

**General Meeting of Altonimbus Entertainment**  
**Sunday, April 26, 2009**  
**Gaiser Hall, Clark College, Vancouver, Washington**

Meeting called to order at 1:25 PM by the President, Beau Gentry.

At the opening of the meeting, 25 staff members were attending.

**Minutes**

No corrections were made to the minutes from March 22, 2009.

**Reports**

Secretary: Bylaws Revision Committee has a draft ready for attorney review before it is posted to the forum for discussion.

Treasurer: \$39K in checking. Sign up by emailing Brownie if you are planning to attend the staff retreat.

Programming: Art Show Coordinator needed, as well as cosplay staff and gaming staff. May 16 we are taking some console gaming to Salem for DICE at Chemeketa. In August we are doing the block party with Portland Library; we need volunteers pre- and at- event for cat ears. Save the date: July 18 for another dance; more info to come.

Publicity: Uwajimaya festival yesterday went well and generated about 45 attendee registrations. We are doing sponsorship with Dragon Moon festival June, July, and August (first weekend). We will do art, cosplay, and AMV; express interest to J Tyrrill. Newsletter still needs folks willing to provide content.

Facilities: son born April 1. Has started contract negotiations for Con 2011. Staff room block is not entirely full: to get yours, book at the con-rate, then email info to [hotel@kumoricon.org](mailto:hotel@kumoricon.org). We've filled 454 of 820 room nights for the con-rate block.

President: Made contacts at Sakura-Con with Mike, Roy, The Slants, and Anime Hunters. Sak had positive growth, in spite of wonky economy.

Outreach: For ~~March~~ **May** 9-10 at OIT in Klamath Falls, we need 2-3 people or else we'll have to cancel. We'll be taking down some video games.

Operations: Will be sending next batch of badges next month now that new printer ribbons have been obtained. Yojimbo has 6 signed up, 28 interested as of April 24. Will be updating Yoji policies once Hotel policies have been obtained. Looking for a volunteer manager; volunteer mailing list should be ready in the next few days.

Vice: No report

Relations: No solid news to report.

### **Unfinished Business**

No unfinished business held over from last meeting.

### **New Business**

No new business presented.

### **Good of the Order 1:38**

G Letourneou requested (and received) a volunteer to learn/intern making AMV for closing ceremony.

B Gentry spoke to recruiting staff. He also spoke to the Customer Service aspects of staffing a convention: please remember that attendees are customers, and we want them to love Kumoricon as much as we do; “please” and “thank you” go a long way.

### **Upcoming Meetings**

<b>General Staff Meetings 1:00 pm</b>	<b>Location</b>
Sunday, May 17	Eugene
<i>Sunday, June 7</i>	<i>CANCELLED</i>
<b>June 12-14: Staff Retreat</b>	<b>Fireside Retreat</b>
Saturday, July 11	Salem
Sunday, August 9	Portland
Saturday, August 22	Portland
<b>September 5-7: Kumoricon</b>	<b>Portland</b>

Meeting adjourned to breakouts at 1:41 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

K Jo Ayers  
Secretary 2009