

Quorum Count



30 needed to reach quorum Altonimbus members (2022 or 2021 staff)

CHOOSE ONE:

Discord: Click "present" button pinned in the #meeting-chat (wait for bot to respond)

Twitch: Please send "!present" in chat

Open Mic near end of meeting

Hi!



You must join the Public Discord to participate: Link in Twitch chat Click Discord icon on kumoricon.org (top right)

Approval of Minutes

For approval today:

March 13, 2022

with additional corrections (repeated because didn't have quorum last meeting)

April 2, 2022

Meeting minutes can always be found at www.kumoricon.org/meetings

Chair

Charity | Staff & Attendee Services

Charmaine Martinez

she/any said respectfully



Jacob and Brian have been getting balls rolling - Thank you! •

I am (not) alone :D



- Involved with Sakura-Con
- April ended up being a down month for Chair
- May will be a planning month for Chair
 Meeting with assistant-to
 - Meeting with charity

Infrastructure

Facilities | Infrastructure Inter-Department Liaisons | IT | Hotels | KumoriMarket | Infrastructure Office

Director: Ash/Bunny (She/Her)

Kumoricon Twitch mod: FieryAshes - Discord: FieryAshes#1767



We are hiring in all our subdepartments!

We have been working very hard on processing all of the applicants for space in the KumoriMarket, lots of exciting applicants this year.

Hotels should be open very soon, we are sorry for the delay.

Hope everyone is staying safe and healthy!



Membership

Attendee Registration | Con Suite | Cosplay Repair | Registration Software Development | Specialty Registration | Staff Registration

Director of Membership Charly Youravish [They/Them]



What has membership been up to?

- Answering email
- Planning
- Training and a little more retraining
- Just trying to keep it together



Total 2022 pre-registrations so far 2259 Kumoricon has hired 151 staff

We need staff!

- Kumori Staff station (Con Suite)
- Cosplay repair
- Registration hall
- Reg software development
- Accessibility



Operations

Director of Chaos 2021 and now returning for a second round: Yaz (She/They) + The Assistant Directors, Ange & Nolan



TEAMWORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK ON THE OPERATIONS TEAM!



- We work behind the scenes, helping everything go smoothly
- We always need more feet on the ground.
- Our main divisions in Ops are Yojimbo (general), Hitsujikai (line management), Peace-Bonding, Dispatch, and Office
- For those interested in a remote option, Dispatch may be a good fit.
- To get in touch with questions or to sign up, email us at operations@kumoricon.org

Programming Steven Garcia (He/Him) Discord: Dreglor#7677



What we've been up to

- Panel Applications are now open.
- Hiring Staff... like a lot of staff and we are still looking for more! If you're interested in staffing 0 you can meet us on the Official Kumoricon Discord server in the #Programming voice channel after the stream. Preparing old and new events for this year.



Publicity

Design & Publications | Discord | Info Booth | Marketing | Merchandise | Multimedia | Press | Social Media | Twitch Mods | Website

Panda Rushford [She/Her] Assistants Missa Fleck [she/her] and Mariona Gates [she/her]



See you next time!



Relations

Guests | Guest Hospitality | Industry | Autographs

Amber Feldman (she/her)

Assistant Directors: Brianna Campbell and Heather Holland! (she/her) (she/her)



Guests Updates

- 8 more Guests announced!
- Cherami Leigh, Bryce Papenbrook, Ray Chase, Max Mittelman, Robbie Daymond, Caleb Hyles, Kaiji Tang, Anne Yatco
- There's a handful more, including cosplay guests, musical guests, DJs, and even a few more voice actors.
 - As always, we want to hear from you; guest requests, feedback, etc.





Other Relations Updates: What've We Been Up To?





- Hiring; still hiring for many positions, including Guest Liaisons, drivers, industry staff, autograph staff, etc. Come join us!
- Developing some trainings for our staff
- Expanding industry goals; we have some exciting goals and hope to bring you some awesome industry offerings
 Partner Table applications will be released soon, so if you want to apply, keep an eye out.

Secretary

Tracy Creel She/Her Assistant Directors: Jeff Tyrrill(He/Him) & Tanis Nikana(She/Her)



Training our second Assistant Secretary Working on motion templates for exec meetings



Treasurer

Matt Rushford (He/Him)



Money in, money out! (Come be staff!)



Outreach

Brian Mathews (He/Him)



Sakura-Con happened!

- Over the weekend, we talked to 323 people! About 24% hadn't heard of us.
- We sold 69 pre-registrations!
- We made nearly triple the amount of non-registration merch income compared to 2019!
- We experienced a *lot* of goodwill for Kumo at the booth! Thank you!



Next Up:

- Chibi Chibi Con May 21 at Evergreen College, WA
- Portland Pride Waterfront Festival June 12 June 19 at Waterfront Park

Keep your eyes on your email and discord for booth opportunities!



Want to join Staff but not sure what you want to do? Visit https://www.kumoricon.org/open-positions to read about all the positions we have available

Know what you want to do or need some help making a decision? Visit https://www.kumoricon.org/staff-application to apply or take a small survey so we can help you figure out what to go.

STAFF

JOIN

Good of the Order!



Did you know - Excerpts from the staff manual

How to get help

If you're in a difficult situation at the convention and need assistance, please request help to assist you. If you have a radio, please call for help on the dispatch channel. You can call or text your supervisor or a fellow staff on your team. If this is not an option, you can even see if a nearby staff member is available who can make contact for you, or send a message to the Operations Office.

Kumoricon uses the Code Adam missing-child program that is used in many retail stores. In case of a missing child at the convention, Yojimbo and other select, trained staff will carry out this procedure. Designated on-duty staff will systematically search the convention area by area and keep track of the progress of the search, including involving police if necessary. In the overwhelming majority of cases, this quickly locates the missing child. If a Yojimbo who is carrying out Code Adam requests your assistance, please follow their instructions if your staff duties allow for it.

Before the convention, if you need help, you can email or call your supervisor or director. If you're having an issue and need somebody else to talk to, you can also contact another board member, the Chair, or Vice Chair.

Many basic pieces of information can be found at the public website, including the convention code of conduct, the staff policies, registration prices, the full convention schedule, a list of guests of honor, and archived copies of previous years' websites.

https://www.kumoricon.org/staff-manual

Good of the Order is accepting submissions! You can email good.of.the.order@kumoricon.org!

FORM IS LIVE!



Workgroup for recruiting staff for Kumoricon! Have to be current Kumoricon Staff Best if you have Discord Focusing on schools:

High schools, colleges, universities

Best to network with clubs, groups, and school staff if you already have those connections!

https://www.kumoricon.org/school-recruiting-workgroup-interest



May 15th, 16th, and 18th

FATHOM C

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Anime **Movie Minute**



SANMA AKASHIYA PRESENTS FORTUNE FAVORS **JUNE 2**

STUDIONO FATHOM



Season 2



A NETELIX SERIES Dampire The Granden

MAY 16 | NETFLIX



Shows This Season:



Ya Boy Kongming! (HiDive)



(HiDive)

Mental Health Awareness Month!



Open Time!

If you have questions/comments/anything to bring up:

• Be in the public Discord, and use the "raise hand" icon.



A moderator will invite you to the stage, and you have to accept.You're live!

VIP Membership

Continuing a long tradition, Kumoricon is pleased to continue offering VIP membership for a royal convention experience.

For the first time, we are excited to offer three levels of VIP membership for Kumoricon 2022!

Cumulus Offered at \$250 Cumulus VIP membership offers our classic VIP benefits,

Priority convention check-in at the VIP and Accessibility Booth

- 2-week early access to purchase entry to any of Kumoricon's ticketed events
- Priority entry into the KumoriMarket

including:

- Discounted prices at the Kumoricon merchandise booth
- Priority entry to all events held in these rooms: Main Events. Coliseum, Auditorium, Live Events
- Hold more reservations at a time than regular attendees for reservation-based events
- One "jump the line" pass per day for any chosen event, excluding autograph signings

Cumulus VIP members will receive a special gift bag:

- Kumoricon souvenir VIP badge
- Limited edition Kumoricon lanyard
- Kumoricon VIP badge ribbon
- Kumoricon VIP T-shirt
- · Kumoricon-branded merchandise items
- A small assortment of Japanese-themed gift or food items

Altocumulus Offered at \$450

Altocumulus VIP membership offers our classic VIP benefits, including:

- Priority convention check-in at the VIP and Accessibility Booth
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Altocumulus VIP membership also includes:

- · Passes to all free guest autograph signings
- No-cost coupons to two (2) paid guest autograph signings (member's choice, subject to availability)

Cumulonimbus

Offered at \$600

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- 2-week early access to purchase entry to any of Kumoricon's ticketed events
- Priority entry into the KumoriMarket
- Discounted prices at the Kumoricon merchandise booth
- Priority entry to all events held in these rooms: Main Events, Coliseum, Auditorium, Live Events
- Hold more reservations at a time than regular attendees for reservation-based events
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Cumulonimbus VIP membership also includes:

- Passes to all free guest autograph signings
- No-cost coupons to one autograph signing for each paid guest (subject to availability)
- Basic entry to Kumoricon's ticketed events (limited to one session of each event type; must be age 21 or over to attend alcohol tasting sessions; event-specific dress code may be required)

