

# GalaCon 2014

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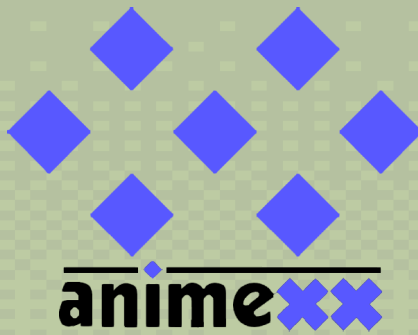


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STRATEGY GUIDE

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Hello everypony!

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to this year's GalaCon!

In 2014, GalaCon is once again very much a global event! We are proud to welcome guests and visitors from over 40 countries in Ludwigsburg. People from a vast variety of cultures are coming together for a week-end of friendship, fun and ponies!

This has always been and still is a very special event. Regardless of whether you have joined us as a regular visitor, a volunteer, a vendor or guest... each and everyone of you is a vital part of this event. Thank you all very much for being here!

Your GalaCon team

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In the year 20XX a super ponybot named Mega Mare was created.

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# Rules and Emergency Behaviour

## PREAMBLE

- These rules are in full effect inside the entire venue area of GalaCon.
- The domiciliary rights of the venue staff even stands above the convention rules.

## SECURITY/EMERGENCY

- What staff says, counts. You are expected to adhere to all orders given by the convention- and the venue staff as well as the volunteers.
- If you ever find yourself in a bind, don't hesitate to ask the staff for help. Don't try to solve a heated situation on your own! If in doubt, let the guards or other staff take care of it instead.
- Emergency exits are to be kept usable at all times. Don't get in the way of volunteer work and medical assistance.
- In case of fire, go to the marked rescue area and listen to the volunteers and fire fighters. Never try to extinguish fire on your own.
- Do not harass, ridicule or bully guests or staff.
- Do not approach the Guests of Honour in their downtime. They need their rest just like you do, so please, give them space!
- Animals are not allowed. Only exception are guide dogs and similar pets that you depend on for your wellbeing. All other animals will be removed by the local police or animal welfare on your bill if needed. Please save your pet friends the pain and leave them at home!
- Do not camp at the venue.

- Depictions and symbols that are prohibited by German law are strictly forbidden (An example would be world war related imagery, e.g. Swastikas). If you wear, draw or show content with such depictions, you will be removed from the convention.
- Use the trash bins! They are there for a reason. Cleaning up behind yourself is important. If you don't clean up on your own, volunteers will order you to do so.
- All kinds of skates are only allowed for photos. You're not allowed to actually use them as a means of getting around the con.

## WEAPONS

- All kinds of harmful weapons are prohibited.
- All replica weapons are prohibited.
- Soft air guns, blunted swords, anything explosive, brass knuckles, knives or any other weapons which can inflict serious pain are prohibited.
- Spike collars and bracelets are only allowed if the spikes are shorter than 5cm / 2 inch and blunt.
- LARP weapons, foam weapons and any other weapons meant for safe usage are allowed.
- The convention staff can and will check your weapon and decide whether it's safe or not.
- If you break a weapon rule and bring a dangerous weapon into the venue, it's possible that you will be removed by the police AND charged for violating German weapon laws. You can be fined at least 10.000 € for this, so seriously, don't do it.

# Keep calm and Gala on

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## YOUTH PROTECTION

- All visitors must carry a valid ID at all times.
- The convention staff is allowed to see it at any given time.
- Valid means of ID: Official ID-Card, Passport or Driver's license
- Other documents are NOT valid and will not be accepted!
- All visitors up to the age of 12 can enter GalaCon for free.
- Up to the age of 14, visitors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.
- Visitors under the age of 16 not accompanied by a parent or legal guardian must leave the con area at 10pm.
- Alcohol and smoking inside the venue is forbidden at all times. Smoking is ONLY allowed at the marked smoking areas. Drunk visitors will be removed from the convention.
- All kinds of hookahs are prohibited, electronic cigarettes however are allowed.

## FOOD AND DRINK REGULATIONS

- It's not allowed to bring food from outside the venue. Everything bought outside the venue has to be consumed outside
- Exceptions for food are snacks. This include fruits, candy bars, bon-bons or chips.
- You are allowed to bring and carry water and juices with you in the venue. Sodas and soft drinks can be bought at the venues snack point.
- NO FOOD AND SOFTDRINKS allowed in the Theatersaal (Main Hall)

- The terrace site belongs to the KUBUS restaurant. So only the food and drinks they serve there are allowed

## RECORDING OF FILM- AND PHOTO FOOTAGE

- Throughout the whole convention weekend our internal documentation and streaming teams will record film and photo footage of the event.
- Be aware, that when our teams record crowded scenes or panels, you might get film or photographed unnoticed. The Gala-Con team has the rights to publish this pictures or footage at any given time.
- If you notice this and don't want to be in this pictures and/or videos, please stand back and avoid entering the scene.
- If our team films / pictures single persons or small groups, they will ask for your permission. It is your right to disagree being filmed or pictured respectively stepping out from the picture or scene in that case.
- If you don't veto on this subject clearly, you silently agree to being filmed/ pictured and the recorded footage beeing published at any time.



# The Overworld



LUDWIGSBURG



# Map & Guide to Ludwigsburg



## SHOPPING

- 1 Wilhelmgalerie
- 2 Müller (department store)
- 3 Fantasy Stronghold
- 4 SATURN
- 5 Bahnhof Apotheke (pharmacy)
- 6 Mylius Apotheke (pharmacy)
- 7 Gesundhaus Apotheke
- 8 Zentral Apotheke
- 9 REWE (super market)
- 10 Aldi (super market)
- 11 Bäckerei Katz (bakery)
- 12 YORMA'S (bakery / snacks)
- 13 Luckscheiter (bakery)

Not on map:

- Kaufland (super market),  
Schwieberdinger Str. 94



## BANK / ATM

- 1 Postbank
- 2 BW Bank
- 3 Volksbank
- 4 Sparkasse



## RESTAURANTS & FAST-FOOD

- 1 Mc Donalds
- 2 Subway / YOLO Donuts
- 3 Kullman's (American Diner)
- 4 Jambo (African), Schorndorfer Str. 52
- 5 Il Boccone (Pizza/Pasta)
- 6 Rossknecht (regional swabian cooking)
- 7 Ratskeller (regional swabian cooking)
- 8 Joe Peña's Cantina y Bar
- 9 Deniz Imbiss (Kebab)
- 10 Ygrec (Greek)
- 11 Brothers & Meat (Steaks & Burger)

Not on map:

- Burger King, Schwieberdinger Str. 42



## BARs & CAFES

- 1 Towers Irish Pub
- 2 barON
- 3 Brauerei Rossknecht  
(brewery + beergarden)
- 4 Tatort (cocktail bar)
- 5 Scala Biergarten

Not on map:

Rocknroll bar  
Bietigheimer Straße 10



## HOTELS

- 1 Best Western
- 2 ibis Budget
- 3 NH Hotel
- 4 Siebenschläfer
- 5 Campus Zwei
- 6 Nestor
- 7 Riviera
- 8 Blauzeit
- 9 City Hotel

Not on map:

- DJH youth hostel Ludwigsburg  
Gemsenbergstraße 21
- DJH youth hostel Stuttgart Neckarpark  
Stg. - Bad Cannstadt, Elwertstr. 2
- Camping site Stuttgarter Wasen  
Stg. - Bad Cannstadt, Mercedesstraße 40

# Our Guests of Honour

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## NICOLE OLIVER

*English voice of Princess. Celestia, Cheerilee*

For Bronies Nicole Oliver will be mostly known as the voice of Celestia and Cheerilee. But her vita also contains tons of other cartoons and anime. Also it shall not be forgotten, that she is a very talented and ambitious actress in live action productions as well and even hosted a reality TV show in the past.



## M.A. LARSON

*Author & Script writer*

If that man is to be blamed for one thing, that would be writing awesome scripts for the shows he works on. And that's a good thing. His works include - amongst Friendship is Magic of course - Littlest Pet Shop, Gravity Falls, Foster's Home for Imaginary Friends and ... i guess you didn't know that, but you'll learn soon. Furthermore, his first novel "Pennyroyal Academy" will be released on October 7th in North America and Europe.



## JULIA MEYNEN

*German voice of Princess Twilight Sparkle*

Julia Meynen, the German voice of Twilight Sparkle, has already visited us back in 2012 at our first GalaCon, "the Grand Galloping Gala for European bronies", as it was known back then. This summer, after a break last year, she returns to us as Princess Twilight Sparkle. Julia is also quite active in dubbing popular anime characters - only recently voicing Lyfa in "Sword Art Online". Fans of "Monster High" will also know her as Draculaura.

if the cake was a lie,



# True, True Friends!



## JENNIFER WEIß

*German voice of Pinkie Pie*

Jennifer Weiß is known for lending her voice to the German version of our beloved party pony – Jennifer is the German Pinkie Pie. She's also well known among anime fans for her performance of Ôsaka from "Azumanga Daioh!". Video gamers will know her from voicing Sylvia Woods in "Inazuma Eleven" as well as several voices she did in the "Professor Layton" franchise.



## PIXELKITTIES

*Artist*

We couldn't have a pixelthemed GalaCon without the highly esteemed bit feline herself, Pixelkitties! When she's not busy competing for the spot of Trixie Fan #1, she draws plenty of amazing comics, autograph cards and other pieces of her imagination. Pixelkitties will bring her natural humour and positivity to our very own GalaCon this year!



## EILEMONTY

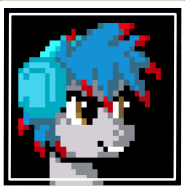
*Actress, voice actress & singer*

EileMonty is one of the most popular voices in the international fandom. Besides voicing several fan comics, she's known for her role of Button's Mom. But her talent doesn't end there. As a singer, she knows how to fill entire ballrooms and is quite frequently called for an encore performance or two

what's wie the Pie?

# Our Guests of Honour

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## THE LIVING TOMBSTONE

*Musician*

You asked for more music at the Gala-Disco we now renamed to Gala-Party after a mail wave, and you asked for more musicians – so we present to you one of the best out there: The Living Tombstone. From the sandy coast of Israel he and his mix of Electro Music of all kinds will not be a boring press to play but a vivid experience with tons of fun to boot.



## JAY B

*Musician*

Widely known for his trance remixes and probably the most-known German of the fandom. "Keep Running (feat. Sandra Wagner)", "Equestria Girls – A Friend for Life (JayB Remix)" or "Hearts Strong as Horses (90s Rock)" are just a few examples of his extensive collection of music you MUST listen to. So: Let's get ready to PARTY!



## SKETCHY SOUNDS

*Musician*

Sketchy Sounds is an artist, musician and writer. We are happy to announce, that he will perform acoustic versions of songs from the show at the Gala Evening. And he is the host of a radio show on a known Brony radio network.

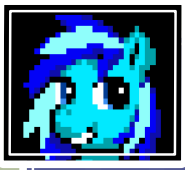


## YAMI NO COSMOS

*Professional Cosplayer*

Yami from Sweden has made her passion for cosplay into profession. With her wide knowledge and experience for over 15 years, she will be judging at our cosplay contest with her critical eyes. But have no worry. She knows best, cosplay is also about the fun. And at her vendor booth she will sell sell equipment or give you useful advice if you ask kindly.

# True, True Friends!



## LASER PON3

*Laser artist*

LaserPon3 is a true master of the art of light. Backed by fitting music, he creates intriguing laser shows, letting pony music touch all your senses. Travelling from the beautiful Netherlands, his rainbow colours will brighten up the sky above Ludwigsburg.



## CRICKEY DAVE

*Animator and Voice actor*

From the magical land of Australia the maker of our last year's EPCU spot will dig a tunnel through the planet to us with his dragon claws. You might also know him from the Vinyl and Neon animation he did together with The Living Tombstone. Also you should read his comic MAiZ if you like good fantasy stories.



## SHADY VOX & JAN ANIMATIONS

*Animators and Voice actors*

It's safe to say that GalaCon wouldn't be half as known as it is if it weren't for our promo videos, and for most of them, we can thank the fantastic JanAnimations. No matter what, he's not going to stop pursuing his talents, and he'll return to GalaCon with a panel and maybe a surprise or two in store! He's not coming alone this time, either – Voice actor and musician ShadyVox, better known to some as Button Mash, will join him to answer your questions and have some fun!

*It's dangerous to go alone; take this!*

# Time Table – Saturday

| Time                | Theater                               | Theater Gallery                        | Bürgersaal 1 +2<br>(Büsa 1 Party only) | Silcher-saal                | Video Games<br>(Schubartsaal)         | Classic- &<br>Board Games<br>Room                                                                                             | Music<br>Room                                                                  |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 09:30               | Venue Opening                         |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 10:00               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             | Video Games<br><br>Open till<br>22:30 | Classic<br>Board Games<br>&<br>MLP CCG<br><br>CCG<br>Beginner's<br>tournament<br>starts at<br>14:00<br><br>Open till<br>22:00 | My Little<br>Karaoke<br>&<br>Other<br>Music<br>Games<br><br>Open till<br>22:00 |
| 10:30               | Opening<br>Ceremony                   |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 11:00               |                                       | BIZAAM<br>Signing<br>Session           |                                        | The Small<br>Pony<br>Cinema |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 11:30               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 12:00               |                                       |                                        | Pixelkitties'<br>Art Panel             |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 12:30               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 13:00               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 13:30               | Show Staff<br>Q & A:<br>Original Cast |                                        | Atalon's<br>Fursuit<br>Workshop        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 14:00               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 14:30               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 15:00               |                                       | Dub Cast<br>Signing<br>Session         |                                        | Floppy Music                |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 15:30               |                                       |                                        | Electronic<br>Musicians                |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 16:00               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 16:30               | Cosplay<br>Contest                    |                                        |                                        | Press<br>Conference         |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 17:00               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 17:30               | The Grand<br>Pony<br>Cinema           | Original<br>Cast<br>Signing<br>Session |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 18:00               |                                       |                                        | Game<br>Development                    |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 18:30               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 19:00               | Cosplay Contest<br>Award Ceremony     |                                        |                                        | The Small<br>Pony<br>Cinema |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 19:30               |                                       |                                        |                                        |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |
| 20:00<br>-<br>00:00 | Gala Evening                          |                                        | Gala Party                             |                             |                                       |                                                                                                                               |                                                                                |

# Time Table – Sunday

| Time  | Theater                     | Theater Gallery               | Bürgersaal 1 +2<br>(Büsa 1 Party only) | Silcher-saal              | Video Games<br>(Schubartsaal) | Classic- &<br>Board Games Room | Music Room                                |                 |
|-------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 09:30 | Venue Opening               |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 10:00 |                             | Original Cast Signing Session | Vinyl & Dave Panel                     | The Small Pony Cinema     | Video Games                   | Classic Board Games & MLP CCG  | My Little Karaoke & Other Music Games     |                 |
| 10:30 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 11:00 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 11:30 | Show Staff Q & A: Dub Cast  |                               | LaserPon3 Q & A                        |                           |                               | Open till 16:00                | CCG Beginner's tournament starts at 14:00 | Open till 16:00 |
| 12:00 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 12:30 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 13:00 |                             |                               |                                        | Creative Writing Workshop |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 13:30 | Jan Animations              |                               | Traditional Musicians                  |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 14:00 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 14:30 |                             | Dub Cast Signing Session      |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 15:00 | The Secrets of M. A. Larson |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 15:30 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 16:00 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 16:30 | Charity Auction             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 17:00 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 17:30 |                             |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |
| 18:00 | Closing Ceremony            |                               |                                        |                           |                               |                                |                                           |                 |

## Color Codes



Show Staff



Community  
Guests



Other  
Panelists



Gala Ball  
& Party



Other  
Events

Panel starting times subject to change on short notice.

# The Dungeon Map



See page 24 for detailed vendor listing



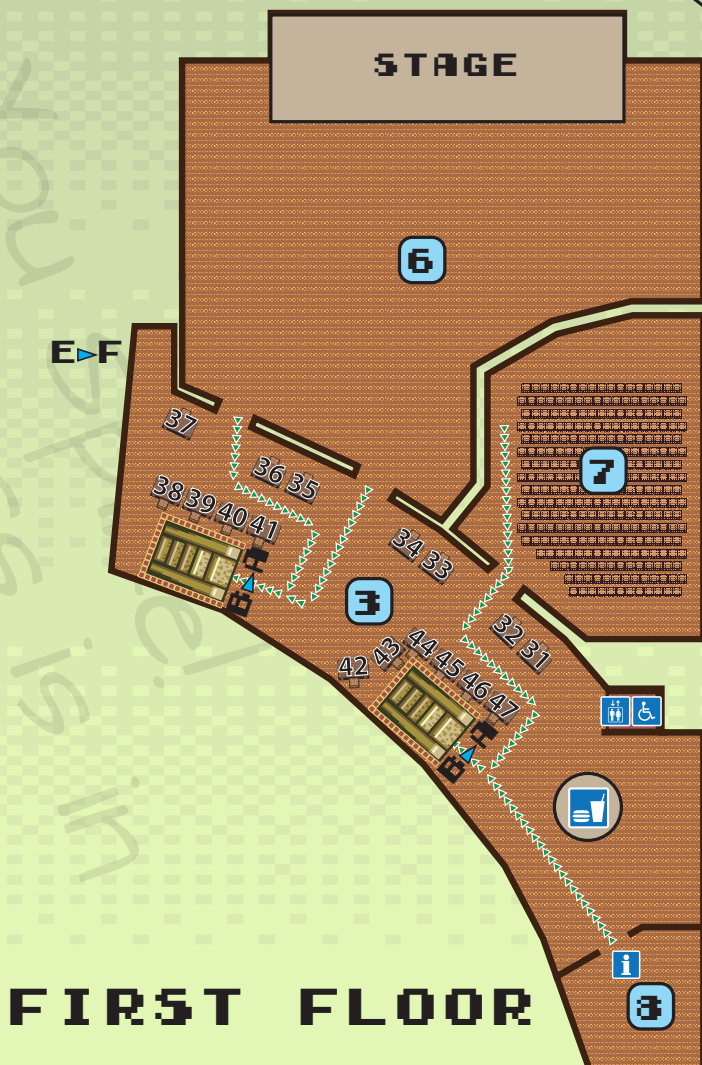
# The Dungeon Map

See page 24 for detailed vendor listing

## GROUND FLOOR



## STAGE



## FIRST FLOOR

- 1 Bürgersaal Entrance Lobby
- 2 Theatersaal Entrance Lobby
- 3 Bürgersaal Lobby
- 4 Theatersaal Lobby
- 5 Theatersaal (Main Hall)
- 6 Bürgersaal 1 (Secondary Hall)
- 7 Bürgersaal 2
- 8 Con Office
- 9 Schubartsaal (Video Games Room)
- 10 Silchersaal
- 11 Theatersaal Gallery
- 12 KUBUS Restaurant
- 13 Music / Karaoke
- 14 Classic & Board Games
- 15 Restrooms
- 16 Restrooms

All your base are belong to us.

# Panel Overview

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## OPENING CEREMONY

*Saturday 10:30 - 11:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

Every event has to begin somehow, and Gala-Con is no exception! Be sure not to miss the Opening Ceremony – Not only will you get properly welcomed at the convention here, but the guests of honour will be introduced and important information about the con shared. And maybe there will be a surprise or two, who knows?

## BIZAAM SIGNING SESSION

*Saturday 11:00 - 12:30 | Theatersaal Gallery*

A signing session with all of our Guests of Honour, exclusively for our BIZAAM ticket holders! BIZAAM!

## THE GRAND & THE SMALL PONY CINEMA

*Grand Pony Cinema | Saturday 17:30 - 19:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

*Small Pony Cinema | Saturday 11:00 - 14:30 & 19:00 - 22:00 | Silchersaal*

*Sunday 10:00 - 12:30 | Silchersaal*

Sure, there is something to be said for the comfort of watching your favorite shows at home. But let's be honest, nothing beats the atmosphere of a big crowd of enthusiasts enjoying the best moments together in a proper cinema. Fret not – This is something GalaCon will bring to you! If the idea of watching Return of Harmony Part 1 and 2 as well as Equestria Girls in a 1000+ auditorium sounds as fun to you as it does to us, don't miss out! And if you just want to have a break from the convention fun by watching the episodes, we will cover your need with the Small Pony Cinema.

## PIXELKITTIES' ART PANEL

*Saturday 12:00 - 13:00 | Bürgersaal 2*

The Great & Powerful Pixelkitties, designer of more fantastic pony things than we can mention in this limited space, will be here to take your queries! Or make fun of M.A. Larson. One of the two

## ATALON'S FURSUIT WORKSHOP

*Saturday 13:30 - 14:30 | Bürgersaal 2*

Atalon – creator of the Canini fursuit – is back, to take any more questions you may have about the process of creating a mascot costume from start to finish. He will also show some examples of his work!

DO A BARREL ROLL!

# Need A Tutorial?

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## SHOW STAFF Q&A: ORIGINAL CAST

*Saturday 13:30 - 15:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

Voice actress Nicole Oliver and writer M.A. Larson, also known as the mightiest alicorn of them all and the guy who creates them, are open to the audience's questions here! Whether you are curious about the various shows they worked on, Larson's new book or Nicole's passion for fashion – These two have many fantastic things to share, and this is your chance to hear all about them!

## DUB CAST SIGNING SESSION

*Saturday 15:00 - 16:30 | Sunday 14:30 - 16:00 | Theatersaal Gallery*

An autograph session with our fabulous European voice actors! There will be a small fee for autographs this year, but we still advise you to get in line early!

## FLOPPY MUSIC

*Saturday 15:00 - 15:30 | Silchersaal (Main Hall)*

With the advent of YouTube, music created with floppy disks has become rather popular. Join Dranaar as he walks you through the process of converting a song to play on these old-school instruments!

## ELECTRONIC MUSICIAN PANEL

*Saturday 15:30 - 16:30 | Bürgersaal 2*

Thorinair, HMage, and of course, The Living Tombstone will be here to demonstrate the process of creating electronic music, and of course take your questions as well!

## COSPLAY CONTEST

*Saturday 16:30 - 17:30 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

Once again, costume friends and fiends alike from all over the fandom show off their talent – And their fantastic looks, of course! Hosted by veteran cosplayer and panelist Yami no Cosmos, the cosplay contest will be the go-to event for bringing a little bit of our favorite pony character to life. Watch as entrants shine in various categories and see which of your favorites woo the crowd!

## PRESS CONFERENCE

*Sunday 15:00 - 16:00 | Silchersaal*

A conference for members of the press to ask questions of our Guests of Honour. Entrance is by invite only!

# Panel Overview

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## ORIGINAL CAST SIGNING SESSION

*Saturday 17:30 - 19:00 | Sunday 10:00 - 11:30 | Theatersaal Gallery*

An autograph session with Nicole Oliver and M.A. Larson! There will be a small fee for autographs this year, but we still advise you to get in line early!

## GAME DEVELOPMENT

*Saturday 18:00 - 19:00 | Bürgersaal 2*

Join the creators of Breach of Harmony and Raycord Legends as they show off the latest builds of their games, and answer your questions about game development.

## COSPLAY CONTEST AWARD CEREMONY

*Saturday 19:00 - 19:30 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

Join the creators of Breach of Harmony and Raycord Legends as they show off the latest builds of their games, and answer your questions about game development.

## GALA EVENING

*Saturday 20:00 - 00:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

With the Princess of the Sun herself paying a visit this time, how could we go without a proper ball? The Gala Evening is back, again with a little class, a little flair and more snazzy live music than ever before! Don't miss out on AcousticBrony, EileMonty and SketchySounds as they bring you fandom favorites and other classics properly reimagined for a fancy(pants) time. Remember that this event has a dress code!

## GALA PARTY

*Saturday 20:00 - 00:00 | Bürgersaal 1*

For the first time ever, the Gala Party will be entirely separate from the Gala Evening, and the effort will show – We are going to rock the house with the likes of JayB, The Living Tombstone, and Thorinair & HMage! There will be plenty of time for you all to get your inner DJ Pon3's out and rave to your heart's content. And to top it all off, the evening's last huzzah will be a live light show by LaserPon3!

## VINYL & DAVE PANEL

*Sunday 10:00 - 11:00 | Bürgersaal 2*

CrikeyDave, animator of the Vinyl and Neon cartoon and some of our GalaCon and EPCU promotions, will be here to take your questions and more!

# Need A Tutorial?

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## SHOW STAFF Q&A: DUB CAST

*Sunday 11:30 - 13:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

Join us as voice actresses Julia Meynen and Jennifer Weiß answer questions to your heart's desire! When they don't portray Twilight Sparkle and Pinkie Pie respectively in the German dub, they shine in various other roles and professions that are definitely worth your curiosity. Julia Meynen even has a band, how neat is that?

## LASERPON3

*Sunday 11:30 - 12:30 | Bürgersaal 2*

Pew! Pew! Zap! After an amazing performance on Saturday night, LaserPon3 will be here on Sunday to answer any questions you might have about his incredible light show!

## CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP

*Sunday 13:00 - 14:30 | Silchersaal 2*

Following the impromptu event last year, Sparkling Twilight is back to help out all of you budding authors! Come along and take inspiration for your stories from all the ideas flying around the room. This is a workshop event, and so seats may be limited.

## TRADITIONAL MUSICIANS PANEL

*Sunday 13:30 - 14:30 | Bürgersaal 2*

Following their performance at the Gala Evening and the Gala Party, AcousticBrony and JayB will be here to take your queries. They might even all sing you a song if you ask nicely.

## JAN ANIMATIONS

*Sunday 13:30 - 14:30 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

The amazing Jan Animations will be here to once again answer your questions about the animating process! We can guarantee random meowing during his panel.

## THE SECRETS OF M. A. LARSON

*Sunday 15:00 - 16:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

Larson promised an unique panel, and did not even tell us about what it will be – if you want to know how to master the power of alicornation, maybe this will be the right place.

# Panel Overview

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## CHARITY AUCTION

*Sunday 16:30 - 18:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

Want to spend your hard earned bits for a good cause? Then come visit our charity auction. Again, random things could happen. And maybe it's not even M. A. Larson to blame for a change. Or is it? For more details on the auction, see below.

## CLOSING CEREMONY

*Saturday 18:00 | Theatersaal (Main Hall)*

That's it. Another Gala-Weekend has ended. We know you all had loads of FUN! FUN! FUN!. But as with all good things, sometimes it has to come to an end.

## Charity Auction for Seeds of Kindness 3

Since early 2012, thousands of us have been working together to raise donations for Seeds of Kindness. The Bronies for Good fund-raisers Seeds of Kindness 1 to 3 for humanitarian projects in Burundi, Uganda, and Tanzania have been crucial in building an orphanage, a village for street children, a medical clinic, rainwater tanks, and more. As an integral part of these campaigns, the charity auctions at GalaCon 2012 and 2013 were each a bright and bold testament to the generosity that allowed these efforts to shine!

This year's auction will be bright and bold, but also silent at first. To ensure that the items that get into the live auction are none less than the best in town, a silent auction will be open throughout the convention. All proceeds from this stage will of course benefit the same cause as the live auction and will be forwarded in full.

The third and current Seeds of Kindness fundraiser has resumed the support of the German non-profit Your Siblings ([yoursiblings.org](http://yoursiblings.org)) and has put the orphanage in Uganda on a solid financial foundation, so that it can thrive in the long term. Now we strive to ensure the same long-term sustainability for Child Need Africa's clinic in Uganda, which we funded with the first Seeds of Kindness fund-raiser. This clinic has since been providing direly needed medical care to young and old in the impoverished region of Katerera. Hence, each bid at the GalaCon charity

auction, just as each direct donation to Seeds of Kindness, will help the community in Katerera to shine together!



# Gala Night – The “Mane Event”

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## THE GALA EVENING – THE „MANE EVENT“

The Gala Evening takes its inspiration from its namesake. For a couple of hours, the Main Hall will be transformed into a venue for a fancy evening with all of the class, but none of the snob! No admission fees or separate tickets are necessary - Put together a stylish outfit, bring some courage to dance, and you're all set.

Speaking of dance - The evening will, again, be split in two basic themes, though much more organically this time. The first half is all devoted to grandeur and shine, allowing guests to mingle, partake in classic dances and relax.

Later on, the event will pick up the pace a bit with a live performance by AcousticBrony - The group will present some of its biggest hits, fit into a set appropriate for the Gala Ball. If you haven't been to the dance floor at this point, these guys will get you there!

After celebrating all the energy and warmth that is the sun, it's time to equally honour the night - the second part of the event will start. Here, guitars leave the floor to synths, and electronic music will get your feet moving. With live DJs on stage with a set ranging from smooth to energetic!

To ensure that the evening has some class to it, there will be a simple dress code in effect. It's not complicated, but make sure you take the time to read it and choose your outfit accordingly!

## THE DRESS CODE – „SUITED FOR SUCCESS“

- Your outfit needs to be decently presentable. Think “job interview” as the minimum. If you're unsure about a specific clothing item, ask yourself if someone would honestly put it on for a job interview, a company meeting or a wedding. If the answer is “yes”, then it's good to go.
- No shorts, no T-shirts. Generally, no leisure wear. You don't need to bring a tuxedo, but your average casual clothing is not enough. Jeans are only acceptable if they look on par with a good pair of cotton pants (for example, a fine pair of black jeans works).
- No sports shoes or other kinds that are considered casual. A decent pair of black shoes already work.
- Cosplay is allowed as long as it fits with the rules above; same goes for cross-dressing.
- Overall, apply common sense and you should be good to go! As long the minimum is fulfilled, you are allowed at the Gala Ball.
- See this as an opportunity to really dress up nice and dust off the fancy stuff. Don't be afraid to go all out if you would like to; there is no limit to how much you can or should do!

*Is you a winner?*



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# The Convémon - gotta hug 'em all!



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1. **JanAnimations** - Art
  2. **CrispyChOcolate** - Art
  3. **Siora** - Plushies
  4. **Perrydotto** - Art
  5. **BlackFantasy** - Plushies and craft
  6. **Steeph** - Craft
  7. **Yasi** - Plushies
  8. **FlareShard** - Art
  9. **Lykaios Avery** - Plushies, jewellery and bead art
  10. **XTorbenX** - Wodden plates
  11. **AnimeShop** - licensed reseller
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  13. **Suikuzu** - Art
  14. **DeathPwny** - Art
  15. **Varonya** - Plushies
  16. **Zuckerschnuti** - Plushies
  17. **ateloK** - Customs
  18. **Salacious Crumb** - Dog tags and jewellery
  19. **Zunt** - private reseller
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  21. **Gray** - plushies, art, household goods and more
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  24. **Haselwoelfchen** - Knitted plushies and craft
  25. **EileMonty** - Art
  26. **Yami no Cosmos** - Cosplay probs
  27. **Bronies For Good** - Charity
  28. **Alexandra K.** - headphones
  29. **Adlynh** - Art
  30. **Pixelkitties** - Art and craft
  31. **Asukatze** - Customs and craft
  32. **Lan** - Plushies
  33. **MoondropStar** - Statues
  34. **Minky Europe** - Minky fabric and plushies
  35. **Fafatacle** - Plushies
  36. **Carnifex** - Art
  37. **Bettina O.** - Art and craft
  38. **Shevia, Sakutaro & Maro** - Plushies
  39. **Pinku** - Plushies
  40. **Panini** - Official comics
  41. **EDEL Records** - Official DVDs
  42. **rtry** - engraved drinking glasses
  43. **Bass Plush Productions** - Plushies
  44. **Baraka** - Plushies
  45. **Rira** - Plushies
  46. **Creepy River** - Art, badges and leather goods
  47. **Maria G.** - Plushies
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