

PONYVILLE CIDERFEST

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Welcome to

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A Message from the Convention Chair



Once again I have the privilege of welcoming all attendees, sponsors, guests, vendors, panelists and staff to our sixth Ponyville Ciderfest! I'm so happy that we are able to share this very special weekend with all of you!

Over the years, I have often said that this community has become more like family to me than friends and acquaintances, and it was this idea that led us to our Holiday theme. We are very excited to spend the weekend celebrating holidays that we would normally not be together for. I can't think of a better way to celebrate these special occasions than with my extended convention family, can you?

This is also a special event for another reason. We are filled with mixed emotions this year, knowing the last season of My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic is behind us. It's crazy to think that a cartoon intended for kids was able to bring all of us together, and I am forever grateful to everyone who worked on the show: from Lauren Faust for creating the concept, to Big Jim and the production staff, the writers, the incredible artists and musicians, and of course the incredibly talented voice actors. Without them, I wouldn't have the opportunity to come together with all of you each year and celebrate the Magic of Friendship.

I just want all of you to know that I will always love and support this fandom where I have found so much friendship and support, and I am 100% dedicated to continuing with these conventions for as long as you are all willing to come and celebrate with me!

As usual, I'll be running around all weekend, but please stop me to say hello, and also be sure to thank any staffers that you see around. Let any of us know if there is anything we can do to help make your weekend the best that it can be.

Once again, happy holidays, and welcome to Ponyville Ciderfest 2019!

Charlie Worthley

Charlie Worthley
Convention Chair



Rules & Code of Conduct

These rules are not exhaustive and may be updated at any time. Updated rules can be found at Registration or on our website.

If you have any questions about these rules, please ask any Ponyville Ciderfest staff member.

Remember, we are here to have a safe and fun experience for all.

Anti-Harassment Policy

Ponyville Ciderfest is dedicated to providing a harassment-free convention experience for everyone, regardless of gender, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, disability, physical appearance, body size, race, age, or religion.

We do not tolerate harassment of convention participants in any form. Unless a panel or event is both after 8PM and is also specified as being either 18+ or 21+, sexual language or imagery is not allowed.

Convention participants violating these rules may be sanctioned or expelled from the conference without a refund at the discretion of the convention organizers. You can view the full text of the policy and how to report violations on our website.

General Rules

Please respect the convention staff, security, and hotel employees. We are here to make sure everyone is safe and has a great weekend.

- No obscene or profane behavior in any public areas. This includes PDA or violence.
- No sleeping in public areas.
- No smoking of any kind in the hotel. This includes vaping.
- No food or beverage is allowed in any of the convention areas unless it was purchased on-site from the hotel.
- No use of any illegal substance is permitted. This will result in police intervention.
- Do not damage or steal any convention or hotel property. You will be held financially responsible.
- Do not drop things from the balconies.
- Solicitation of any goods or services is not allowed unless you are a registered vendor.
- Pets are not allowed in the convention area, with the exception of service animals. If you have special needs and need a service animal, please consult with hotel staff.
- All attendees are to wear their attendance badge visibly at all times.
- Badge sharing is not allowed. Ponyville Ciderfest staff members reserve the right to ask any and all attendees for picture ID verification. Failure to provide ID verification will result in revocation of the attendee's badge.
- Ponyville Ciderfest reserves the right to revoke any and all attendee and/or staff badges at any time for noncompliance with convention regulations, and in severe cases, escorting of the offending party off the property.



Minors/Children Rules

Lost children will be directed to Registration until picked up by their parent or legal guardian.

- We do not offer childcare services. Anyone aged 12 or under must always be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian who must have their own badge. Please do not leave children unattended, even in children programming areas.
- Curfew laws still apply to persons under the age of 17, unless escorted by a parent or legal guardian or they are a registered guest of the Hyatt Regency Milwaukee. Curfew in the city of Milwaukee is 11:00 PM on Friday and Saturday, and 10:00 PM on Sunday – Thursday.
- Parents or legal guardians will be held responsible for any damages done to the hotel or convention property by their children.
- Persons under the age of 21 who are found to be in possession of alcohol may be removed from the hotel per the hotel staff's discretion.

Cosplay Policies

Ponyville Ciderfest welcomes all cosplayers! It's always fun to dress up and show off a cool costume. Just make sure to follow these cosplay guidelines. If you are concerned that you may be in violation of one of the following policies, please visit Operations to have your costume checked.

ALL COSTUMES MUST CONFORM TO THE POLICIES BELOW

- No live steel and no sharp protrusions (i.e. sharp spikes).
- All costumes must comply with local public decency laws. In addition, we are a family friendly event and costumes should be of a G or PG rating, as determined by Ponyville Ciderfest staff. Cosplay items that are determined to be obscene or vulgar are not permitted.
- No bare feet.
- Please keep your costume from extending more than six inches (6") from your body in any direction. There can be exceptions if the item is collapsible or retractable (i.e. a tail).
- No firearms. Any firearm props must look harmless to the average viewer.
- Realistic looking replica firearms are also not allowed, including those marked with an orange tip.
- No projectiles should be used on hotel property.
- No laser pointers or high-intensity lights that can hurt the eyes.

Event Policies

There are a lot of cool and exciting events to enjoy and sights to see at Ponyville Ciderfest. As always, it's important to have fun and be safe while at these events, whether it's a panel, a dance, or otherwise. Please keep these rules in mind:

- Please be courteous of other attendees as well as other hotel guests.
- No pushing, shoving, or being aggressive.
- No moshing or violent behavior at the dance.
- Please be respectful and courteous at panels. Engaging with the panelists is definitely encouraged, but make sure that the panelists are able to talk.
- Do not cut in line or save spots for events.
- Please do not fight in any of the event areas. This includes, but is not limited to, fighting with weapons, such as foam fighting or boffer, empty handed combat such as martial arts, stage fighting, or general play fighting.

Special Events



Saturday - Trotter's
Session 1 @ 2PM - 3PM (sold out)
Session 2 @ 4PM - 5PM (sold out)
\$25 per person, 21+ Only (IDs will be checked)

We can't call it Ciderfest if we don't give you the chance to taste some great hard cider! For 2019, we are excited to once again partner with Cider House of Wisconsin, a local cidery based in McFarland, WI.

They will be bringing a selection of their freshly made hard ciders for you to get an ample tasting of in your shiny new tasting glass, which is only available to ticket purchasers of this event.

Back by popular demand! This year, you will also receive a new collectible bottle with special screen-printed art made specifically for this event!



Saturday - Trotter's
9PM - 11PM (sold out)
\$10 per person + Contribution (all proceeds go to Charity!)
21+ Only (IDs will be checked)

Join two of the fandom's biggest beer nerds to share in some of yours and others' excellent beer/cider/mead!

Inevitably, craft beer drinkers will end up with a collection of bottles in their "cellar" (either literal or figurative) that are too special to waste on an evening home alone. Bottle Shares are the perfect opportunity to share some of your special, rare, and hard to come by beers with your fellow craft beer drinkers.

If you got a ticket but forgot to bring something to share, don't panic or just grab some random six pack we can get anywhere! Instead, either visit a local brewery to get something fresh to go, or try a local craft beer store such as Thief Wine at Milwaukee Public Market. You can do it! Refer to the website for full details.

Thanksgiving Sponsor Dinner

Friday - Trotter's
5PM to 6PM

An exclusive event only for Super Sparkle, Alicorn, Celestial, & Equestria Level Sponsor Badge holders!

Time for a feast!

As a special thank-you to our Super Sparkle, Alicorn, Celestial, and Equestria level sponsors, we'd like to invite you to a sit-down meal with our Guests of Honor.

Come with empty bellies, because the food and friends will leave you filled!

Tickets for this event are not available a la carte.

Ugly Sweater All Ages VIP Social Hour

Saturday - Trotter's
6PM to 7PM

Who said anything about ugly? I think the pom-poms and jingle bells look great in Rarity's mane! Well, maybe our Guests of Honor will like it, and you can ask them yourself at our all-ages cocktail hour. Sweaters of all levels of fashion are welcome and encouraged.

An open bar is included. All ages are permitted to enter the event; the bar will check your ID if you order alcohol.

To enter this event you must have a ticket.

Season Pass Reception

Sunday - Barley Room
3PM to 5PM

The Midwest is no stranger to pony conventions, and to those that have supported us all year, we've got a special event just for you. Complimentary snacks and beverages will be provided.

This event is restricted to those that had ANY kind of badge to ALL of Whinny City Pony Con 2019, MLP-MSP F, AND Ponyville Ciderfest 2019.

Bring all three badges for quickest entry - don't forget to pick up your gift at the con store as well!!!

Guests of Honor

**KELLY
SHERIDAN**

@KSheridanVoice



**Voice Actor
Starlight Glimmer**

Kelly Sheridan is delighted to play Starlight Glimmer, Sassy Saddles, Misty Fly and others in MLP: FiM. With more than 25 years of voice over experience, she has appeared in numerous animated series and features including Ukyo in Ranma ½, Sango in Inuyasha, and numerous roles in My Little Pony Tales and MLP G3. Most notably, she worked for Mattel for over a decade, playing the voice of Barbie in the majority of their feature length films. Recent credits include Blayde in Dinotrax, Praxina in Lolirock, various roles in Seth Rogan's Sausage Party, and the upcoming preschool series 16 Hudson.

Kelly is a graduate of Simon Theatre University's Theatre Program and loves creating theatre. The rest of the time she can be found traveling, playing complicated board games and sampling premium tequilas.

**CLAIRE
CORLETT**

@ClaireMCorlett



**Voice Actor
Sweetie Belle**

Claire Margaret Corlett was born in Vancouver, BC and now resides in Los Angeles. You probably know her as Sweetie Belle in Hasbro's My Little Pony or Tiny in PBS's #1 hit series Dinosaur Train. Other roles include Stacie in the Barbie movies, Sally from Peanuts, and Michelle in NBC's 3-2-1 Penguins, as well as other radio and TV commercials. She's had guest spots on popular shows like The Murders, Siren, and the film, Before I Fall. She's also starred in Hallmark's Smart Cookies as Frank and the Independent film, Last Night in Suburbia, as Frannie. In 2020, you can spot Claire in Netflix's To All The Boys I've Loved 2!

Claire is not a quiet person... in fact very far from it. She uses this annoying personality trait to her advantage on her YouTube channel and social media. She plans to pursue improv and sketch comedy training for performing and writing at LA's renowned theatre school, The Groundlings. She continues as a working actor while scooping ice-cream on the side. Claire is currently working on producing her very first comedy and pop E.P. while occasionally attending open mics.

**ANDY
PRICE**

@AndyPriceArt



**IDW
Comic Artist**

Since issue 1, Andy Price has been the lead pencil/ink artist for the incredibly successful and record breaking MY LITTLE PONY: FRIENDSHIP IS MAGIC comic books from IDW Publishing. MLP broke the 100,000 presale mark, the first independent book to beat DC or Marvel in 9 years! The book has reached an all age audience and brought new readers to comic shops. The book is translated into multiple languages, has world wide distribution, and achieved 2 Diamond Gem awards.

Andy is a graduate of the Joe Kubert School, and works in most mediums. Andy has also done work from comics to trading cards to toy designs to whatever comes along, for Storm King Publishing, BOOM! Studios, DC Comics, Archie Comics, Marvel Comics, LEGO, Rittenhouse Archives, Innovation Comics, and Slave Labor Graphics, among others. Other licenses include Adventure Time, Quantum Leap, Dark Shadows, Betty & Veronica, Star Trek. He lives in Georgia, where he cooks for his wife Alice and is slave to cats. He also celebrates Batman's and James T. Kirk's birthdays.

**BIG JIM
MILLER**

@TheBiggestJim



**Supervising
Director**

Big Jim Miller is a storyboard artist, cartoonist, and director living in Vancouver, BC, Canada. He has worked primarily as a storyboard artist, most notably for 10 years at a.k.a. Cartoon Inc. on Cartoon Network's 'Ed, Edd n' Eddy', where he was a part of all 5 seasons, the 3 holiday specials and the TV movie. He has also done storyboard work on 'Kid Vs. Kat', Capcom's 'Dead Rising 3' and the Hub's 'My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic'.

After starting on MLP, he has since moved on to storyboard supervising seasons 2 and 3 of that series, as well as the 'Equestria Girls' direct to DVD movie. Season 4 of MLP saw Jim promoted to co-director, director on Season 5, and Supervising Director on Seasons 6 through 8. Jim has also voiced the character Troubleshoes in the S5 episode, 'Appleloosa's Most Wanted'.



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Guests of Honor

SUNNI WESTBROOK

@SunniWestbrook



**Voice Actor
Cozy Glow**

Sunni Westbrook started auditioning for My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic during its fifth season and joined the cast, as Cozy Glow, in season eight. She is grateful for every role she didn't get because now she is Cozy!

Prior to starting her voice career in 2014, Sunni fought her calling as an actor, taking on "real jobs" in biotech and pharmaceuticals. She would have also made a darn fine librarian, except she is very loud. She is delighted to be back in her home state of Wisconsin to share in the magic of friendship with you!

KATRINA SALISBURY

@KR_Salisbury



**Voice Actor
Yona**

Katrina Salisbury is a Canadian actress, currently living and working in the beautiful province of British Columbia. She began her career in 2016 and has been grateful to play some amazing characters including Nico Niyama on Kiznaiver, Inmate 43B on Tooth and Tail, Angela on Tobot, and Yona on My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic.

In her off time, Katrina can be found behind the controller of her PS4 playing way too much Overwatch. A fun fact about Katrina, she is type 1 diabetic and sports a strange looking MP3 thing which is actually her insulin pump.

TORI GRANT

@OhJeeToriG



Storyboard Artist

Tori Grant is a Storyboard Artist currently living and working in Vancouver, BC.

She has worked on Equestria Girls since Legend of Everfree. She joined the Pony crew at the end of Season 8 and had a blast on Season 9. If you saw any super wacky faces in Season 9 Tori Grant probably drew them.

She is a big Dungeons and Dragons nerd and is a crazy cat lady.



DESIRAE SALMARK

@DesiraeSalmark



Storyboard Artist

Desirae Salmark is an escapee of a small town, living the glamorous Storyboard Artist lifestyle in Vancouver, BC.

She's had the pleasure of working on several seasons of My Little Pony, and...yes, you guessed it — formed SO many valuable friendships along the way! Other credits include Equestria Girls, Polly Pocket, Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs, and Snoopy in Space.

When she's not drawing for cartoons (and pitching boards with silly voices) she enjoys doodling autobiographical comics that romanticize her life, playing D&D and embarrassing herself in improv comedy.

Photograph & Autograph Sessions

Session Times

Friday: 2PM-3:30PM

Saturday: 2PM-3:30PM

Sunday: 11:30AM-1PM

All Guests of Honor will be at all sessions except for Andy Price, who can be found at his table in the Vendor Hall at varying times throughout the weekend.

Voucher Costs

Photograph - \$20

One photograph with one Guest of Honor

Autograph - \$20

One autograph per item per voucher

Combo Deal - \$30

One photograph and one autograph for one Guest of Honor

Rules

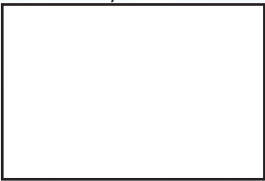
- Photographs can be a selfie or taken by our staff with your own camera or phone.
- Please limit requests for autographs or photographs to these sessions, unless prompted by the Guest.
- Vouchers must be purchased at the Con Store near registration prior to requesting the autograph or photograph.
- You must have a Voucher to enter the room.
- Our Guests of Honor will only accept vouchers in exchange for autographs or photos. Cash or other offers of payment are not accepted.
- Please be courteous during your time with the Guests so that everyone can have an opportunity to interact with them.

Community Guests

Use the spaces below each Community Guest to collect each of their autographs!
Can you find them all?



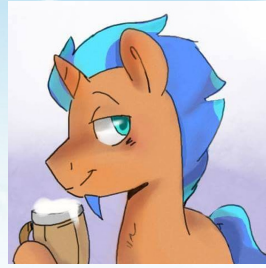
ACRacebest
YouTuber, Content
Creator, Comedian



Alto & Pastel
Entertainers/Artists



argodaemon
Animator



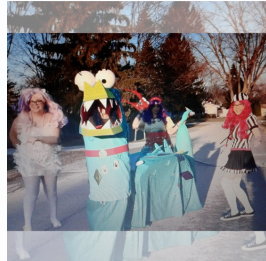
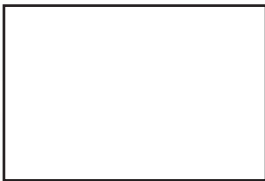
BronyBrewer
Cider Enthusiast &
Brew Guru



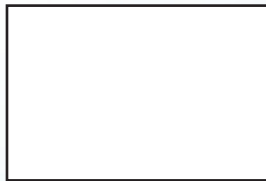
Chocolate Pony
Creator, Artist,
Podcaster



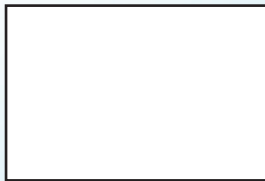
Commentary is Magic
MLP:CCG Content
Creators, Organizers



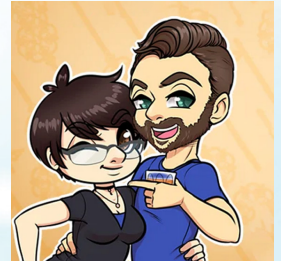
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Cosplay
Cosplay Group



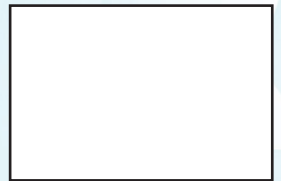
Fiaura The Tank Girl
Content Creator/Writer



Foal Papers
Moderator, MC,
Auctioneer, Raconteur



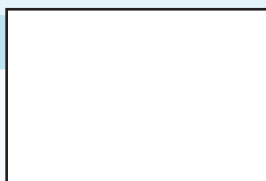
Inkkey Studios
Creator of Mares



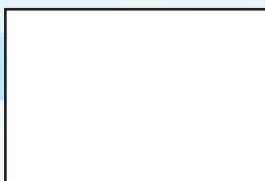
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Artist



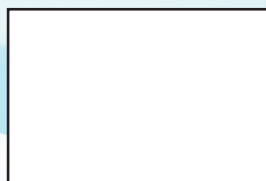
Jake Whyman
Content Creator



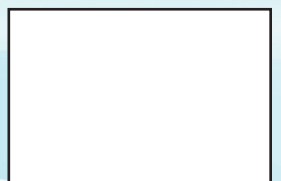
JHaller
Content Creator



KrazyKari
Cosplayer



Midnight Premiere
Content Creator



Community Guests

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Minty Root
Fan animator



PaleoSteno
YouTuber



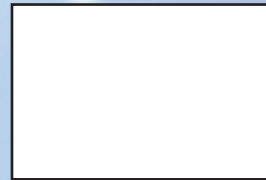
Pirate Dash
Artist, Content Creator



pixelkitties



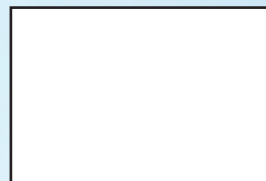
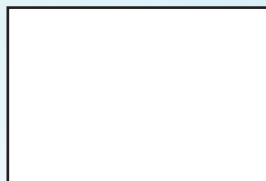
Saberspark
YouTuber



Scope
Angry Twitter Horse



Silver Quill
YouTuber and Comic Artist



For full bios and social media links for Guests of Honor, Community Guests, & Musicians refer to ponyvilleciderfest.com/guests

Designed to be simple to use and easy on both your battery and storage, our new app gives you a digital copy of the schedule in your pocket!

To take advantage of the full offline support plus "My Agenda" functionality to set reminders for events you don't want to miss, search for "Ponyville Ciderfest" in your app store or scan this QR code to get our FREE app now!

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Mane Stage Musicians

Use the spaces below each Musician to collect each of their autographs!
Can you find them all?



4EverfreeBrony
Soft Rock, Pop,
Singer/Songwriter



Black Gryph0n
Pop, Electronic



Brilliant Venture
100% Pony Trance,
Complexxro, Dubstep, DnB



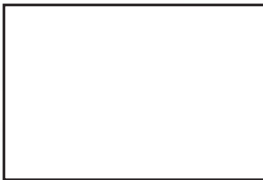
Crusader!
Pop punk, Dance Pop,
Folk



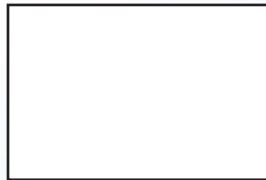
Cyril the Wolf
Progressive Hard Rock



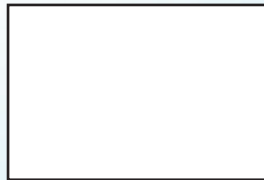
Eurobeat Brony
Eurobeat



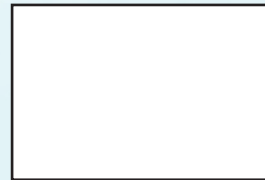
Forest Rain
Pop/Punk



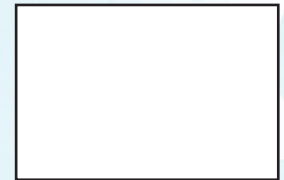
Francis Vace
Ska Punk



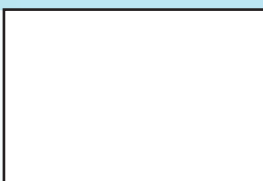
John Kenza
House, Hands-Up, Future
Bass



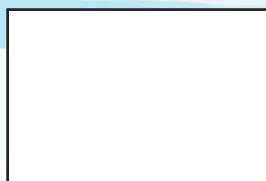
loophoof
EDM with horse noises



Nevermourn
Drum and Bass



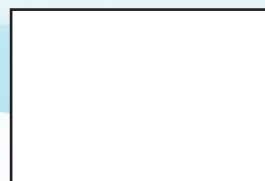
P1K
Punk/Alternative Rock



PrinceWhatever
Rock/Metal



Seventh Element
Electronic Variety

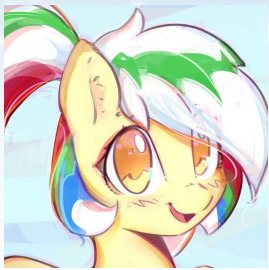


**Straight From
The Heart**
Hip Hop



Mane Stage Musicians

Use the spaces below each Musician to collect each of their autographs!
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TCB
Dubstep/Hybrid



The Shake Ups
Power-pop



The Wonderbolts!
Rock and Roll



VinylTastic
Electro House, Bounce & Dubstep



Vocal Score
Acoustic Pop and Rock



#PVCF19 PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY Christmas Eve Concert

	7:00P - 7:30P	VOCAL SCORE (GALA)
	7:30P - 8:15P	DJ LUCK ROCK (GALA)
	8:15P - 9:00P	4EVERFREEBRONY (GALA)
	9:00P - 10:15P	BLACK GRYPHON
	10:15P - 11:00P	FRANCIS VACE
	11:15A - 12:00A	BRILLIANT VENTURE
	12:00A - 12:30A	VINYLTASTIC
	12:30A - 1:00A	STRAIGHT FROM THE HEART
	1:00A - 2:00A	TCB & NEVERMOURN

SATURDAY New Year's Eve Countdown

	7:00P - 8:00P	THE SHAKE UPS
	8:30P - 9:30P	THE PVCF19 SUPERBAND
	9:30P - 10:30P	THE WONDERBOLTS!
	10:30P - 11:15P	PRINCEWHATEVERER
	11:30P - 12:00A	COUNTDOWN w/ SEVENTH ELEMENT
	12:00P - 1:00A	JOHN KENZA & LOOPLOOP
	1:00A - 2:00A	EUROBEAT BRONY

Activities for Kids

There's plenty for kids of all ages to do at Ponyville Ciderfest!

Note: These activities are geared towards our attendees with "Filly/Colt" and "6 or Under" badges, but are open to anyone that is accompanied by a parent or guardian, who must remain with them.

Friday Schedule

Play Games and Make Friends! 1:30PM - 2:30 PM

Make some friends, meet up with old ones! We have lots of MLP games to help break the ice.

Spooky Stories and Spider & Mummy Jars 2:30PM - 3:30 PM

We start our journey through the Holidays together with Nightmare Nights! Join us for some spooky stories. If you're up for a craft, make a spider or mummy jar to take home!

Pumpkin Painting Contest 3:30PM - 5:30 PM

This event is huge! Paint your pumpkin, then we will put it out for everyone to vote on! All participants will get to go up on stage during Closing Ceremonies for a special awards ceremony. Oh! Did we forget to mention there will be prizes?

*Please note that this is an ongoing event. Kids may feel free to join in the activity, but prizes will not be handed out until Sunday during Closing Ceremonies.

Make Ears, Horns, and Wings 5:30PM - 7:00 PM

In the tale of the original Hearth's Warming, all of the types of ponies had to work together against the Wendigos to form Equestria. Let's celebrate that by becoming YOUR favorite type of pony! Make ears for Earth ponies, wings for Pegasus, and horns for unicorns, or make all of them if you can't choose!

Open Artistry 7:00PM - 8:30 PM

Enjoy this free time to relax, create some art, or make some crafts.



Saturday Schedule

Open Artistry 10:30AM - 11:30 AM

Enjoy this free time to relax, create some art, or make some crafts.

Kids Concert with the Shake Ups 1:30PM - 2:30 PM

Hosted by The Shake Ups

Join the Shake Ups for a special acoustic sing-along concert just for kids!

Clay Hearth's Warming Dolls 2:30PM - 4:00 PM

The Apple's have crocheted dolls, the Pie's have rock dolls. We're going to make ours out of soft air dry clay. It's going to be lots of fun!

Bouquet of Flowers 11:30AM - 12:00 PM

Come on in and make a bouquet of tissue paper flowers. They keep forever and don't need water.

Friendship Ambassador Ribbons with our Guests of Honor 5:00PM - 6:00 PM

Create friendship ambassador ribbons for your or a friend with some of our Guests of Honor!

Sensory Bottles 6:00PM - 7:00 PM

Sensory bottles are so much fun. Fill your bottle with all sorts of interesting things. Shake it up or let it float gently up and down. It's so much fun to watch.

Crackle's Cousin's Feast of Fire Tales 7:00PM - 8:00 PM

What a special treat! Crackle's Cousin has landed in Kid's to share with us the secrets of The Feast of Fire, a dragon holiday! What wonders will be revealed?

Sunday Schedule

How to Draw Ponies with Andy Price 11:00AM - 12:00 PM

Join Guest of Honor Andy Price to learn how to draw some of your favorite characters from My Little Pony!

Kid's Charity Auction 3:30PM - 5:00 PM

Calling all kids! Want to bid on super cool toys and souvenirs while supporting a great charity? Come to the Kids' Auction to bid and win! Parents: cash or credit are accepted at the auction. If you have donations, please bring them to the charity drop-off location.

A Very Special Thanks to our Equestria Sponsors!

Drawn by Andy Price - Colored by Ruef



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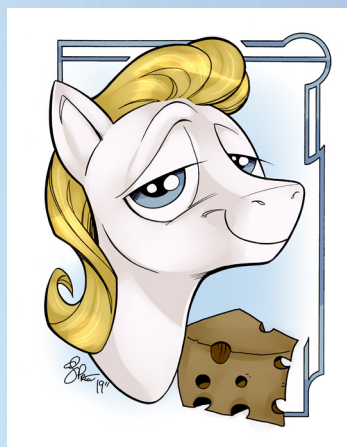
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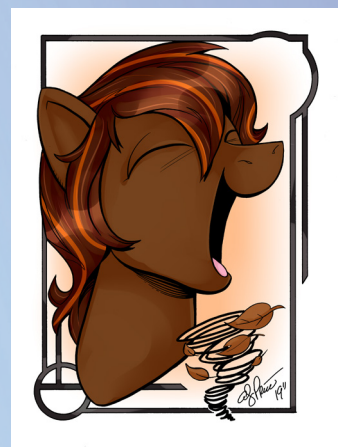
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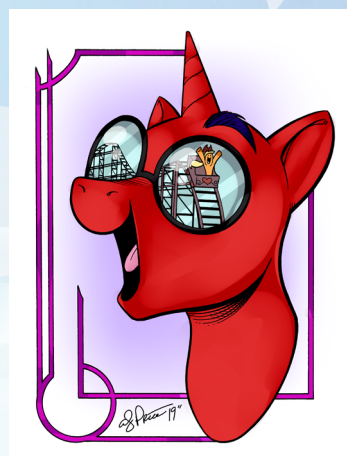
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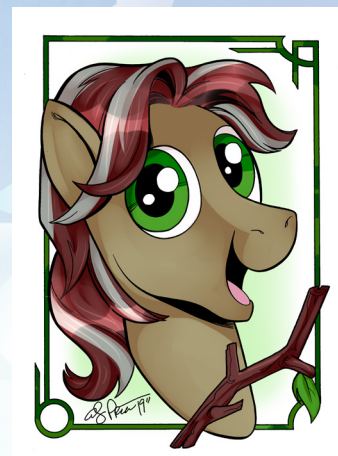
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Friday 7:00PM - 9:00PM

THE GRAND GALLOPING GALA



Ponyville Ciderfest Presents: THE GRAND GALLOPING GALA!

Come to our yearly catered, formal dance featuring performances by Vocal Score, DJ Luck Rock, & 4EverfreeBrony while snacking on delectable finger foods! A cash bar will also be available.

6:45 PM – DOORS OPEN

7:00 PM – DANCE LESSON BEGINS

Our instructors Cousin Crackle's Cosplay will begin the lesson promptly at 7:00 PM. If you're running late you can try to join in if there's room, but the lesson will not start over. After the 15-20 minute lesson ends, dance your hearts out until 9:00 PM!

Grand Galloping Gala tickets are either included in all Patron and Sponsor packages or can be purchased separately for \$25 from Registration.

GRAND GALLOPING GALA DRESS CODE

A minimum of business casual or semi casual is required for your outfit. Cosplay is allowed only if it meets these requirements. In general, this means that you should avoid shorts, sweatpants, Crocs, sandals, t-shirts, hoodies, baseball caps, or any torn or ripped clothing.

Things that will help you meet the requirements of a formal outfit include ties, button-up shirts, dark or pressed pants, dresses, loafers or dress shoes, blazers or sport coats, suits, or formal military uniforms for service persons.

Ponyville Ciderfest reserves the right to deny or turn away clothing or cosplay deemed inappropriate. We will not provide refunds to guests denied entrance for failing to meet the Dress Code requirements. If you have any questions about the Dress Code, please ask a staff member!

2019 MLP CCG NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by Commentary is Magic

The MLP:CCG North American Continental Championship returns to Ponyville Ciderfest for 2019!

This year, players from around the world will gather to play the My Little Pony Collectible Card Game (MLP:CCG) at the highest competitive level in this Core-format event. The top 16 players from the Swiss rounds on Saturday will move on to the Single Elimination rounds on Saturday and Sunday, to compete for the title of 2019 Continental Champion!

This will be run as a Tier 3 event; tournament floor rules will be in effect. Prizes will be awarded based on match record.

Friday:

**1PM - 4:30PM Odysseys Block Sealed
(EO, HM, MT)**

7PM - 10:30 PM Cube Draft

Saturday:

**10AM - 5:30PM Championship Swiss Rounds
(includes lunch break)**

7PM - 11:30PM Top 16/Top 8 Rounds

Sunday:

**10AM - 2:30PM Top 4 Continental Championship
Semifinals / Final Rounds**

Friday Schedule

Opening Ceremonies - 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Mane Events - Featuring Charlie Worthley and our Guests

My Little Pony is giving us a reason to celebrate, and the festivities are too big for just one holiday! Come hear about all the events we have planned, meet our fantastic guests, and get ready to spread the holiday cheer all year long!

Fallout: Equestria - Where is It? - 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Fiaura The Tank Girl, Alto Scribe, and argodaemon

Where is Fallout: Equestria right now? What are the opinions of our hosts? How do we think it is doing? What stories do we recommend? What is actually cannon? All of these and more possibly answered tonight! Come join us for Fallout: Equestria - Where Is It?

Convention Life with Retro - 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Retro

What I will be doing is giving a brief TL;dr of what working a convention is like. I will be going over some of the nitty gritty of what it's like working cons and general concepts of how cons work and making the information easy for attendees to grok. I will be going over my time at BronyCon Security and some other convention experiences I've had over my seven years of working conventions.

Friday GOH Panel - 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

Mane Events - Featuring Our Guests of Honor

Let's give thanks for the world-class talent that have brought us our favorite show! Come spend some quality time with the heads of our MLP family this weekend, including Claire Corlett, Kelly Sheridan, Sunni Westbrook, Katrina Salisbury, Big Jim Miller, Tori Grant, and Desirae Salmark.

Redemption is Magic: Heel-Face-Turns in FiM - 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by theoneGalen, Mongo, and Foalpapers

From Nightmare Moon, to Discord, Gilda, Trixie, Sunset Shimmer, Starlight Glimmer, and even Twilight Sparkle herself, FiM is chock full of redemption stories. Come hear theoneGalen of The Wonderbolts! put his extended time in academia (that is, taking forever to graduate college) to good use. He'll analyze the themes and types of redemption present in FiM, and explain why redemption is more important than ever today. Featuring a special guest host!

SFM Ponies: Filming is Magic - 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by argodaemon and Adamata64

3D horses! Join for some fun videos, Q&A, and discussion on the use of Source Filmmaker and My Little Pony!

Riffing Rainbow - 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by RiffPonies and Twisted Spectrum

Horrible fan-fiction, horrible people...but a horribly good time! Join the RiffPonies crew as they take you on a journey through the worst pieces of Pony fan-fiction ever written! Think you have what it takes to read the illegible tales of spiderses and Princess Selostipo of Equestico? Only one way to find out!

Bronies React - 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Mane Events - Hosted by ACRacebest, Saberspark, Paleosteno, Black Gryph0n, Silver Quill

Bronies React is a Youtube series bringing together multiple personalities from the Brony Fandom. The series is celebrating 7 years of insanity. Always wild, always crazy. You never know WHAT will happen at a Bronies React panel. Q&A and stories galore!

Pony Song Parodies - 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by iRhymeTheSongs

Song parodies are an overlooked and sometimes misunderstood subset of the Brony Music scene. Join prolific pony parodist iRhymeTheSongs as he shows what makes a song a parody, using plenty of examples from the fandom.

Author Meetup - 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Apple Orchard

Thanksgiving is a time for sitting together and telling stories, and nopony can do it better than our fandom's fanfic authors! Come spend some time with the storytellers who expand the horizons of Equestria with their words!

Pony Show Trivia - 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Phauxe Kitsune and Krystal Sparkle

Grab some friends and test your knowledge of pony! Teams of up to 6 people will compete in five rounds of trivia. Each round will have a theme, and consist of ten questions. All questions will come from the show-- comics, Equestria Girls, fan-made content, and other non canonical material will not be covered.

Pony the Interruption - 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by DoTheDaringDew, Luck Rock, and Nevalyn

Inspired by the ESPN show "Pardon the Interruption," the audience decides what we talk about! Write down on an index card anything show or fandom related you'd like to see us discuss. After placing the cards into a hat, we draw at random, discussing the drawn subject for a certain amount of time. Once the timer goes off, we draw again!

The Improv. Holiday Adventure - 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

Mane Events - Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay

Have you ever wanted to be on Hooves Line Is It Anyways? Join us in an interactive improvisation holiday themed acting adventure. Zany holiday fun and laughter await you!

Reading the Comments - 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by MidnightPremiere, Wing, ChocoPony, andvAdamAta64

What is your work schedule like? How do you deal with rejection? See what happens when you get a panel full of artists, authors, and animators in one room to discuss the working environment in the pony fandom. Answering questions submitted by YOU!

A Festivus for the Rest of Us! - 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Pirate Dash

Come join us for the traditional celebration of Festivus! The aluminum Festivus pole! Airing of grievances! Feats of strength! Festivus miracles! Do it all with your fellow Ciderfest attendees. A Festivus for the rest of us!

Friendship Meetup - 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM

Apple Orchard

Conventions are even better with the ponies we call family. If you're ready to expand yours, come to the Friendship meetup, where you can mingle with other fans of the show. This is a great place to meet new friends, especially if this is your first convention. All are welcome!

Sponsor Thanksgiving Dinner - 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Trotter's - Featuring Our Guests of Honor

Time for a feast! As a special thank-you to our Super Sparkle, Alicorn, Celestial, and Equestria-level sponsors, we'd like to invite you to a sit down meal with our Guests of Honor. Come with empty bellies, because the food and friends will leave you filled!

The Magical World of Animation & Design! - 5PM to 6PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Befish Productions

Animation! Design! These are things very important to cartoons, especially the one you're all big fans of. How do these cartoons look as appealing as they do? That's what I'm here to teach you! I want to introduce you to the magical world of animation & design; describing the way that design interactions with animation and how it all works.

Friday Schedule

Who Would Win? - 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Saberspark, ACRacebest, Paleosteno, and Beardy

Who Would Win is a panel where my friends and I discuss with the audience which fictional characters would win a battle and why

Creating MLP:FiM - 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Jim Miller, Tori Grant, & Desirae Salmark

My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic may have aired its final episode, but there are still so many stories to tell! If you've ever been frustrated that the show staff can't talk about upcoming episodes, now's your chance to ask your questions and get a behind-the-scenes look with Big Jim Miller, Tori Grant, and Desirae Salmark!

Apple Bake Off Judging - 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Apple Orchard

It's not Thanksgiving without dessert, and the MLP fandom always provides. Think you can bake something that would make Pinkie Pie jealous? Enter our baking contest for your chance to win fabulous prizes, and once you're done, smile knowing that your dessert will be sold to benefit our charity!

Writing Pony Fanfiction - 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by CategoricalGrant

Have you ever wanted to get started writing My Little Pony fanfiction, but aren't sure where to start? Or are you a long-timer, looking for some tips to hone your craft? This panel will cover everything from important story elements to posting your writing and garnering name recognition!

Grand Galloping Gala - 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Mane Events - Featuring Crackle's Cousin Cosplay, Vocal Score, DJ Luck Rock, and 4EverfreeBrony

The holidays are a time for elegance, and what better place to show off than the Grand Galloping Gala? Wear your holiday best and dance the night away with music, food, and friends. Note: this event is ticketed, and formal attire is required. See our website for more details.

So... What Now? - 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Silver Quill

Friendship is Magic is coming to a close but that doesn't mean the same for the fandom. Having transitioned through some fandoms, Silver Quill is going to offer his take on what you can do to keep the creative spirit alive and how a fandom from the past can impact the future. Join him for one key message: the show is over, but you are getting better each day.

Trotter's Cider Bar is Open! (Friday) - 7:30 PM to 2:00 AM

Trotter's

Like all our favorite holidays, this event is steeped in tradition. Come visit our famous cider bar and grab yourself some of Ponyville's best!

The Medicine of My Little Pony - 7:30 PM to 8:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by CategoricalGrant

Ever wonder what makes our favorite ponies sick, or how they get better? In this panel, we'll examine exactly what makes our equine friends tick- from the pony pox to swamp fever- and their parallels in real world medical practice!

Better Bronies Through Brewing (18+) - 8:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by BronyBrewer

It's cider season! Join our panel as we discuss homebrewing basics and learn how easy it is to make your own cider, beer, wine, and soft drinks at home. See actual equipment used in the brewing process and learn how to start home brewing on a budget, as we discuss what you need to start brewing, the bottling process, and creating custom labels for your masterpiece.

On the Trot (18+) - 8:30 PM to 9:30 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Alto & Pastel

Based on Rooster Teeth's popular online game show, "On the Spot", only 20% cooler. Watch this unfiltered comedy competition, where 2 teams of your favorite Bronies will test their skills in a battle of humor, memes, and pony knowledge. Laughs are free of charge of course; stay for the whole game to watch the humiliation of the losing team as an added bonus!

Christmas Eve Concert - 9:00 PM to 2:00 AM

Mane Events

Hearth's Warming Eve? Christmas Eve? Whatever you call it, it's going to be a PARTY! The Mane Events doors are flying open for a night of unforgettable music, so come jingle all the way to the early hours of the morning!

My Little Karaoke: Singing is Magic - 9:00 PM to 2:00 AM

Trotter's - Hosted by Dashie1982 and Pinkie Derp Pie

Bring your friends and be a part of the musical magic singing your favorite song from MLP FiM. Many song titles from the series and community artists will be available to choose from.

Out of Context Ponies (18+) - 9:00 PM to 10:00 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Light Blade

"Uh... This isn't what it looks like..." Ponies, especially the Mane Six, have a tendency to get themselves into questionable situations. Let's all look at screen shots of these moments and laugh at them. Then audience volunteers will make up, hopefully, funny captions and we'll laugh some more.

Bad Mad Libs! (18+) - 9:30 PM to 10:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by BronyBrewer

Scotaloo went to Twilight's Castle to help find Fluttershy's missing TRex, because it was last seen eating at George Webb. If this last sentence makes sense to you, you might be a veteran of Mad Libs. Help us fill in the blanks and find out what weird and zany hijinks your favorite cartoon characters are getting themselves involved in.

After Dark Vendor Hall (18+) - Friday - 10:30 PM to 1:00 AM

Barley Room

Whether you want a spicy gift for your special somepony or are looking to treat yourself, you'll find something unique at our After Dark Vendor Hall. This event is strictly 18+, and photo IDs are required, so leave the foals at home.

Lost's Rigging (18+) - 10:30 PM to 11:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by LostDisk, Alto Scribe, Button, and Reiuji

Have you ever wondered how a horse halter works? How about have you ever wanted to be able to tie one? How about just tying up in general? Come learn the basics of rigging with Lost as she gets to tie up some of everyone's favorite staff members, and maybe a community guest or two.

Bad Fanfic Reading (18+) - 11:00 PM to 1:00 AM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Sonder, Argodaemon, Jhaller, and AdamAta64

Sonder, Argodaemon, and Jhaller will be taking this yearly tradition of grammatical voyeurism to an even newer-er height with this year's reading of the most terrible, horrible, lewd, and laughable fanfictions that we can find. Blimps will be loaded, lobsters will be fried, and maybe a nice chianti, who knows for sure. Bad fanfiction will reign supreme in this night of nonstop lunacy and terrible alliteration. Come on out and join in if you dare!

Cards Against Equestria for Charity (18+) - 12AM to 1AM

Oak Room - Hosted by Railerzhy and Pirate Dash

You've seen it in the book, or you been down to witness the hilarity that ensues with such absurd combinations of Black cards and White cards to make some visuals you won't easily forget! Come on down and play a fun game for all to enjoy while donating to our charity in the process!

Saturday Schedule

The Differences in Pony Holidays and Human Ones! - 10:00AM to 11:00AM

Mane Events - Hosted by Fiaura The Tank Girl

What are the differences in Pony Holidays and our Human Ones? This is a scientific analysis of just that! How is Hearth's Warming to Christmas? What about Hearts and Hooves day to Valentine's Day? Or why not look at Nightmare Night versus Halloween? Let's dive right in!

Buckball - 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Apple Orchard - Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay

Join us for the BuckBall Games. Come to play or cheer on your friends. Everyone is welcome. Teams will compete for medals and a chance to make it into the Buckball Hall of Fame! If you haven't played before we will have a beginners circle to learn and to match singles to teams. This year we will also have kids court. One word = AWESOME!

Teaching Disability Awareness thru My Little Pony - 10:30 AM to 11:30AM

Caramel Room - Hosted by James as James

Many people with disabilities enjoy My Little Pony, and situations commonly encountered by people with disabilities appear in the TV series, My Little Pony: FiM. Most of the ponies within the show have character traits that are shared among people with various disabilities, and the show's friendship lessons often mirror common social skills lessons that are taught to students with disabilities in special education settings worldwide. In this panel, listen to a My Little Pony fan discuss how people can utilize references from My Little Pony to teach awareness of the issues and challenges faced by people with various forms of disabilities.

Las Pegasus Gambit - 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by StatManDan

The most exciting game in town returns to Marewaukee and Ponyville Ciderfest! Based on the classic game show of (almost) the same name, "Las Pegasus Gambit" is a game show based on blackjack where contestants answer questions in order to gain cards to get to 21 or as close to it without going over or give cards away in order to bust their opponents. Lots of prizes will be on offer!

Getting Started W/Video Game Development - 11AM - 12PM

Oak Room - Hosted by CoasterBrony

A brief introduction to starting your own video game. Topics include software to download, design techniques, and places to go for help. We will design a mock pony video game and cover the software needed to make the game happen.

"The Ending of the End" Screening - 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Mane Events

If you've never watched an episode of My Little Pony in a room of hundreds of fellow fans, then here's your chance to experience something truly magical. Our favorite show really has been the best gift ever, so come celebrate 9 seasons of fun by watching the big finale with all your new friends.

MLP Trivia - 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by DoTheDaringDew and Luck Rock

How well do you think you know the show? Come join DoTheDaringDew and LuckRock as they test your MLP knowledge with some fun trivia questions! All questions range in difficulty from the very simple to the extremely tough!

Saturday Guest of Honor Panel - 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

Mane Events - Featuring Our Guests of Honor

With the last episode of Friendship is Magic behind us, there is a LOT to talk about! Come chat with Claire Corlett, Kelly Sheridan, Sunni Westbrook, Katrina Salisbury, Big Jim Miller, Tori Grant, and Desirae Salmark, and keep the fandom going strong!

Fan Animation Workshop - 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Minty Root & argodaemon

Fan animation seems a scary thing to tackle, all the technical details to memorize, all the software and all the techniques but it doesn't always have to be this way. Join our selection of fan animators from the fandom as they explain their work process and how they create fan animations on their own, from the thought process to the final result on the screen.

Fanfiction - Character Creation And Mary Sues - 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by JMac

The good news is your OC is probably not a Mary Sue. A true Mary Sue is pretty rare, but you still want to avoid creating one. Is a roll playing game background a plus or a minus? Actually, it's both. Let's talk about creating characters.

Hooves Line is it Anyway? - 1:30 PM to 3:00 PM

Mane Events - Hosted by ACRacebest, Saberspark, Paleosteno, Black Gryph0n, Silver Quill, and P1K

Do you like ponies? Do you like Whose Line Is It Anyway? Do you like the idea of putting them together? No? TOO BAD! Join ACRacebest and Saberspark as they and their friends provide a ponified improv panel!

Script Writing for Fanfic Authors - 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Vivid Syntax

You've conquered fanfiction, and now it's time for an even bigger challenge: writing your own script! Surely it's an easy jump to make...right? Grab your pens and join 6-time convention script author Vivid Syntax as he walks you through the transition from page to stage!

Cosplayer Meetup - 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Apple Orchard

It's a Hearth's Warming Miracle: all your favorite characters come to life! Come meet your favorite cosplayers, swap construction tips, and celebrate My Little Pony through costumes. All ages and skill levels welcome!

Why Ponies Matter to Adults - Psychology of MLP - 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Fiaura The Tank Girl

Why do they matter to us? What impact has the show had on our community over the last decade? How do small pastel ponies made for kids appeal to adults? Strap yourself in and prepare for someone to show you exactly why this show matters to you and why you keep watching; Fiaura has got the Psychology of Ponies and the Adult Human Mind.

The Do's and Don'ts of Color Theory - 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Jadedjynx

Wonder why some colors look good together, and others don't? Curious why one color palette doesn't work versus another color palette? It all has to do with how color works, there's a science behind it and I'm here to explain the how and why. It's what you'll need to know if you want to make an eye pleasing Pony OC, or ANY OC for that matter!

Guided Painting with Cosmo Cat - 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Cosmo Cat

Join Cosmo Cat as she leads you through every step of making your own MLP canvas painting! All materials will be provided. All skill levels welcome.

Cosplay Contest - 3:30 PM to 5:00 PM

Mane Events - Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay, Savvyshy, Pastel, and Krazikari

No matter the time of year, you can count on the fandom to be the height of fashion! Come cheer for your favorite costumes, and if you have Rarity's fierceness, why not give it a shot yourself? Sign up at Registration today!

From Script to Screen, Inside Pony Animation - 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Harmonize Entertainment and Mintyroot

Come join Minty Root and the Harmonize Team as we take look inside the development of a pony animation from the ground up, with a look inside several productions currently underway, and sneak peaks you won't want to miss.



Saturday Schedule

Musician Meetup (Friday Performers) - 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

Apple Orchard

Our Friday night concert was one to remember, and it's time to give yourself the gift of meeting your favorite musicians. It's even better than a backstage pass!

Editing with Dinguses 2: Electric Dinguloo - 4PM to 5PM

Barley Room - Hosted by JakeWhyman, JHaller, Din, and YuYaynus

The Dinguses are back at it again with the video editing shenanigans. Come and watch pony videos with their creators as they share how they made them. From making snazzy PMVs to lip-syncing pony mouths, there's a lot to learn.

Brony Convention MegaSurvey Analysis - 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Charlie Worthley and Fiaura the Tank Girl

We got 1,600+ bronies to voice their opinions over 6 months on what they would like to see at MLP:FiM conventions, and we're ready to share our analysis of the responses with you. Join Charlie and Fiaura the Tank Girl to discuss the results!

RiffPonies! - 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by RiffPonies

Just when you thought it was safe to watch Pony cartoons...they found THE WORST ONES imaginable! Join Thoth Penswell, Acesential and a slew of other guests as they take you on a tour of some of the worst My Little Pony cartoons they can find and brutally mock them for your enjoyment! From decades gone by to current day, jeer and suffer through the worst of Equine animation right along with the rest of your friends!

UGLY SWEATER All Ages VIP Social Hour (Ticketed) -

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Trotter's - Featuring Our Guests of Honor

Who said anything about ugly? I think the pom-poms and jingle bells look great in Rarity's mane! Well, maybe our Guests of Honor will like it, and you can ask them yourself at our all-ages cocktail hour. Sweaters of all levels of fashion are welcome and encouraged. Note: this event is ticketed.

So You Want to be a Con Artist - 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Chocolate Pony and SnuggleTrumpet

Within the last decade, a new generation of artists have found a profession vending in convention artist alleys all across the country. Learn the behind the scenes tips and tricks for vending at your next convention, how to apply for cons, the best booth displays, what art sells, what is tax deductible. Whether you are a novice or veteran vendor, this is an informative panel for all.

Community Guest Meetup - 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Apple Orchard - Featuring Our Community Guests

Ponyville Ciderfest is packed with more guests than a Very Special Holiday Episode, and we've got them all in one place, just for you! Come and meet the creators and personalities that inspire so many in our beautiful fandom.

Let's Record a Song in an Hour! - 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Shal Music FX

I've got a microphone and a computer, but I need your help! Come to the panel ready to bark, chirp, stomp, and clap, and I'll record you. Then I'll take your sounds, mash and mangle them, and use them to build out a song, which will be performed at the end of the panel.

New Year's Eve Countdown Concert - 7:00 PM to 2:00 AM

Mane Events

Even as one chapter ends, another begins. Ring in the New Year of My Little Pony with our Saturday concert! Be sure to be there at midnight for the big countdown!

How to Youtube with Paleo, Saber and Race - 7PM to 8PM

Barley Room - Hosted by PaleoSteno, ACRacebest, and Saberspark

Ever wanted to know how to make successful YouTube channel? Or maybe you just want to get started and don't know how to. Well, at this panel, your hosts PaleoSteno, ACRacebest and Saberspark have you covered. They will give advice and answer all your questions related to YouTube.

Trotter's Cider Bar is Open! (Saturday) - 7:30 PM to 12:00 AM

Trotter's

Who needs champagne when you've got cider? Come grab a glass and raise a toast to a wonderful final season of Friendship is Magic, along with many years of experiences to come!

Equestria & Celestial Sponsor Event - 7:30 PM to 8:30 PM

Trotter's

This holiday season, we're thankful for our sponsors, without whom we couldn't have this convention. For our Equestria and Celestial sponsors, we've got something special cooked up, so don't forget to bring your badge!

Con Chair Chat - 7:30 PM to 8:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Charlie Worthley

Ask any Con Chair: only crazy people run conventions; and if this is true, then only the criminally insane would run 10 of them. That's just what our Con Chair Charlie Worthley has done though, and somehow he has managed to avoid losing all his marbles...so far. Come to hear stories, learn about what it's like to run a con, and bring all your burning questions about how conventions work.

Pony SuperFight - Epic Horse Battle! (18+) - 8PM to 9PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by argodaemon, JHaller, AdamAta64, and Sonder

Who would win? Fluttershy made of jelly and armed with a crossbow or Applejack swinging a mallet while on fire? Come by for an epic battle royale where the audience will get to vote and participate in the most epic (and strange) battles in Equestria! Based on the popular Superfight card game.

Everfree Twister (18+) - 8:30 PM to 9:30 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Alto & Pastel

Witness the YouTube classic, "DEADLY TWISTER" performed LIVE by a brave group of Bronies. A friendly game of Twister, with some hilarious (but deadly) consequences at every turn. The goal of the game: laugh loud & cringe hard. Come for the physical comedy, stay for the quality horse meme material.

Murder in Equestria (18+) - 9:00 PM to 10:00 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Fiaura The Tank Girl

Having taken some time to look at My Little Pony very careful, a question has arisen, just how many ponies have died in the background and we haven't noticed? And after some careful math, GI Joe, Transformers, and even Voltron have nothing on the death toll of MLP.

Headcanons the Third: A return of the revenge of Beardy 2 (18+) - 9:30 PM to 10:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Beardy

In this panel we will be making yet another deep dive into the inner workings of Headcanons, both plausible and insane. Come and join Beardy and Co. in discussing if the Apple family hides a dark secret or if Twilight has secretly manipulated everything to become the sole ruler, among others. Bring your best and worst headcanons so the panel may judge them worthy of praise or ridicule.

After Dark Vendor Hall (18+) - Saturday - 10:30 PM to 1AM

Barley Room

Whether you want a spicy gift for your special somepony or are looking to treat yourself, you'll find something unique at our After Dark Vendor Hall. This event is strictly 18+, and photo IDs are required, so leave the foals at home.

Drawing4Exposure, Sleepless Edition (18+) - 10:30-11:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by MidnightPremiere, AdamAta64, Ruef, and Twisted Sketch

Everyone is tired. The deviantArt points exchange rate is worse than we thought. Join us as we face our greatest artistic challenge yet: Free Requests. (Content remains SFW; finished art will be randomly given to participants)

Ponies the Anthology 7 NSFW Directors Commentary (18+) - 11:00 PM to 12:30 AM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Jhaller, Dinsfire, Jakewhyman, argodaemon, AdamAta64, Mintyroot, and RapidBeta

Come in for some late night fun as the Anthology crew talk over their latest creation Ponies the Anthology 7! This is the uncensored full version and we'll talk about some of the behind the scenes making of the project as well as probably recount the various horrors we encountered while making it.

Horse Famous After Dark (18+) - 12:00 AM to 1:00 AM

Oak Room - Hosted by Nowacking, ACRacebest, Saberspark, and Jaxblade

Join some of the fandoms horse known people for an after dark, 18+ Q&A where they can talk about subjects that are off limits while the fillies are up.



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Sunday Schedule

Sunday Guest of Honor Panel - 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Mane Events - Featuring Our Guests of Honor

This year, we resolve to hang out with our favorite characters, and here's our chance! Say hello to Claire Corlett, Kelly Sheridan, Sunni Westbrook, Katrina Salisbury, Big Jim Miller, Andy Price, Tori Grant, and Desirae Salmark one more time, and get your year started right!

Magic is Three's! - 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Silver Quill

The three Cutie Mark Crusaders. Three original Alicorn princesses. The terrible trio of villains. Three is a repeating theme in many cultures, and Silver Quill is going to talk about why. Join him for a presentation on why the number three keeps popping up and how it applies to both human life and My Little Pony.

Sisterhooves Social Competition - 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM

Barley Room - Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay

Brothers and Sisterhooves, please join us to compete in the Sisterhooves Social (con-friendly) obstacle course. The perfect way to celebrate Friendship! Please feel free to drop in anytime during the panel to play or cheer on your friends.

Sketch Book Swap - 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM

Oak Room - Hosted by chibi changeling and Balto Racing

Artist of all levels are welcome. Each artist brings their own sketch book and art supplies. Bring a reference sheet of the character you want drawn. Books and sheets will be placed up front and randomly swapped!!!! Draw in a stranger's book, and repeat! It's a fun way to draw, get art and make friends. Let's throw your favorite holiday into this mix!!!! <3

Charity Auction - 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM

Mane Events - Benefiting Generations Against Bullying

We're all incredibly lucky to have such a wonderful community surrounding us, and in this season of giving, we're ready to pay that kindness forward. Come join our annual Charity Auction supporting Generations Against Bullying, and bid on one-of-a-kind gifts for yourselves, your friends, and anyone else you'd like!

OC Shuffle Up! - 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Nevaylin and DoTheDaringDew

We're going to literally shuffle a pony! Attendants submit traits that the hosts, Nevaylin and DoTheDaringDew, shuffle up and incorporate into an Original Character being designed before your very eyes! What will come out? Terrible and hilarious things guaranteed to ensue.

Fan Animator Battle Extraordinaire! - 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM

Barley Room - Hosted by Minty Root & argodaemon

Fan animators from all over the fandom join at the table, but this time it's free-for-all. Join us to see fan animators fight on stage over their passion and what's the right way to do things.

Generation Inspiration - 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM

Oak Room - Hosted by Doughboy123x

Ever wonder what many of the heroes and villains were like in the past generations of My Little Pony? Then join Doughboy123x, along with AI1701, Starbat, and Spring Heart the Llama, as they look at the incarnations of characters like Rainbow Dash, Applejack, Spike, Grogar, Tirek, and more.

Musician Meetup (Saturday Performers) - 12PM to 1PM

Apple Orchard

We might have partied late into the night, but our musicians are ready to relive their favorite moments from last night's concert. If you've resolved to hobnob with musicians you can't help but dance to, here's your chance!

Home Vocal Recording on a Budget - 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

Caramel Room - Hosted by Shal Music FX

Do you want to record vocals, but don't know where to start? Do you want to get your budding voice acting/singing/podcasting career off the ground, but don't know what equipment to get? I can help you with that! This panel will cover the basics of home vocal recording, and provide equipment suggestions for a variety of budgets. I'll teach you how to make your ideas a reality, without breaking the bank!

Closing Ceremonies - 2:30 PM to 3:00 PM

Mane Events - Hosted by Charlie Worthley

The food's been eaten, the gifts have been unwrapped, and we've partied all weekend. All that's left is to share a few more hugs and say our goodbyes until next time. Come join friends old and new as we close out this holiday season and look forward to the future of the My Little Pony fandom!

Season Passholder Reception (Ticketed) - 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Barley Room

The Midwest is no stranger to pony conventions, and to those that have supported us all year, we've got a special event just for you. This event is ticketed and is open to those that purchased badges to Whinny City Pony Con, MLP-MSP F, and Ponyville Ciderfest in 2019.

TBA SURPRISE EVENT - 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM

We have one last surprise for you, but we can't tell you about it just yet. Learn more at closing ceremonies!

Neighhem Round 2 - 5:00 PM to 10:00 PM

Turner Hall - 1034 Vel R. Phillips Ave

FREE ENTRY FOR EVERYONE - NO CIDERFEST BADGE REQUIRED

Neighhem is an independent Brony Rock and Metal Concert (Not associated with Ponyville Ciderfest). Following an incredibly successful first event after Bronycon 2019, Neighhem is coming to Milwaukee! Close out your Sunday night with this high-energy concert featuring several PVCF19 musicians plus many more! See back cover for more info!



Generations Against Bullying (GAB) is a Milwaukee based 501(c)(3) Charitable Organization with an important goal. Their mission statement says it best: *"To educate our children and communities concerning the importance of the love, acceptance and cooperation needed to reduce the bullying epidemic. Using our unique, hands-on, proactive approach, in combination with our creative core programs and strategic partnerships, we will provide communities with the tools and resources necessary to promote a culture of upstanders to reduce the bullying epidemic."*

100% of proceeds from all charity events will go to support Generations Against Bullying

Video Gaming

Welcome to Ponyville Ciderfest's video game room. Over 1000 games are available on modern and retro consoles. Enter our free tournaments to win fabulous prizes. If you are looking for a game, have any questions, or require assistance, please see one of our video game staffers.

Open Gaming Hours

Friday	Saturday	Sunday
12PM - 2AM	10AM - 2AM	CLOSED

Various tournaments and group activities may be announced often! Follow us on social media for updates!

Please note, after 10PM more mature games will be available.

Rules & Guidelines

- Please do not bring your games or consoles to use in the video game room with exception to portable systems (certain tournaments may allow the use of personal controllers).
- Personal Switch Consoles may not be placed in the Switch Docks provided by the convention.
- No trash talking or cursing.
- Do not damage the equipment or act in a way that may potentially cause damage.
- Do not remove game cartridges or discs from the console. See a staff member for assistance with changing a game.
- Do not delete digital games or DLC.
- Do not change the settings on the games (e.g. Karaoke is Magic, Trotmania, or Them's Fightin' Herds).
- Online gaming is unavailable.
- Tournament formats are set with certain parameters; however, tournaments may be subject to change at the discretion of the Department Head.
- Virtual Reality
 - See a video game room staff member before use.
 - While using the Virtual Reality, be aware of your surroundings and do not flail wildly around.
 - Do not enter the Virtual Reality play area while in use.
 - Do not attempt to clean the VR headset lenses. See a video game room staff member for assistance.



Event Schedule

Mario Kart 8 Deluxe Tournament - Friday 5PM - 7PM

Give the gift of a red shell to your opponent's backside. Be a Scrooge and take the gold for yourself. Test your racing skills this Ciderfest in Mario Kart. Enter at the video game staff table to participate.

Them's Fightin' Herds Tournament - Friday 7PM - 9PM

This isn't a game about horse drawn sleighs or flying reindeer. Choose your favorite ungulate champion and battle for supremacy. Enter at the video game staff table to participate.

Super Smash Bros. Tournament - Saturday 5PM - 8PM

The gauntlet has been thrown. Choose your favorite combatant, ring your opponent's bell, and claim victory. Enter at the video game staff table to participate.

Arcade Throwback Tournament - Sunday 10AM - 1PM

Are you feeling nostalgic? Remember the old days where the neighborhood arcade was the place to show off your gaming superiority. Here's your chance to boast the highest score in select games. See the video game staff member attending the arcade machines to participate. (hallway outside of video gaming)

Gaming is Magic Tournament

Gaming is Magic returns to Ponyville Ciderfest with holiday flair. Compete in this weekend-long tournament of secret challenges, concluding in a final showdown at Closing Ceremonies!

All games will be kept secret until the end of each round, with each contestant finding out what the game is immediately before playing it. Make sure not to spoil the surprise for anyone else! Good luck!

Round 1 - Friday 12PM - 2AM

The Gaming is Magic Tournament begins as an open invitation for all attendees in Round 1. Stop by the Video Game Room on Friday any time between 12PM - 2AM to enter and compete. The top 16 players advancing to Round 2 will be announced early Saturday.

Round 2 - Saturday 10AM - 5PM

The Gaming is Magic Tournament continues into Round 2 with another mystery challenge. The top 16 players from Round 1 must complete this challenge at their leisure between 10AM - 5PM in the Video Game Room. Check early Saturday to see if you qualified for the 2nd challenge. The 10 top players will advance to Round 3 held later Saturday and announcements for those advancing will be made at 5PM.

Round 3 - Saturday 5PM - 2AM

The Gaming is Magic Tournament calls upon the top 10 contestants for Round 3! The top 10 will be posted Saturday after 5PM. The contestants that qualified must drop by the Video Game Room between 5PM - 2AM for the 3rd mystery challenge. The lucky 4 contestants advancing to the Final Round at Closing Ceremonies will be posted early Sunday. A 5th runner up will be announced in the event 1 of the top 4 is unable to compete.

Tabletop Gaming

Open Gaming Hours

Friday	Saturday	Sunday
12PM - 2AM	10AM - 2AM	10AM - 5PM

MTG: Fairytale Draft *Hosted by Longstrider*

Friday 12PM - 3PM, Saturday 12PM - 3PM

A draft tournament of Magic: The Gathering's newest set: Throne of Eldraine. Come prepared to build and battle your way to the top in this cube-type draft! Come explore the power of the Throne of Eldraine and all that surrounds it!

Inspireland *Hosted by SteelTheWarrior*

Friday 12PM - 2PM, Saturday 12PM - 2PM, 8PM - 10PM, Sunday 10AM - 12:30PM

Another tabletop adventure game brought to you by Equestria Inspired, featuring the Celestial Circle! Play as epic-level characters such as Princess Celestia, Princess Luna and other characters from Old Equestrian History, and save the day! Also, if the group agrees before-hand, they can play as their OC's instead!

Honey Heist *Hosted by Calvin Kruse*

Friday 12PM - 1PM, 3PM - 4PM, Sunday 10AM - 11AM

It's Honeycon 2017. You are going to undertake the greatest heist the world has ever seen. Two Things – One: You have a complex plan that requires precise timing. Two: You are a FREAKING BEAR.

StickPony RPG *Hosted by Calvin Kruse*

Friday 1PM - 2PM, Saturday 1PM - 2PM

Enjoy a simple, silly, whatever we want to do RP about living in Equestria. Go on a grand adventure, or just help the CMC find all of the missing pets. Whatever story happens is up to you.

"Are You A Changeling?" *Hosted by SteelTheWarrior*

Friday 3PM - 7PM, 10PM - 2AM (Late Night Version)

Saturday 2PM - 5PM, 10PM - 2AM (Epic Version), Sunday 12:30PM - 4PM

A conversion of "Are You A Werewolf?", the popular dice-less roleplaying party game, also known to many as "Lupus In Tabula", or "Mafia"! Are you ready to try and figure out who the Changelings are amongst your group, and banish them to the dungeon, before they kidnap you? With special roles like the Discorded Pony, Befriended Changeling, and the Creature Catcher all mixing it up even further, the chaotic touch-and-go of the choices everyone needs to make every turn would make Discord himself proud!

Carcassonne *Hosted by Longstrider*

Friday 4PM - 5PM, Saturday 3PM - 4PM, 10PM - 11PM

A German-styled tile-based kingdom building board game to build and conquer the lands, named after a real fortified medieval town! Guide your followers to capture land and resources before your opponents can! For two to five players.

Dominion *Hosted by Longstrider*

Friday 5PM - 6PM, 10PM - 11PM, Saturday 5PM - 6PM

The original deck-building card game where players build a kingdom and achieve tactical victory! Victory cards hold no value while the game is being played, so it's a gamble between stocking up to win and keeping up in the game! Will you come out on top?

Maid: RPG *Hosted by Calvin Kruse*

Friday 5PM - 6:30PM, Saturday 11:30PM - 1AM

Anime Tropes turned into an RPG. In this system, you never know exactly what will happen. Some past examples include plots to assassinate the Princess, aliens kidnapping everyone leading to a big escape scene, the Princess being possessed, and a portal to an alternate dimension opening in the basement.

Player's Choice Board Gaming *Hosted by Longstrider & Calvin Kruse*

Friday 6:30PM - 9:30PM, Saturday 6PM - 9PM, 9PM - 11PM, Sunday 1PM - 3PM, 2PM - 4PM

We have several games to play and arriving players get to choose what is played! Come gander over and take your pick! We'll even teach you how to play ones you haven't tried before!

Keep Calm & Kill the Princess *Hosted by Calvin Kruse*

Friday 7PM - 9PM, Saturday 7PM - 9PM, Sunday 1PM - 2PM

Everyone's locked in a bunker. Some of you adore the Princess and wish nothing but the best for her. But, not all of you. Some of you feel like Equestria might progress a little better with a Princess out of the way. Nobody knows who's who. Everybody knows who the target is. And Everybody will have a good time trying to have their team win.

MLP: TOON! *Hosted by SteelTheWarrior*

Friday 8PM - 10PM, Saturday 10AM - 12PM, 6PM - 8PM

A fun and "Slice of life"-type of My Little Pony tabletop game, brought to you by Equestria Inspired. Play as the Mane 6 and several of their friends as they learn more about the Magic of friendship as they deal with the problems and adventures that come to Ponyville!

Friendship is Ironclaw *Hosted by Nimbus Shower*

Friday 10PM - 1AM, Saturday 9PM - 12AM, Sunday 1:30PM - 4PM

A conversion of the IronClaw system, plays as either characters from the show to solve problems around Ponyville, or invent as play as your own OCs!

You say you don't want to play one of the Mane Six? Well let's make your own character, then! Using the Ironclaw gaming system, players will be able to make their own Earth Pony, Pegasus, Unicorn, Buffalo, or even Griffon!

Grin *Hosted by Calvin Kruse*

Friday 9PM - 10PM, 12AM - 1AM

A made up as we go horror story. A deck of cards is used to build suspense and anxiety until every character meets their untimely end.

Ponyfinder *Hosted by Calvin Kruse*

Saturday 10AM - 12PM, 4PM - 6PM

The Temple of the Fall - You're walking in the woods. There's no one around and your bard is dead. Out of the corner of your eye you spot it: ~Shia LaBeouf~ A pit trap that opened up an old tunnel. Explore the forest and its peoples or the pit and its histories.

Fallout: Equestria *Hosted by Calvin Kruse*

Saturday 2PM - 4PM, Sunday 11AM - 1PM

Using the StickPony system for simplicity and its focus on storytelling, we try to explore making friends in the wastes and surviving through Raiders, Slavers, and seeing just how strong the Power of Friendship can really be.



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