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### **Rose City Comic Con Announces Full Schedule of Events**

Three Days Packed with Special Guest Appearances, Industry Expert Panels, Exclusive Screenings, and More Fill the Oregon Convention Center September 14-15

Portland, OR (August 28, 2019) – Rose City Comic Con, Oregon's premier comic con, is proud to announce three days of programming complete with panels, workshops, celebrity appearances, and more, taking over the Oregon Convention Center from September 13-15. Family-friendly pavilion Rose City Jr, presented by the Toy Association, brings all-ages programming to its dedicated stage on the show floor. Read below for more details on who guests can see on the main stage as well as unique programing from Dark Horse Comics, Oni Press, Legendary Entertainment, LeakyCon and more. Attendees can start planning their Rose City Comic Con experience and view the full schedule online at: https://rosecitycomiccon.com/programming/.

Highlights from Rose City Comic Con 2019 include:

## **Celebrity & Comic Guests**

Hear from some of the biggest influencers from the world of pop culture and comic books at panels, screenings, Q&As, and more. For a full lineup of confirmed guests visit <a href="https://rosecitycomiccon.com/guest/">https://rosecitycomiccon.com/guest/</a>.

## Main Stage events include:

- The Office Cast (2:40PM September 13 Room 1)
- Weird Science Cast (4:10PM September 15 Room 1)
- Princess Bride Cast (12:50PM September 14 Room 1)
- Harry Potter Cast (2:15PM September 14 Room 1)
- Doctor Who Cast (5:15PM -- September 14 Room 1)
- Weird Al (5:00PM September 13 Room 1)
- Robert Enguld Q&A (6:10PM September 15—Room 1)
- SHAZAM'S Zachary Levi (11:30AM September 15 Room 1)

## **Dark Horse Comics**

- Artists Who Write: The Craft and Creation of Comics (2PM September 13—Room 6)
- Peeling Back the Layers: The Process of Bringing a Comic to Life (1PM September 14 Room
  6)
- Dark Horse Comics: Behind the Books (5PM September 14 Room 6)
- Dark Horse Mange (2PM September 15 Room 6)



## LeakyCon @ RCCC

Returning to the Oregon area for the first time since 2013, Harry Potter fans can revel in all the fun that LeakyCon's Wizarding Alley will bring to the 2019 Rose City Comic Con.

- Underappreciated Harry Potter Characters Hour (3:00PM September 13 Room 4)
- Parental Figures in Harry Potter (11:00AM September 14 Room 4)
- Women of the Harry Potter Series (4:00PM September 14 Room 4)
- 15 Harry Potter Topics in 50 Minutes (11AM September 15 Room 4)
- Harry, A History (12:30PM September 15 Room 5)

## **Rose City Jr**

Rose City Jr, powered by The Toy Association, provides hours of fun with entertaining and educational programs for fans of all ages, including interactive workshops with characters from hit shows, costume parades, an entire stage dedicated to kids programing and more.

- Kids Costume Parades (4:30PM September 14 & 12:30PM September 15 Rose City Jr Stage) Kids will have the chance to strut their stuff and show off over-the-top outfits in not just one but two costume parades inside Rose City Jr. Entry is limited to the first 30 registrants.
- National Wildlife Federation Animal Show with Naturalist David Mizejewski and animal ambassadors from the Oregon Zoo (1:30PM – September 14 – Rose City Jr Stage) Meet celebrity naturalist David Mizejewski of the National Wildlife Federation as he hosts an amazing wildlife showcase with Oregon Zoo animals from around the globe.
- Meet and Greet with Portland Thorns and Timber Joey (Rose City Jr. Meet & Greets)
  Meet players from the Portland Thorns and the official Portland Timbers mascot, Timber Joey on Saturday, September 14.

Portland Thorns Players - 2-3:30pm Timber Joey - 3-4:30pm

# **Legendary Entertainment**

• Legendary Comics and Beyond (4:00PM – September 14 –Room 6)

# **Community Based Programming**

Rose City Comic Con is committed to inclusivity and uplifting diverse voices in our community. Convention attendees can find programming dedicated to LGBTQ+, the disabled community, women in pop culture, and communities of color.

- Representation in Superhero Comics: Gail Simone and Seven Days (3PM September 13 Room 6)
- Magic Wheelchair: Inclusive Cosplay (1:30PM September 15 Room 3)

## **Additional Programming Highlights:**

- Crime DOES Pay: Modern Crime Comics and More! (11AM September 14 Room 6)
- Stumptown Premiere (3:25PM September 14 Room 1)
- Tales from The Long Con: (12PM September 15 Room 6)



<u>WEBSITE & MOBILE APP</u>: <a href="https://rosecitycomiccon.com/">https://rosecitycomiccon.com/</a> and the Rose City Comic Con app have the most up to date information and schedules. Find the app by searching for "Rose City Comic Con" in the App Store or Google Play Store.

## **SOCIAL MEDIA:**

Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/RoseCityCC/">https://www.facebook.com/RoseCityCC/</a>

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## **About Rose City Comic Con**

Founded in 2011, Rose City Comic Con quickly became Portland's largest and most diverse comics convention. Building from the strong, independent creative community in the city and combining well-known creators, celebrity guests, and cosplay enthusiasts in a family-friendly atmosphere, RCCC brings together a variety of passionate fans in one epic weekend.

### **About LeftField Media**

LeftField Media, LLC is an events company focused on developing face-to-face events in a range of communities rooted in contemporary culture and shared passion. LeftField was formed in 2014 by Greg Topalian (President, LeftField Media) and is now owned by Topalian and Clarion Events Ltd. With a keen sense of the evolving needs of businesses and their consumers, as well as new opportunities created by change, LeftField takes a clean slate approach to its work. LeftField's portfolio includes Awesome Con (awesomecon.com), Washington D.C.'s Comic Con; Rose City Comic Con (rosecitycomiccon.com), in Portland, O.R.; Big Easy Con (bigeasycon.com), in New Orleans, L.A.; and Anime NYC (animenyc.com), a Japanese pop culture festival in New York City. LeftField Media is headquartered in historic Trumbull, C.T. (leftfieldmedia.com).

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