
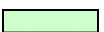
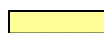



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 = 2-hour panels ||  = slots available for panels

 = Official MW*C events ||  = Open discussions*

*Open discussion Panels' have been slotted into empty timeslots that gives these topics a chance to be discussed even though no one volunteered yet. All you need do is have two people show up for a discussion ☺
Any changes to the schedule will be posted on the glass walls leading down to the

FRIDAY, May 26

FRI	REGENCY C	REGENCY D	CAPITAL	DELTA WEST	DELTA CENTRAL	DELTA EAST
1- 2pm	A045 - MacGyver (ABC): Why not discuss why the original series with Richard Dean Anderson was so much fun. TL Bogolub	H05 - Costumes, Clothes, and Fashion for Nerds: Need help with costuming? Hands-on help and instruction. K Dwyer	A060 - Saturday Morning TV Memories: Did you ever wish you were a child again still dressed in your jammies, munching on your favorite sugary cereal and watching all of your cartoon heroes presented by a "host" who you also known as the weather man on the news? What were some of your favorite Saturday morning shows? Danny Dingo Babs Wolf C Tripp	A015 - Doctor Who- The final Capaldi Season (BBCA): What do you think about Peter Capaldi leaving DW in the 2017 Christmas episode? Too long a run? Too short? How are his final season's episodes coming along? Druidwolf	A018 - Donald Strachey Mysteries (HereTV): The movies were released between 2005-2009 – how would they be different if they were being made today? Storyfan, Candy A	E13 - Professionals: Painfully Yours (/) Inflicting injuries on the Lads is a tried and true method to start a H/C fic. Best and worst examples discussed. (/) Cindy Krisser
2- 3pm	B16 - Let's discuss Dr. Strange with Benedict Cumberbatch. What crossovers would work best? Who could he be paired with? Gen and (/) Druidwolf		A039 - Lucifer (Fox): Chloe is "heaven sent", but is Trixie the true path to redemption? MA Schmidt	A049 - Memorial Commercials C Tripp	A053 - NCIS – New Agents (CBS): With DiNozzo gone, are the new agents filling his shoes properly? L. Anderson	B30 - Star Trek Beyond: This was hurt comfort at its best. Come discuss this great movie and the potential for fanfic fodder. B Singer
3- 4pm	A028 - Hawaii Five-O (CBS): Seven seasons of McDanno: Where have we been and where are we going? (/) Candy A		A069 - Starsky & Hutch (ABC): Anything goes slash panel. (/) Kat	A058 - Real Ghostbusters (Crackle.com): Discussion panel about favorite episodes and characters. Babs Wolf	A005 - Bob's Burgers (Fox): Come discuss this fun animated series. Storyfan	E22 - Fandom: Do you have too many fanzines, toys, photos, etc. and now have to downsize? Come and discuss the options including online selling (ebay or private sales), donations to libraries, gifts to friends. Don't wait and let your precious collections be thrown away. B Singer

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4- 5pm	B10 - Guardians of the Galaxy 2: The first one was fantastic; discuss what you know about this upcoming sequel. TL Bogolub	D04 - Horses: Walter Farley, Logan Forster, etc. Fictional horses and their humans. Dawn C Tripp	E16 - Vintage TV Slash: Wild Wild West, Emergency!, MASH, Riptide, and more! Let's talk about our favorites. (/) Storyfan	B08 - Dr. Strange: The Ancient is a woman. Many freaked out about this but why? Druidwolf	E12- Professionals: It's a Holiday; Giving the Lads a break from the routine is a common story trope. Whether it's the holidays or on holiday, which seem to work best for fic., and why? (/) Krisser Snow	A006 - Bones (Fox): Discuss the last season. L. Anderson
5- 6pm	D05 - Cozy Mysteries: A little tea with that murder? Rayhne	A130 - Criminal Minds (CBS): general discussion of this long-running crime series (open discussion)	E14 - Slash Classic Moments vs "queerbaiting": Have we lost the ability to enjoy slash as an alternative to canon? (/) Candy A	C04 - In Memoriam: A look back at the actors, directors, writers, and other genre/industry note worthies we've lost since last year's MW*C. It's been a really tough year, filled with major losses...let's talk about them! Druidwolf TL Bogolub S Clark	B11 - Ghostbusters fandom: From the original movies, Peter Venkman from Real Ghostbusters fame, to the new 2016 movie; we discuss Ghostbusters and how it's evolved as a pop culture phenomenon and a fandom. Babs Wolf	E40.- Find your favorite fanfic passages (fanzine and online) and bring them to read aloud. B Singer
6- 7pm						
7- 8pm			A131 - Once Upon a Time (ABC): general discussion of this fantasy series (open discussion)	A133 - Arrow (CW) general discussion of this scifi series (open discussion)	A134 - Prison Break (Fox): general discussion of this revived drama series (open discussion)	A136 - Your favorite Netflix series. Come and share. (open discussion)
8-9pm			A132 - Orphan Black (BBCA): general discussion of this scifi series (open discussion)	A135 - 12 Monkeys (SyFy): general discussion of this scifi series (open discussion)	A034 - Lethal Weapon (Fox): A good cop, buddy series again. (open discussion)	
9- 10pm			A137 - Law & Order SVU (NBC) general discussion of this long-running crime drama (open discussion)	A138 - Doctor Who (BBCA): Who was your favorite doctor? Your least favorite? (open discussion)		

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10-11am	A090 - Sentinel – Twenty years of slash, spirit animals and dissertations: what keeps the fandom alive? (/) Candy A	A041 - Lucifer (Fox) – Ships galore. And some of the best female characters on TV. MA Schmidt	A081 - Big Bang Theory (CBS): Still Going Strong After All These Years. What keeps it a must watch show? Krisser	A016 - Doctor Who (BBCA) – Who do you want to see as the next Doctor now that Peter Capaldi is leaving? Druidwolf L. Anderson	B09 - Fantastic Beasts & Harry Potter and the Cursed Child : What did fans think of this Harry Potter spin-off movie? How about the sequel play? What is the future of the Potterverse? Storyfan TL Bogolub	A037 - Local TV Memories : Long before the days when cable and satellite channels took over the airwaves, many local TV stations would bring their own brand of entertainment alongside network shows and syndicated favourites as well as news. From Saturday Morning TV to the late night movie, discuss some of your favourite local TV memories. Danny Dingo	
11am-noon	A026 – Grimm : The Finale (NBC): The 2017 season of Grimm is its last. Did the ending satisfy you? Druidwolf	E06 - Furry Subculture : New to furry? Find out more about it. Already a furry? Come celebrate why we're so awesome! Topics include an overview of our community, and how anthropomorphics are becoming more mainstream in recent media (Zootopia, Sing, etc) Danny Dingo Babs Wolf	E30 - Podfic : Come discuss your favorite podfics and where to find them. B7Keravon	A017 - Donald Strachey Mysteries (HereTV): Discussion of the movies and books Storyfan Candy A	A048 - Marvel's Agents of SHIELD (ABC): General discussion. TL Bogolub	E09 - Professionals : Best Screen Moments (/) Some episodes are gems, some you fast-forward through most - What scenes make you believe that they are best mates and which make you think they are shagging relentlessly? Cindy Snow Krisser	S T A R W A R S M U S I C A L
noon-1pm			H05 - Costumes, Clothes, and Fashion for Nerds : Need help with costuming? Hands-on help and instruction. (<i>additional session</i>) K Dwyer	A056 - Public Service Announcements: Do They Really Work? C Tripp			
1- 2pm			A139 - Bull (CBS): general discussion of the new crime series starring Michael Weatherly. (<i>open discussion</i>)	A140 - Quantico (ABC): general discussion of this drama series. (<i>open discussion</i>)	A160 - Blindspot (NBC): general discussion of this spy drama. (<i>open discussion</i>)	A141 - The Flash (CW): Spoiler discussion for this past season. (<i>open discussion</i>)	

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2- 3pm	A010 - Commercials: Everyone knows that commercials can be quite a nuisance while watching your favorite shows, but every once in a while, there is one that we really like. Even vintage commercials from years past are always entertaining. Discuss your favourite commercials, old and new, and relive some of advertising's great past! Danny Dingo	A101 - TV Themes Hodgepodge (Contributions Welcome) C Tripp S Clark	A068 - Stargate (SyFy): Miss the old days? Why not talk about what you think the gang are up (SG1, SGA, etc.) L. Anderson Elyse	B03 - Captain America: Where does the storyline go from "Civil War"? TL Bogolub	F03 - The Internet Movie Database: Were the discussion boards really so nasty, or was there another reason for the site to discontinue them? Is there any replacement out there for discussing that obscure film from the '40s? MA Schmidt	B31 - Star Trek Beyond: This movie changed the Spock/McCoy relationship. Come and discuss how their relationship changes and how it is different from TOS. B Singer P Poole	
3- 4pm	B21 - Star Wars Rogue One: A Star Wars Story: Did this film actually add anything worthwhile to the Star Wars mythology? Druidwolf TL Bogolub	A101 (continued)	A027 - Hawaii Five-O (CBS): A <i>open discussion</i> of the current TV series. Candy A	D02 - Historical Mysteries: Crime through time. Rayhne		A051 - My Little Pony (Discovery Family): Overview of the MLP fandom, and how it's moving forward (We're up to Season 7, William Shatner is voicing a character, and there's a movie coming out this year!) Babs Wolf Kinky Turtle Tim Kangaroo	P R O F E S S I O N A L S
4- 5pm	A030 - Houdini & Doyle (Fox): A discussion of the short-lived TV series, both gen and slash perspectives welcome. Candy A	E23 - Crazy Crossovers: What works, what doesn't C Tripp	B18 - Logan: OMG, another Wolverine film. Why? Where are the X-MEN stories? Druidwolf	E18 - With the passing of Barbara Hale, a discussion of the great Perry Mason is in order. Slash and gen friendly, TV series, movies and books. Storyfan	D20 - Pern and Talent Universe: What works or conflicts within these series? Dawn	E41 - Find your favorite fanfic passages (fanzine and online) and bring them to read aloud. (/) B Singer	
5- 6pm							P E T E R
6- 7pm	Set-up	Set-up		A142 - The 100 (CW): Discuss the last season of this sci-fi series. <i>(open discussion)</i>	A143 - Designated Survivor (ABC): Revamping the US government. Come discuss (no real politics, please) <i>(open discussion)</i>		P I N K I E P O N Y

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7- 8pm	PLAYS	PLAYS		A144 - NCIS (CBS): How has the series changed with the cast changes? (open discussion)	A145 - DC's Legends of Tomorrow (CW): open discussion of this scifi series. (open discussion)	A146 - iZombie (CW): open discussion of this horror series.. (open discussion)	C O L O R I N G B O O K
8- 9pm	PLAYS	PLAYS		A147 - The Magicians (SyFy): open discussion of this scifi series (open discussion)	A148 - The Last Ship (TNT) open discussion of this post-apocalypse drama; is a new virus on the rise? (open discussion)	A149 - Dark Matter (SyFy): open discussion of this scifi drama. (open discussion)	
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SUN	REGENCY C	REGENCY D	CAPITAL	DELTA WEST	DELTA CENTRAL	DELTA EAST	
10-11am	B24 - The Avengers: What's up on the movie franchise with this Marvel group? TL Bogolub		C01 - Close Encounters: Share Your Own Experience Of Meeting A Pro L. Anderson C Tripp	E10 - Professionals: How Much Is Too Much? Wwhen an author puts a character into an unfamiliar setting, what triggers your sense that the Lads are OOC? (/) Cindy Snow Krisser Kat	A064 - Sherlock (BBCA) - The Final Problem - season ender or series ender? Do we *want* TPTB to give us more, or are we happy for the fandom to take it from here, <i>Thank You Very Much</i> ? Druidwolf P Poole	A023 - Game of Thrones (HBO): The thunderous end of Season Six. MA Schmidt	
11am-noon	A110 - Starsky & Hutch (ABC): Where do you see the boys after Sweet Revenge? Kat		B23 - Star Wars Rogue One: Liked or not? Druidwolf	B01 - Animated Movies: What were the animated films that drew you to the theater? Danny Dingo Babs Wolf TL Bogolub	A019 - Elementary (CBS): <i>Open discussion.</i> Is this the final season? Snow	A152 - Scorpion (CBS): nerds rescuing people, getting married – discuss the last season. <i>(open discussion)</i>	S T R A C H E Y
noon-1pm							C A L L A H A N
1-2pm	A035 - Lethal Weapon (Fox): Better than the Movies? Yes! This Murtough and Riggs have great depth and chemistry AND a most fabulous back up system. All the characters are interesting. Let's talk. Krisser		A150 - Grimm (NBC): general discussion of end of this supernatural drama. <i>(open discussion)</i>	A102 - TV Tropes: Contributor or Reader? <i>Open discussion</i> C Tripp	A151 - Supergirl (CW): how has this sci-fi series translated from CBS to a new network? <i>(open discussion)</i>	C06 - Let's discuss the wonder that is Chris Pratt and all his roles. <i>(open discussion)</i>	T E A W I T H H O U D I N I
2-3pm	E07 - Minstrels of Fandom-The Art of Filking: Many songs have been written about our favourite movies, TV shows and books. Some are original compositions while others are set to popular tunes. Some are canon while others are pure fan fiction. Discuss how filking has impacted fandom culture as well as some of your favourite filk songs. Danny Dingo Babs Wolf TL Bogolub	A115 – Time to Say Goodbye: Discuss one departing time travel series, Time After Time and Timeless (which was cancelled and then renewed!) S Clark	E11 - Professionals: Injury Out! -The unthinkable happens and one of the lads is injured and off the A and/or B squad. Does he stay or leave? Do they both leave? What would be their options both in and out of CI5? (/) Cindy FJ Bryan	A099 - TV Ratings Then And Now: Are We Shielding Our Children Too Much? C Tripp	A009 - Colony (USA): What we learned this year. MA Schmidt		& D O Y L E

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3- 4pm	A088 - Librarians (TNT): <i>Open discussion.</i> L. Anderson	B12 - Godzilla: Come and discuss all the various incarnations of this rampaging reptile, from the clumsy man-in-suit to the wickedly evil Shin Godzilla. Elyse	B06 - Dr. Strange – Good cast? Druidwolf	A153 - MacGyver (CBS): Is the reimagined MacGyver good? (open discussion)	A154 - Sleepy Hollow (Fox): Time to dissect what was good and what went wrong with the final season (open discussion)		S H I V A F O R P E T E R C O O P E R
4- 5pm	G 002-Whose Line is it Anyway? 2-hour live improv event Hosted by S & R Clark			E03 - Fan Fiction: Do the views/rants of mundane and/or pro authors affect your enjoyment of writing fan fiction? TL Bogolub	A155 - Class (BBCA): The Doctor Who goes back to school series. What works, what doesn't. (open discussion)		
5- 6pm	G 002 (continued)						
6- 7pm	Set-up	Set-up	FAN Q's				
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MONDAY, May 30

MON	REGENCY C	REGENCY D	CAPITAL	DELTA WEST	DELTA CENTRAL	DELTA EAST
10-11am	Set-up	Set-up	<p>E20 - Fandom: It's all in the chemistry: how actor chemistry and acting choices set the stage for a slash following. (/)</p> <p>Candy Apple</p>	<p>A156 - Lucifer (Fox): Evil never looked so good.</p> <p><i>(open discussion)</i></p>		
11am-noon	DEAD DOG panel	DEAD DOG panel	<p>E21 - Fandom: Viewers vs. Fans: What is it about a show that makes it one of your "fan" shows vs. just a show you enjoy watching? (Slash and gen-friendly)</p> <p>Candy Apple</p>	<p>A011 - CW'S "Arrowverse" (Arrow, Flash, Supergirl, Legends of Tomorrow) - 2016-2017 overview</p> <p><i>(open discussion)</i></p>		
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