

The Patchwork Post

May 26th
Saturday Evening

Stitching the News Together One Issue at a Time

Makers' Workshops

Saturday

9:00 PM to 10:00 PM
Adult Coloring Fort

Sunday

10:00 AM to 10:30 AM
Open Crafting

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM
Patchwork Beads

12:30 PM to 1:30 PM
Crochet Geek

1:30 PM to 3:30 PM
T-Shirt Pillows

3:30 PM to 5:00 PM
Victorian Crochet

5:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Dinner Break

7:00 PM to 8:30 PM
Ruffled Scarves

9:00 PM to 10:00 PM
Adult Coloring Fort

Fluxx Tournament

Dislike rules? Think you're the best at making new ones? Fluxx Tournament in Gaming, 7:00 PM tonight!

Burlesque

10 PM • Convene

Youth Dance

8 PM • Synergy 4

JDRF Charity Auctions

BayCon 2018 Charity Coordinator, Greg Friedman, held the first of two charity auctions today, after the successful charity casino the night before (\$297 today!). Today's signature item was a reprint of the original Toon Town poster for Disneyland, and the auction itself earned \$1,082 for JDRF!

Tomorrow's charity auction features a one-of-a-kind quilt of past BayCon T-Shirts.

Head over to Connect 3 at 10:00 AM tomorrow to support the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation!



A quilt and a couple of co-chairs

Saturday Night Receptions

The receptions last night were amazing! Check out what we have in store tonight. Take the gold elevators up to the 3rd floor to begin your journey:

- "A Bear's Picnic", Room 3147
- Red Room, 3049
- Chaos Wolf, 3053
- Con Suite, Room 3126
- Oasis, Room 3022
- Fanzine Lounge, Room 3069

And at 12 Midnight in Convene, come see the cast of Barely Legal and guest stars perform the Rocky Horror Picture Show!



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Submission Deadline for
Issue #5 (Sunday):

9:00 AM

Dealers Room Discoveries

The free photo booth in the Dealers Room provides a full-size print and a file suitable for social media.

The hot new game, according to Santa Clara's Isle of Gamers, is Legion, a Star Wars miniatures world. Among card games, the Final Fantasy card game is sparking interest in bored Magic: The Gathering players.

Author Dorian Graves is attending her first BayCon. For her past enrollment at Mills College and her family in the Bay Area, it's a homecoming, she said, while the publication of her first novel didn't coincide with convention schedules in Oregon. *Bones and Bourbon* puts two brothers — one possessed by a necromancer, the other a bounty hunter under a fairy curse — on opposite sides of a supernatural case. Also: carnivorous unicorns.

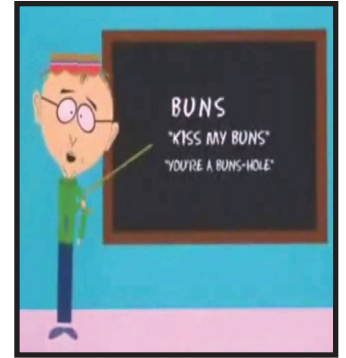
"South Park" Franchise a Crux at the Adult Cartoons Panel

The "From Fritz the Cat to Rick and Morty: Adult Cartoons" panel often returned to "South Park" for its pertinence to the sub-topic of the minute.

"South Park" was cited for normalizing a cultural tone deemed unacceptable to an earlier generation, but did "The Simpsons" do it already (the SP episode "The Simpsons' Did It" suggests the Fox show did *everything* before SP thought to touch it)? Or was it the live-action "The Honeymooners" (from which the first primetime cartoon "The Flintstones" was derived)?

When is it a good idea to allow children to watch "South Park"? "It was an awkward moment: I was a 'South Park' fan and then I had a kid", said panelist Derek McCaw, editor/host of Fanboy Planet website/podcast.

McCaw cited Roger Ebert's review of "South Park: Bigger, Longer, and Uncut" that said the 1999 movie (in which self-parody enables satire of parental reaction to the movie-within-the-movie that's based on the show-within-the-show) was the best anti-censorship movie in decades, while his son wasn't allowed to play the SP "Sticks of Truth" game until he was a teenager.



Become a Starship Captain

BayCon 2018 continues the tradition of devoting function space to the multiplayer starship bridge simulator, Artemis. Join Admiral Albert C. Baker III of the TSN Dawn Treader and his steadfast crew as you experience what it is like to crew an Artemis-class light cruiser, defending the sector, engaging in tactical combat maneuvers, and exploring this part of space.

The crew is on hand to answer any questions, and basic operating instructions will be provided for all ship systems to any new cadets who are unfamiliar with the Artemis.

Flights will be in 55-minute blocks and can be found in Connect 5. They are open today until 10:00 PM and will reopen tomorrow at Noon to 10:00 PM.



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