

**Kumoricon / Altonimbus Entertainment**  
**General Meeting of the Membership on June 15, 2013**  
**Hilton Vancouver Washington – 301 W 6th St, Vancouver, WA 98660**

**Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 1:27pm by T.J. Stinson.

At the opening of the meeting, 53 members were present out of 192 total, with 30 needed to reach quorum. Quorum was met.

**Approval of Minutes**

The minutes from the general meeting of the membership of May 19, 2013 were approved without objection.

**Reports**

**T.J. Stinson, Chair**

- If ordered staff dogtags, will be available next meeting.
- At end of meeting, will be a staff orientation for new staff, with my assistant Phillip Koop.

**Jason Tewksbury, Vice Chair**

- Custom staff badge images are due August 1.
- Staff badge designs completed.
- Looking for Registration Staff and Member Services Staff. Talk to me, Chris, or Brian.

**Jeff Tyrill, Secretary**

- Working on some corporate issues that can't announce yet.

**Barbara Hunt, Treasurer**

Not present.

**Ally Fields, Facilities Liaison**

- Can send requests for staff rooms. Find four staff total who will be in the room. Send list of their names, staff positions, and hotel room confirmation number to [hotel@kumoricon.org](mailto:hotel@kumoricon.org). If don't have four total staff, hold on to the information. Once we exhaust requests from those who have four in room, will call for requests for those with less. Want to first fill rooms with most staff to get as many staff the staff rate as possible.
- If you have not yet booked your room, do so now. Rooms going fast.

- Can search for roommates on the forums, Facebook group, or staff meetings.
- If you have a room booked at the Red Lion, are guaranteed staff rate. Doesn't matter how many staff are in the room.
- Staff rate at Red Lion is \$80/night. At Hilton, \$85/night.
- July meeting, handled by Treasury department, will be at Woodmansee Park on July 13, 1pm. Will be barbecue. Aug. 4 is final meeting to sign up for staff.
- Strongly advised for all staff to attend Aug. 4 and Aug. 17 meetings. At two hotels, lot of information.

### **Wes Cox, Director of Operations**

- Manager and Coordinator meeting after reports.
- Looking for Operations Office Staff, Yojimbo Staff, Yojimbo Roaming Staff, and Con Suite Staff.

### **Jaki Hunt, Director of Programming**

- Still accepting staff. Desperately need Video Gaming Staff and Tabletop Staff.
- AMV Contest still accepting submissions.
- Cosplay Contest still accepting entries. Especially need skits.
- As staff, can participate in contests as long as it doesn't interfere with duties. Check with your coordinator, manager, or director.
- Looking for Karaoke Contest sign-ups.
- Cosplay Chess, Art Show, Fanfic Contest and Fan Art Contest submissions will be posted shortly.
- Guy Letourneau, AMV Coordinator, reported:
  - Fewer submissions this year, but don't know for sure until about 3 weeks before the deadline. Have about 20 submissions.
  - Moving judges' panel back to Aug 3.
  - Deadline unchanged at July 24.
- See me at breakouts about content.

### **Teph Williams, Director of Publicity**

- Looking for Merchandise Staff. Talk to cosplayers, sell merchandise.
- Looking for staff to be in Press Office.
- Looking for volunteers for Salem World Beat Festival, June 29-30.
- Cait, Video Coordinator, is looking to do interviews with Kumoricon staff as part of a YouTube video. Email [cait7@pdx.edu](mailto:cait7@pdx.edu), [publicity@kumoricon.org](mailto:publicity@kumoricon.org), or contact Kumoricon on Facebook.
- Unfortunately don't have meeting buttons this month. Available hopefully next month. Definitely at least first August meeting.

### **Sarah Paige, Director of Relations**

- Artists Alley submissions open for another two weeks. Good response so far. Not first-come, first-served. Lightly juried selection.
- Exhibitors on hold. Waiting list is two years, getting longer. Email us sooner rather than later to be placed on it.
- As always, looking for local businesses interested in participating in Kumoricon. If know of any, talk to me at breakouts.
- If you're a marketing major or have a degree, or the same for business, I have a very specialized project that I've been trying to do for a couple of years. Need somebody with technical know-how to help me put it together. Can potentially get college credit through Kumoricon.

### **Unfinished Business**

No unfinished business.

### **New Business**

No new business.

### **Good of the Order**

Andy Sugiyama reported: Very desperately short on RPG Staff. Looking for GMs for Tabletop games. Talk to Jaki.

Spencer Samuels reported: I run the Kumori Ball. Looking for people who want to help host the Kumori Ball. If have any experience dancing that isn't just flailing arms and looking cool with a glow stick, please talk to me.

### **Rant and Rave**

No rant and rave.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 1:47pm by T.J.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Tyrill, Secretary