

Cons & Confusion

The almost accurate convention listing of the B.T.C.! We try to list every WHO event, and any SF event near Buffalo.

updated: Jan 21, 2020 to add an SF/DW/Trek/Anime/etc. event; send information to:

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2020	DATE	local	EVENT NAME	WHERE	TYPE	WEBSITE LINK
JAN	24-27	TN	CHATTACON 2020	Doubletree Htl, Chattanooga, TN Robert McCammon, Melissa Gay, Faith Hunter, Big Daddy Voodoo, Valerie D Hampton	traditional SF con	https://chattacon.org/
JAN	24-26	OR	WIZARD WORLD-PORTLAND	Oregon Conv Ctr, Portland, OR	media & comics	https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/portland
JAN	25	Roch	COSPLAY SNOW FESTIVAL 2020	Roch Inst of Tech., Rochester, NY	cosplay/anime etc	.facebook.com/events/516678435793184/
JAN	25-26	PA	STESUCON 2020	Blair Cty Conv Ctr, Altoona, PA (Penn State) Faye Mata, Billy Kametz, Charles Dunbar, Awesomus Prime, Antipode	anime/manga/cosplay	https://setsucon.com/
JAN	25-26	NYC	POW CON 2020	Brooklyn Expo Ctr, Brooklyn, NYC, NY Chrisopher Khayman Lee, Justin Nimmo, Roger Velasco,	Power Rangers & anime	
JAN	25	KY	VETTE CITY CON 2020	Natl Corvette Museum, Bowling Green, KY Butch Patrick, Duane Whitaker, Avery Jones, Kerry Trent Haggard, Theshay West, Moses Moseley, Eddie Price, Ken Sagoes,	SF/horror/gaming/etc	https://vettacitycon.com/
JAN	26	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
JAN	26	T.O.	ONTARIO COLLECTORS CON	Hilton Mississauga, Mississauga, Ontario, CDA	toys & stuff	https://www.ontariocollectorscon.com/
FEB	1-2	VT	WINTER RENAISSANCE FAIRE	Champlain Valley Expo, Essex, VT	INDOOR reni-event	https://www.vtgatherings.com/winter-faire/
FEB	7-9	Detr	ASTRONIMICON 3	Wyndham Garden Htl, Sterling Hts, MI C J Graham, Lloyd Kaufman, Robert Carradine, Walter Phelan, Bill Moseley, Nathan Baesel, Simon Rex, James Jude Courtney, Tom Atkins	horror/SF/media	https://www.astronomicon.com/
FEB	7-9	VA	STAR CITY ANIME	Holiday Inn, Roanoke, VA	anime/manga/cosplay	https://starcityanime.com/
FEB	8-9	Erie	E.T. THE FILM WITH LIVE ORCHESTRA	Warner Theatre, Erie, PA <i>E.T. THE EXTRA-TERRESTRIAL</i> shown on a huge screen with full symphony orchestra performing the John Williams score, live & in sync to the film. Erie Philharmonic presents ET at 8 pm Sat 2/8 and at 2:30 pm Sun 2/9 for tickets call 814-240-7246.	film with live music	http://eriephil.org/etfilm
FEB	13-16	Chic	CAPRICON 40	Westin North Shore Htl, Wheeling, IL Tobias Bucknell, Lillian Sams,	big traditional SF con	http://capricon.org/capricon40/
FEB	14-16	D.C.	KATSUCON 2020	Gaylord Htl & Conv ctr, Nat'l Harbor, MD Chaerami Leigh. Mike Mcfarland, Morgan Berry, Lauren Landa, Initial'L,	anime/manga/cosplay	https://www.katsucan.org/
FEB	14-16	L.A.	GALLIFREY ONE	Marriott @ L.A. Airport, Los Angeles, CA PETER DAVIDSON, CHRIS ECCELSTON, Janet Fielding, Sarah Sutton, Mark Strickson, Frazer Hines, Joy Wilkinson, Vinay Patel, Ray Holman, Micheal Collins, Pearl Mackie, Emma Reeves, Una McCormack, Gary Russell, Jody Houser, Scott Gray, Mark Corden, James DeHaviland, Paul Cornell, Tony Lee, Richard Dinnick,	HUGE DW/TW/SJA CON	http://www.gallifreystone.com/
FEB	14-16	Bost	BOSKONE 57	Westin Waterfront Htl, Boston, MASS. Kim Stanley Robinson, Holly Black, Eric Wilkerson, Cheshire Moon, Jon Singer, Jim Burns	big traditional SF con	https://www.boskone.org/
FEB	14-16	ATL	ANACHROCON 2020	Hilton Htl @ Atlanta Airport, GA	steampunk/alt-history	http://www.anachrocon.org/
FEB	15	OH	ZIPCON 2020	U of Akron, Student Union, Akron, OH Megan Shipman, Vocamerica, Charles Dunbar,	anime/manga/cosplay	https://zipcon.weebly.com/
FEB	16	T.O.	TORONTO COMIC BOOK SHOW	Monte Casino Htl, Toronto, Ontario	comics event	http://www.torontocomicbookshow.com/
FEB	21-23	CT	WICKED VAULT WEEKEND	Hilton Htl, Mystic CT Catherine Hicks, Ari Lehman, Tyler Mane, Miko Hughes, cast of 'The Terrifier' & '976-EVIL' & 'Behind The Mask', Father Evil, Linden Porco, Paul T Taylor	horror/supernatural/lit & media	https://thewickedvault.com/
FEB	21-23	Indy	ANIME CROSSROADS	Indianapolis Marriott East, Indianapolis, IN	anime/manga/cosplay	http://animecrossroads.com/
FEB	21-23	MD	FARPOINT 27	Delta Marriott Htl, Hunt Valley, MD Penny Johnson Jerald, Anthony Montgomery, Mary Chieffo	media con	http://www.farpointcon.com/
FEB	23	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
FEB 27 - MARCH 1		Bost	PAX 2020 EAST	Boston Conv Ctr, Boston, MA	gaming event	https://www.facebook.com/events/719029521929224/
FEB	28-29	Buf	HARRY POTTER FILM & CONCERT	Shea's Buffalo, 646 Main St, Buffalo, NY This concert features the film Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets™, on a giant screen, while the Buffalo Philharmonic performs John Williams' unforgettable score.		https://www.sheas.org/performances/
FEB 28 - MARCH 1		Chic	CHICAGO COMIC & ENTERTAINMENT EXPO	McCormick Place, Chicago, IL MATT SMITH (Sat/Sun), William Shatner, George Takei, Walter Koenig, Cat Staggs, Mike Perkins, Rod Reis, Terry Moore, Colleen Clinkenbeard, Josh Grelle, Steven Amell, Karl Urban, Rainbow Rowell, Faith Erin Hicks, Joe Hill, Hafsa Faizal, Karen Schneemann, Kat Leyh, Lily Williams, Lucy Knisley, Tricia Levenseller, Brina Palencia, Robbie Daymond, Ray Chase, Max Mittelman, Jason David Frank, Jim Lee, Jimmy Palmiotti, Amanda Conner, Cat Staggs, Terry Brooks,	media & comics	https://www.c2e2.com/
FEB 28-MARCH 1		VA	GALAXY CON RICHMOND	Richmond Conv Ctr, Richmond, VA William Shatner, Marina Sirtis, LaVar Burton, Wil Wheaton, Micheal Rooker, Sean Gunn, Barry Boswick, Alan Oppenheimer, Frank Welker, Gilbert Gottfried, J Michael Tatum, Jason Mewes, Jeff Anderson, Brian O'Halloran, Karan Ashley, Steve Cardenas, Kellen Goff, Kristen McGuire, Monica Rial, Shannon Elizabeth	media/comics/cosplay	https://galaxycon.com/richmond/
FEB MARCH	28-29 & 1	VA	MYSTICON 2020	Holiday Inn Tanglewood, Roanoke, VA Bill Mulligan, Sean Heare, Jarod Kearney, Rich Sigfrit,	SF/gaming & more	https://mysticon-va.com/
FEB MARCH	28-29 1	MN	MARSCON	Hilton Htl @ Mall of America, Bloomington, MN Darla Eklund, Kathryn Sullivan, Eric M Heideman, Luke Ski, Parke Kunkle	SF/gaming/ Dementia?	http://marscon.org/
FEB 28 - MARCH 1		FLA	PENSACON Pensacola Comic Con	Pensacola Conv Ctr, Pensacola FL PAUL McGANN, KATY MANNING, DEEP ROY, Dame Sian Phillips, Wilford Brimley, Bruce Boxleitner, Cindy Morgan, Victor Gischer, Lori Petty, David Warner, Dee Wallace Stone, Akira Takarada, Micheal Biehn, Edward Furlong, Willie Ames, Donnie Most, Katie Leigh, Dave Thomas, Catherine Sutherland, Billy Zane	media/comics	https://pensacon.com/

FEB	29	Buf	BUFFALO COMIC FAN CON	Marriott Htl, Millersport Hwy, Amherst, NY	comics & toys	
MARCH	1			https://www.facebook.com/pg/Buffalo-Powercon-Comicbook-and-Pop-Culture-Convention-150391065121725/posts/?ref=page_internal		
FEB 29 - MARCH 1		ONT	KITCHENER COMIC CON	City Hall, Kitchener Ontario, Canada	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.kitchenercomic-con.com/
MARCH	1	ONT	BOWMANVILLE COMICON	Rickard Recreation Complex, Bowmanville, Ontario, Cda	media/comics	http://
MARCH	1-8	FLA	STAR TREK: THE CRUISE IV	Miami, Punta Cana, San Juan, St Thomas, Grand Bahama, Miami		https://www.startrekthecruise.com/
				William Shatner, Kate Mulgrew, Jeri Ryan, Robert Picardo, Ethan Phillips, Marina Sirtis, gates McFadden, Brent Spiner, Jonathan Frakes, Garrett Wang, Tim Russ, Denise Crosby, Nana Vistor, John De Lancie, Chase Masterson, Ethan peck, Anson Mount, Lolita Fatjo, Casey Bigga, Max Grodenchik, Jeffery Combs,		
MARCH	3	PA	MYSTERY SCIENCE THEATRE-LIVE!	Reading, PA	Live version of MST3K	https://mst3klive.com/
MARCH	5-8	L.V.	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Las Vegas, NV	Rio Htl, Las Vegas, NV	TV series tribute https://www.creatiorent.com
				Jensen Ackles, Jared Padalecki, Misha Collins, Alex Calvert, Mark Pellegrino, Ruth Connell, Adam Fergus, David Gaydn-Jones, Matt Cohen, Richard Speight Jr, Rob Benedict, Julian Richings, Loudon Swain,	DATE CHANGED FROM FEB 20-23	
MARCH	6-8	Pitt	HORROR REALM	Crown Plaza Htl, Pittsburgh, PA	horror films & books	http://www.horrorrealmcon.com/
				Tony Moran, Caroline Williams, Tiffany Shepis, Patricia Tallman, Judie Aronson, Kelli Maroney, David Howard Thornton, Amy Lynn Best, Mike Watt		
MARCH	6-8	Clev	WIZZARD WORLD COMIC CON	Huntington Conv Ctr, Cleveland OH	media & comics	https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/cleveland
MARCH	7-8	NJ	PUCHI CON 2020	Embassy Suites, Secaucus, NJ	anime/manga/cosplay	https://www.puchicon.com/
MARCH	12-15	WA	EMERALD CITY COMIC CON	Washington Conv Ctr, Seattle, WA	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.emeraldcitycomiccon.com/
				MATT SMITH, Levar Burton, Karl Urban, Bryan Dechart, Amelia Rose Blaire,		
MARCH	13-16	Mont	COSTUME CON 38	Hotel Bonaventure, Montreal, QC	HUGE costume event	http://costumecon38.org/en/home/
MARCH	13-15	PaNJ	MONSTER MANIA CON 45	Crown Plaza Htl, Cherry Hill, NJ (Phil)	all horror film related	http://monstermania.net/
				Sam Raimi, David Harbour, Sting (wrestler), Danny Trejo, Jackie Earle Haley, Catherine Hicks, Fiona & Brad Dourif, Amy Steel, Kyliegh Curran, Blair Smith Chris Sarandon, Alex Vincent, Alec Utgoff, Richard Brake, Sean S Cunningham, Steve Miner, Kane Hodder, C J Graham, Scott Jackson, Ken Haeser, Buz Hasson,		
MARCH	14	Buf	FUBUKI CON	Wick Ctr, Damian College, 4380 Main St, Amherst, NY	anime/manga/cosplay	https://dcanimeclub.wixsite.com/fubukicon
MARCH	18-21	FL	INTL CONF on FANTASTIC in ARTS	Marriott @ airport, Orlando, FL	Arts, Sci-Fi, & Fantasy	https://www.fantastic-arts.org/
				Jeff Van der Meer, Stacy Alaimo,		
MARCH	20-22	Tor	TORONTO COMICON	Toronto Conv Ctr, Toronto, Ontario	media & comics	https://www.comicontoronto.com/en/home.html
				PETER DAVISON, Adam Baldwin, Breckin Meyer, <i>Again this year, these two events are on the same weekend, and only about six blocks apart!</i>		
MARCH	20-22	T.O.	FURNAL EQUINOX: RETRO REWIND	Westin Harbour Htl, Toronto, Ont	furries!	https://www.furnalequinox.com/
MARCH	20-22	Clev	CLEVELAND CONCOCTION	Bertram Inn & Conf Ctr, Aurora, Ohio	fan run SF con	https://www.clevelandconcoction.org/
				Charles Andrew Payne, Melissa Scott, Marc Gunn "The Celtfather", Knightmage, Andi O'Connor, ST Hoover, J L Gribble, Jennifer Blackstream, Marcus Cook		
MARCH	20-22	K.C.	PLANET COMICON	Bartle Hall, Kansas City, MO	media/comics/anime	http://planetcomicon.com/
				John Cleese, Rachel Skartsten, Phil LaMarr, Kevin Conroy, Ralph Macchio, Charles Martinet, Martin Kove, Booker T, Diamond Dallas Page, William Zabka, Miles Luna, Eric Vale, Collen Clinkenbeard, Luci Christian, Clifford Chapin, David Mantranga, Rick Burchett,		
MARCH	20-22	Cinc	HORROR HOUND CINCI	Cincinnati, OH	all horror weekend	http://www.horrorhoundweekend.com/
				Robert Englund, Charles Fleischer, Adrienne Barbeau, Nadia Hilker, Alexa Nisenson, Mark Dacascos, Lena Leandersson, Keith David, John Schuck		
MARCH	21-22	Roch	TORA-CON 2020	Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY	anime/manga/cosplay	https://toracon.org/
				Charles Dunbar, The Chalk Twins,		
MARCH	21-22	Troy	GENERICON 2020	Rensselaer Polytechnic Insitute, Troy NY	sci-fi/horror/anime etc	https://genericon.org/
MARCH	21-22	MD	FOUR STATE COMIC CON	Hager Hall, Hagerstown, MD	media & comics	https://www.fourstatecon.com/
MARCH	22	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
MARCH	27-29	Ont	OTTAWA GEEK MARKET XII	Nepean Sportplex, Ottawa, Ontario	fan-run huge dealer room	.facebook.com/pg/OttawaGeekMarket/events
MARCH	27-29	NJ	NEW JERSEY HORROR CON	Showboat Casino/Htl, Atlantic City, NJ	horror con & film festival	http://www.newjerseyhorrorcon.com/
				Danielle Harris, Tony Moran, David Howard Thornton, Bob Elmore, Andrew Bryniarski, Jill Whitlow, Robert Brian Wilson, Eric Freeman, Bobby Ray Shafer Robert Mukes, Damien Leone, Catherine Corcoran, Jenna Kanell, Michael Leavy, Steven Della Salla, Jason Leavy, 'Father Evil',		
MARCH 29 - APR 5		NYC	GAMING BY SEA	ocean cruise to Bahamas on Royal Caribbean	all gaming	http://gamingbysea.com/
APRIL	3-5	NYC	HEROES OF THE SHADOW WORLD	Intercontinental Htl, Times Squ. New York, NY	tribute to Shadowhunters	https://jalmics.com/
				Katherine McNamara, Jade Hassoune Luke Baines, Alan Van Sprang, Anna Hopkins, Kimberly S Murray, Nicola Correia Damude, Adam K Wilson, Vanessa Matsui		
APRIL	3-5	Phil	GREAT PHILADELPHIA COMIC CON	Philadelphia Expo Ctr, Oaks, PA	media/comics/etc	https://www.philadelphiacomiccon.com/
				SLYVESTER McCOY, Frank Miller, William Saddler, Keith David, Guy Henry, Chad Michael Collins, Steve Johnson, Phil Lamarr, Miriam Margolyes, George Newbern, Julian Glover, Dameon Clarke, Brennan Mejia, Greg Baldwin, Grindhouse Radio, Dustin Rhodes, Susan Eisenberg, David Yost,		
APRIL	3-5	OH	CINEMA WASTELAND	Holiday Inn Conf Ctr, Strongsville, OH	movie & memorabilia expo	https://cinemawasteland.com/
				Twin Peaks': Ian Buchanan, Harry Goaz, Piper Laurie, Micheal Horse, Russ Tamblyn, also Anya & Alan Ormsby, Bruce Solomon, Seth Klarey,		
APRIL	10-13	Bost	ANIME BOSTON	Hynes Conv Ctr & Sheraton Htl, Boston, MA	anime/manga/cosplay	http://animeboston.com/location/
				Billy Kametz, Ellyn Stern, Greg Ayres, Johnny Yong Bosch, Kara Edwards, Leah Clark, Lisa Ortiz, Tara Platt, Tara Sands, Yuri Lowenthal, Kenji Kodama		
APRIL	10-12	Indy	INDIANA COMIC CONVENTION	Indianapolis Conv Ctr, Indianapolis, IN	comics/media	https://indianacomiconvention.com/
				Billy Dee Williams, Joonas Suotamo, Mick Foley, Amy Jo Johnson, Kel Mitchell, James Saito, Jeremy Ray Taylor, Lucie Pohl, Cristina Vee,		
APRIL	10-12	Nash	MID TENN ANIME CON (MTAC)	Sheraton Music City, Nashville, TN	anime/manga.cosplay	http://mtac.net/
APRIL	17-19	Pitt	STEEL CITY CON 2020	Monroeville Conv Ctr, Monroeville, PA	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.steelcitycon.com/
				CATHARINE TATE, Sonequa Martin-Green, Wil Wheaton, Jon Bernthal, Jon Lovitz, Julian Glover, Freddie Prinze Jr, Matt Lillard, Denis Lawson, Loretta Swit, John Carrol Lynch, David Barclay, Ray Wise, Rikiski, Avi Nash, Alanna Masterson, Steven Ogg, Cailey Fleming, Robert Carradine, Curtis Armstrong,		

Donald Gibb, Jason Faunt, Jesse Ventura,

APRIL	17-19	Nash	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Nashville, TN	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
APRIL	17-18	Ont	BARRIE FANTASTICON Ellen Dubin, Ron Rubin, Loc Nguyen, Ellen Ray, Richad Comely, Stephanie Bardy, Zachry Wheeler	Georgian College, Barrie, Ontario, Cda	scifi/gaming/anime etc	https://barriefantasticon.ca/
APRIL	18-19	Chic	WALKER STALKER FAN FEST Manu Bennett, Pilou Asbaek, Nikolaj Coster-Waldau,	Stephens Conv Ctr & Hyatt Htl, Chicago	media 'Walking Dead'	https://www.fanfestevents.com/chicago/
APRIL	24-26	Buf	UB CON XXXI	SUNY U of Buffalo's Amherst campus, many buildings		https://www.facebook.com/UBCon
APRIL	24-26	Detr	MOTOR CITY NIGHTMARES Sheryl Lee, Ray Wise, Sean Whalen, Paul Taylor, Felissa Rose, John Russo, Nick Stahl, Robert Mukes, Max Martin, Rob Mello, Jason Brooks,	Novi Sheraton Htl, Novi, MI (Detroit)	horror media & lit	https://www.motorcitynightmares.com/
APRIL	24-26	VA	RAVENCON 2020 Terry Brooks, Rhiannon's Lark,	Doubletree/Hilton, Williamsburg, VA	sci-fi, gaming, geek	http://www.ravencon.com/
APRIL	24-26	Mont	GEEK IT! 2020	Cepsum Ctr, Montreal, Quebec, Cda	anime/comics/gaming etc	http://geekitcon.com/
APRIL	25-26	VT	VERMONT SCI-FI & FANTASY EXPO	Champlain Velley Expo, Essex, VT		https://www.vtsfexpo.com/
APRIL	25-26	PA	MAKERS & CREATORS CON	Memorial park, Macungie PA	some steampunk stuff	http://www.maccevent.com/
APRIL	26	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
MAY	1-3	T.O.	AD ASTRA 2020	Don Valley Htl, Toronto, Ontario, Canada	fan run SF con	https://ad-astra.org/
MAY	1-3	L.A.	NICHELLE NICHOLS FAREWELL CON A fan goodbye to Nichelle Nichols, with Walter Koenig, Martina Sirtis, Chris Doohan, Tim Russ, Michael Forest, Herbert Jefferson Jr, Bobby Clark, Barbara Luna, Sean Kenny, Victor Brandt, Tanya Lemani, Michael Dante, Beverly Washburn, Michele Specht, Deborah Lacey, Marc Cushman, etc	Marriott Htl, Burbank, CA	Trek actress tribute	https://uhura.space/
MAY	1-3	D.C.	AWESOME CON 2020 CHRISTOPHER ECCELSTONE, BILLIE PIPER, Ron Perlman, Sean Astin, Zachary Levi, Ke Huy Quan, Andy Fish, Chrissie Zullo, Elizabeth Berkley, Ani-Mia, Mark Paul Gosselaar, Mario Lopez, Ryan Hurst, Steve Cardenas, Ross Marquand, Roy Thomas, Veronica Fish,	Washington Conv Ctr, Washington, DC	media/comics/etc	http://awesome-con.com/
MAY	1-3	Ont	SHOCK STOCK WEEKEND Sadie Katz, Cinzia Monreale, Mike Lackey, Kevin Vanhentenryck, James Lorinz, B A Johnston, Monsters of Schlock	Ramada Inn, London, Ontario, Canada	"Premier Horror & Subculture Event"	https://shock-stock.com/
MAY	1-3	D.C.	MALICE DOMESTIC CON Julia Spencer Fleming, Jeff Cohen, Ellen Hart, Dina Wilner,	Marriott Htl, North Bethesda, MD	mystery writers con	http://malicedomestic.org/
MAY	2	ONT	FORT TOWN STEAMPUNK FESTIVAL	Fort Wellington, Prescott, Ontario	steampunk event	.facebook.com/events/2870735749818759/
MAY	2-3	Chic	CREATION: LUCIFER Tom Ellis, Lesley-Ann Brandt, Aimee Garcia, Rachael Harris	Renaissance Htl & Conf Ctr, Schaumburg, IL	tv series salute	https://www.creationent.com/
MAY	9	WNY	NCCC FILM & ANIMATION FESTIVAL	Buildings B & F, NCCC campus, Sanborn, NY	student competion	www.niagaracc.suny.edu/ncccfilmfestival/
MAY	9-10	Pitt	MOMENTO CON Amanda Tapping, Mark Sheppard, Rachel Miner, Rob Benedict, Richard Speight Jr, Lauren Tom, Matt Cohen, Steven Williams, Jim Beaver, Osric Chau	Lawrence Conv Ctr, Pittsburgh, PA	media	https://momentocon.com/
MAY	15-17	Buf	NICKEL CITY CON Jonathan Frakes, Micheal Rooker, Sting (Steve Borden), Ricou Browning, Paul Mounts, Elias Chatzudis, Sean Gunn, Michael Biehn, Jennifer Blanc-Biehn	Buffalo Conv Ctr, Buffalo	media & comics	http://www.nickelcitycon.com/
MAY	15-17	Detr	MOTOR CITY COMIC CON	Suburban Showplace, Novi (Detroit) MI	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.motorcitycomiccon.com/
MAY	15-17	Chic	ANIME CENTRAL Riho Iida, Caitlin Glass, Rie Tanaka, Erica Mendez, Justin Briner, J Micheal Tatum, Funa, Itsuki Akata, Luci Christian	Stephens Conv Ctr/Hyatt @ Ohare, Rosemont, IL	anime/manga/cosplay	https://www.acen.org/
MAY	22-24	T.O.	ANIME NORTH 2020 Arryn Zech, Elizabeth Maxwell, Kara Eberle, Jason Liebrecht,	Toronto Congress Ctr, Dixon Rd, Toronto, Ont	HUGE anime event	www.animenorth.com
MAY	24	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
MAY	22-24	Phil	THY GEEKDOM CON Alexis Tipton, Brina Palencia, Chris Rager	Philadelphia Expo Ctr, Oaks, PA	gaming/anime/ geek stuff	https://www.thygeekdomcon.com/
MAY	28-31	L.A.	55th ANNUAL NEBULA CONFERENCE	Marriott Warner Ctr, Woodland Hills, CA	awards show	https://nebulas.sfw.org/nebula-conference/
MAY	29-31	L.A.	CREATION - GENERAL HOSPITAL	Burbank, CA	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
MAY	30-31	Roch	FLOWER CITY COMIC CON Jason Faunt,	Total Sports Experience, 880 Elmgrove Rochester NY	media/comics	https://www.fc3roc.com/
JUNE	5-7	N.F.	NIAGARA FALLS COMIC CON SLYVESTER McCOY, Ron Perlman, George Takei, Wil Wheaton, Tobin Bell, Brad Dourif, Matthew Lillard, Micheal Rosenbaum, Laura Vandervoort, FRANK MILLER, Paige O Hara, William Daniels, James Marsters, The Mountie, Gary Winnick, John Cassaday, Patrick Renna, Paul Blake, Tom Morga, Corey Feldman, Tom Wilson, Steve Downes, Kevin Nash, Scott Hall, Tatanka, Phil Ortiz, Tom Cook, John Cassaday, Curtis Armstrong, Phil Ortiz, Tom Cook, Terri Runnels, Bob Orton, Ken Lashley, Leonard Kirk, Michael Golden, Arthur Suydam, Renee Witterstaetter, Greg Hyland,	ScotiaBank Conv Ctr, Niagara Falls, Ontario	media & comics	http://niagarafallscmiccon.com/
JUNE	5-7	Chic	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL Jensen Ackles, Jared Padalecki, Misha Collins, Gil McKinney	Chicago, IL	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
JUNE	5-7	Chic	CREATION-VAMPIRE DIARIES/ORIGINALS	Chicago, IL	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
JUNE	5-7	St L	WIZARD WORLD	America's Ctr, St louis, MO	media/comics/cosplay	https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/st-louis
JUNE	5-7	IL	COGS & CORSETS 2020	Museum of History & other sites, Bloomington, IL	steampunk fest	https://www.cogsandcorsetsil.com/
JUNE	6-7	WV	HUNTINGTON COMIC CON COLIN BAKER, Marina Sirtis, Judith Hoag, Dickey Beer, Johnny Yong Bosch, Jason David Frank, Ani-Mia, Tony Moore, Kevin Nash, James O'Barr,	Big Sandy Arena, Huntington, WV	media/comics/cosplay	http://www.huntingtoncomiccon.com/
JUNE	6-7	AL	CON KASTERBOROUS CATHERINE TATE, Eric Roberts, Eliza Roberts, Kelly Yates,	Holiday Inn, Huntsville, AL	Dr Who fan event	http://conkasterborous.com/

JUNE	12-13	Ont	BIBLIOMANIA	Best Western Htl, Brantford, Ontario	indie authors event	
JUNE	12-14	PA	SCI-FI VALLEY CON 2020 John Noble, Julian Richings,	Blair Cty Conv Ctr, Altoona PA	SF/Fantasy media	https://www.scifivalleycon.com/
JUNE	12-14	Pitt	THE LIVING DEAD WEEKEND Clu Gulager, Beverly Randolph, Miguel Nunez, Thom Mathews, Lori Cardille, Jarlath Conroy, Terry Alexander, John Philbin, Allan Trautman, Tim Dileo, Gary Klar,	Monroeville Mall, Monroeville (Pittsburgh) PA	Horror!	http://www.thelivingdeadweekend.com/monroeville/
JUNE	13-14	RI	THE TERROR CON John Kassir,	Rhode Isl. Conv Ctr, Providence, RI	horror con	https://www.theterrorcon.com/
JUNE	13-14	NJ	CREATION - RIVERDALE (Sabrina?)	Parsippany, NJ	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
JUNE	13-14	MD	OCEAN RENAISSANCE Frenchy & The Punk, Medusa's Disco, Brinjal, Mark P Donnelly, Ken Om, Ocean City Mermaids	Ocean City Conv Ctr, Ocean City, MD	ocean focused steampunk	https://soundeffect.org/tidestempests/
JUNE	19-21	Phil	WIZARD WORLD	Pennsylvania Conv Ctr, Philadelphia, PA	media/comics/cosplay	https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/philadelphia
JUNE	19-21	T.O.	INT'L FAN FESTIVAL TORONTO Marina Inoue, Tetsuya Kakihara, Showtaro Morikubo,	Metro Conv Ctr, Toronto, Ontario, CDA	anime/gaming/comics	https://toronto.ifanfes.com/
JUNE	19-21	Pitt	MONSTER BASH CONFERENCE Butch Patrick, Pat Priest, Ricou Browning, Arch Hall Jr,	Doubletree Htl, Mars, PA (PITT)	horroe film/tv fans	https://www.monsterbashnews.com/bash-June.html
JUNE	20-21	IN	RAPTOR CON Martin Klebba, Grey Delisle-Griffin, Danny Tambereeli,	Evansville Coliseum, Evansville, IN	anime/geek/media	https://lind172.wixsite.com/rustyraptor/
JUNE	25-28	ME	PORTCON MAINE	Doubletree by Hilton Htl, & Maine Mall, Portland, ME	gaming	http://portconmaine.com/site/
JUNE	26-28	Chic	CREATION - STARGATE Amanda Tapping, Michael Shanks, Ben Browder, Joe Flanigan, Rachel Luttrell, Jewel Staite, Gary Jones, David Hewlett, David Nykl, Alexis Cruz,	Westin Htl, Chicago, IL	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
JUNE	26-28	Detr	MICHIGAN STEAM EXPO	Auburn Hills Marriott, Pontiac, MI	steampunk con	https://michigansteamexpo.com/
JUNE	26-28	S.F.	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	San Francisco, CA	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
JUNE	27-28	Buf	LIL CON 7			http://lilconconvention.com/
JUNE	28	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
JULY	9-12	CT	CONNECTICON	CT Conv Ctr, Marriott, & Hilton, Hartford, CT	media/comics, etc	http://connecticon.org/
JULY	10-12	Balt	SHORE LEAVE 42 ALEX KINGSTON, Gates McFadden, Jewel Staite, Robert Duncan McNeil, Adam Baldwin, Denis Lawson	Delta Htl. Baltimore, Hunt Valley, MD	scifi/media/cosplay	https://www.shore-leave.com/
JULY	10-12	TN	FANBOY EXPO-KNOXVILLE, Lavar Burton, John Cusack, Dolph Lundgren, Heather Langekamp, Keith David, Jaleel White, Edward Furlong, Sean Patrick Flanery, Maxwell Caulfield,	Knoxville Conv Ctr, Knoxville, TN	media/comics/cosplay	https://fanboyexpo.com/
JULY	10-12	TX	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Dallas, TX	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
JULY	18-19	MA	COSPLAY & PHOTOGRAPHY EXPO	Holiday Inn Foxboro, Mansfield MA	cosplay	http://cape.nerdcaliber.com/
JULY 25 - AUGUST 3		PA	WORLD BOARD GAME CHAMPIONSHIPS	Seven Springs Resort, Seven Springs, PA	gaming!	http://www.boardgamers.org/
JULY	26	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
JULY	29-	N.Z.	CONZEALAND, WORLD CON 78	Wellington, New Zealand	HUGE tradional SF con	https://conzealand.nz/
AUG	2		Mercedes Lackey, Larry Dixon, George R R Martin, Rose Mitchell, Greg Broadmore			
AUGUST	5-9	L.V.	CREATION STAR TREK - LAS VEGAS Shatner, Koenig, Burton, Vereen, Visitor, Lofton, Msterson, De Doer, Shimerman, Biggs, Mulgrew, Ryan, Beltran, Dawson, Russ, Phillips, Picardo, Wang, McNeil, Keating, Trinneer, Combs, Coates, Braga, and lots of lots you never heard of before!	Rio Suites Htl, Las Vegas, NV	HUGE Trek event	https://www.creationent.com/cal/st_lasvegas.html
AUGUST	7-9	Bos	FAN EXPO BOSTON Elijah Wood, Sean Astin, Billy Boyd, Dominic Monaghan, Giancarlo Esposito, Joonas Suotamo,	Boston Conv Ctr, Boston, MA	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.fanexpoboston.com/en/home.html
AUGUST	14-16	OH	MATSUICON 2020	Columbus Cov Ctr, Columbus, OH	anime/manga/cosplay	http://www.matsuricon.org/
AUGUST	14-16	Mont	OTAKUTON 2020	Palais De Congres, Montreal, Quebec, CDA	anime/manga/cosplay	https://www.otakuthon.com/2020
AUGUST	14-16	FL	FANBOY EXPO ORLANDO Mike Nesmith, Micky Dolenz, Billy Dee Williams, Mike Quinn, Dickey Beer, Gerald Home, Edward Furlong, Micheal Bell, Joey Cramer, Sgt Slaughter, Kurt Angle			https://fanboyexpo.com/orlando/
AUG	20-23	Ohio	North American SF Con NOW OFFICIAL! Brian Herbert, Kevin J Anderson, Stephanie Law, Marc Mills,	Hyatt Conv Ctr, Columbus, OH		http://columbus2020nasfc.org/
AUG	20-23	Chic	WIZARD WORLD	Stephens Conv Ctr, Rosemont, IL (O'Hare)	media/comics	https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/chicago
AUGUST	21-23	CO	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Denver, CO	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
AUGUST	21-23	NYC	LIBERTY CITY ANIME CON	Intercontinental Htl, Times Squ, NYC, NY	anime/manga/cosplay	https://libertycityanimecon.com/
AUGUST	21-22	PA	STEAM FEST 2020	Steel Stacks, Bethlehem, PA	steampunk event-outdoors	https://www.facebook.com/events/3042407209163503/
AUGUST	23	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
AUGUST	27-30	T.O.	FAN EXPO CANADA Elijah Wood, Sean Astin, Billy Boyd, Dominic Monaghan, Giancarlo Esposito,	Toronto Conv Ctr, Toronto, Onatrio	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.fanexpocanada.com/en/home.html
AUGUST	28-20	Chic	ANIME MAGIC 2020 Oriana Peron, Shining Polaris, Pockythief, Mangoe Cos, HDC Cosplay,	Hyatt Regency Htl, Schaumburg, IL	anime/manga/cosplay	https://www.animemagic.org/
AUGUST	28-30	IN	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Marriott Htl, Indianapolis, IN	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
AUGUST	28-30	L.A.	CREATION - XENA 25TH Anniversary	Hyatt Regency @ LAX, Los Angeles, CA	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
SEPT	3-7	Atla	DRAGONCON 2020	Peachtree Ctr, Atlanta, GA	HUGE SciFi & Media event	https://www.dragoncon.org/

expect a hundred or more media celebrities and as many authors, artists, and others

SEPT	5-6	IL	MIDWEST MONSTER FEST	The Rust Belt, East Moline, IL (Quad Cities)	media/horror	http://www.midwestmonsterfest.com/
			Linnea Quigley,			
SEPT	11-13	NYS	ALBACON 2020	Ramada Plaza Htl, Albany, NY	local SF/lit con	http://2019.albacon.org/
			Sharon Lee, Steve Miller			
SEPT	11-13	FL	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Orlando, FL	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
SEPT	19-20	NH	GRANITE CON 2020	DoubleTree Hilton, Manchester, NH	media/comics/cosplay	http://www.granitecon.com/
SEPT	25-27	FLA	NECRONOMICON SF CON	Embassy Suites Htl, Tampa, FL	Sci-Fi & horror con	
SEPT 27 -	OCT 4	NYC	GAMING BY SEA	ocean cruise to Bahamas & Mexico on Royal Caribbean	all gaming	http://gamingbysea.com/
SEPT	27	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
OCT	2-4	IL	ARCHON 44	Gateway Con Ctr, Collinsville, IL (near St Louis, MO)	traditional SF fan con	http://www.archonstl.org/
OCT	2-4	NJ	CREATION VAMPIRE DIARIES/ORIGINALS	Whippany, NJ	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
OCT	9-11	T.O.	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Westin Harbour Htl, Toronto, Ontario, Canada	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
			Jensen Ackles, Jared Padalecki, Micha Collins, Alex Calvert, Mark Pellegrino, Ruth Connell, Rob Benedict, Richard Speight Jr, Matt Cohen, Briana Buckmaster Kim Rhodes, Adam Fergus, David Haydn-Jones, Jason Manns, Louden Swain			
OCT	10-11	MA	UFO XPO	Salem Waterfront Htl, Salem MA	sci-fi & horror view of UFO's	https://ufoxpo.com/
			Travis Walton, Mike Bara, Kathleen Marden, Thom Reed			
OCT	15-18	CA	WORLD MYSTERY CON - BOUCHERSON	Hyatt Regency, Sacramento, CA	HUGE mystery event	https://www.bouchercon2020.org/
			Anne Perry, Scott Turow, Walter Mosley, Cara Black, Janet A Rudolph			
OCT	16-18	BC	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Vancouver, B.C., Canada	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
OCT	17-18	NJ	CR4EATION: LUICFER	Marriott Htl, Whippany, NJ	tv series tribute	https://www.creationent.com/
			Tom Ellis, Lesley-Ann Brandt, Aimee Garcia, Rachel Harris			
OCT	23-25	KY	THE SCAREFEST	Lexington Conv Ctr, Lexington, KY	media/horror/cosplay	https://thescafest.com/
			Tony Todd, Heather Donahue, Joshua Leonard, Michael C Williams			
OCT	25	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
OCT 29 -	NOV 1	UT	WORLD FANTASY CONVENTION	Salt Lake City, UT	HUGE fanasty event	http://www.worldfantasy.org/
			Stephen Gallagher, Anne Groell, S G Jones, David Cherry, Tracy & Luara Hickman			
NOV	5-8	WI	TESLA CON 2020		Steampunk event	https://www.teslacon.com/
NOV	5-8	VA	NEKOCON 23	Hampton Roads Conv Ctr, Hampton, VA	anime/manga/cosplay	https://www.nekocon.com/
			Kouki Hanamizakura, Doubt,			
NOV	6-8	RI	RHODE ISLAND COMIC CON	Rhode Is Conv Ctr, Providence, RI	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.ricomicon.com/
			Wil Wheaton, Chandler Riggs, Carl Weathers, Amanda Conner			
NOV	6-8	MN	GALAXY CON MINNEAPOLIS	Minneapolis Conv Ctr, Minneapolis, MN	media con	https://galaxycon.com/minneapolis/
NOV	13-15	NC	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	Charlotte, NC	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
NOV	20-22	LA	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	New Orleans, LA	TV series tribute	https://www.creatrionent.com
NOV	22	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
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APRIL	2-5	Bost	ANIME BOSTON	TBA		
APRIL	16-19	CA	COSTUME CON 39	San Jose, CA	HUGE costume event	https://www.facebook.com/cc39bayarea/
AUGUST	25-29	DC	79TH WORLD S-F CONVENTION	Marriott Htl, Washington, DC	HUGE fan run SF con	https://discon3.org/
			Nancy Kress, Malka Older, Sheree Renee Thomas, Toni Weisskopf, Ben Yalow			
AUG	26-29	LA	WORLD MYSTERY CON-BOUCHERCON	New Orleans, LA	Huge Mystery Event	http://www.bouchercon.com/
OCT	1-3	IL	ARCHON 45	Gateway Con Ctr, Collinsville, IL (near St Louis, MO)	traditional SF fan con	http://www.archonstl.org/
OCT	29-31	Roch	ASTRONOMICON	R.I.T. Inn & Conf Ctr, Rochester, NY	SF literature con	http://www.astronomicon.info/
			David Brin, Sara Felix, Chris Barkley, Wendy & Richard Pini, Tom Smith, Adrienne Kress			
NOV	4-7	Mont	WORLD FANTASY CONVENTION	Montreal, Quebec, CDA	HUGE fantasy event	http://www.worldfantasy.org/
			Nisi Shawl, John Picacio, Andre-Francois Ruaud, Owl Goingback, Yves Meynard, Christine Taylor-Butler			
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APRIL	1-4	MD	COSTUME CON 40	Bethesda Marriott Htl, Rockville, MD	all things costumes	http://costumecon40.com/
SEPT	8-11	MN	WORLD MYSTERY CON-BOUCHERCON	Minneapolis, MN	Huge Mystery Event	http://www.bouchercon.com/
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