forgotten (even by people who love it). In this panel, we will look at the creation of Twiddle Twaddle, as well as its ultimate fate, and share some of our favorite moments from the show. Could it be an example of the Mandela effect? Could it have starred Howie Mandela? Come to the panel and find out! Audience members will be invited to share their memories, as well.

**David Clink, Ira Nayman**

## **Reading - Allen Steele**

### **Encaustics!(Art Show)**

Encaustics is the ancient art of painting with hot wax. Learn about encaustics and make a monoprint. Drop ins welcome.

**Lisa Hertel (Mod)**

### **The Past Ain't What it Used To Be:**

Audience members come ready with "What if..." ideas to suggest. The panelists imagine what the world would have been like from that point forward and invent an alternative history.

**John (J.F.) Holmes (Mod)**, John Caligiuri, Edward Ashton, Jonathan Davis

### **When a Fandom Refuses to Die:**

On June 3rd, 1969 the last episode of Star Trek the original series aired. But the fans of the show stuck with it. Star Wars had its last hurrah in 1983 and fans stuck with it. Doctor Who was sabotaged by the BBC so they could cancel it in 1989, but the fans kept it alive. Firefly didn't have a complete season but the fans kept it alive. We will talk about what stays with the fans even when the powers that be stop supporting it, and how it can get a new life in other mediums (comics and paperbacks) or make a comeback.

**Shaun Duke (Mod)**, Mary A. Turzillo, Elektra Hammond, John Davidson

### **OUR VAMPIRES, OURSELVES: Vampire Tales & the Times They Reflect:**

Whether in mythology, folklore, poetry, or prose, tales of vampires can be found in oldest recorded civilizations around the world. Yet, despite their differences across time and geography, they all have one thing in common: vampires themselves are always changing, reinterpreted by each generation, even down to folkloric traits such as casting reflections in mirrors ... or not. Our presenter, Ted Wenskus, examined the evolution of vampire fiction for his master's thesis, and will take us through a guided tour of vampires in English literature. How have they developed over the centuries? How have they stayed the same? And how do they reflect the times in which their tales were told?

**Ted Wenskus**

## **Reading - Robert J. Sawyer**

### **Tiara Workshop (Art Show):**

Join our artist guest of honor Sara Felix in making a simple tiara you can take home with you. All materials will be provided for a small fee of \$15.

**Sara Felix (Mod)**

**Earth, We're Stuck Here:** What are the stumbling blocks to our colonizing the solar system? If we're stuck here how do we make the best of it?

**Christopher Weuve (Mod)**, Dr. David Stephenson, Dr. David DeGraff, Geoffrey A. Landis

### **Star Trek: The Revival:**

With Discovery, Picard Strange New Worlds and Lower Decks on Paramount+ has this caused Star Trek to return to form or is it too little, too late?

**Chris M. Barkley(Mod)**, Jim MacDougall, Fingers Delaurus, Andre Lieven

### **Poetry Open Mic Round-Robin:**

Bring your poetry to read or just come to listen. Reading will be one poem per person until all have read and then we start over again each reading a second poem, etc. Please only read Science Fiction, Fantasy, or Horror poetry.

**Carolyn Clink (Mod)**

### **Reading - Shaun Duke**

### **Make a watercolor sunset (Art Show):**

Make a lovely sunset painting using simple watercolor techniques. \*Warning: latex in use.\*

**Lisa Hertel (Mod)**

### **Via Bella Concert:**

Via Bella is a songwriting and performing duo made up of Rand and Erin Bellavia. Their Princess Bride-inspired song "Cliffs of Insanity" was nominated for Pegasus Awards in 2016, 2018, and 2020, Rand plays guitar. They both sing. Erin's been known to wear a costume or two.

**Rand Bellavia, Erin Bellavia**

### **Computers in Science Fiction:**

Are computers the thing of the future, or is Science Fiction trying to keep up with them?

**Mary A. Turzillo (Mod)**, Bill Horst-Kotter, Alan Katerinsky, Jim MacDougal

### **Naval Metaphors in Science Fiction:**

Space is not the ocean, but with the exception of Stargate SG-1, science fiction space forces seem to be based on navies. This talk compares several models of real-world naval warfare with science fiction and examines where the metaphors work, and where they don't.

**Christopher Weuve (Mod)**

### **Tom Smith Concert:**

One concert wasn't enough, so here's another one, with a completely different set list! Probably a few more serious songs than the first one, but guaranteed to end on a high note. Warning: there may be a few political songs.

### **Two Hearts and Blue Box:**

Doctor Who, the British Sci-Fi series that took the world by storm. With strange characters, cheesy special effects, and strong writing. Why has this series had a lasting legacy?

**Chuck Rothman (Mod)**, Ira Nayman, Mark J. Mendola, Ted Wenskus

### **Ecology of the Batmobile:**

From the '66 to the Tumbler, The Batmobile has appeared in many forms. This is to debate what "The Real Batmobile" would be like. We aim to find out what Batman's ultimate mode of transportation should be and quite likely collectively redesign it. (a lot) Warning: High Geek content! Approach at your own risk!

**Fingers Delaurus (Mod)**, Debra Lieven, Andre Lieven, Wayne Brown

### **Crafting with Wine (Art Show):**

Join our artist guest of honor in some relaxed crafting and a drink or two. She will bring some small take away projects for you to choose from or try out or bring your own project to work on.

**Sara Felix (Mod)**

### **Masquerade:**

The masquerade where people put the most effort in their costumes and for a moment slip into another character. So let's see them strut their stuff.

**Sal Monaco (MC)**, Elektra Hammond, Shirley Meier, Wendy Pini, Mark J. Mendola

### **Giant Monstrosities:**

From the giant ape of King Kong to Japan's crazy kaiju of Godzilla, Rodan, and Mothra. We will talk about the genre of giant monsters that are coming to crush a town near you.

**Mary A. Turzillo (Mod)**, Shaun Duke, Jonathan Davis, David Clink

### **The Panel of the Ricks:**

The old, jaded, and alcoholic mad scientist Rick Sanchez with his portal gun and crazy inventions make him the multiverse's pain in the butt. His sidekick grandson Morty Smith tries to keep Rick in check but only to have him suffer for his efforts. An exploration of the humor and story lines of the black comedy Rick and Morty. So make sure your safety bar is in the locked position, keep your hands inside the car at all times, and enjoy the ride.

**Jonathan Davis (Mod)**, Chuck Rothman, Shaun Duke, Jim MacDougal

### **Galactic Champions:**

OK we're going to talk about sports. Not the usual stuff the mundane people watch but with a sci-fi spin. This is about athletic competition in the future. From Rollerball to Zero-G Football. From the savage to the sublime.

**Bill Horst-Kotter (Mod)**, Marie Vibbert, David DeGraff, Mary A. Turzillo

## **Sunday**

### **Does Science Fiction Still Affect How We Think About the Future:**

Does Science Fiction continue to inspire young scientists and technologists today? Who is writing SF that will shape the future?

**Marie Vibbert (Mod)**, Neil Clarke, Alan Katerinsky, Jim MacDougal

### **Guilty Pleasures:**

They're terrible movies but so much fun to watch: Creation of the Humanoids, Robot Monster, Message from Space... What are your favorite guilty pleasures?

**Shaun Duke (Mod)**, Elektra Hammond, Fingers Delaurus, Chuck Rothman

### **Bending Time:**

From H.G. Wells on, the idea of time travel and parallel worlds have been a fascination of science fiction. This slide will look at both concepts, matching the fictional vision of science fiction with the science viewpoint of Einstein and his heirs.

**Geoffrey A. Landis (Mod)**

**Reading** - Mary A. Turzillo

### **From Dr. Frankenstein to Dr. Horrible:**

The mad scientist has been a major trope in popular fiction. Bent on world domination or going into areas man wasn't meant to know. What makes a good mad scientist and will help shape future mad scientists.

**Jonathan Davis (Mod)**, Dr. David DeGraff, Herb Kauderer, Geoffrey A. Landis

### **Bring us your love:**

Tired of all the hate online for Star Wars, Star Trek, Game of thrones? This is a convention where we get together to spread our love for the genre. Bring us the shows, movies, and books you like. Explain why you think they are GREAT!! No haters need apply!!

**Chris M. Barkley (Mod)**, Shirley Meier, Andre Lieven, David Clink

### **Fanfiction, It's Older Than You Think:**

An overview of fanfiction, its history and its present. We may live in this hobby's golden age, but it's older than you think.

**Jim MacDougal (Mod)**

### **Readings - Christie Meierz**

### **Alcohol Ink Playtime (Art Show):**

Our artist guest, Sara Felix, specializes in alcohol ink art. What are alcohol inks? Come and try them out for yourself! A \$1 donation per person requested to cover material costs.

**Lisa Hertel (Mod)**

**Bringing up the next generation of genre readers:** - A panel of good books and authors to introduce children to the pleasures of reading Science Fiction, Fantasy, and Horror from the earliest ages on up.

**Jeremy Scott Craig (Mod)**, Chris M. Barkley, John (J.F.) Holmes, Lisa Hertel

### **In the Beginning.....**

From that first story about the family cat to your first high fantasy novel that never got published, writers share the best and worst stories about their road to publication.

**Jonathan Davis (Mod)**, Marie Vibbert, Edward Ashton, Christie Meierz

### **Strange New Worlds: The demographics of exoplanets**

We've discovered over 5000 planets orbiting other stars. What are these planets like? How can you use them in your fiction?

**Dr. David DeGraff (Mod)**

### **The Ethics of "Hacking" your Children:**

Despite near-universal condemnation of eugenics, the entangled nature of science and capitalism in our society means that someone will inevitably find a company that offers to "enhance" your children...for a fee. How will government regulations, epigenetics, common sense, and morality factor into the possible outcomes?

**Dr. David Stephenson (Mod)**, Christopher Weuve, Shirley Meier, Edward Ashton

### **Coloring Outside the Lines:**

The two giants of the comic book industry are DC and Marvel but at their feet are many small independent comic publishers and creators. With a punk D-I-Y ethos they try blazing a new trail in the comic book world by exploring different genres and challenging conventions.

**Jim MacDougal (Mod)**, Joe Orsak, Richard Pini

### **A pictorial history of cats in SFFH for 2022 the Year of the Tiger:**

2022 is the Chinese Year of the Tiger, and 2023 is the Vietnamese Year of the Cat. Fen loves cats! A few feline images: Tomi Adeyemi's tiger mounts. Nnedi Okorafor and Tana Ford's Graphic SPACE CATS, starring Nnedi's Siamese and Sphynx. Magnus and Loki. Rowl in Jim Butcher's Cinder Spires. Jonesy in ALIEN. And classic cats: Poe, King, Behemoth, Greebo, the Cheshire Cat, Pixel. And, although it's not SF, Jeff de Boer, a real life artist's armor designed for cats. A slide show with audience participation. Fen ADORE cats!

**Mary Turzillo (Mod)**

**Reading** - Dr. David DeGraff

### **What's Line is Mine:**

A tradition in Western New York con circles. We take the author guests at the con and see if they recognize their own writings. Amy Kauderer will quote lines from the panels' books and see if they can recognize who wrote it. You'll be surprised at what they get right and what they get wrong.

**Amy Kauderer (Mod)**, Robert J. Sawyer, Marie Vibbert, Chris M. Barkley, Shirley Meier, Christie Meierz, John (J.F.) Holmes, Adrienne Kress, Edward Ashton

### **Where do Villains Come From?**

People aren't born cruel, or uncaring of those around them. So what, realistically, causes a character to grow up to become that way? How do you present the complexity of human nature in a way that the audience won't write them off as just having been "born bad"? Or put simply: Is your villain's motivation flimsier than a 1-ply sheet toilet paper?

**Ira Nayman (Mod)**, Mark J. Mendola, Mary A. Turzillo, David Clink

### **Adult Men Who Love Little Ponies - Why Are There Bronies?**

The adult My Little Pony fandom has been carefully studied, but despite all the demographic data gathered one question remains. Why are there bronies? An unabashed brony examines the fandom, and perhaps we'll come up with an answer. Spoiler - it has nothing to do with trolls on 4Chan.

**Jim MacDougal (Mod)**

### **So you want to be an internet content creator:**

You have an idea for a podcast or web series but don't know where to start? Our panel of content creators will show you what you need to get started and what to avoid.

**Christopher Weuve (Mod)**, Ira Nayman, Neil Clarke, Fingers Delaurus

### **Writing Humor:**

A panel discussing the art of writing humor, whether as a genre or adding humorous moments to a serious work, and the value and importance that humor adds to any genre.

**Jonathan Davis (Mod)**, Elektra Hammond, Shirley Meier, David Clink

### **Fermi's Paradox:**

"Fermi's Paradox" (where is everybody? (non human civilizations)) first appeared in print in a paper by me in 1976. I present my current view of this

**Dr. David Stephenson (Mod)**

**Reading:** Dr. David DeGraff