

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: June 12 2023 to add an SF/DW/Trek/Anime/etc. event; send information to: dennisplake@yahoo.com

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

JUNE 2-4 **Phil** FAN EXPO PHILADELPHIA Pennsylvania Conv Ctr, Philadelphia, PA big media/comics con <http://www.fanexpophiladelphia.com/>
Sam Raimi, Michael J Fox, Christopher Lloyd, Christina Ricci, Katee Sackhoff, Tom Welling, Kristen Kreuk, Micheal Rosenbaum, Stephen Amell, Emily Bett Rickards, Peter Weller, Henry Winkler, Mark-Paul Gosselaar, Mario Lopez, Grace van Dien, Joseph Quinn, Hayden Christensen, Sean Astin, Jon Bernthal, Bonnoe Wright

JUNE 3 **PA** EVIL EXPO 23 Holiday Inn, Grantville, PA (Hershey) <https://evilexpo.com/evil-expo-2023/>
All EVIL, all the time! A con for people who like villians, or want to be one!

JUNE 9-11 **N.F.** NIAGARA FALLS COMIC CON N.F. Conv. Ctr, 6815 Stanley Ave, Niagara Falls, ONTARIO, CDA <https://nfcomiccon.com/>
John De lancia, Matthew Lewis, Cary Elwes, Giancarlo Esposito, Jesse Ventura, Wendi Richter, Trish Stratus, Lita, Chazz Palminteri, Micheal Rosenbaum, Trailer Park Boys, Jon Heder, Efren Ramirez, Jerry Mathers, David Howard Thornton, Damien Leone, Tyler Mane, Andrew Bryniarski, Micheal Golden, Tom Cook, Arthur Suydam, Dan Parent, Phil Ortiz, Laz Alonso, Tomer Capone, Billy Zane, Henry Thomas, Wendell Clark, Kane Hodder, Tyler Mane, David Howard Thornton, Damien Leone, Alex Essoe, Andrew Bryniarski, Jim Steranko, Jim Starlin, Micahel Golden, Tom Cook, Arthur Suydam,
WITHDREW: Micky Dolenz

JUNE 9-11 **Dall** FAN EXPO DALLAS K Bailey Hutchison Conv Ctr, Dallas, TX big media/comics con <https://fanexpohq.com/fanexpodallas/>

JUNE 11 **Buff** ZINE FEST 2023 Just Buffalo Literary Ctr, 468 Washington St, Buffalo, NY 14203 <https://wnybookarts.org/zinefest-2023/>

JUNE 11-14 **ALL** FILM: KIKI'S DELIVERY SERVICE <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Kikis-Delivery-Service-Studio-Ghibli-Fest-2023>
"Celebrate this beloved coming-of-age story from the legendary Studio Ghibli, creators of Spirited Away, and Academy Award®-winning director Hayao Miyazaki, about a resourceful young witch who uses her broom to create a delivery service, only to lose her gift of flight in a moment of self-doubt. It is a tradition for all young witches to leave their families on the night of a full moon and fly off into the wide world to learn their craft. When that night comes for Kiki, she embarks on her new journey with her sarcastic black cat, Jiji, landing the next morning in a seaside village, where her unique skills make her an instant sensation. Don't miss this delightfully imaginative and timeless story of a young girl finding her way in the world, featuring the voices of Kirsten Dunst, Janeane Garofalo, Phil Hartman, & Debbie Reynolds. LOCAL: all 4 Regals

JUNE 16-18 **Cinn** INT'L. STEAMPUNK SYMPOSIUM Holiday Inn-EastGate, Cincinnati, OH <http://www.steampunksymposium.com/>

JUNE 16-18 **Wash** AWESOME CON 2023 Washington Conv Ctr, Washington, DC <https://awesome-con.com/>
JODIE WHITTAKER, MANDIP GILL, KAREN GILLIAM, CHRISTOPHER ECCLESTON & BILLIE PIPER, Amy Jo Johnson, Billy Dee Williams, Danny Trejo, Elijah Wood, Felicia Day, Levar Burton, Phil Lemarr, Rob paulsen, Sean Astin, Terry Brooks

JUNE 17-18 **ONT** YETICON 2023 Blue Mountain Village Conference Centre, Blue Mtns, ONTARIO <https://www.yeticon.org/>
A resort geek con at beautiful Blue Mountain Resort! Cosplay, gaming, anime, activities and more!

JUNE 23-25 **StLo** FAN EXPO ST. LOUIS America's Center Conv Hall, St. Louis, MO big media/comics con <http://www.fanexpostlouis.com/>

JUNE 23-25 **WA.** WASHINGTON STATE SUMMER CON, State Fairgrounds, Pallyup, WA <https://www.wasummercon.com/>
JOHN BARROWMAN, JULIAN GLOVER, Jonathan Frakes, Marina Sirtis, Levar Burton, John De Lancia, Rose McGown, Molly Marie Combs, Jewel Staite,

JUNE 25 **BTC** BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING 49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo monthly BTC meeting buffalotime council.org

JUNE 30 - JULY 2 **Buff** NICKEL CITY CON Buffalo Niagara Convention Center, Franklin St at Court St, downtown <https://www.nickelcitycon.com/>
Dean Cain, Michael Rooker, Sean Gunn, Henry Winkler, C J Graham, David Yost, Walter Jones, Mark Boone Jr, Kim Coates, Kenny Johnson, David Labrava, Brett Wagner, Lou Ferrigno, Sgt. Slaughter, Sting, Greg Valentine, Brutus Beefcake, George Wendt, Lauren-Marie Taylor, Thom Mathews, Stacie Mistysyn, Jim Starlin, Dan Parent,

JUNE 30 - JULY 2 **Denv** FAN EXPO DENVER Colorado Conv Ctr, Denver. CO big media/comics con <https://fanexpohq.com/fanexpodenver/>

JULY 1 - AUGUST 13 **NYS** STERLING RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL 15385 Farden Road, Sterling, New York 13156 800-879-4446 <https://www.sterlingfestival.com/>
7/1-2 Family Appreciation, 8-9 Romance Weekend, 15-16 Ale Fest, 22-23 Pirate Invasion, 7/29-30 Highland Fling, 8/5-6 Fantasy Fairies & the Future, 8/12-13 Grand Finale

JULY 6-9 **Mass** KiCaSS 2023 Holy Ghost Society, Peabody, MA Outlander & Vikings fan con <https://www.kicassevents.com/>

JULY 7-9 **MD** SHORE LEAVE 43 Dela Hotel Baltimore, Hunt Valley, MD <https://www.shore-leave.com/>
Claudia Black, Ben Browder, Grace park, Penny Johnson Jerald, Robert Duncan McNeill, Robert Picardo, Arron Douglas, Alaina Huffman, Peter Macon, Bonnie Gordon

JULY 7-9 **Knox** FANBOY EXPO KNOXVILLE Knoxville Conv Ctr, Knoxville, TN <https://fanboyexpo.com/knoxville/>
JOHN BARROWMAN, Kevin Smith, John-Rhys Davies, Miranda Otto, Michael Rosenbaum, Sam Witwer, Kerr Smith, Tony Anselmo, Mindy Cohn, Sean Schemmel, Kurt Angle, Jason Mewes, Craig parker, Sala Baker, Geof Isherwood, Frank Fosco,

JULY 7-9 **S.F.** CREATION - SUPERNATURAL TRIBUTE San Francisco, CA <https://www.creationent.com/calendar.htm>

JULY 9 & 11 **ALL** FILM: NAUSICAA OF THE VALLEY OF THE WIND <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Nausicaa-of-the-Valley-of-the-Wind-Studio-Ghibli-Fest>
"Nausicaä of the Valley of the Wind, written and directed by Academy Award®-winner Hayao Miyazaki, is an epic masterpiece of sweeping scope and grandeur that remains one of the most breathtaking and exhilarating animated films of all time. A thousand years after the Seven Days of Fire destroyed civilization, warring human factions survive in a world devastated by atmospheric poisons and swarming with gigantic insects. The peaceful Valley of the Wind is nestled on the edge of the Toxic Forest and led by the courageous Princess Nausicaä, whose love of all living things leads her into terrible danger, as she fights to restore balance between humans and nature. Featuring the voices of Alison Lohman, Uma Thurman, Patrick Stewart, Edward James Olmos and Shia LaBeouf. LOCAL: three of the Regal Theatres: Elmwood, Walden, & Transit

JULY 10 & 12 **ALL** FILM: CASTLE IN THE SKY <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Castle-in-the-Sky-Studio-Ghibli-Fest-2023>
"Castle in the Sky is a timeless story of courage and friendship, with stunning animation from acclaimed Academy Award®-winning director Hayao Miyazaki. This high-flying adventure begins when Pazu, an engineer's apprentice, spies a young girl, Sheeta, floating down from the sky, held aloft by a glowing pendant. Both Sheeta and Pazu are searching for the legendary floating castle, Laputa, and they vow to travel there together to unravel the mystery of the luminous crystal. But their quest won't be easy, as soon they are being pursued by greedy air pirates, the military, and secret government agents, who all seek the power Sheeta alone can control. The English-dubbed cast includes the vocal talents of Anna Paquin, James Van Der Beek, Cloris Leachman, Mark Hamill, Mandy Patinkin, and more!" LOCAL: all 4 Regals: Elmwood, Transit, Walden, Quaker

JULY 13-16 **Mass** READERCON 32 Marriott Htl, Quincy, MA (Boston) <https://readercon.org/>
Jeff Vander Meer, Justina Ireland, L.A.Banks

JULY 20-23 **CDA** PEMMI-CON The 15th North American Science Fiction Convention, RBC Conv Ctr, Winnipeg, Manitoba <https://main.pemmi-con.ca/>
Julie E. Czerneda, Tanya Huff, Waubgeshig Rice, Nisi Shawl, John Mansfield, Philip John Currie, Lorna Toolis, katherena vermette, George Freeman

JULY 22 **ONT** FERGUS MEDIEVAL FAIRE Several locations, downtown Fergus, Ontario, Canada <https://fergusmedievalfaire.ca/>

JULY 23 **BTC** BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING 49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo monthly BTC meeting buffalotime council.org

JULY 27-30 **NC** GALAXYCON RALEIGH Raleigh Conv Ctr, 500 South Salisbury Raleigh, NC <https://galaxycon.com/pages/raleigh>
KAREN GILLAN, GRANT Gustin, Charlie Cox, Stephen Amell, Giancarlo Esposito, Vincent D'Onofrio, William Shatner, Billy Dee Williams, Joel McKale, Paula Abdul, LeVar Burton, Marina Sirtis, Brent Spiner, Kate Mulgrew, John De Lancie, Armin Shimerman, Gates McFadden, Denise Crosby, Lori Petty, Barry Bostwick, Billy West

JULY 28 - AUG 10 **PA** PENNSIC WAR Cooper's Lake Campground, Slippery Rock, PA SCA annual warfare <http://www.pennsicwar.org/>

JULY 28-30 **FLA** TAMPA BAY COMIC CON Tampa Bay Conv Ctr, Tampa Bay, FL <https://tampabaycomicconvention.com/>

AUGUST 3-6 **Indy** GEN CON INDY 2023 Indiana Conv. Ctr. & Lucas Oli Stadium; Indianapolis, IN HUGE gamer event <https://www.gencon.com/indy>

AUGUST 4-6 **Bost** FAN EXPO BOSTON Boston Conv Ctr fanexpoboston.com
William Shatner, Sam Raimi, Emily Swallow, Peter Weller, Gabriel Luna, Bonnie Wright, Mark-Paul Gosselaar, Brain Baumgartner

AUGUST 5-6 **Pitt** MOMENTO CON LAWRENCE Conv Ctr, Pittsburgh, PA **POSTPONED! Aug 5-6 2023!** <https://www.momentocon.com/>
Mark Sheppard, Mark Pellegrino, Timothy Omundson, D J Qalls, Richard Speight Jr, Rob Benedict, Osric Chau, Lauren Tom, Rachel Miner

AUGUST 6 **T.O.** MAY THE NORTH BE WITH YOU Oakville Holiday Inn, 590 Argus Rd, Oakville, Ontario www.gtacons.com
Star Wars & Vintage Toy show, by Ontario Star Wars Collectors Alliance

AUGUST 5-9 **ALL** FILM: PRINCESS MONONOKE <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Princess-Mononoke-Studio-Ghibli-Fest-2023>
"From the legendary Studio Ghibli, creators of Spirited Away, and Academy Award®-winning director Hayao Miyazaki, comes an epic masterpiece that has dazzled audiences worldwide with its breathtaking imagination, exhilarating battles, and deep humanity. Inflicted with a deadly curse, the young warrior Ashitaka heads west in search of a cure. There, he stumbles into a bitter conflict between Lady Eboshi, the proud people of Iron Town, and the enigmatic Princess Mononoke, a young girl raised by wolves, who will stop at nothing to prevent the humans from destroying her home and the forest spirits and animal gods who live there. Featuring the voice talents of Gillian Anderson, Billy Crudup, Claire Danes, Jada Pinkett Smith, and Billy Bob Thornton." LOCAL: all four Regal Theatres: Elmwood, Walden. Transit, & Quaker

AUGUST 10-13 **Chic** FAN EXPO CHICAGO Stephens Conv Ctr, Chicago, IL big media/comics con <http://www.fanexpochicago.com/>
Sam Raimi, Micheal J Fox, Christopher Lloyd, Lea Thompson, Chevy Chase, Christina Ricci, Henry Winkler, Bonnie Wright, Gabriel Luna, Emily Swallow, Peter Weller

AUGUST 16-20 **Asia** CHENGDU 81ST WORLDCON Chengdu Conv Ctr, Chengdu China First Chinese Worldcon! <http://www.worldconinchina.com/>
Robert J Sawyer, Liu Cixin, Sergey Lukianeno

AUGUST 18-20 **L.I.** LONG ISLAND WHO Holiday Inn Holtsville, NY Fan Run Who con <https://longislanddoctorwho.com/>
PAUL McGANN, Katy Manning, Frazer Hines, Jan Chappell, Catherine Schell, Gary Russell, John Peel

AUGUST 19 (20) **ONT** RUTHVEN IN WONDERLAND Ruthven Park National Historic Site, Cayuga, Ontario <https://www.ruthvenpark.ca/upcoming-events-programs>
"Alice in Wonderland meets Steampunk in this unique event. Enjoy live performances, craft show, food, musical entertainment, and more." rain date is Sun. Aug 20th.

AUGUST 20 & 22 **ALL** ANIME: PORCO ROSSO <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Porco-Rosso-Studio-Ghibli-Fest-2023>
"This unsung treasure from Academy Award® winner Hayao Miyazaki nestles a tale of morality and identity inside a soaring airborne adventure — a tribute to early aviation and the reckless flyboys whose home was the open sky. Set in a mid-war Italy swept by fascism, the film follows the life of Marco, a world-weary flying ace-turned bounty hunter who plies his trade above the waters of the Adriatic. Somewhere along the way a curse has transformed Marco's head into the head of a pig, reflecting his loss of faith in humanity. Marco meets his polar opposite in the innocent and energetic 17-year-old Fio, an aspiring airplane designer, and the two are catapulted into an airborne adventure pursued by air pirates, the Italian army, and an egotistical American flying ace. Miyazaki fans will be familiar with the writer/director's fascination with flight; in this film, Miyazaki indulges his passion to the fullest. An avid aviation buff, Miyazaki's airplane designs conform scrupulously to the technology of the period. But most

AUGUST 21 & 23 **ALL** ANIME: THE WIND RISES <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/The-Wind-Rises-Studio-Ghibli-Fest-2023>
" The most recent masterpiece from Academy Award®-winning filmmaker Hayao Miyazaki (Spirited Away) is a spellbinding movie beyond compare. Jiro dreams of flying and designing beautiful airplanes, inspired by the famous Italian aeronautical designer Caproni. Nearsighted and unable to be a pilot, he becomes one of the world's most accomplished airplane designers, experiencing key historical events in an epic tale of love, perseverance and the challenges of living and making choices in a turbulent world. Academy Award® nominee, Best Animated Feature Film of the Year, 2013" LOCAL: all four Regal Theatres, Elmwood, Walden, Transit, & Quaker

AUGUST 24-27 **T.O.** FAN EXPO CANADA Metro Toronto Conv Ctr, next to Skydome, downtown Toronto, Ontario Canada www.fanexpohq.com/fanexpocanada/
Zachary Levi, Christina Ricci, Anson Mount, Ethan Peck, Lana Parrilla, Vincent D'Onofrio, Bonnie Wright, Harvey Guillen, Emily Bett Rickards, Paul Walter Hauser, FRANK MILLER!, Jim Shooter, Sweeney Boo, Sam Raimi, Danny Trejo, Hayden Christiansen, Gwendoline Christie, Charlie Cox, Harvey Guillen, Chevy Chase, Dana Barron, Christie Brinkley, Anthony Micheal Hall, Jason Lee, Emily Brett Rickards, Paul Walter Hauser, Harvey Guillen, Peter Cullen, Ashley Eckstein, Shameik Moore, Jodi Benson, Kathleen Herles, James Arnold Taylor, Matt Lanter, Zach Aguilar, Ryan Colt Levy, Sarah Wiedenheft, Suzie Yeung, Megan Shipmen, Nataline Van Sistine, Ian Sinclair, J Michael Tatum, Brandon McInnis, Alexis Tipton,

AUGUST 25-27 **NM** BUBONICON 54 Albuquerque, NM <https://www.bubonicon.com/>

AUGUST 27 **BTC** BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING 49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo monthly BTC meeting [buffalotime council.org](http://buffalotime.council.org)

AUGUST 31- SEPT 4 **Atla** DRAGON CON Peachtree Ctr & Several hotels <https://www.dragoncon.org/>
JODIE WHITTAKER, MANDIP GILL, Nathan Fillion, Erin Gray, Phil LaMarr, Freddie Prinze Jr, Andy Serkis, Jewel Staite, Billy West, Toni Weisskopf, Chesea Quinn Yarbro
Jim Butcher, Robert J Sawyer, Keith R A DeCandido, Esther Friesner, Greg Hildebrandt, Sherrilyn Kenyon, Larry Niven, Jody Lynn Nye, Michael Stackpole, S M Stirling,

SEPT 1-3 **FLA** FANBOY EXPO ORLANDO Hyatt Regency, Orlando, FL <https://fanboyexpo.com/orlando/>
Kevin Eastman, John-Rhys Davies, Bin Furuya, Sarah Douglas, Jack O'Halloran, Mindy Cohn,

SEPT 15-17 **ONT** AMHERSTBURG UNCOMMON FESTIVAL 2023 Various sites Downtown Amherstburg (Windsor) visitamherstburg.ca/events
"FREE Event ~ September 15 4-10pm, 16 12-10pm and 17 12-6pm, One of the most anticipated events of the year! Dress up in your favorite wizardry or steampunk cosplay and join us for a weekend filled with fun! Expect more buskers, live performances, games, downtown businesses open to serve you and wackier –than - ever fun filled days.

SEPT 15-17 **Wash** CREATION - VAMPIRE DIARIES / ORIGINALS OFFICAL REUNION Washington, DC <https://www.creationent.com/calendar.htm>

SEPT 15-17 **Albt** EDMONTON EXPO Expo Ctr, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada <http://www.edmontonexpo.com>

SEPT 16 **ONT** ROYAL MEDIEVAL FAIRE Waterloo Park West, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada <https://www.royalmedievalfaire.org/>

SEPT 16-17 **Roch** FLOWER CITY COMIC CON Total Sports Experience, 880 Elmgrove Rd, Rochester, NY 14624 <http://www.fc3roc.com>
Charisma Carpenter, Karyn Parsons, Julian Richings, Kris Holden-Ried, Sweetheart Harley, Melanie Muses

SEPT 21-23 **UT** FAN X SALT LAKE COMIC CON Salt Palace Conv Ctr, Salt Lake City, UTAH <https://fanxsaltlake.com/>
David Morrissey, Mark Shepperd, Wm, Shatner, Brent Spiner, Tim Daly, Ron Pearlman, Steven Amell, Vincent D'Onofrio, John DeLancie, Steven Weber, Kevin Smith, Tara Strong

SEPT 22-24 **OR** ROSE CITY COMIC CON Oregon Conv Ctr, Portland, OR <https://rosecitycomiccon.com/>
JODIE WHITTAKER, MANDIP GILL, Mark Shepperd, Felica Day, 8 cast members from 'Critical Role'

SEPT 23-27 **ALL** ANIME HOWL'S MOVING CASTLE <https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Howls-Moving-Castle-Studio-Ghibli-Fest-2023>

"From the legendary Studio Ghibli, creators of Spirited Away, and acclaimed director Hayao Miyazaki, comes the Academy Award®-nominated fantasy adventure for the whole family. Sophie, a quiet girl working in a hat shop, finds her life thrown into turmoil when she is literally swept off her feet by a handsome but mysterious wizard named Howl. The vain and vengeful Witch of the Waste, jealous of their friendship, puts a curse on Sophie and turns her into a 90-year-old woman. On a quest to break the spell, Sophie climbs aboard Howl's magnificent moving castle and into a new life of wonder and adventure. But as the true power of Howl's wizardry is revealed, Sophie finds herself fighting to protect them both from a dangerous war of sorcery that threatens their world. Featuring the voice talents of Lauren Bacall, Christian Bale, Billy Crystal, Blythe Danner, Emily Mortimer and Jean Simmons." LOCAL: all four Regal Theatres: Elmwood, Walden, Transit, & Quaker

SEPT	23-24	HamI	HAMILTON COMIC CON	Cdn Warplane Museum, 9280 Airport Rd, Mt Hope, ONTARIO		https://hamiltoncomiccon.com/
				Erik Estrada, Larry Wilcox, Dmitrius Bistrevsky, Abdullah the Butcher,		
SEPT	24	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
OCTOBER	12-15	NYC	NEW YORK COMIC CON	Javits Ctr, midtown Manhattan, New York, NY		https://www.newyorkcomiccon.com/
				DAVID TENNANT, JODIE WHITTAKER, KAREN GILLAN, Chris Evans, Ewan McGregor, Chris Claremont, John Carpenter, Jess Harnell, Katee Sackhoff, Kathy Najimy, Micheal Rooker, Rob Paulsen, Ron Perlman, Sean Gunn, Shameik Moore, Tim Curry, Zachary Levi,		
OCT	20-22	TX	DALLAS FAN FEST	Irving Conv Ctr, Irving, TX		http://www.dallasfanfest.com
OCT	22-23	ALL	FILM: THE BIRDS!	60TH Anniversary re-release		https://www.fathomevents.com/events/The-Birds-60th-Anniversary/theaters
				"Alfred Hitchcock's The Birds is an unforgettable masterpiece that is considered one of the most terrifying films from the Master of Suspense. When beautiful, blonde Melanie Daniels (Tippi Hedren) travels to Bodega Bay in pursuit of eligible bachelor Mitch Brenner (Rod Taylor), she is inexplicably attacked by a seagull. Suddenly, thousands of birds begin to flock into town, preying on schoolchildren and residents in a terrifying series of attacks. Mitch and Melanie must fight for their lives against a deadly force that cannot be explained or stopped in this film that makes you want to "hold onto something & watch!" LOCAL: Regal, Elmwood, Walden, Transit, Quaker; and the Amherst 3.		
OCT	22-29	SEA!	SCI-FI SEA CRUISE	Port Canaveral, Florida to Cozumel, Roatan, Puerto Maya & Coco Cay		www.scificruise.com
				Aboard Royal Caribbean's Wonder of the Seas (World's largest cruise ship) Sylvester McCoy, Frazier Hines, Eric Roberts, Eliza Roberts		
OCT	22	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
OCT	26-29	K.C.	WORLD FANTASY CON 2023	Sheraton @ Crown Ctr., Kansas City, MO	HUGE fan-run event	www.wfc2023.org
				Kij Johnson, Elizabeth Leggett, Vincent Villafranca		
OCT	27-29	N.F.	FRIGHTMARE IN THE FALLS	Scotia Bank Conv Ctr, 6815 Stanley Ave, Niagara Falls, ONTARIO		https://frightmareinthefalls.com/
				Ron Pearlman, Corey Feldman, Camilla More, Carey More, Erich Anderson, Kimberley Beck, Craig David Dowsett,		
OCTOBER	28	WNY	ROCKIN HALLOWEEN HAUNTFEST	The Backlot Entertainment Venue, 11891 Main Rd, Akron NY		https://www.thebacklotwny.com/events/
				"Let the spooky season commence. Come enjoy live music from Hair Nation & Envy's Mixtape. There will be a \$1,000 costume contest grand prize with several runner ups. Categories to be judges include scariest, most creative, funniest, & most original. Winners from each category will proceed to the final round for the grand prize. The audience will be the judge. On top of live music we will have some of WNY's finest food trucks as well as several local vendors. Parking is FREE."		
OCT 28 - NOV 1		ALL	ANIME SPIRITED AWAY	https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Spirited-Away-Studio-Ghibli-Fest-2023		
				"Winner of the Academy Award® for Best Animated Feature, Hayao Miyazaki's wondrous fantasy adventure is a dazzling masterpiece from one of the most celebrated filmmakers in the history of animation. Chihiro's family is moving to a new house, but when they stop on the way to explore an abandoned village, her parents undergo a mysterious transformation and Chihiro is whisked into a world of fantastic spirits ruled over by the sorceress Yubaba. Put to work in a magical bathhouse for spirits and demons, Chihiro must use all her wits to survive in this strange new place, find a way to free her parents and return to the normal world. Overflowing with imaginative creatures and thrilling storytelling, Spirited Away became a worldwide smash hit, and is one of the most critically-acclaimed films of all time." LOCAL: All 4 Regal Theatres		
NOV	12	T.O.	CANADIAN TOY CON	Burlington Holiday Inn, 3063 South Service Rd, Burlington, Ont, Cda		www.toycon.ca
NOV	12	T.O.	WIZARD SCHOOL & YULE BALL	Burlington Holiday Inn, 3063 South Service Rd, Burlington, Ont, Cda		www.gtacons.com
NOV	24-26	Chic	CHICAGO TARDIS	Westin Chicago/Lombard Htl,	big Dr Who con	https://www.chicagotardis.com
				PETER DAVISON, COLIN BAKER, SYLVESTER McCOY, Frazer Hines, Michael Troughton, Jason Haigh-Ellery		
NOV	24-26	S.F.	FAN EXPO SAN FRANCISCO	Moscone Ctr., San Francisco		fanexposanfrancisco.com
NOV	26	BTC	BUFFALO TIME COUNCIL MEETING	49 Greenwood Pl, Buffalo	monthly BTC meeting	buffalotime council.org
DECEMBER	1-3	OH	GALAXYCON COLUMBUS	Columbus Conv Ctr, Columbus, OH		https://galaxycon.com/pages/columbus

NO DECEMBER 2023 MEETING FOR B.T.C. INSTEAD TWO MEETINGS AGAIN IN JANUARY 2024 MONDAY JAN 1, AND SUNDAY JAN 28, 2024

JANUARY	5-7	Nola	FAN EXPO NEW ORLEANS	Morial Conv, Ctr, New Orleans.		fanexponeworleans.com
JANUARY	12-14	Minn	CONSOLE ROOM YEAR 11	Hilton @ Mall of America, Bloomington (Minneapolis), MN		http://console-room.com/
				SYLVESTER McCOY, Matt Everkoul, Chris Hawton		
JANUARY	12-14	OR	FAN EXPO PORTLAND	Oregon Conv Ctr, Portland, OR		fanexpoportland.com
FEBRUARY	16-18	L.A.	GALLIFREY ONE'S MIRACLE ON 34TH STREET	Marriott @ L.A airport		https://www.gallifreyone.com/
FEBRUARY	17-19	Vanc	FAN EXPO VANCOUVER	Vancouver Conv Ctr, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada		fanexpovancouver.com
MARCH	15-17	T.O.	TORONTO COMICON	Metro Toronto Conv. Ctr; Toronto, Ontario, Canada		https://fanexpohq.com/comicontoronto/
MARCH 29 - APRIL 1		Colo	COSTUME CON 42	Hyatt Regency Htl, Aurora, Colorado		
APRIL	12-14	Clev	FAN EXPO CLEVELAND	Huntington Conv Ctr, Cleveland, Ohio		http://www.fanexpocleveland.com/
APRIL	25-28	Calg	CALGARY FAN EXPO	Calgary Stampede Park, Calgary, Alberta, Canada		calgaryexpo.com
MAY	3-5	Phil	FAN EXPO PHILADELPHIA	PA. Conv Ctr		fanexpophildadelphia.com
JUNE	7-9	Dall	FAN EXPO DALLAS	Hutchinson Conv Ctr, Dallas, TX		fanexpodallas.com
NOT OFFICAL YET , but so far it's the only public bid					NOTE: NEW DATES ANNOUNCED!	
JULY	18-21	Buff	NASFI! The North American Science Fiction Convention	Buffalo Conv Ctr & Hyatt Htl, BUFFALO		https://buffalonasfic2024.org/
JULY 26 - AUG 08		PA	PENNSIC WAR	Cooper's Lake Campground, Slippery Rock, PA	SCA annual warfare	http://www.pennsicwar.org/

AUGUST	8-12	Scot	GLASGOW WORLDCON 2024 Scottish Events Campus, Glasgow, Scotland,UK Nnedi Okorafor, Chris Baker, Claire Brialey, Mark Plummer, Terri Windling, Ken MacLeod	https://glasgow2024.org/
AUGUST	23-25	NM	BUBONICON 54 Albuquerque, NM	https://www.bubonicon.com/
OCTOBER	16-20	N.F.	WORLD FANTASY CON Niagara Falls Conv Ctr, Old Falls St, Niagara Falls, NY USA	https://wfc2024.org/