

## Quorum Count



30 needed to reach quorum

## **Approval of Minutes**

August 7, 2021

Find August 7 and earlier minutes and slide shows at https://www.kumoricon.org/meetings

# Chair Brian Mathews [He/Him]



- I don't ever have a lot to report! A big part of my job is helping other people do theirs.
- Charity Auction / Art Show submissions have been open for a bit!
- We're changing our food drive recipient this year to Neighborhood House!
  - You can check them out at https://nhpdx.org/





- We're still a long way away from con, and a lot can happen.
- That said, we know people will want to prepare and don't want to make any announcements RIGHT before con.
- We hope to have answers for you all in September.
- We've already been making plans on plans on plans, we're going to be watching the next couple of months very carefully and see what we need to keep you all safe. :)



# Infrastructure Bunny (She/Her)





- Infrastructure has a lot to do right now, since they took over IT and KumoriMarket!
- If you wanna come help out on lots of cool projects, consider coming to join staff!





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

Jessica Ulibarri {she/her}: Director of Membership





Please email registration@kumoricon.org we can confirm if you are or not.



### Take advantage of Kumoricon's Educational Group Discounted Membership

Kumoricon is happy to announce that we will once again be offering group discounts to nonprofit educational youth groups! These include organizations like school anime clubs, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Boys & Girls Clubs, groups that are a part of a larger nonprofit organization (like a school or church), or other nonprofit organizations working with those that age 18 or under.

Group qualifications are listed at www.kumoricon.org/group-discount. Please don't be afraid to apply even if you are unsure if you qualify. Each group will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis when they apply. Groups must apply by Saturday, October 2, 2021. We will not accept any applications after this deadline or at the door. Group discounts are limited to eligible, qualifying organizations.

### Register for Kumoricon 2021

#### Some perks of pre-registering:

- Save money and time
- Check in on Thursday (Day 0)
- Shorter wait time in line & quicker check-in
- Custom fan name
- 3 fun filled days at Kumoricon



#### 2021 Registration Numbers (as of 11 am)

**General Attendee: 2816** 

VIP Attendee: 40



# JOIN



# STAFF

#### Attendee Registration



Cosplay Repair

Con Suite









membership@kumoricon.org to inquire about a position

#### Staff Registration 🗇



**Specialty Registration** 



**Registration Development** 





#### WE'RE STILL HIRING BRAVE SOULS TO JOIN OUR RANKS!



- 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

Devin He/Him Scobie#3041



### What are we up to?

- Panel application is now closed. Notification of acceptance will be after labor day (Sept 6th).
- AMV Contest: Open through Aug 31
- Cosplay Contest: Almost ready
- Cosplay Lip Sync Showdown: In progress
- Fan Art Contest: Open through Nov 6
- Fan Fiction Contest: Open through Oct 29
- Gunpla Model Competition: In progress
- Karaoke Contest: In progress



### Come join us on Twitch!



















Penguin

Tuesday



Panda





Steven-Senpai



Friday

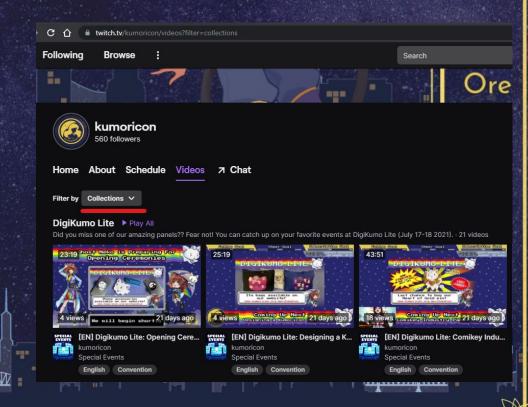
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Schedule is posted monthly on the public Discord in #kumo-twitch-stream

#### Did you miss DigiKumo Lite??

We have a clip collection on the Kumoricon Twitch channel that contains all the events.

It will stay there until we can get these videos posted to YouTube.



# Publicity

Panda Rushford [She/Her]





- Marketing Manager
- Photography Coordinator
- Plot Bunnies
- Newsletter Staff
- Social Media Staff
- Merchandise Staff
- Photographers
- Videographers
- Press Office Staff
- Publicity Office Staff







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Pins available on our website!

www.kumoricon.org/merchandise





# Secretary

Tracy Creel She/Her

Watching and waiting.
Stay safe, do your part.



# **NOW HIRING Assistant Secretary**

#### What you'll do:

- Take minutes during exec and gen meetings
- Policy and bylaws updates
- Research

#### Perks:

- Free membership
- Looks great on a resume
- Executive level position
- Pre-con work only, have con free to play



Interested? Email secretary@kumoricon.org or go to https://www.kumoricon.org/open-positions and search for **Assistant Secretary** (it's close to the bottom)

### Treasurer

Jo Ayers, they/them





Also, we paid for ASCAP licensing this month, and we're paying for insurance tomorrow







## Outreach Committee



# Looking for volunteers for Rose City Comic Con!



SEPT 10-12, 2021 | OREGON CONVENTION CENTER | PORTLAND, OR



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(email submissions to good.of.the.order@kumoricon.org)



#### **Gender awareness**



Kumoricon strives to be a welcoming place for individuals of all gender identities. As a part of this, the convention space at the Oregon Convention Center includes a gender neutral restroom, which can be used by anyone.

Choice of restroom is a sensitive decision for an individual. As a staff member, please do not initiate any conversation with an attendee or another staff member about choice of restroom. A person's gender identity may not be apparent from their appearance. If you have concerns about inappropriate behavior, please report it privately to the Operations Office, where a specially trained staff member can follow up.

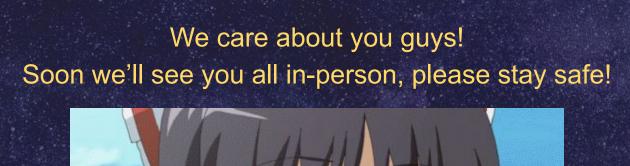
Also, please do not initiate any conversation with an attendee regarding perceived violations of our clothing and cosplay coverage policy, unless you have been specially trained to do this. Please report concerns to a nearby Yojimbo or the Operations Office. Staff members who have received this training will initiate conversation with the attendee in a sensitive and respectful manner.

# 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.







#### Also please get vaccinated if you're able!



(vaccines first, then partying)

https://getvaccinated.oregon.gov/

#### Anime Movie Minute!







#### Good Things Brian is Watching!

Akudama Drive (Funimation)

Case Study of Vanitas (Funimation)

Beastars Season 2 (Netflix)







#### Breakouts on the staff Discord after this

After the meeting is done, the following directors will be in their department voice chat. Please stop by and say hello!

Programming

