

# 20 ANTHRO 24 NEW ENGLAND

IT'S A NOR'EASTAH!





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# 2024 FURCATIONLAND



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# WELCOME!

Batten down the hatches, charge the batteries, get the bread and milk - and welcome to ANE 2024: It's A Nor'Eastah at the beautiful Westin Boston Seaport District!

2023 was a wild ride; we were absolutely floored at how many of you joined us for our inaugural year at the Westin! ANE staff have been working on ways we can make our con offerings bigger and better - we appreciate you all for coming, and we want everything we do to reflect that in a huge way! Be sure to check the map for some layout changes, and the schedule for what's going on this year - we don't want you to miss out on any of the fun!

On the charity side, we're so excited to have Youth on Fire back with us for another year; for our animal charity this year, please give a warm welcome to Wings of the Dawn, a wildlife rehabilitation center located in New Hampshire! You can find information on how to support these wonderful organizations elsewhere in this book; please check out their panels and visit them in our Vendor Hall!

Last but not least - we are so honored to have been able to work with our three Guests of Honor this year; Woozie has brought his magic to the DJ side of things, while Isananika and Declan have contributed gorgeous art for our banners, badges, shirts, and con store offerings. We love and appreciate them very much and we hope you'll celebrate them loudly this weekend alongside us - check out their panels and their tables in the vendor hall!

Thanks for being here - let's ride out this storm together!  
And remember: Be good, and have fun!



**XXOO**

**Remy | ANE Con Chair**

# CHARITIES & AUCTIONS



## WINGS OF THE DAWN

Wings of the Dawn is an all-volunteer wildlife rehabilitation center and bird sanctuary in Heniniker, New Hampshire. The dedicated volunteers at Wings work to care for a variety of birds and small animals to provide the best care and rehabilitation with the goal of returning the once injured animal back to the wild.

Wings of the Dawn is dedicated to providing professional and humane care for all phases of wildlife rehabilitation, with an emphasis on bringing each animal back to the wild in a healthy state that will ensure their survival.



## YOUTH ON FIRE

Youth on Fire (YOF), a program of Fenway Health and AIDS Action, is a drop-in center for homeless and street-involved youth, ages 14-24, located in Harvard Square, Cambridge.

YOF provides youth experiencing homelessness supplies and resources to meet basic and urgent needs; age-appropriate services including on-site behavioral health and medical care through strengths-based case management, and safe and supportive relationships and a sense of community through activities, events, and groups. YOF also partners with community and civic organizations, local businesses, public officials and advocacy groups to address the short and long-term effects of youth homelessness.



**Join us again for the 2024 Charity Auction, benefitting our two charities!**

## HOW IT WORKS

Go to the Dealer's Den and find the Charity Auction Table (at the back right, by the guests of honor!)

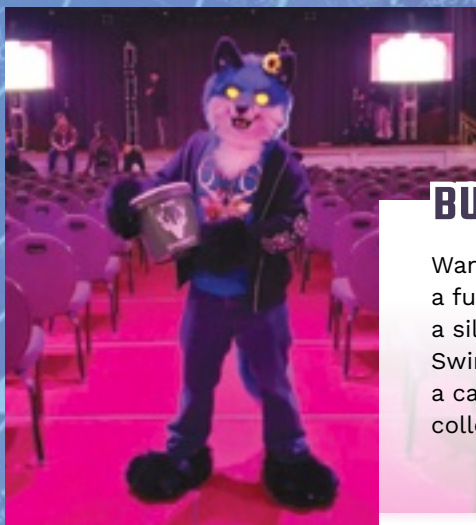
Bid on items throughout the weekend at the Charity Auction Table whenever the Dealer's Den is open.

At the end of the convention, join us Sunday at 5pm in the Secondary Ballroom to place all of your final bids verbally at our Live Auction.

For all NSFW/18+ items, final live bids will be Friday Night at the Night Market.

**For any questions, message ANE Charity Lead "Kris" @Floebean on Telegram or Twitter.**

NOTE – Sometimes we are asked about last minute donations to the Charity Auction – For the sake of organization, in many cases we may ask to hold your donation until next year, but reach out to Kris for any questions! If it's really exciting, we might go for it!



## BUCKET BRIGADE

Want to raise money for Charity? Have a fursuit or a fun costume? Love to be a silly goose? Join our Bucket Brigade! Swing by the Safety Room to check out a cash bucket and/or a QR code sign to collect donations for our ANE Charity.

# GUESTS OF HONOR

## DJ WOOSIE

🌐 [www.linktr.ee/djwoozie](http://www.linktr.ee/djwoozie) 🌐 [www.majicrecords.net](http://www.majicrecords.net)



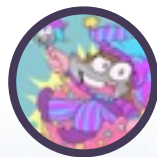
DJ Woozie is a musician and curator of fashion, african american and hip-hop culture that has been growing with the fandom for 20 years! With the release of “SNOW ON THE BLUFF”, Woozie has been producing songs and instrumentals for 10+ years! “Snow on the Bluff” makes 12 albums available for streaming on major DSPs with several more hosted underground. Within the past few years, DJ Woozie has had multiple opportunities to DJ at convention main stage events, as well as help preserve and grow BIPOC spaces as an Event Runner for many upstart events! For 2024 and beyond, Woozie is leaping into fashion, launching a streetwear subgroup dubbed “Beastwear”, with three Fashion Houses spearheading the movement. Of them, HUFF la FLARE or “HUFF”, will be pioneering the foundation for future fashion.





# DECLAN MOUSE

 **DeclanMcComics**



Declan Mouse is an comic artist and illustrator focused on comedy and kink. His art is inspired by retro manga and cartoons, combining cute aesthetics with mature themes. Declan is living his dream come true as an adult artist.



# GUESTS OF HONOR

## HOWL OUT / WOLF



 *isananika*  *howl\_out*

HOWL OUT is a streetwear brand focused on techwear, and punk designs. The brand is ran by Wolf (aka Isananika), a trans and Indigenous artist. Wolf strives to use his brand for uplifting BIPOC and LGBT+ folks in furry, and providing inclusive/accessible fashion.





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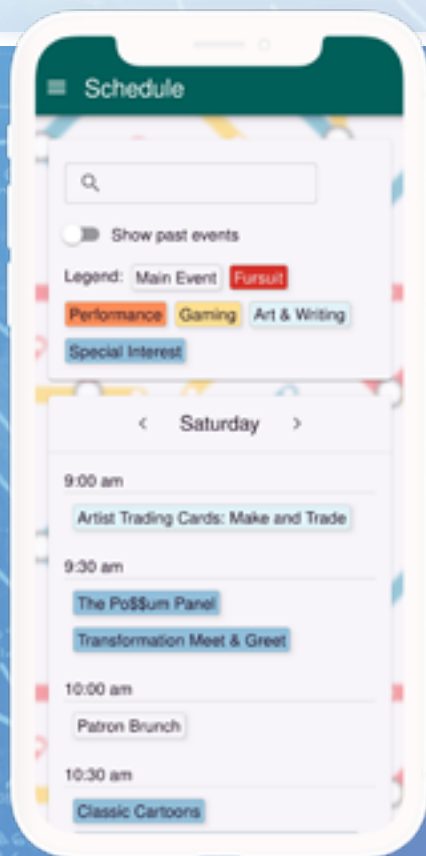
Need more ANE on the go?

Our awesome webapp offers all the details you'll need to get around ANE, including:

- Full events and panels listing
- Hotel maps
- Staff-curated food guide
- & More!

The app is compatible with iOS, Android, and PC browsers. For mobile devices, you can use it in browser or install it for quick, easy access right from your home screen!

To access, scan the QR code or go to ***ane.boston/app!***



# MBTA & TRANSIT

New to Boston? Never used the MBTA before? Worry not, you'll soon be riding the trollies, trains, buses, and buses in train tunnels (but are not trains) with ease!

Most buses can take cash on-board, but a CharlieCard or CharlieTicket is the way to go if you expect to ride frequently or take the subway! Look for a ticket machine at any station, and consider getting a 1-day or 7-day pass if you plan to explore the city!

**The Silver Line (SL1/2/3) is the closest major transit line to the Westin Boston Seaport hotel, via World Trade Center station, with direct routes to Logan Airport and South Station.**

**The MBTA is NOT a 24 hour service!** Generally, the last train departs each terminal station just after midnight, and each bus route differs (especially on weekends). Make sure to check the schedules online when making plans!

More details are available at [www.mbta.com](http://www.mbta.com)!



# ANIMAL MUSIC

**FRIDAY,  
GRAND  
BALLROOM**

3pm - 3:45

4pm - 4:45

5pm - 5:45

6pm - 6:45

**Alabaster Sons**

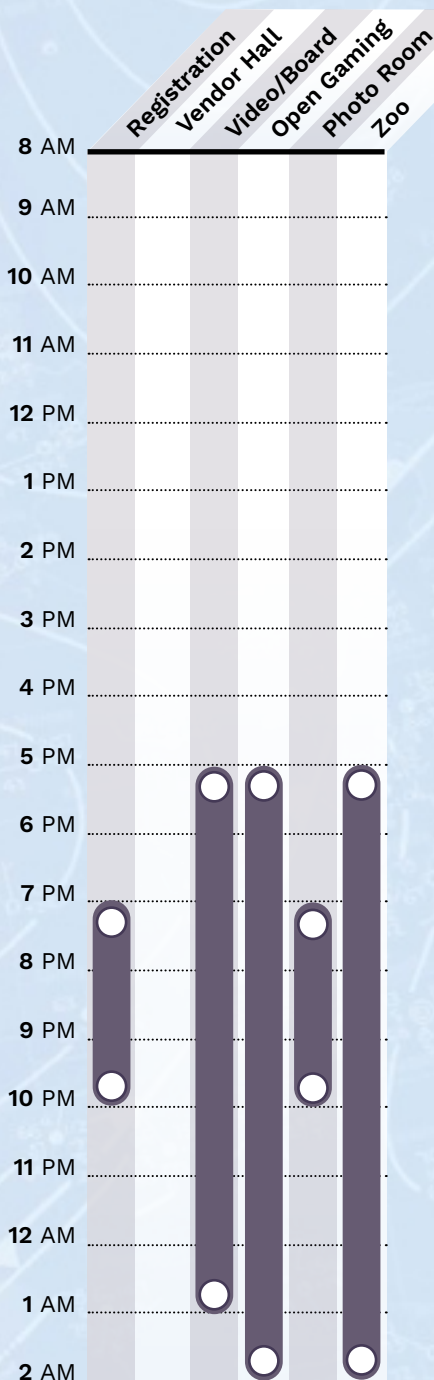
**Thing of Twins**

**Full Color**

**Michael Cera Palin**



# THURSDAY SCHEDULE



Full panel list  
on the app!



## MAIN EVENTS

Registration 7pm - 10pm

Thursday Night Dances 9pm - 2am

## DJ SETS

**HARBOR BALLROOM**

Gnaw 9pm - 10pm

Beak Sides 10pm - 11pm

CadoFox 11pm - 12am

Bleatz 12am - 1am

End of the Line 1am - 2am

## LOCATIONS

**Registration:** Marina Ballroom

**Vendor Hall:** Galleria

**Video Games:** Burroughs

**Board Games:** Lewis

**Open Gaming/Panels:** Carlton

**Photo Room:** Faneuil

**Zoo:** Commonwealth Ballroom

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**GRAND BALLROOM**  
**FRIDAY, 9PM *to* 2AM**

# NIGHT MARKET

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**18+**

**ADULT VENDORS X CHARITY AUCTION**

*live music by*

**SARAH AND THE SAFE WORD**

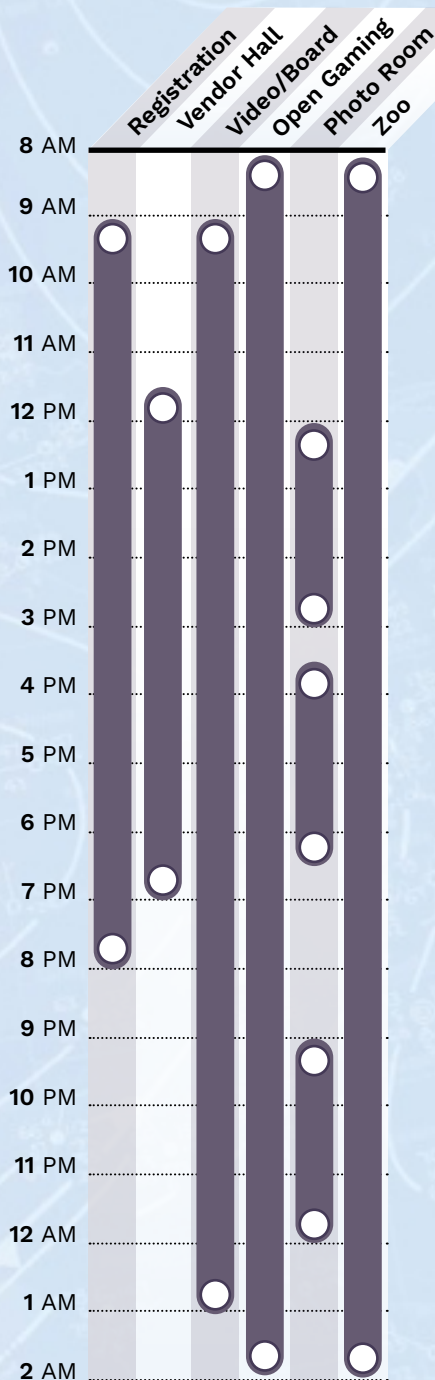
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*dj sets by*

**JAKKY X ODDY**

# FRIDAY SCHEDULE



Full panel list  
on the app!



## MAIN EVENTS

### HARBOR BALLROOM

Opening Ceremony 10:00am - 11:00am

Fursuit Games 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Pooltoy Panel 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Friday Night Dances 9:00pm - 2:00am

### GRAND BALLROOM

Animal Music 3:00pm - 7:00pm

18+ Night Market 9:00pm - 2:00am

18+ Charity Auction 11:00pm - 2:00am

## DJ LIST

### HARBOR BALLROOM

Kale 9pm - 10pm

Dodge 10pm - 11pm

Xavier Xena 11pm - 12am

Riley Winterlion 12am - 1am

Dr. Pronto 1am - 2am

### GRAND BALLROOM (18+)

Sarah & the Safe Word 11pm - 12am

Jakky 12am - 1am

Oddy 1am - 2am

# Variety Show

The Boston Trophy Wife Holiday Special!

SINGING!

DRAG!

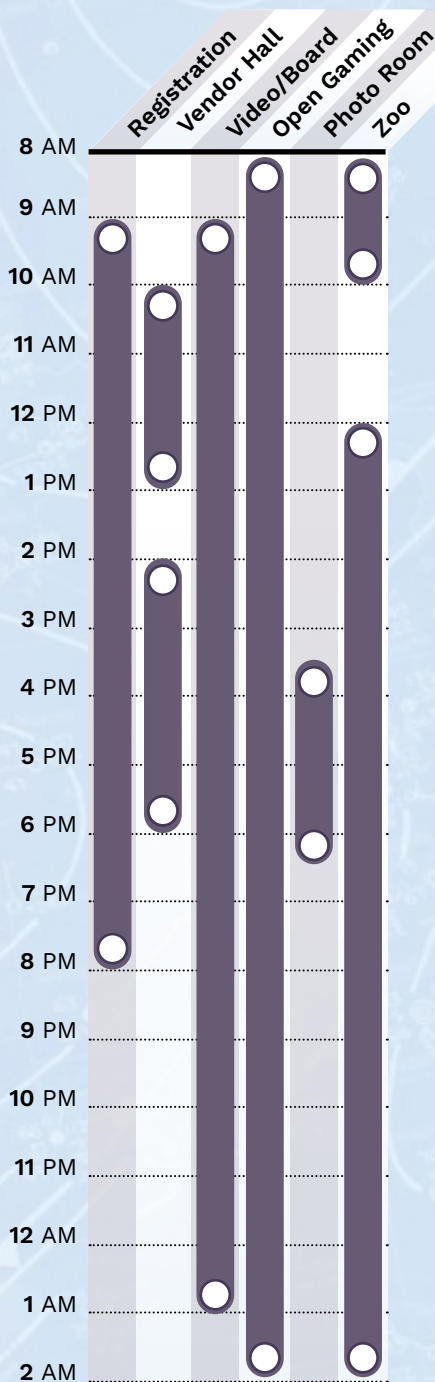
MAGIC!

MUSIC!

COME CHECK OUT TONS OF TALENTED  
PERFORMERS AT THIS EXTRAVAGANZA  
HOSTED BY THE BOSTON TROPHY WIFE



# SATURDAY SCHEDULE



Full panel list  
on the app!



## MAIN EVENTS

### HARBOR BALLROOM

Fursuit Recess 3:30pm - 5:30pm

Variety Show 8:00pm - 10:00pm

Karaoke 10:30pm - 2:00am

### GRAND BALLROOM

Fursuit Parade Setup & Photo

12:30pm - 1:30pm

Fursuit Parade 1:30pm - 3:00pm

Dragons Dojo 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Ultra Mega DigiFest 8:00pm - 2:00am

## DJ LIST

### GRAND BALLROOM

Maws vs Paws 8pm - 8:40pm

V for Vienna 8:40pm - 9:20pm

Hey Syri! 9:20pm - 10pm

\$LEAZY EZ 10pm - 10:20pm

\$UDO.NORMI 10:20pm - 10:40pm

Jaylaflame 10:40pm - 11pm

SUNSATIONAL 11pm - 12am

DJ Woozie 11pm - 12am

Fly To The Night B2B Jay Foxcat

1am - 2am

# DEAD DOG DANCE

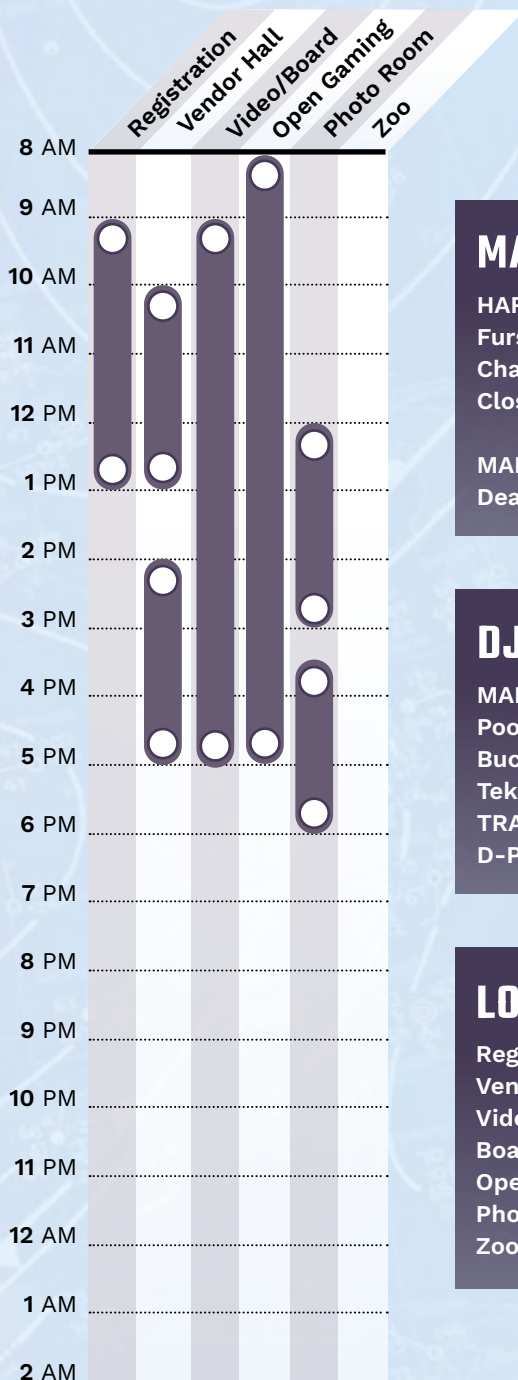
Sunday January 21st 2024  
X Featuring X  
pools

DJ BuckDog  
Teksun  
TRASH MODJO  
DJ D-Program

Ft. Visuals by  
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@Marina Ballroom  
7:30-12AM

# SUNDAY SCHEDULE



Full panel list  
on the app!



## MAIN EVENTS

### HARBOR BALLROOM

Fursuit Dance **Comp.** 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Charity Auction 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Closing Ceremonies 6:00pm - 7:00pm

### MARINA BALLROOM

Dead Dog Dance 8:00pm - 12:00am

## DJ LIST

### MARINA BALLROOM

Pools 7:30pm - 8:20pm

Buck Dog 8:25pm - 9:15pm

Teksun 9:20pm - 10:10pm

TRASH MODJO 10:15pm - 11:05pm

D-Program 11:10pm - 12:0am

## LOCATIONS

**Registration:** Marina Ballroom

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# DEALERS DEN VENDORS

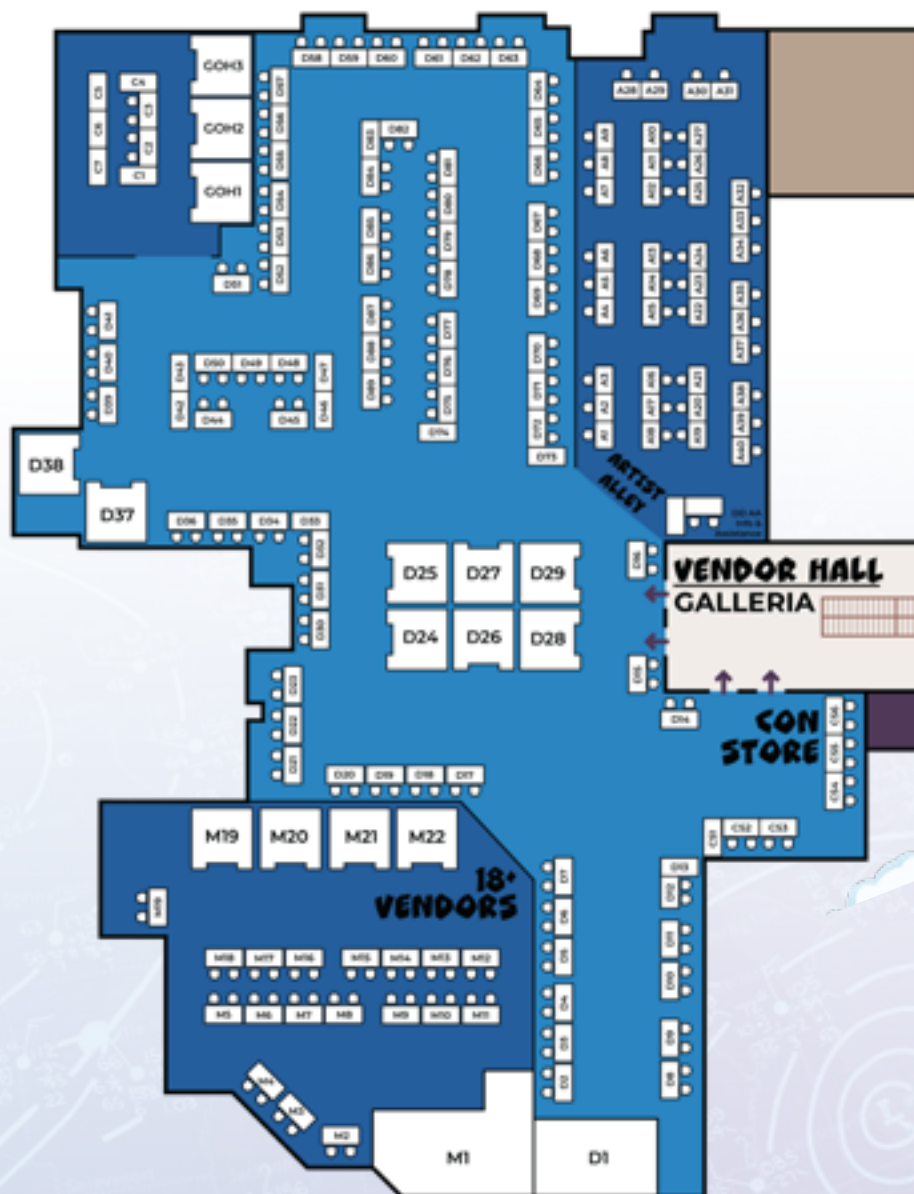
## ARTISTS ALLEY

- A1** Sablix
- A2** RosewinKoi
- A3** Baja Gryphon
- A4** Beth Hughes Illustration
- A5** Seventh moon coyote
- A6** Spicy King
- A7** Street Rat
- A8** GrimStylesArt
- A9** KayCat
- A18** zenophrenic
- A19** Just Right Pup
- A20** DeguArts
- A17** Seraphim777s

## ALL-AGES DEALERS

- D1** JAYSTOR Art & Tattoos
- D2** Quantum Seahorse
- D3** StrawbunnyCake
- D4** ARC Shirts
- D5** JVenture Art
- D6** MADSHYARTS
- D7** Braeburned!
- D8** Clover Hare
- D9** Puzzled Jay Productions
- D10** Carpetshark Studio
- D11** Armored Dragon Designs
- D12-D13** F-Class LLC
- D14** yocholol
- D15** Devious Drawing
- D16** Weather Is Happening
- D17** Boobun
- D18** Mango Island
- D19** Skulldog Studio
- D20** NightlineZ Art
- D21** Aisu Art
- D22** SoftPauxs Pawtisserie

- D23** Peri Pendrake
- D24** DaSue Dragon Designs
- D25** Furry Flags and Shifter Arts
- D26** BlindCoyote
- D27** MR. KITTYS
- D28** Creep Cat Toy Company
- D29** Fursona Pins
- D30-D31** Glitzy Fox Studios
- D32-D33** Roamin' Bison Workshop
- D34** BeastSoul
- D35** Tornatic
- D36** Wolf Moon Apparel
- D37** Daria Aksenova
- D38** Static Claws
- D39** RAT WEDNESDAY
- D40** Hey, it's Zray!
- D41** Deer Hudson Crafts
- D42** Fenris Publishing, LLC
- D43** Prismpaws
- D44** LUCKY DRAGON & CO.
- D45** ArtSea Animal
- D46-D47** Crazdude Art & Design
- D48** Ren Stone Studios
- D49** GAB SHIBA
- D50** Pinu Studios
- D51-D52** AR.GI.BI. Creative Studio
- D53** Dr. Wildlife
- D54** Pinfeathers
- D55** SECOND DEATH
- D56** M & T Comics and Cards
- D57** Neurotic Sphynx
- D58** The Polymer Okapi
- D59** Black Raven Effects
- D60** INKtiger
- D61** Pibble Party @ Art by Jinxisis
- D62** BerryMeat
- D63** Bewilderium
- D64-D65** Sorbet Jungle



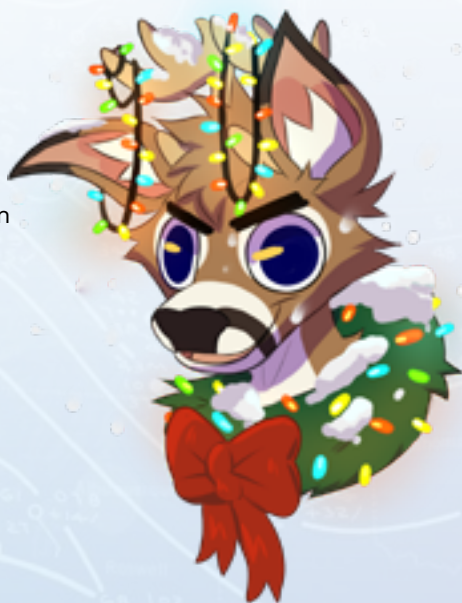
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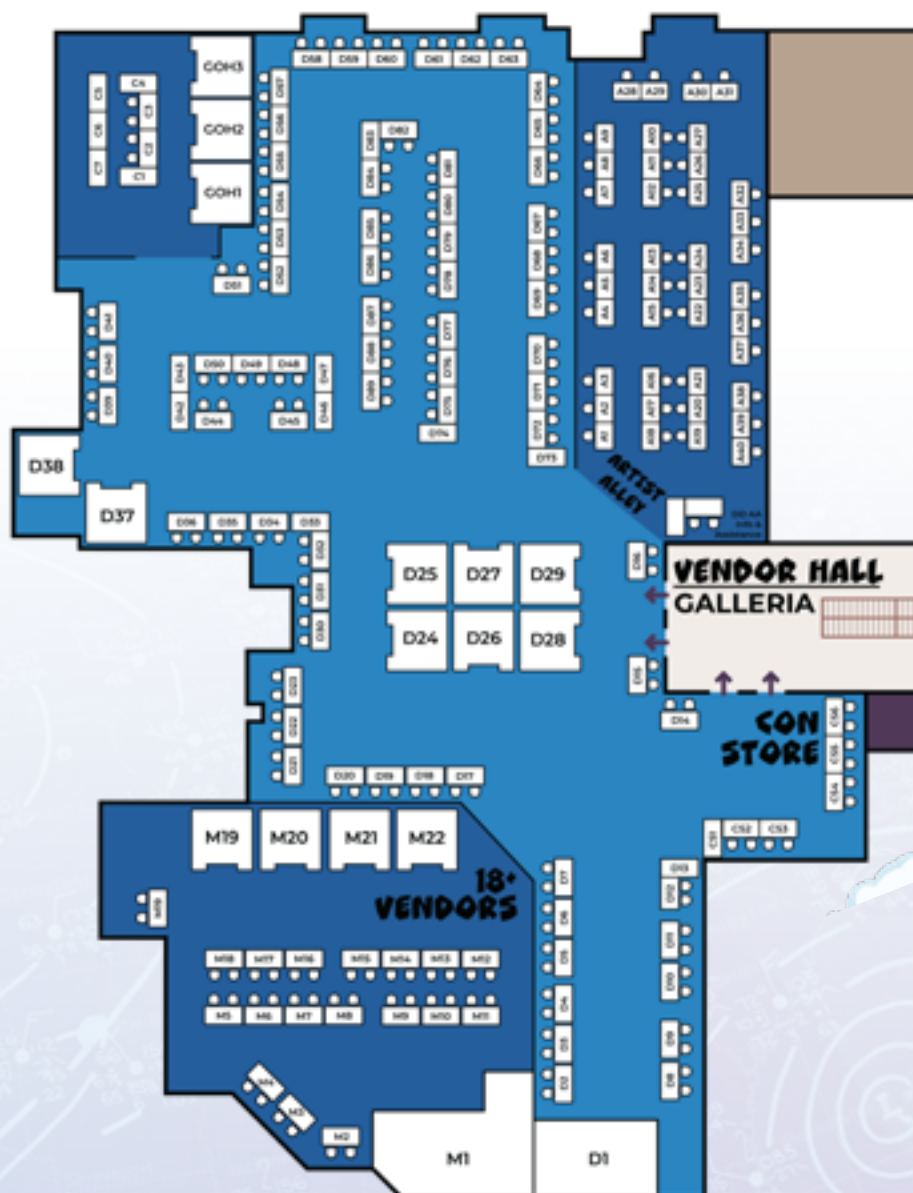
**D66** Camp Mustelid  
**D67** CadmiumTea  
**D68** Libeart  
**D69** Hyena Agenda  
**D70** NovaMutt Costumes  
**D71** My Arm Can Fly  
**D72-D73** Camp Howl  
**D74-D75** OtterBear Studios  
**D76** Quailtea Goods  
**D77** Full Moon Special  
**D78** snotcity  
**D79** Rabbit Rogers  
**D80** Mothsprout Art  
**D81** Waywardmutt  
**D82** Bunnies and Cream  
**D83** Elvenound Illustrations  
**D84** MOTEL777/Sleepy Thyme Art  
**D85** Sephive Illustration  
**D86** Big Lady Dragon Arts  
**D87** Snaggypeets  
**D88** Space Cat Creations  
**D89** Papaya Badger  
**GOH 1** DJ Woozie  
**GOH 2** Declan Mouse  
**GOH 3** Wolf / HOWL OUT  
**C1 - C7** Charities, Charity Auction

**M13** Leafhoof  
**M12** Beleoci  
**M14** Briar Lupine  
**M15** PossiblySeyton  
**M15** Rancid Rampage  
**M16** Delectatio Morosa  
**M19** Lycantasy  
**M20** Stray Toys  
**M21** Fluff & Stuff (formerly Furry Dakimakura)  
**M22** beachwolf tattoo

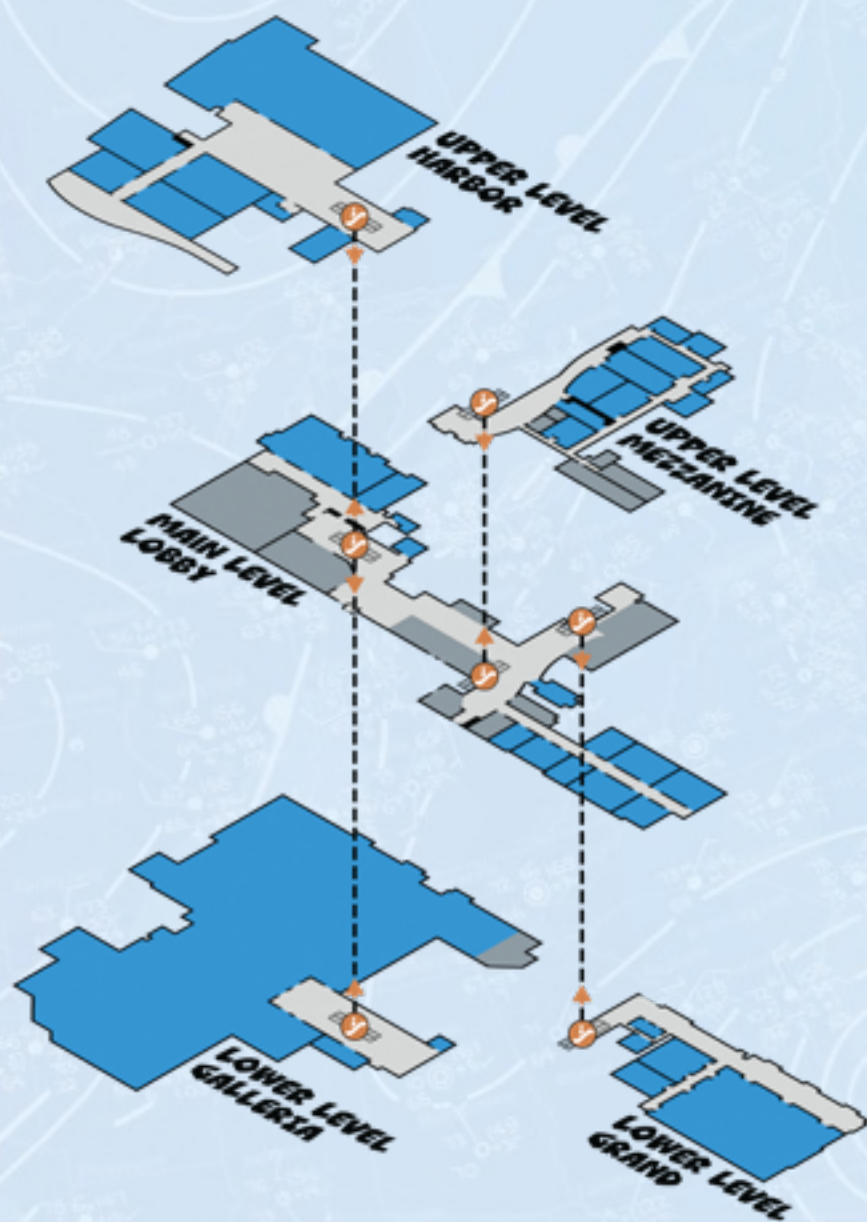
## +18 DEALERS

**M1** Primal Hardware  
**M2** Glitterhell  
**M3-M4** BushyCat  
**M5** Tropical Heat Studios  
**M6** Garden State Tait  
**M7** Waffle Wishes  
**M8** Monstrous On Main  
**M9** Crocodile Tears & Fears  
**M10** Shiny Skunk  
**M11** Garuda Six











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|                                                                      |  |                                                                                           |
| <b>Custom</b><br>- Art - Bags -<br>- Badges - RefSheets<br>and MORE! |  |                                                                                           |

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Elena  
Fritz  
Ganey  
Hugh  
JC Tigerkitty  
Josh  
Khojy  
Khorax  
Kyle  
Lilac  
Lizzy or Elty  
Lykon  
Marcus Fox  
Mike Paws  
Prize Box  
Quinn  
Randall

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Saphira  
Sinder  
Sunsworn  
Thanatos Mortus  
Totoro  
Turquoise  
Umbra  
Veralyn  
Vici  
Voltage  
Wonder  
Zelle  
Zephyr  
Zernike

## Con Store

### Jes

Cade  
Chrys  
Cyan  
Jatt  
Rocky

## Events

### Scales

Gia  
Hanzo  
Meep  
Kito  
Rito  
Snickers



## Game Room

### Remley

Bazil Remblai  
Dusk Blackheart  
Ferdinand or Ferdi  
Iffy Jottere  
Jonus  
Josh / Finn  
Kenny  
Liam  
Marcoangelo  
PandaMarine  
Riley  
Sasha Lamour  
Sedrin  
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Slumber  
Smudge  
Strangewolf  
Thraten  
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Vyle  
Zashi  
Zen

## Panels

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Kris - Lizard  
Rosario

## Registration

Sitka  
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Arago  
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Franky  
ilobmirt  
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Myx  
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Zeek  
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### Heath

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# DRAGONS DOJO

私たちのダンススタイル

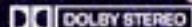
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PRELIMS - 01/19/2024 6:30-9:00 PM THE HARBOR BALLROOM

FINALS - 01/20/2024 4:00-6:00 PM THE GRAND BALLROOM

PRODUCED BY DRDREAD PRESENTED BY MAJIC RECORDS CO-PRODUCED BY BMO WRITTEN BY SUDO NORMI CHOREOGRAPHY BY TOPMARI



The Digital Revolution Presents  
**ULTRAMEGA**

**Digital  
 Revolution  
 Festival**

**FLY TO THE NIGHT B2B JAYFOXCAT  
 DJ WOOZIE**

**ZeroRemnants**



# CODE OF CONDUCT

## INTRODUCTION

*The following general rule supersedes all others listed below and may be invoked at any time:* **Any action or behavior that causes significant interference with convention operations, excessive discomfort to other attendees, or adversely affects Anthro New England's relationship with its guests, its venues or the public is strictly forbidden and may result in permanent suspension or denial of membership.**

## OPENING STATEMENT

Anthro New England wishes for all our attendees to have fun. To ensure that the greatest number of people achieve this objective we have established certain rules of conduct. By them we seek only to ensure that the behavior of any one small group does not disturb the membership as a whole, nor does it detract from the relaxed and comfortable atmosphere of the convention. Anthro New England welcomes all parties with an interest in anthropomorphic animals; however, the convention's management reserves the right to deny or revoke the membership of any individual at any time for any reason. Anthro New England, Inc. also reserves the right to amend these rules at any time without prior or posted notice and reserves the sole right of interpretation. In any dispute, the general rule above will apply. If you have any questions, please contact the convention operations staff for assistance.

Any person who accepts a membership badge agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Anthro New England, Inc. from any claim for personal injuries or other damages or equity arising out of any individual's activities at Anthro New England, even if such injury or damage is caused by negligence by or on the part of Anthro New England, Inc.

As a condition of membership, all Anthro New England attendees are required to abide by these standards of conduct for the entire duration of their stay, even prior to Opening or after Closing.

## PUBLIC DECORUM Convention Rating

All common areas and convention areas are considered to be "PG" between the hours of 5AM and 10PM, and PG-13 between the hours of 10PM and 5AM, with the exception of events or exhibits that are specifically noted to be inappropriate for minors and access to which is controlled by Anthro New England Safety staff



## **Wear**

- Attire worn in public areas must maintain a PG-rating up until 10PM. Between the hours of 10PM and 5AM, attire in public areas must maintain a PG13 rating. Public areas include any areas of the hotel that are accessible to non-Anthro New England attendees, such as lobbies, restaurants, hallways, and concourses, except for any pool areas.
- Attendees must wear appropriate attire in public areas, up to and including opaque shirts, pants/shorts, and footwear. Fursuits are excluded from this rule, provided that the costume is not revealing.
- Fetish-related accessories, such as collars, harnesses, and hoods, are acceptable as fashion statements, and can be worn during PG-designated times as long as the individual is otherwise wearing appropriate attire.
- Appropriate undergarments must be worn under bodysuits when using public fursuit lounges.

### **The following are not permitted at Anthro New England:**

- Tactical vests, holsters, and other similar gear
- Prop weapons that appear in any way realistic
- Police and military style attire (for example: fatigues and other combat uniforms); whether surplus or active duty.

### **The only exceptions to this policy are:**

- Dress uniforms used for public / formal events may be worn by active duty or veteran military personnel.
- Police and tactical attire may only be worn by active duty members of the Boston Police Department and Massachusetts State Police who are present in the course of official law enforcement duties.
- Any attire that is revealing in an adult manner
- Armbands
- Symbols perceived as hate symbols
- Any culturally appropriative attire, art, or props, including but not limited to those that depict racial stereotypes
- Leashes

Final determination in any individual case goes to con staff, not the attendee. If an attendee fails to comply with a request to change their attire, they may have their badge revoked.

## Props

- For safety reasons, only handheld glowsticks are permitted in the dances. Glowsticks on strings or on polearms must be cleared with safety staff before being used. The decision of the safety staff on any particular item will be final.
- No items of any kind, including paper airplanes, may be thrown or dropped from the hotel balconies or patios.
- No water pistols, silly string, or any thrown or projectile-type toy may be used in any area of the hotel or convention space.
- At the request of the management, lighter-than-air balloons may not be brought into the convention space or hotel.
- R/C Aircraft of any type are prohibited.
- Portable speakers, musical instruments, and other sound generating items may be utilized for approved panels. They are also permitted in The Zoo, designated Jam Zones, and guest rooms, at a reasonable volume. However, they must not cause a disturbance to guests. Use of these items is prohibited in all other convention spaces, hallways, balconies, and all public spaces.

## Harassment Policy

All staff and attendees have a right to an environment free from discrimination and harassing conduct, including physical, verbal, and sexual harassment.

- Harassment or discrimination on the basis of someone's race, color, creed, ancestry, national origin, age, disability, sex, arrest or conviction record, marital status, gender, or sexual orientation is expressly prohibited under this policy, and failure to adhere to this policy may result in revocation of Anthro New England membership privileges.

## Other Decorum Policies

- No sleeping in the lobby, the hallways, the meeting rooms, common space, or convention space.
- Anthro New England attendees must abide by instructions given by Anthro New England safety staff. Failure to do so will result in loss of membership privileges. Any disputes or concerns may be addressed onsite at Convention Operations ("Con Ops") or the Safety Office.
- Anthro New England functions are open only to members, and all attendees should wear their membership badges at all times. A badge is valid only for the person to whom it was issued; badges may not be shared under any circumstances.
- Knowingly providing transportation or housing, or otherwise knowingly

enabling an individual that is unwelcome at Anthro New England to attend or enter the Convention's property will result in permanent revocation of Anthro New England membership privileges.

## **MEDIA RELATIONS**

### **Press Entry**

Any journalists, media photographers, or other members of the press interested in covering our event are requested to please send an inquiry to [media@anthronewengland.com](mailto:media@anthronewengland.com). Upon arrival at the convention, press members will be directed to Con Operations, where they will be provided with an official Anthro New England Press Pass. Members of the press with press passes are permitted to enter areas that would otherwise require a badge. Those who have not been issued a Press Badge may not conduct interviews or take photographs, audio or video footage without an escort.

### **Use of Likeness**

Anthro New England members should be aware that audio and/or video recordings are frequently made in convention areas and that their likenesses may appear in those recordings. Individual members agree to assign without compensation the use of their likeness(es) at Anthro New England for the use of promotional material such as the highlights videos.

### **Brand**

The name "Anthro New England" and the Anthro New England logo are registered service marks of Anthro New England, Inc., and must not be used in any fashion that disparages or dilutes that mark. Members agree to remove from circulation or publication any image or recording that in the sole opinion of Anthro New England, Inc. misrepresents or defames its service mark.

### **Attendance by Minors**

Anyone who is under the age of 18 years at any time during the convention must present a signed and notarized parental permission form unless accompanied by a parent or able to produce evidence of legal emancipation. There are no exceptions.

- Minors are not permitted under any circumstances to enter areas that have been designated for mature audiences.
- Attempting to subvert area age restrictions, including but not limited to, the use of another attendee's badge will result in suspension from the convention.
- Anyone providing false documentation of identity or age will be denied membership and reported to the police.

# SECURITY & WELL-BEING

## Incident Response

- Coordination will be executed only by non-attending emergency responders
- In the event of an incident, Anthro New England team members and Westin employees will usher attendees to a safe area. Do not restrict access to any areas and do not issue orders unless you are directly affiliated with either Anthro New England management or the Westin Boston Seaport. Explicit orders and guidance should only come from Westin employees, police officers, fire marshals, and other emergency responders who are not currently attending Anthro New England. If you are found to be in violation of this rule, you may be permanently dismissed from the convention.
- Once all attendees have been ushered to a safe area, please remain calm and wait patiently for an official statement from either Westin Boston Seaport management, or an Anthro New England director.

## Weapons

- No actual weapons or any item that can be easily mistaken for one may be carried either openly or concealed at any time on Westin Boston Seaport or on Convention Center property, regardless of any government permits which you may possess. Personal pocket knives with single-edged blades less than 4 inches long are permitted.
- Prop weapons as part of a costume only during costume events such as the Masquerade and Fursuit Parade, and must be approved in advance by the convention safety office. They must be cased or otherwise secured when being carried outside of costume.
- For further information, please see the section “props” under the “Public Decorum” heading above.

## Smoking

Smoking, including the use of electronic cigarettes, is not permitted in any area within the Westin Boston Seaport or the convention center. Smokers are asked to use designated smoking areas, and to comply with any other smoking rules of the facility. Cigarette butts must be disposed of properly and may not be left on the ground.

## Drugs

- The sale or other distribution of any illegal or controlled substances is not welcome at Anthro New England. Any individual found to be distributing such substances will be removed and reported directly to the local author-

ities.

- Anyone knowingly or unknowingly providing alcohol to anyone under the age of 21 will be turned over to the authorities. It is the sole responsibility of persons serving alcohol in room parties to ensure that every person in attendance is over the age of 21, even if that person is not drinking alcohol. The Massachusetts Liquor Control Board is extremely serious about this law and we ask our members to respect it.

## Pet Policy

Anthro New England does not allow pets. This is for the protection of the pet, the pet owner, and our attendees as a whole. Service animals are permitted in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

## Parties and Gatherings

- Gatherings in hotel rooms must not generate any noise that can be heard in neighboring rooms during nighttime hours.
- Hotel doors must be kept shut during such gatherings and guests are not permitted to congregate in the hotel corridors.
- Loud parties will be given a single warning to remain quiet. No second warnings will be given before action is taken by the hotel to remove the offending individuals.
- Hotel guests who host any gathering are responsible for cleaning up afterward. Excessive amounts of unbagged trash must not be left for house-keeping staff to clean. Trash bags are provided by the hotel upon request.

## OTHER HOTEL MATTERS

### Room Share Limit

Attendees of Anthro New England who have booked a room at the Main Hotel may not have more than 4 guests (including themselves) sleep in a room, with the exception of suites, rooms that have booked cots, or any other agreed-upon exception deemed acceptable by the Westin Boston Seaport.

## Damage

- Any act of vandalism, deliberate or excessive damage to hotel property, or interference with any hotel or Convention Center worker in the performance of his or her duties will result in permanent revocation of Anthro New England membership, criminal prosecution, fines, or any combination thereof.
- The person in whose name a room is rented is solely responsible for the

conduct of all individuals in the room as well as for the condition of the room. Excessive trash, soiling or other damage to hotel property, or any circumstance that may present a hazard to hotel housekeeping staff may result in permanent loss of Anthro New England membership privileges.

- Do not affix anything to the walls of any hotel or Convention Center, to the elevators, to Anthro New England signage, or to hotel room doors. Any official event, such as a panel, scheduled to occur during the convention may request and provide signage that will be posted in common areas by convention staff.

## Tidiness

Westin Boston Seaport housekeeping staff are required by policy to inspect every room once per day, even if the room is not to be serviced. Housekeepers will not begin their rounds until 10:00 AM. Thereafter they will initially bypass rooms with “do not disturb” signs on the doors, but at the end of their rounds they must return to those rooms and will knock on the door. Attendees must allow housekeeping staff access to the room at that time. That means that even if the “do not disturb” sign is displayed, after 10:00 AM the room must at some point be inspected and serviced (if necessary) by the end of housekeeping rounds.

## All the Pillows

Please contact the Westin Boston Seaport front desk with reasonable requests for extra blankets, pillows, towels, and other hotel room amenities. Requests for room amenities beyond the number that is considered reasonable and customary for a single room will not be honored. Kindly bring such extra items from home if they are expected to be needed.

# MONEY MATTERS

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## Payments

- VISA, MasterCard, American Express, Discover, Paypal
- Chargebacks (denying a charge) that are made for the sole purpose of avoiding payment, that are made without sufficient cause, or that are made without first attempting to resolve the dispute with Anthro New England may result in permanent revocation of membership privileges and possible legal action.
- Checks that are presented against insufficient funds will be charged a fee of \$30 per check.
- Members who have an outstanding balance due to Anthro New England must settle that balance before being permitted to attend the convention.

- Anthro New England cannot involve itself in financial disputes between individual members, and cannot divulge information about an individual member to any party other than to banking officials or legal authorities.

## MERCHANDISE

- The offering for sale of any merchandise at the convention may be undertaken only in appropriate areas in the Convention Center by pre-approved convention dealers only. In all cases the sale will be governed by the rules applicable to those areas. It is illegal to sell any other merchandise or services in any other areas.
- The use of any form of AI-generated art piece is strictly prohibited from being used within our promotional materials, or sold within our Vendor Hall area.

## MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

- The standards of conduct for Anthro New England will be strictly enforced by Anthro New England safety volunteers who will be clearly identified as such on site. Please remember that your con badge is the property of Anthro New England, Inc. and must be presented and/or surrendered to any Staff member requesting it. If you have any problem with any action taken by a Staff member you may take the matter up with the Head of Convention Safety or to Anthro New England's Convention Chair.
- Please be reminded that these rules involve, of course, "worst-case" scenarios and are put into place to ensure the safety and comfort of our members. They are also not all-inclusive; in all cases, the singular rule that supersedes all others is, "Any action or behavior that causes significant interference with convention operations, excessive discomfort to other attendees, or adversely affects Anthro New England's relationship with its guests, its venue or the public is strictly forbidden and may result in revocation of membership privileges." We anticipate no difficulties, as our members as a whole are rational and responsible adults. Anthro New England is prepared to deal with any or all of the above scenarios in as rapid and efficient a manner as possible should they occur. We thank our members for their past cooperation and for their continued assistance in making this a safe and enjoyable experience for everyone.

**Be Good, and Have Fun!**

# COVID19 POLICY

## INTRODUCTION

This policy includes measures we are taking to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and other seasonal illnesses during our convention. Attendees are required to follow these rules to maintain a healthy and safe environment. We have zero tolerance for anyone who would shirk these guidelines, as that would be putting other attendees (as well as staff; guests; vendors; and their families & friends) at risk of exposure. The health and safety of our attendees and beyond is our top priority.

## SUMMARY OF REQUIREMENTS

For the safety of all attendees, we **require proof** (digital or physical) of vaccination against COVID-19.

Acceptable document types include official state-supplied vaccination cards, health charts, or clinic-provided receipts.

### To attend ANE 2024:

You must have received an **initial series** of COVID-19 vaccinations as well as a **booster vaccination** after September 1st, 2022 to protect against the Omicron variant of COVID-19.

For a summary of variations of vaccine combinations for the initial series, go to <https://www.anthronewengland.com/about/policies/covid-19/> to view a flow-chart. If your first vaccine brand is not one of the four listed, please email [info@anthronewengland.com](mailto:info@anthronewengland.com)!

For maximum effectiveness, please try to have your booster shot completed before 1/5/2024.

## MASKS REQUIRED

We recognize that other conventions are relaxing their masking requirements, however as our convention occurs in the winter months during resurgences of the flu/COVID/RSV/pneumonia and other illnesses, we are requiring that our attendees do continue to wear masks.

Therefore, Anthro New England **requires masks to be worn in all convention spaces** for ANE 2024.

**Masks MUST cover both your nose and mouth.** A balaclava or mask must be worn under all fursuit heads, and it must cover both your nose and mouth.



**We have a one-strike policy;** con safety will only ask you once to properly wear or fix your mask/balaclava. If you have to be asked a second time, your badge will be revoked. Once again, this applies to all convention spaces.

## DO YOUR PART.

Wash your hands, avoid touching your face with unwashed hands, and monitor your health – if you are showing any symptoms of COVID-19 or new onset symptoms of general illness (fever, cough, shortness of breath, gastrointestinal symptoms, etc.) or if you have tested positive and have not isolated for at least 5 days (and/or continue to test positive), we please ask that you do not attend the convention for the safety of yourself and others. Minimizing the onset and spread of any illness during and after the convention is one of our top priorities.

## Any questions?

We're here to help! If you have any questions regarding the policy, requirements or types of valid proof of vaccination – please don't hesitate to reach out to us at [info@anthronewengland.com](mailto:info@anthronewengland.com).

We're doing everything we can to help protect and ensure the health and safety of all Anthro New England attendees – especially those who are immunocompromised. Please help us keep everyone safe while having fun.







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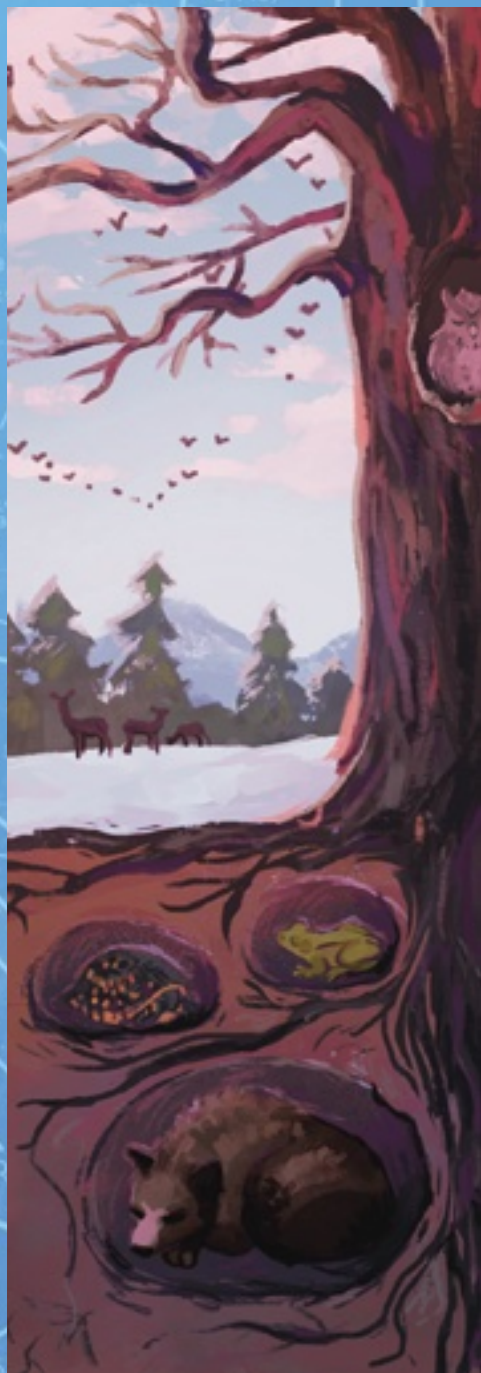
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## HOURS

**Thursday:** 3 PM - 3 AM

**Friday & Saturday:** 8 AM - 3 AM

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