

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: NOV 10 2021 to add an SF/DW/Trek/Anime/etc. event; send information to: dennisplake@yahoo.com

PLEASE DOUBLECHECK ALL EVENTS, THINGS ARE STILL BE POSTPONED OR CANCELLED. SOMETIMES FACEBOOK WILL SAY CANCELLED YET WEBSITE STILL SHOWS REGULAR EVENT!

JULY	9-11	T.O.	TFCON	DELAYED UNTIL DEC 10-12, 2021	Transformers fan-run con	TFCON.CA
JULY	22-25	Pitt	TEKKO 2021	POSTPONED TO DEC 9-12 2021	fan-run anime/all Japan	https://tekko.us/
JULY	29	T.O.	MARVEL AVENGERS STATION	Yorkdale Ctr, 3401 Dufferin, Toronto	REOPENS AFTER COVID!	https://www.avengersstationcanada.com/
AUGUST	25-29	DC	79TH WORLD S-F CONVENTION	POSTPONED TO DEC. 15-19	HUGE fan run SF con	https://discon3.org/
NOV	7 & 9	ALL	One Piece Film: Strong World	Regal/Elmwood or Transit		https://www.fathomevents.com/events/One-Piece-Strong-World As part of this One Piece 1,000th episode special event, moviegoers will also experience the U.S. premiere of the "One Piece: Mugiwara Chase" featurette
NOV	10-14	PA	HISTORICON 2021	Valley Forge Casino & Resort, King of Prussia, PA	historic miniatures!	www.hmgs.org/mpage/HconHome
NOV	12-13	Ott	CAN FUR ENCE 2021	Delta Htl, Ottawa, ON, CDA	ALL FURRY, plenty of masks!	https://www.canfurence.ca/
NOV	12-14	Phil	WIZARD WORLD-PHILADELPHIA	CANCELLED!	BIG media/comics/cosplay	https://wizardworld.com/
NOV	12-14	Chic	WINDYCON 47: URBAN FANTASTIC	Westin Lombard Htl, Lombard, IL		http://www.windycon.org/ Carlos Hernandez, Ray VanTilburg, Elizabeth Koprucki, Ken Hite, C S E Cooney, Seanan McGuire, Ada Palmer
NOV	13	Buf	TEEN ANIME/MANGA CLUB	Downtown library, Lafayette Squ., West Room, 1st floor	1:30 pm	simonk@buffalolib.org Watch anime, eat Japanese snacks, do fun crafts, learn Japanese calligraphy & characters, sponsored by Crunchyroll
NOV	13	Roch	EMPIRE COMIC FEST 2	Jewish Comm. Ctr., 1200 Edgewood Ave, Rochester NY	FREE!	http://www.empirecomicfest.com/ Jim Shooter
NOV	14-18	ALL	GHIBLI FEST: CASTLE IN THE SKY	reissue classic anime in movie theatres		https://www.fathomevents.com/categories/anime
NOV	19-21	Phil	PHILCON 2021	Crowne Plaza Htl, Cherry Hill, NJ (Phil suburb)	fan run SF/etc event	https://philcon.org/ (Max Gladstone & Romas Kukalis WITHDREW), Fran Wilde, Sara Henya
NOV	19-21	NYC	ANIME NYC	Javitts Ctr, west midtown Manhattan, NYC, NY	big anime/manga/cosplay	https://animenyc.com/ Natsumi Ueki, Robert Woodhead, A Quinones, AmaLee, A Le, A J Beckles B Papenbrook, C Clinkerbeard, C Sabat, E Neves, R Chase, Z Davisson, Z Aguilar
NOV	19-21	nola	CREATION - SUPERNATURAL	New Orleans, LA	TV series tribute	https://www.creationent.com/
NOV	20	Roch	MAKER FAIRE ROCHESTER	Riverside Conv Ctr, 123 E Main, Rochester	STEM/STEAM event	https://rochester.makerfaire.com/
NOV	20-21	NYS	TIME FLIGHT 2020	Ramada Htl, Holtsville, Long Island, NY	fan-run DW con	http://www.longislanddoctorwho.com/ Frazer Hines, Colin Spaul, John Peel, Rachel Grant, Joanna Ball, VIRTUAL GUESTS: Michael Troughton, Yee Jee Tso
NOV	20-21	NYS	SARATOGA COMIC CON	Saratoga Springs Ctr, Saratoga Springs, NY		https://saratogacomicon.com/ Jeff Anderson, Brian O'Halloran, Nakia Burrise, Samantha Newark, Jennard, Lorraine Toth, Chelsea Brickhan, Heart Harley, Dave Ryan, Jay Mooers
NOV	21-22	ALL	ANIME: GINTAMA The Very Final	said to be last film in the series!		www.fathomevents.com/events/Gintama---The-Very-Final
NOV	23	Virt	WHO WANTS TO RACE	Virtual race event benefits Doug Flutie Jr Foundation for Autism,		race for Doctor Who fans https://www.virtualrunevents.com/product/who-wants-to-race/ Price includes a special DW medal for racers
NOV	26-28	Chic	CHICAGO TARDIS	Westin Lombard Htl, Chicago (airport)	fan-run DW con	COLIN BAKER , Simon Fisher-Becker, Lauren Cornelius, Sylvie Briggs, Mark Dexter, Shobna Gulati, Jason Haigh-Ellery, Sadie Miller FRAZER HINES, NEVE McINTOSH, Michael Troughton, Bhavnisha Parmar, Mickey Lewis, Jimmy Vee, Colin Spaul, Michael Jayston
NOV	26-28	Sand	SAN DIEGO COMIC CON SPECIAL EDITION	S.D. Conv. Ctr, San Diego, CA		https://comic-con.org/ccse Brent Spiner, Henry Barajas, Ryan Benjamin, Kevin Eastman, Greg Evans, Karen Evans, Sina Grace, John Jennings, Minh Le, Jae Lee, Sam Maggs, Dustin Nguyen, Alex Nino, Cindy Pon, Mimi Pond, Scott Shaw, William Stout
NOV	26-28	VA	CHESSIECON 2021	ONLINE ONLY!	Sci-Fi, Fantasy, Steampunk	https://chessiecon.org/ Danielle Ackley-McPhail
NOV	28	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
DEC	2-5	WA	EMERALD CITY COMIC CON	Washington Conv Ctr, Seattle, WA	media/comic/cosplay	FindtheMetaverse.com Hayden Christensen, Levar Burton, Amy Jo Johnson, The McElroy Family, Johnny Yong Bosch, Luci Christian, Sam Maggs, Donny Cates,
DEC	3-5	Port	SMOFCON EUROPE	Lisboa, Portugal	The Secret Masters Of Fandom meet in Europe!	smofconeurope.com
DEC	4	Roch	ROCH. HEROES COMICBOOK TOYS COLLECTIBLES MARKET			facebook.com/events/3573382966103604/
DEC	5-9	ALL	GHIBLI FEST: MY NEIGHBOR TOTORO	reissue classic anime in movie theatres		https://www.fathomevents.com/categories/anime
DEC	9-12	Pitt	TEKKO	Lawrence Conv Ctr, Pitts burgh, PA	BIG anime/manga/cosplay/culture	https://tekko.us/
DEC	10-12	Chic	CHICAGO COMIC & ENTERTAINMENT EXPO	McCormick Place, Chicago, IL	BIG media/comics	FindtheMetaverse.com John Cena, Hayden Christensen, Wes Chatham, Trina Nishimura, Justin Briner, Clifford Chapin, Kristen McGuire, David Matranga, Steven Strait, Chris Claremont, Sam Maggs, Zach Aguilar,
DEC	10-12	T.O.	TFCON	Hilton Htl, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada	Transformers fan-run con	TFCON.CA
DEC	10-12	Nash	CREATION-SUPERNATURAL	Gaylord Opryland Htl, Nashville, TN	tv series tribute	https://www.creationent.com/
DEC	11	Buf	TEEN ANIME/MANGA CLUB	Downtown library, Lafayette Squ., West Room, 1st floor	1:30 pm	simonk@buffalolib.org Watch anime, eat Japanese snacks, do fun crafts, learn Japanese calligraphy & characters, sponsored by Crunchyroll
DEC	15-9	D.C.	DISCON III, THE 79TH WORLD SCIENCE FICTION CONVENTION	new site: Omni Shoreham Hotel		https://discon3.org/ Nancy Kress, John Harris, Malka Older, Sheree Renee Thomas, Ben Yalow
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JANUARY	2	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting #1	buffalotime council.org
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JANUARY	21-23	MN	CONSOLE ROOM-SATELLITE 9	Airport Hilton, Bloomington, MN (Twin Cities)	fan-run Who event	http://console-room.com/
JANUARY	30	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting #2	buffalotime council.org
FEB	3-6	Chic	CAPRICON 44 ROCKIN IN THE OUTER REALMS	Sheraton Grand Htl, Chicago, IL	big fan run SF con	www.capricon.org Catherynne M Valente, Gene Ha, Tanya DePass
FEB	5	Buf	TEEN ANIME/MANGA CLUB	Downtown library, Lafayette Squ., West Room, 1st floor	1:30 pm	simonk@buffalolib.org Watch anime, eat Japanese snacks, do fun crafts, learn Japanese calligraphy & characters, sponsored by Crunchyroll
FEB	18-20	Bost	BOSKONE 59	Westin Waerfront Htl, Boston, MA	big fan run SF con	www.boskone.org Ted Chiang, Sara Felix, Tamsyn Muir, Tim Griffin
FEB	18-20	MD	KATSUCON	Gaylord Htl, National Harbor, MD (DC)	Anime/Manga/Cosplay	https://www.katsucon.org/
FEB	25-27	MD	FARPOINT 2022	Delta Marriott Htl., Hunt Valley, MD	Sci-Fi media event	http://www.farpointcon.com/ Brent Spiner, Maisie Richardson-Sellers, Sean Gunn
FEB	27	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
FEB 28 - MAR 4		SEA	THE GEEK BOAT: GAMING & COSPLAY CON @ SEA	Miami, FL to Key West to Cozumel to Miami		https://thegeekboat.com/
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MARCH	9	Roc	TORA-CON 2022	Rochester Inst. Of Technology, Rochester, NY	anime/manga/cosplay	https://toracon.org/
MARCH	25	Roc	ROCH. WINTER PARAFEST 2022	Valley Oak Event Ctr, 4242 Lakeville Rd, Geneseo NY		https://www.facebook.com/events/299529098304721/
MARCH	25-27	Cinc	STEAMPUNK SYMPOSIUM	Holiday Inn Eastgate, Cincinnati, OH	steampunk & science	https://steampunksymposium.com/ R S Belcher, Brett King, Leanna Renee Hieber, Emilie P Bush, Phoebe Darqueling, Unwoman, Nulydedz, Scott Helland Guitarmy of One(ness)
MARCH	27	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
APRIL	1-4	MD	COSTUME CON 40	Bethesda Marriott Htl, Rockville, MD	all things costumes	http://costumecon40.com/ Theme: Rogues, Royals & Renegades Hosted by Greater Columbia Fantasy Costumer's Guild, Inc (GCFCG)
APRIL	1-3	NJ	DARK SIDE OF THE CON	Sheraton Htl, Parsippany, NJ		http://darksideofthecon.com/ "For all the weirdos, freaks, goths, and independent thinkers who are drawn to the darkside, we welcome you! Featuring 20+ bands, special guests, performers, panels / presentations, club nights"
APRIL	9	Roch	HEROES COMICBOOK TOY CARDS & COLLECTIBLES	SITE TO BE ANNOUNCED		www.facebook.com/events/3573382966103604/qjGv6fJGpJOc7/
APRIL	24	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
APRIL 28 - MAY 1		Chic	CHICAGO STEAMPUNK EXPO	Hyatt Regency Htl, Schaumburg (O'Hare), IL	BIG steampunk event	https://chicagosteampunkexpo.com/
APRIL 29 - MAY 1		VA	RAVENCON	Virginia Crossings Htl., Williamsburg, VA	fan run SF/Fantasy/Horror	https://www.ravencon.com/ Terry Brooks, Rhiannon's Lark, Phillippa Ballantine, Denise Clemons, Kara Dennison, Genevieve Iseult Eldredge, Laurel Anne Hill
MAY	6-8	StLu	WIZARD WORLD-ST LOUIS	St Charles Conv. Ctr, St Charles, MO	BIG media/comics/cosplay	https://wizardworld.com/
MAY	13-15	N.J.	C.O.G.S. 3	APA Hotel, Woodbridge, NJ	big fan-run Steampunk event	https://www.cogs-expo.com/
MAY	13-15	MI	MOTOR CITY COMIC CON	Suburban Collection Showplace, Novi, MI	media/comics/cosplay	https://www.motorcitycomiccon.com/
MAY	22	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
MAY	27-29	T.O.	ANIME NORTH	Toronto Congress Ctr & 5 hotels near airport	anime/manga/cosplay	https://www.animenorth.com/event/
MAY	27-29	Phil	THY GEEKDOM CON	Philly Expo Ctr, Oaks, PA	anime/gaming/pop culture/cosplay	https://thygeekdomcon.com/
JUNE	3-5	Buf	NICKEL CITY CON	Buf/Niag. Conv. Ctr, 153 Franklin St, Buffalo, NY	local media/comics/cosplay	https://www.nickelcitycon.com/
JUNE	3-5	N.F.	NIAGARA FALLS COMIC CON	ScotiaBank Conv. Ctr, Niagara Falls, ONTARIO	big media/comics event	https://nfccomiccon.com/
JUNE	3-5	L.A.	THE HELLMOUTH CONV.	Hilton at LAX, Los Angeles, CA	fans of all things of Joss Whedon	https://www.thehellmouth.org/TheHellmouth/
JUNE	10-12	NJ	ANIME NEXT 2022	Atlantic City Conv Ctr, Atlantic City, NJ	anime/manga/cosplay	https://animenext.org/
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JULY	23-31	PA	WORLD BOARDGAME CHAMPIONSHIP	Seven Springs Resort, Champion, PA (near Pittsburgh)		https://www.boardgamers.org/wbcindex .
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JULY	29-31	T.O.	CREATION-SUPERNATURAL	Delta Htl & Conf Ctr (near airport), Toronto, ON, CDA		https://www.creationent.com/cal/supernatural_toronto . Jensen Ackles, Jared Padalecki, Misha Collins, Alex Calvert, Mark Pellegrino, Ruth Connell, Rob Benedict, Richard Speight, Briana Buckmaster, Kim Rhodes,
AUGUST	12-14	Bos	FAN EXPO BOSTON	Boston Conv Ctr	BIG media/comics/cosplay	https://fanexpohq.com/fanexpoboston/
AUGUST	20	Buf	ODDITIES & CURIOSITIES EXPO	Buf. Conv. Ctr. 153 Franklin st, Buffalo NY		https://www.facebook.com/events/480352926180527/
AUGUST	25-28	T.O.	FAN EXPO CANADA	Metro Toronto Conv Ctr, near Skydome & CN Tower		https://fanexpohq.com/fanexpocanada/
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SEPT	1-5	Chic	WORLDCON 80 CHICON 8			
SEPT	8-11	MN	WORLD MYSTERY CON-BOUCHERCON	Minneapolis, MN	Huge Mystery Event	http://www.bouchercon.com/
SEPT	24-25	Ham	HAMILTON COMIC CON	Cdn Warplane Museum, Mount Hope, ON CDA	media/comics/cosplay	http://hamiltoncomiccon.com/

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APRIL	21-24	Cal	COSTUME CON 39	Doubletree Htl, San Jose, CA	DELAYED FROM 2020 ALL THINGS COSTUME!	http://costumecon39.org/

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