

# Welcome to the **6th annual Sunrise Comic Convention!**

West Broward's largest pop culture convention.



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# FULL **SCHEDULE**

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# **All Day Attractions**

Off The Page: The Power of Anime & Manga Exhibit FREE Special Guest Autograph Signing Arts, Crafts & Activities for Kids FREE Cloak & Dagger Escape Room FREE\*

Comic Con T-shirt Screening (Booth 108) FREE\*\*\* Photo Opp - Star Wars 501st Legion FREE

Dagobah Temple Padawan Training (Booth 332) FREE

Gaming - Flynn's Arcade (Booth 336) FREE Gaming - Hero Hype (Booth 335) FREE

Ultimate Smash Bros. Tournament (Booth 334) 12 pm. \$5 Entry

Airbrush Tattoos (Booth 425) FREE

Photo Opp - Dragon Ball Z Saiyan Pod 2.0

Photo Opp - Little Fire 360 Photo Booth

Photo Opp - Orange State Ghostbusters FREE\*\*

Location

Art Gallery Art Gallery

Art Studios

Art Studios

**Grand Ballroom** Grand Ballroom

Gymnasium

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Outdoor by Pool Theatre Lobby

Theatre Lobby

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\* Escape Room operates on a 30-minute cycle and see QR code on page 7 to preregister \*\* Orange State Ghostbusters operate on optional donations only

\*\*\* Free screen printing is provided only to those who bring their own shirts

#### 11:00 AM \*Special Guest Autograph Signing **Art Gallery**

Dmitriy Karas & Ardeshir Radpour through 11:45 AM, returning 1:15 PM Elise Baughman through 1:45 PM, returning 3:15 PM Ernie Reyes Jr. through 2:00 PM, returning 3:50 PM

11:00 AM \*Special Guest Autograph Signing Bill Slevin through 2:15 PM, returning 4:00 PM

**Theatre Lobby** 

11:00 AM \*Special Guest Autograph Signing Peter Raymundo through 3:45 PM, returning 5:00 PM

Gymnasium

# 11:00 AM Saturday Morning Cartoons

**Dance Studio A** Join Fanatically Correct for some trivia, prizes, and an open discussion about

the cartoons that livened television screens in the early hours of Saturdays to the crunching of cereal and Pop Tarts everywhere. Ends at 11:45 AM.

#### 11:15 AM | | Dare You To Come To This Panel

The Media Nut & Friends invites you to participate in this special panel where completed dares win you points, and the top 3 participants with the most points win a prize! Ends at 12:00 PM.

## 11:30 AM Be The Show

A game show with tons of prizes! Lots of wheelin' & dealin' in this fast paced, energetic & interactive game show. Thematic prizes for this event. Ends at 12:15 PM.

# 11:30 AM Disney Trivia w/ Sailor Kit Kat

Dance Studio B

Come join Sailor Kit Kat for another exciting round of Disney Trivia! Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 most knowledgeable participants! Ends at 12:15 PM

### 11:45 AM Marvel Movie Madness!

Community Room

Join Nerds Know for the ultimate Marvel trivia contest! We pull from the entire Marvel cinematic universe for this fun and challenging game! Ends at 12:30 PM.

\* Please note that the quests may take brief comfort breaks throughout the day.







#### 12:00 PM Utlimate Smash Brothers Tournament

Compete for Super Smash Bros. supremacy in this tournament hosted by Flynn's Arcade. \$5 entry fee per person and the top two competitors will go head-to-head in the Grand Finals at 4:30 PM in the Theatre.

#### 12:00 PM Celebrity Q&A Panel Dance Studio A Star Wars & More with Ardeshir Radpour & Dmitriy Karas

The Fanatically Correct Podcast is hosting a Q&A panel, where the audience gets the opportunity to ask two Star Wars stunt and cast actors questions about their work in The Mandalorian, Book of Boba Fett, Obi-Wan Kenobi, Ahsoka, and all the other projects they've each been a part of. Ends at 12:45 PM.

# 12:15 PM How to Draw with Hailee's Corner

**Art Studios** 

Learn how to draw all sorts of characters with artist Hailee Bergman! Learn the stepby-step process of drawing different and interesting characters. Ends at 1:00 PM.

## 12:30 PM Doctor Who: Confession Dial

Dance Studio B

Do you think the Daleks are stupid? That the sonic screwdriver should be used less? That a fan favorite isn't as good as they say? Come and give your confessions and hot takes about Doctor Who, hosted by MarkWHO42! Ends at 1:15 PM.

# Disney Sing-Along w/ Sailor Kit Kat

Come join Sailor Kit Kat and her friends for another Disney Sing a Long! Sing along to some of your favorite Disney tunes from more classic films to current films. From princes to princesses, heroes and villains, this is a show you definitely do not want to miss! Ends at 1:15 PM.

## 12:45 PM Genshin Impact Jeopardy

**Community Room** 

Do you have what it takes to compete in the ultimate Genshin Impact trivia competition? If so, join us for the most intensive Jeopardy match since Ken Jennings lost to that robot! Ends at 1:30 PM.

#### 1:00 PM Comedy at the Con

Join Dade County Comedy for this comedy show geared towards nerd and geek life. With handpicked comedians from across South Florida, there will be guaranteed laughs and smiles throughout. Ends at 1:45 PM.

#### \*Special Guest Autograph Signing Dmitriy Karas & Ardeshir Radpour through 6:00 PM

**Art Gallery** 

1:15 PM From Kid Dreamer to Tattoed Ape

Explore the tumultuous vet determined journey of a scrawny, four-eyed kid from Brooklyn who became a 20x published author, artist and CEO, in this introspective panel. Ends at 2:00 PM.

## 1:30 PM The Theme Song Guessing Game

Join Fantasticarium for a panel in which songs are played from various movies, tv shows, video games, gnime, and musicals across all genres for the participants to guess the correct title to receive points. The five participants with the most points at the end will each choose a prize. Ends at 2:15 PM.

### 1:30 PM Doctor Who: The Matrix Quiz

MarkWH042 will lead all their companions (that's all of you) into the Matrix (the repository of all Time Lord knowledge) to participate in a quiz that is surely bigger on the inside! Ends at 2:15 PM.

# Who Is that Pokémon?

**Community Room** 

Calling all Pokémon trainers! Nerds Know needs your help completing the Pokédex! To do that we need you to identify as many Pokemon as possible with the clues we have assembled. Those who can help us identify enough Pokémon will win fantastic prizes! Ends at 2:30 PM.

#### 2:00 PM Celebrity Q&A Panel

Dance Studio A

**Adventures in Voicing with Elise Baughman** 

Fanatically Correct is moderating questions from the audience for the voice of Pan of the Dragon Ball franchise. Elise Baughman will be bringing all the knowledge and experience from voicing numerous characters in anime, animation, video games; portraving characters on screen, as well as hosting; and providing classes and coaching in voice acting. Ends at 2:45 PM.













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# Disney Media Mash Live!

**Art Studios** 

Time for a FANTASMIC time! Join the Random Ramblers in this Disney edition of their popular Pop Culture Debate Game Show! One Judge. Three Contestants! The winner of each round is the one with the BEST graument who then WINS A PRIZE! Ends at 3:00 PM.

# **Hunting The Haunted 2024**

Theatre

Join world famous paranormal investigator Bill Slevin and some of his team members from the Paranormal Existence Research Society (P.E.R.S.) as they teach you all about the paranormal, tell you about some of their most interesting & terrifying experiences, and learn about some of the most haunted locations in Florida. Ends at 3:15 PM.

#### **Fazbear Entertainment Presents** Dance Studio B

Join everyone's favorite rockin' chicken, Chica, and get ready for a 45-minute jam session singing along to your favorite Five Nights at Freddy's tunes! Ends at 3:15 PM.

#### 2:45 PM Cos Box **Community Room**

Who hasn't been in the dreaded costume crunch? Just a week until the conand you have to finish your latest costume! Well this competition takes con crunch to the next level! You will be given just 45 minutes to construct a costume for our panel of judges during your best runway walk. The catch? You can only use the random materials provided in our Cos Box! That's right! You can only use scraps of fabric, wrapping paper, and other random things in the box! However, since we are feeling nice, scissors, tape, and staplers will be provided. That is all you're getting from us! Contestants can work in groups or alone, but the more the merrier! Fantastic prize packages valued at \$50-\$100 each will be awarded to First, Second, and Third place. So bring your creativity and create the best con crunch costumes ever! Ends at 3:30 PM.

#### 3:00 PM **Celebrity Q&A Panel** Kicking Shell with Ernie Reves Jr.

fighters, and so much more. Ends at 3:45 PM.

Dance Studio A

Dance Studio B

Martial Arts legend of the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles franchise, Ernie Reyes Jr., is hanging out with Fanatically Correct, to take questions from the audience about his time as Donatello and Keno in the original Ninja Turtles films, starring in Surf Ninjas, giving the Rock a beatdown in The Rundown, as well as competing in professional Muay Thai, training professional UFC

# \*Special Guest Autograph Signing

**Art Gallery** Elise Baughman through 6:00 PM

#### 3:15 PM Fashion To Comics Art Studios

A Product Development Workshop

Learn directly from Gmoss how to develop a product and promote your brand, starting from a sketch/idea up to the final product design! Ends at 4:00 PM.

#### Hogwarts House Cup

Join Fantasticarium for an interactive, all ages & all-inclusive panel with trivia & not one but TWO fun mini games about the wizarding world & its magic, 1. A mini guidditch match: 2. Catching the "Golden Snitch" (a small stuffed version). Points will be tallied up for the houses, with a house cup

meter and individual scores. Ends at 4:15 PM.

\* Please note that the guests may take brief comfort breaks throughout the day.

# 3:30 PM Theater & Cosplay

Theatre Come join PPTOPA, a local regional theater, as they talk about how the

worlds of theater and cosplay are connected. Between careers and talents overlapping, it wouldn't be a hit show spectacular without a few musical numbers on the stage! Grab your props and wear your cosplay as you enjoy the hidden secrets behind Broadway! Ends at 4:15 PM.

#### 3:45 PM Husbando Madness!! **Community Room**

It's time to flex, strut, and everything in between during this ultimate Husbando contest! Nerds Know needs you to help decide who is the best of the best in this bracket tournament! And no, the temperature is quite brisk, but our Husbandos are bringing the heat! Ends at 4:30 PM.

#### 3:50 PM \*Special Guest Autograph Signing **Art Gallery** Ernie Reyes Jr. through 6:00 PM

\*Special Guest Autograph Signing Theatre Lobby Bill Slevin through 6:00 PM

#### 4:00 PM Celebrity Q&A Panel **Dance Studio A**

**Discussing Art with Disney Animator Peter Raymundo** 

Fanatically Correct will be moderating questions from the audience for an animator of some of the most legendary projects that Disney Animation has to offer, while facilitating a discussion on his work as an author, illustrator. and artist outside of bringing characters and dreams to screen from work in Mulan and Tarzan, to Lilo & Stitch. Ends at 4:45 PM.

## 4:15 PM Anime & Manga Drawing

**Art Studios** 

Join Carlos Aleman for a free 45-minute presentation on the City of Sunrise anime and drawing workshops! During the presentation, you'll get a glimpse of what our workshops are all about and get an opportunity to explore your creativity and learn new skills! Ends at 5:00 PM.

#### **Ultimate Smash Bros. Grand Finals Theatre**

Come and witness the battle for Super Smash Bros. supremacy, hosted by Flynn's Arcade. After battling all day, the top two finalists will go headto-head on the big screen. Come in, take a seat, and cool down for this penultimate Comic Con event.

#### **Ballroom Etiquette and Dancing** Dance Studio B

Presented by Fantasticarium, this panel is led by a professional dancer, teaching as many basic and formal ballroom necessities as we can fit into the allotted time slot. We will cover how to bow, to curtsy, and to take part in the grand march. The waltz, Virginia reel, the polka, and many more dances are included, as well as the broom dance for fun. We will help you prepare for the masquerade ball to be hosted by Fantasticarium in the near future. Ends at 5:15 PM.

#### 4:45 PM Cursed Commercials World Wide Community Room

Nerds Know has just one question about these commercials. Who in their right might thought they were a good idea!?!? We have gathered the most bizarre commercials from around the world and need your help to figure them out! They are weird. They are crude. They just might be banned. Ends at 5:30 PM.

#### \*Special Guest Autograph Signing Gymnasium Peter Raymundo through 6:00 PM (Booth 312)

Why We love Sci-fi and Comics Dance Studio A Join Jeff Carroll for a special film screening with discussion of the filmmakers on the subject of science fiction and comic books. Ends at 5:45 PM.

#### Cosplay Competition **Theatre**

The final event of Sunrise Comic Con, hosted by Cody's Cosplay Carnival; Judged by Nate Takes, Diana Grace, & Kayla. Come and support your favorite cosplay competitors and let your voices be heard for the Fan Favorite awards! Whether novice, journeyman, or masters level, we have prizes for all divisions!



ROOMS

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escape the gulag and return home

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Free Photo Opp Star Wars 501st Legion Booth 128-131



**Orange State Ghostbusters** Theatre Lobby



360 Degree Photo Opp Theatre Lobby additional cost



Photo Opp Dragon Ball Z Saiyan Pod / Attack Ball Theatre Lobby additional cost



Bill Slevin is a world-famous paranormal investigator, researcher, parapsychologist, demonology specialist & celebrity.

Bill can be seen on TV, radio, podcasts, magazines, and newspapers all over the world, including Discovery +, the Travel Channel, Destination America and Paraflixx. Bill is part of the current shock doc The Devil's Academy now streaming on Discovery  $\pm$  .

Bill has been part of the paranormal field for 35 years, and has been part of close to 1,000 residential investigations. Bill is a demonology specialist and has been part of some very dark and demonic cases. Bill is also an educator in the paranormal field traveling around and educating people at

conventions, schools, colleges,

libraries etc..

Bill is the founder of the Paranormal Existence Research Society (P.E.R.S.), a renowned professional nonprofit paranormal research team. P.E.R.S. has teams throughout FL, GA, NE and Internationally in The UK, Italy, and Greece.



ANIMATO

WRITER

Peter Raymundo was a character animator on 9 films for Walt Disney Studios, including Mulan, Tarzan, Lilo and Stitch, and The Princess and the

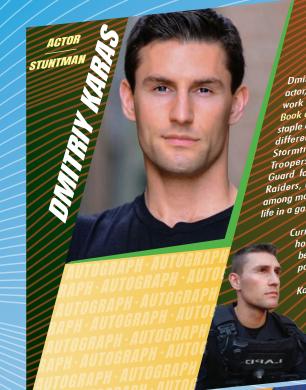
As an author and illustrator, Peter has books published around the world by Abrams, Scholastic, and Penguin Random House.

He currently has a multi-book deal with Dial Books for Young Readers and regularly contributes artwork on the Spidey and His Amazing Friends books for Marvel.









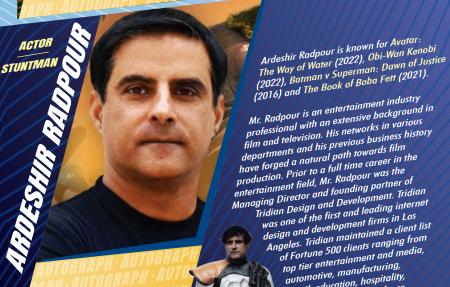
Dmitriy Karas is a Ukrainian American stuntman, actor, and creature performer, best known for his work throughout Ahsoka, The Mandalorian, The Book of Boba Fett, and Obi-Wan Kenobi. He's a staple of the Star Wars series, portraying many different characters, including the infamous Stormtrooper that shot Grogu. From Night Troopers, Stormtroopers and Pyke Syndicate Guard following orders, to aliens like the Tusken Raiders, Red Mimbanese, and Trandoshans, among many others, fighting their way through life in a galaxy far, far away.

Currently, Dmitriy continues to train and hone his skills. He strives to become a better performer, while forging his own path in the industry.

Karas is also known for his work in The Terminal List (2022) and The Flight Attendant (2020).

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All the talented vendors, artists, authors, panelists, and performers who share their passions with our community year after year!

And always . . . our beloved Sunrise residents!