

PONYVILLE CIDERFEST 2025

November 21-23

Hyatt Regency Milwaukee in Milwaukee, WI

THE GAME SHOW!



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Customer Service

Do you have a question? We are here to help! Registration is your connection to the convention! We are here to help everyone get the most from the event. Please bring any questions, comments, or concerns to us at any time. You can also contact us via social media and you can always ask any volunteer for help!

Lost & Found

Found something? Please bring it to Operations on the 3rd Floor, exit the elevator and take 2 right turns. Looking for something? Operations may have it!

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CONVENTION HOURS

Convention Operations

(Lost & Found)

Thursday: 12PM - 12AM
Friday: 8:30AM - 2AM
Saturday: 8AM - 2AM
Sunday: 9AM - 4:30PM

Con Store

Friday: 12PM - 7PM
Saturday: 9AM - 8PM
Sunday: 10AM - 4PM

Cider Lounge - Free apple cider!

(Room #1704)

Friday: 1PM - 7PM
Saturday: 12PM - 7PM
Sunday: 11AM - 2PM

Charity Room

(viewing only on Sunday)

Friday: 12PM - 7PM
Saturday: 10AM - 7PM
Sunday: 10AM - 12PM

Coloration Station

(Come color and make friends in the Tabletop Gaming room!)

Friday: 12PM - 2AM
Saturday: 9AM - 2AM
Sunday: 9AM - 4PM

Vendor Hall

(Sponsors may enter 30 minutes prior to below opening times)

Friday: 11AM - 6PM
Saturday: 10AM - 6PM
Sunday: 10AM - 3:30PM

Sponsor Lounge

Friday: 1PM - 7PM
Saturday: 10AM - 4:30PM
Sunday: 10AM - 2PM

Tabletop Gaming

Friday: 12PM - 2AM
Saturday: 9AM - 2AM
Sunday: 9AM - 4PM

Trotter's

Friday: 7:30PM - 2AM
Saturday: 8:30PM - 2AM

Video Gaming

Friday: 12PM - 2AM
Saturday: 10AM - 2AM
Sunday: 10AM - 4PM

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A MESSAGE FROM OUR CONVENTION VICE CHAIR

I've always been interested in pop culture. My family loved staying up to date with whatever nerd culture was popular at the time, and as a 4-year-old, I thought nothing strange about going to a Star Trek convention and seeing Klingons. When I first heard about Bronies in 2015, I wanted to investigate what was going on. I've always loved animated shows, so while I was at work, I put on My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic in the background. I quickly realized how smartly written and adorable it was, and that it was no longer just the toy I remembered from childhood with stiff, immovable figures.

When I saw that a new convention was starting in the Chicago area, I decided to volunteer to see what this kind of event was like. That was the first year of Whinny City Pony Con, and I volunteered in the AV department. What surprised me most was finding a sense of community that I would describe as the equivalent of being in Disney World: everyone was so happy to be around each other and to be "home." I recognized myself in all the weirdos and misfits around me, and I was amazed to find a sense of belonging and purpose that my full-time job didn't give me.

Since then, I've volunteered every year, eventually escaping the AV team to become the Operations Director, and earlier this year I was asked to join as Vice Chair. In the political climate we find ourselves in, where there is so much hate, it is incredibly important to me to continue giving my time and effort to all of you so we can continue to have a safe space for us weirdos and misfits (and normal people too). It makes my heart so happy to help create a place where everyone can be themselves and enjoy Friendship, Magic, and this year, game shows.

Caitlyn Staublin

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Convention Vice 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 volunteer. 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 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 8 pm 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.

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 at events.
- 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, and empty-handed combat such as martial arts, stage fighting, or general play fighting.

Minors/Children Rules

Lost children will be directed to Con Operations 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. Please do not leave them unattended, even in children's 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 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.

General Rules

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

No obscene or profane behavior in any public area. This means no PDA or violence.

- No sleeping in public areas.
- No smoking or vaping of any kind in the hotel.
- Possession or use of any illegal substance is prohibited. Violations 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. This includes charging for photoshoots.
- Cosplay is Not Consent. Be respectful when interacting with cosplayers (and everyone else too). No touching. If you would like to take a cosplayer's picture please ask first. Most cosplayers are happy to have a picture taken when asked, but please be considerate of their time and personal space.
- 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 our staff.
- All attendees are to wear their attendance badge visibly at all times.
- Ponyville Ciderfest volunteers reserve the right to ask any and all attendees for picture ID verification. Failure to provide picture ID verification will result in the 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.

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 by the Cosplay Department. All costumes must conform to the policies below.

ALL COSTUMES MUST CONFORM TO THE POLICIES BELOW

- No live steel.
- All costumes must comply with local laws.
- No bare feet.
- No sharp protrusions (i.e. sharp spikes).
- Please keep your costume from obstructing views during panels and events, or bumping into people or things due to size, visibility, or maneuverability.
- No firearms.
- Realistic-looking replica firearms are not allowed, including those marked with an orange tip. Any firearm props must look harmless to the average viewer (essentially, they should not look realistic or threatening).
- All costumes are to be G-rated. Swimsuit areas are to be covered. No offensive words or symbols. No cosplay that represents any hateful or discriminating organizations (i.e. Nazi, KKK) will be allowed in any convention space. If any of these images or costumes are brought to the convention, the cosplayer will be immediately removed and will be banned from the convention. Cosplay items that are deemed to be vulgar are not permitted.
- No projectiles should be used on hotel property.
- No laser pointers or high-intensity lights that can hurt the eyes.

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VENDOR HALL

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| 1 SCREWY ARTS | 21 AMANDYALMONDS |
| 2 COSMICKEYFRAME PRODUCTIONS | 22-23 HALLEY & SWEET CREAM ARTS |
| 3 COREY'S CORNER | 24 RIMI PLUSHIES |
| 4 SKY RAILROAD | 25 SOPHIE SCRUGGS |
| 5 MY LITTLE TIES | 26 MIDNIGHTPREMIERE |
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Full descriptions of all vendors and exhibitors can be found at ponyvillediderfest.com/vendors or by scanning this QR code for easy access!



MidnightPremiere



MidPrem.com

come see me in the vendor hall!

AWESOME
Spectrum



EQUESTRIA SPONSORS

Special THANKS to our Equestria Sponsors for your gracious support of our convention!

OC Art Inked by Brenda Hickey, Colored by Jamie Stanley



**Angel
WingsYT**



**Coaster
Brony**



Dew



**GatorGoat
Johnny**



**Janicethe
Light**



Milk



**Nurse
Matt**



Paleheart



**Pinkie
Derp Pie**



Shifter



That Guy



**Wolfeheart
Griffon**

GUEST EVENTS

AUTOGRAPH & PHOTOGRAPH SESSIONS

Autograph Room adjacent to Apple Orchard

Day	Start Time	End Time
Friday	2:00pm	3:00pm
Saturday	1:00pm	2:00pm
Sunday	1:30pm	2:30pm

Voucher Costs

Photograph or Autograph - \$25

(1) photograph or (1) autograph on one item
with one Guest of Honor

Combo Deal - \$40

(1) photograph & (1) autograph w/one Guest of Honor

Voice Recording - \$50

(1) personalized audio only recording in character by one
Guest of Honor up to 30 seconds on your device

Video Recording - \$75 NEW!

(1) personalized video recording in character by one
Guest of Honor up to 30 seconds on your device

Rules

- Maximum of 10 autograph vouchers may be purchased per person per day. If you would like more than 10 autographs, please see a volunteer at the autograph room before purchasing vouchers.
- Photographs can be a selfie or taken by our volunteers 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 prior to requesting the autograph or photograph.
- You must have a voucher to enter the room and no video recording is allowed unless you have a video voucher.
- 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 has an opportunity to interact with them.

Equestria & Celestial Exclusive Sponsor Event

Friday - Trotter's Cider Bar
4:30 PM to 6:00 PM

Meet the Guests of Honor for a special surprise event to thank you for your gracious support of our convention!

Sponsor Dinner

Saturday - Trotter's Cider Bar
4:30 PM to 5:30 PM

As a special thank-you to all of our Sponsors, we'd like to invite you to a sit-down meal with our Guests of Honor.

All-Ages VIP Meet & Greet Social Hour (Ticketed)

Saturday - Trotter's Cider Bar
6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

This event is a special event for Changeling Package and Alicorn, Celestial, & Equestria Level Sponsor Badge holders! An open bar is provided that will serve both alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks. Sorry, tickets to this event are not available separately!

GUESTS OF HONOR

ANDREW FRANCIS - ACTOR & VOICE ACTOR



**Shining
Armor**

Andrew Michael Scott Francis is a Canadian actor and voice actor from Vancouver, British Columbia. He began his acting career at the age of six and ventured into voice work by the age of nine.

Francis has an extensive voice acting portfolio, featuring roles such as MegaMan.EXE in "MegaMan NT Warrior," Shining Armor in "My Little Pony: Friendship Is Magic," Gil Nexdor in "Johnny Test," Iceman/Bobby Drake in "X-Men: Evolution," and Cole in "Ninjago: Masters of Spinjitzu." He has also voiced characters in series like "Dragon Ball Z," "Inuyasha," "Slugterra," "Max Steel," and "Dinotrux."

In live-action, he is known for his portrayal of Connor O'Brien in the Hallmark Channel series "Chesapeake Shores." His film appearances include "Agent Cody Banks," "Final Destination 3," and "The Invisible." Francis has also featured in television shows such as "The L Word," "Smallville," and "Supernatural."

Throughout his career, Francis has received numerous award nominations, including a Gemini Award for Best Performance by an Actor in a Leading Role in a Dramatic Program or Mini-Series for "Fakers", as well as a Leo Award for Best Voice in an Animated Program for his work in "Max Steel".

BRENDA HICKEY - COMIC ARTIST & WRITER



Brenda Hickey is a comic artist and writer from Prince Edward Island, Canada. She began working with IDW Publishing on the My Little Pony: Friendship Is Magic comic series on Micro Series #6: Applejack. Since then, she has illustrated for the Mane Series, Friends Forever, FIENDship is Magic, Holiday Specials, Legends of Magic and more. Currently, she is illustrating for Hasbro x Kayou's My Little Pony trading cards.

Aside from Ponies, Brenda has also illustrated comics for Sanrio x Netflix's series Aggretsuko, Cartoon Network's Adventure Time, and Zag's Miraculous Chibi. Book one of her new creator owned series, Don't Call Me Sidekick, debuted on Zoop.gg in the summer of 2025, and the full series is currently in development.

INGRID NILSON - VOICE ACTOR



**Maud Pie &
Pie Sisters**

Ingrid Nilson is grateful for the opportunity to serve and entertain as a voice actor, a dream come true. Some favourite voice roles include Maud Pie and additional pie sisters, Marble Pie and Limestone Pie, on MLP: Friendship Is Magic; Jade the cat, on Littlest Pet Shop: A World of Our Own; and recently, Scarlet Redington on season 3 of Lego Dreamzzz.

In recent years, Ingrid "pivoted" by going back to school. In 2025, she earned a master's degree in clinical counselling psychology. Passionate about mental health care, Ingrid seeks to contribute to the de-stigmatization of seeking support and having open conversations about mental health. She wants you to know that no matter what you are going through, you are not alone.

Ingrid extends heartfelt thanks to everyone in the MLP community for their ongoing love and support.



GUESTS OF HONOR

JENNA WARREN - ACTOR & VOICE ACTOR



**Sunny
Starscout**

You've seen Jenna Warren as Yulia in Eli Roth's horror film Thanksgiving, starring alongside Patrick Dempsey, Rick Hoffman, Gina Gershon, and Addison Rae. A born performer, Jenna landed her first lead role at just ten years old as 'Olive' in the Emmy-nominated series Justin Time (Disney Jr/PBS/Sprout), launching a prolific acting career that now spans film, television, and voiceover.

She's since starred in The Family (Busan International Film Festival, 2021) and The Young Arsonists (TIFF, 2022), while lending her voice to over ten animated series, including My Little Pony (as 'Sunny Starscout'), Thomas & Friends: All Engines Go (as 'Carly'), Kody Kapow!, Frankie and the Zhu Zhu Pets, The Doozers, and Wild Kratts. She's also appeared on screen in The Next Step, Murdoch Mysteries, Grand Army, and October Faction — and a new cartoon series is about to be added to her resume.

KYLE RIDEOUT - ACTOR, VOICE ACTOR, WRITER, & DIRECTOR



Thorax

Kyle Rideout is a prolific voice actor who originally hails from Vancouver, Canada. He has performed in many animated productions, including My Little Pony: Friendship Is Magic, Lego Ninjago, Littlest Pet Shop, Ready Jet Go, Minecraft Miniseries, and the Netflix originals: Beat Bugs, Dinotrux, and Lego Elves. On the anime side, he performed in the film, Sword Of The Stranger and the series The Story Of Saiunkoku. On camera he can be seen in: Happy Face, The Good Doctor, iZombie, The Arrangement, Deadpool, Dc's Legends Of Tomorrow, Warcraft, Damnation, Supernatural, and Boy In The Attic.

Kyle Rideout is also a director and writer. Currently, he co-wrote the remake of Youngblood which premiered at the Toronto International Film Festival (TIFF), he cowrote a comedy action feature, Astrid's Deathlist, for Paramount Pictures with Lorenzo Di Bonaventura (Transformers franchise) producing, a medieval thriller called, Knight's Camp that is starring Judy Greer and Sophia Lillis that he is set to direct. His latest feature film, Adventures In Public School, stars Judy Greer, Grace Park, and Russell Peters. The film premiered at TIFF, was selected as a TIFF 'Top Ten,' nominated for a CSA 'Best Original Screenplay' and sold to Netflix. His directorial debut feature, Eadweard, won five audience choice awards and multiple 'Best Feature Film' jury prizes at festivals worldwide. He is a graduate of Studio 58.

MICHAEL DAINGERFIELD - VOICE ACTOR & IMPRESSIONIST



**Braeburn &
Mr. Hoofington**

A Master Impressionist, Voice-Actor, Owner of (VO School) On The Mic Training and one hilarious and personable dude, Michael Daingerfield is one of the busiest Voice-Actors in the business. With over 150 credits on IMDB, Michael has played many iconic roles in Animation, Dubbing/Anime' and Video Games.

Animation Highlights include:

'Braeburn' in My Little Pony: Friendship is Magic, 'Mr. Hoofington' in My Little Pony: Rainbow Roadtrip, 'Captain America' in Lego Marvel Avengers/Marvel Superhero Adventures, 'Han Solo' in Lego Star Wars: The New Yoda Chronicles/Droid Tales, 'Dr. Saunders/Krux' in Ninjago Season 10, 'Unicorn' in Ironman: Armored Adventures, 'Superman' in Krypto The Superdog, 'Patchy' in Disney's Gigantosaurus, Ace Ventura in the CBS/Nickelodeon Animated Series Ace Ventura: Pet Detective/The Mask.

Michael is also the founder and co-director of On The Mic Voice-Over Training, the only government accredited voice-over school in the world to offer a 6-month full time diploma program along with a multi-level part time course curriculum with locations in Vancouver, Toronto and Victoria. See website for full Bio!

COMMUNITY GUESTS

ACRacebest



**YouTuber,
Comedian**

Balto Racing



**Welcoming Meetup
Organizer**

Brass Scribe



**Writing, Data,
Party Horse**

Brink!



**Artist,
Professional Friend**

**Chocolate
Pony**



**Content Creator,
Artist, Historian**

**Crackle's
Cousin Cosplay**



**Mascots,
Cosplay Team**

DoTheDaringDew



Content Creator

**Fiaura The
Tank Girl**



Writer

Foal Papers



Auctioneer, Host

FormulaPony



Content Creator

GatorGoatJohnny



YouTuber

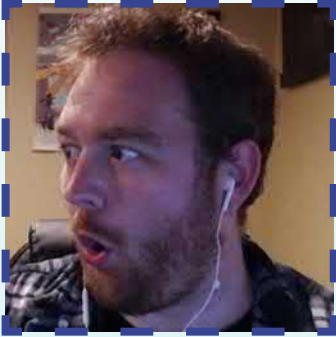
**Hibiscus
Stitch**



Artist

COMMUNITY GUESTS

JHaller



Content Creator

Minty Root



Fan Animator

Nevaylin



Content Creator

Red Card



**YouTuber, Referee,
Cosplayer**

RiffPonies!



**Semi-Professional
Comedy
Panelists**

Saberspark



YouTuber

**Taylor Bowe-
Mcardle**



**Professional
Starlight Glimmer
Fanatic**

**Yaklyn
Cosplay**



Cosplayer

MEET THE COMMUNITY GUESTS!

**Saturday
7:30PM - 8:30PM
Apple Orchard**

MUSICIANS

AchieveHunter1



**House, Hardstyle,
Eurobeat, Brony
Classics**

**Big Things
Coming**



Dance Pop

BlueBrony



**Hybrid Pop,
Electronic,
Orchestral**

**Eurobeat Brony
& Pinkaboo:
Pinkabeat Bronies**



**Eurobeat,
Pop, Eurodance,
Happy Hardcore**

**Halfway
Through Omega**



EDM

IvoryBrony



**Trance,
EDM**

John Kenza



**Progressive
House, Future
Bass, Melodic EDM**

Maerstrom



**Pop
Rock-ish**

**Manhattan
Jazz Quartet**



Jazz

MathematicPony



**Supporting
Jazzier**

MelodyBrony



Metal

Metajoker



Acoustic

MUSICIANS

Pathfinder Project



Progressive Metal

PegasyS



Electric, mmmm chiptune

Sound Bandit



Hyperpop, Plunderphonics

Sylver



Bass House, Future House, Future Bounce, EDM

Trey Husk & SpinScissor: Live



Various Electronic Genres

TheOneGalen



Acoustic

Turquoise Splash



Pop Punk



MEET THE MUSICIANS!

**Sunday
10:00AM - 11:30AM
Apple Orchard**

CHECK OUT THE RENEGADE STAGE!

**Fri: 1:00PM - 5:00PM
Sat: 12:00PM - 4:00PM
Sun: 2:00PM - 4:30PM
Apple Orchard**

ACTIVITY ROOM

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

Note: These activities are geared towards crafting with some extra special events like our Charity Auction for Kids! All ages are welcome to participate. Priority seating should be given to our filly and colt badge holders.

Friday Schedule

How to Draw Ponies with Brenda Hickey 2:30PM - 3:30PM

Hosted by Guest of Honor Brenda Hickey

Join IDW Comic Artist Brenda Hickey for a beginners lesson on how to draw ponies.

The Great Game Show Experience 4PM - 5:30PM

Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay Team

Join the PVCF Actors guild in an interactive event in which your favorite MLP characters come to life with a gameshow twist. Price is Right, Wheel of Fortune, Let's Make a Deal, Jeopardy, & More! All Ponyfied! With Prizes ready for you to Win! Drop in and play some or all, but the more you play, the prizes level up with you. You can drop in anytime during the experience to join in the fun! This is a not to be missed event!

String and Swap Kandi Bracelets 6PM - 7PM

Hosted by SmilesPerHour

Want to learn how to make your own kandi bracelet? Tired of your current one? Come by and design a new pony with us! No art experience is needed.

Open Arts & Crafts 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

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

Saturday Schedule

Make a Crystal Kingdom Suncatcher 10AM - 11:30 PM

We heard that Shining Armor might be at Ponyville! We decided to make Crystal Kingdom suncatchers in his honor. You can too.

No-Sew Fleece Blankets for Animals 1:PM - 3:30PM

It's getting cold and we want our furry friends to stay warm. Come in and make a no-sew fleece blanket for your pet. Don't have a pet? No problem! Our charity, the Wisconsin Humane Society, has plenty of pets in need of warm blankets. You can make one for them!

Running of the Leaves: Make an Autumn Keychain 4PM - 5PM

It's time for Fall, and that means The Running of the Leaves. Come in and make a keychain to celebrate.

Sculpt Some Clay 5:30PM - 6:30PM

Use some super soft, very fun air dry clay, and sculpt your favorite pony, mascot, or whatever comes to mind.

Open Arts & Crafts 7PM - 8PM

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

Sunday Schedule

Children's Concert with Thrack & TheOneGalen!

Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Join the charismatic Captain Thrack and TheOneGalen as they play some cheery, acoustic pony tunes, sure to provide giggles for foals and parents alike!

Children's Charity Auction

Sunday 1PM - 2PM

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.

This Auction is open to attendees 17 and younger.

VIDEO GAMING

Welcome to Ponyville Ciderfest's video game room.

1000+ games are available on modern and retro consoles. Enter our free tournaments to win prizes.

If you are looking for a game, have any questions, or require assistance, please see one of our Video Gaming volunteers.

Video Gaming Room Hours

Day	Start Time	End Time
Friday	12:00pm	2:00am
Saturday	10:00am	2:00am
Sunday	10:00am	4:00pm



Rules & Guidelines

- Event badges will be required to check out any games or equipment from the room, badges will be held until all equipment is returned
- No food or open drinks near equipment
- Do not leave rented equipment or games unattended
- Do not move or unplug equipment
- No reserving systems
- If a system's storage is full, please ask a volunteer for help
- Do not install additional software on LAN computers
- If a system is not working properly please notify a volunteer
- No sleeping in room
- M rated games can only be rented by persons 17+ of age
- Respect the volunteers and equipment
- Please keep trash talking and foul language to a minimum

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

Jackbox with the Stars Tournament

Qualifier Rounds

Video Gaming Room

Friday 12PM - 1PM

Saturday 12PM - 1PM

Guest of Honor Final Round

Hosted by Riff Ponies and Hazmatt

Sunday - Mane Events

11:30AM - 1PM

Come compete for your chance to be on the Mane Stage along side the Guests of Honor and play Jackbox with them to see who is indeed the funniest pony.

Sign ups are very limited and are first come first serve. Sign up in the Video Gaming room at event time. During the Qualifier Rounds on Friday and Saturday, the players will be split up into Friday and Saturday events.

The winners of each round will move on to play in Jackbox with the Stars, where they will play against the Guests of Honor in Mane Events on Sunday!

Mario Kart Tournament

Friday 2PM - 4PM

It's time to prove yourself in the Mario Kart World tournament. Come in and not only earn the ultimate bragging rights, but we have a special prize in mind for those who come out on top!

Super Smash Brothers: Ultimate Tournament

Saturday - Trotter's Cider Bar

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

The annual tradition is back! Prove yourself in the Super Smash Brothers Ultimate tournament. Come in and earn the ultimate bragging rights, plus we have a special prize in mind for those who come out on top!

TABLETOP GAMING

Coloration Station

Stop on by and enjoy coloring cute pony pictures at the Coloration Station!

It's open every day while the Tabletop Gaming room is open!

Are you a Changeling?

Hosted by SteelTheWarrior

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!

Friday Introduction Game
Friday 12PM - 3PM

Friday Late Night Version
Friday 9PM - 2AM

Saturday Standard Session
2PM - 5PM

Saturday Epic Version
Saturday 9PM - 2AM

Sunday Standard Session
12:30PM - 4PM

Tabletop Gaming Room Hours

Day	Start Time	End Time
Friday	12:00pm	2:00am
Saturday	9:00am	2:00am
Sunday	9:00am	4:00pm

Event Schedule (listed alphabetically)

2-Hour Pony RPG Hosted by SteelTheWarrior

Friday 6PM - 8PM

After quick character creation, this experimental TTRPG session will be a %100 "Randomly & Procedurally Generated" game where everything from the NPCs, to the locations, to the very plot itself will be determined, on-the-fly, by the dice! Nobody knows where fate will take the special pony characters you make for this game! Not even the GM!

D20 1-Shot Hosted by Undead Rattler

Sunday 1PM - 4PM

Pathfinder, PF2E, or DnD5; if you can roll a 20 sided dice and do simple math, we can play any of the premade stories I have!

For Equestria's Sun Hosted by Undead Rattler

Saturday 3:30PM - 6:30PM

There are some simple truths everyone knows in this world. The sun rises each day. The sky is blue. The Princess is Perfection. You are the Princess' shadow force. You do the things nopony should ever hear about. Can you keep your Princess' reputation clean?

Inspireland Hosted by SteelTheWarrior

Saturday 12PM - 2PM, 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!

Kayou Card Swap Meet and Collection Showcase

Hosted by ThatYippingFurry

Saturday 10AM - 2PM

A dedicated meet-up for Kayou My Little Pony trading card fans! Bring your binders to trade, swap, and show off your collections. This is the perfect space to connect with other enthusiasts and learn about these exciting cards.

Keep Calm & Kill the Princess Hosted by Undead Rattler

Saturday 10AM - 12:30PM

You're locked in a building with one of the princesses, and somepony (or some ponies!) want her out of the picture. Permanently. Will you save her or let the villains win?

Lasers and Feelings Hosted by Undead Rattler

Saturday 7PM - 9PM

Come play a silly sci-fi romp through outer space. Make Captain Darcy proud!

TABLETOP GAMING

Maid: RPG (13+) *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Friday 11PM - 2AM

Become the Maids of the Crystal Castle. Enjoy an anime-trop heavy RPG and serve the GM as you prepare to throw a Nightmare Night party!

MLP: TOON! *Hosted by SteelTheWarrior*

Saturday 10AM - 12PM

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!

MLP CCG Tournament *Hosted by Joking Luna*

Friday 6PM - 11PM Harmony Tournament:

Constructed tournament in which cards from all sets are legal, except for those which have been banned. Swiss rounds to determine winner. Number of rounds dependent on number of participants. All legal cards from Prize Wheel will be allowed. Please provide a deck list.

Saturday 2PM-7PM Core Tournament:

Constructed tournament in which only cards from LL, ND, FM, NG, and ToL as well as Prize Wheel are allowed, except for those which have been banned. Swiss rounds to determine winner. Number of rounds dependent on number of participants. Please provide a deck list.

Saturday 8PM - 12AM Background Pony Adventure Tournament:

Constructed tournament in which cards from EO forward are allowed, except for any of the G4 or G5 Mane 6. (Applejack, Fluttershy, Pinkie Pie, Rainbow Dash, Rarity, Twilight Sparkle, Hitch, Izzy, Misty, Pipp, Sunny and Zipp are not allowed) Other banned cards from Adventure format are enforced. Please provide a deck list.

MLP: Friendship is Ironclaw *Hosted by JokingLuna*

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

Friday 12PM - 3PM Character Creation:

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

Saturday 10AM - 1PM Bees Too!:

It has been years since the crisis of the destruction of the Golden Oak Library hive was avoided, and the hive has been happy and prosperous ever since! Some ponies are reporting, though, that the bees around town sound funny. They are flying backwards, going Zzub, zzub. What's going on with them? Characters provided, or bring your own!

Sunday 10AM - 1PM Yak Games:

The leaders of Yakyakistan have learned about the Crystal Games, and how popular they were. Now they wish to host an event that is similar, but features games that are popular among the Yaks. Will anyone come? What games will happen? Will anything remain unsmashed? Characters provided, or bring your own!

Pathfinder 2E Beginner Box *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Friday 7PM - 10PM

Pathfinder is a cooperative tabletop roleplaying game of fantasy adventure! Grab some friends to play the heroes in an adventuring party. Go on a quest, explore mysterious environments, battle dangerous monsters, find treasure, and tell a story together!

Pigeon Coup *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Friday 12PM - 1:30PM

Humanity cares not for your birdy plights. It is left to THE PIGEONS to rally freedom's cry. It is time for the PIGEON COUP! A Honey Heist hack.

Planet Crashers *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Sunday 10AM - 11:30AM

Embark on a Sci-fi bounty-hunter race to get the bad guy

Pony the Gathering: Two Headed Giant *Hosted by Decora*

Saturday 4PM - 8PM

They say teamwork makes the dream work right? Put that to the test then! How well do you work together with someone? Can your Deck pair well with your partner to take down your opponents? In this version of Commander, that'll be put to the test!

Raft *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Friday 1:30PM - 3:30PM

You're shipwrecked and need to survive! Endure the merciless ocean and hope for a rescue.

Ra(t)pture *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Sunday 11:30AM - 12:30PM

You are a Lab Rat. Now for the unfortunate news. It seems the experiment being run on you is to find out what happens when a bomb is put inside of a rat. That's right, you might explode at any given moment. That's fine though, you have a plan: Escape.

Steel's Tiny One-Page RPG *Hosted by SteeltheWarrior*

Friday 3:30PM - 5:30PM

An RPG game for all ages: Come make and play as your own cool character in the world of Equestria where you'll get the chance to help new friends play a part in their own story about the magic of friendship! **A take-home copy of this game can be found in the Tabletop Gaming room!**

Squire for Hire *Hosted by SteeltheWarrior*

Friday 8PM - 9PM, Saturday 8PM - 9PM, Sunday 9AM - 10AM

Calling all squires! This cute and quick card game is all about strategic inventory management as you are tasked to carry all of your adventurer's loot! All scores earned are added to your Faction for the ARG!

Time Splice *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Saturday 1PM - 3PM

You've all been hired to go back in time and correct history for the highest bidder. Unfortunately, something went wrong...

Treasure Haunt *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Friday 4PM - 6:30PM

A Competitive RPG about Fear and First Impressions. Beat the other contestants to the prize at the end of the haunt!

We That Remain *Hosted by Undead Rattler*

Saturday 12AM - 2AM

An apocalypse RPG where you struggle for survival.

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THE Grand GALLOPING GALA



**Friday
7:00PM - DOORS OPEN**

Join us for our annual Gala, which will be filled with fun, lively musical performances by The Manehattan Jazz Quartet and AchieveHunter1! You can also snack on hors d'oeuvres, participate in a dance lesson from Crackle's Cousin Cosplay, and more! A ticket can be obtained from Registration or is included with all pre-purchased Package and Sponsor Badges.

Gala Performance Schedule

7:00PM: MANEHATTAN JAZZ QUARTET

**7:45PM: Formal Dance Lesson with
CRACKLE'S COUSIN COSPLAY**

8:15PM: ACHIEVEHUNTER1

DRESS CODE

Your outfit should be as formal as possible, but must be at least business casual or semi-casual. Cosplay is allowed only if it meets these requirements. This means that you should avoid shorts, sweatpants, Crocs, sandals, t-shirts, hoodies, baseball caps, or any torn or ripped clothing. Denim is generally discouraged, but some jeans can be considered dressy if they are dark-wash, well-fitting, and free of any fading, distressing, or embellishments. 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 get in touch with us via social media or ask a volunteer at the convention.

FRIDAY CONCERT SCHEDULE

9:00PM

MELODYBRONY

9:30PM

PEGASYS

10:00PM

GALEN & METAJOKER

10:15PM

IVORYBRONY

10:45PM

SOUND BANDIT

11:15PM

BIG THINGS COMING

12:00AM

JOHN KENZA



FRIDAY

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FRIDAY SCHEDULE

Early Sponsor Vendor Hall Access

10:30 AM to 11:00 AM - Vendor Hall

Equestria, Celestial, Alicorn, and Super Sparkle Sponsors can all browse the Vendor Hall before other attendees during this special time!

Opening Ceremonies

11:00 AM to 12:00 PM - Mane Events

Featuring our Guests, Musicians, and more!

It's the big start where Ponyville Ciderfest will officially be underway! Learn more about the theme, see the Guests of Honor, Community Guests, Musicians, and much more!

Don't Forget the Lyrics

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Thrack & counterCanterer

In this Pony version of the "Don't Forget the Lyrics" game show, your memory of My Little Pony song lyrics will be put to the test. Can you keep singing when the ponies stop? Come participate and have fun!

I was on a game show. Want to hear the story?

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Captain Aileron

Being a game show contestant is a dream many of us have, but what exactly happens when it comes true? Hear the complete story of one fan's experience on a major game show from arrival at the studio to after the show airing!

Jackbox Qualifier 1

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM - Video Gaming

This is our Friday qualifying event for "Jackbox with the Stars!", our Sunday Guest of Honor event. Come compete for your chance to be on the Mane Stage alongside the Guests of Honor and play Jackbox with them to see who is indeed the funniest pony. Sign-ups are very limited and are first-come, first-serve. Sign up in the video game room at the time of the event!

My Little Match Game (Guests of Honor Edition)

+ Q & A

12:30 PM to 1:45 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Taylor Bowe-Mcardle, Jenna Warren, Ingrid Nilson, Andrew Francis, Michael Dangerfield, Kyle Rideout, Red Card, ACRacebest, & Saberspark

A classic game show from the early 70's where contestants in the audience must match the celebrity's answers, "Match Game," is getting ponified. Join in for some fun as our Guests of Honor generate hilarious answers to fill-in-the blank questions.

Infinite Craft Is Magic!

12:30 PM to 1:30 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Balto Racing & GatorGoatJohnny

Have you ever dreamed of combining your favorite pony characters with the most random stuff on earth? Would you like to make Princess Luna into a Cthulhu cupcake? Enjoy this online crafting game where you can make anything, now with more ponies!

Renegade Stage

1:00 PM to 5:00 PM - Apple Orchard

Interested in performing or listening to live music during the day? Check out the Renegade Stage in the Apple Orchard! Sign-ups are on a first-come, first-served basis, with 30-minute intervals.

Cider Lounge Open

1:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Cider Lounge

Thirsty? Come on up to our Cider Lounge, located on the 17th floor in Room 1704! Any attendee can relax for a bit while sipping on some locally sourced hot and cold Apple Cider!



Applejack Appreciation Club

1:30 PM to 2:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by FormulaPony

Are you an Applejack enjoyer and think she's Best Pony? Or are you simply interested in learning more about her? Come hang out with the Sweet Apple Admirers, play a trivia game, and share why she's your favorite. Yee-haw!

Demystifying Tech in Today's Entertainment

1:30 PM to 3:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Nitricx & Minty Root

In this panel, two industry pros will discuss technological advances in professional entertainment and how it is used to create what media we take in as an audience today. This historical and demonstrative panel will tell all.

Trot Ones

2:00 PM to 3:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by GatorGoatJohnny, Balto Racing, DoTheDaringDew, & Nevaylin

It's the show with horse questions and even hotter sauce! The scorching hot interview panel comes to Ciderfest, where we ask some of your favorite horse personalities questions while they try some increasingly spicy hot sauces.

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

Mario Kart Tournament

2:00 PM to 4:00 PM - Video Gaming

The annual tradition is back for you to prove yourself in the Mario Kart World tournament. Come in and not only earn the ultimate bragging rights, but we have a special prize in mind for those who come out on top! Sign ups are available in the Video gaming room.

Pony Court

2:30 PM to 3:30 PM - Mane Events

Hosted by Saberspark & ACRacebest

Join ACRacebest and Saberspark as they roleplay as lawyers and hold mock trials for the good ponies of Ponyville! Does Spike's dad owe alimony? Is Sci-Twi guilty for copyright infringement against pony Twilight? Let's find out!

Autograph Session

2:30 PM to 3:30 PM - Autograph Room

Featuring Jenna Warren, Ingrid Nilson, Andrew Francis, Michael Dangerfield, & Kyle Rideout

Come and get an autograph, photo, or recording from our Guests of Honor! Note that vouchers are available at the Con Store and must be purchased beforehand. Visit the Con Store for more details.

How to Draw Ponies with Brenda Hickey

2:30 PM to 3:30 PM - Activities Room

Hosted by Brenda Hickey

Join IDW Comic Artist Brenda Hickey for a beginners lesson on how to draw ponies.

Calling All Applejacks!

3:00 PM to 3:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Raressie

Do you identify heavily with Applejack? Step up and answer questions and participate in challenges to see if the audience crowns you the One True Applejack!

After the Fact Live! A Bird in the Hoof

3:30 PM to 4:30 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Silver Quill

Who's the bigger troll, Celestia or Philomena? Join Silver Quill for a look at Fluttershy's attempt to cure a bird for which she has no context. How did this episode come to shape the fandom's interpretation of Celestia and how does it hold up now?

DIY Badge Trade

3:30 PM to 5:30 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by fannytastical

Come to the DIY Badge Trade where you'll be randomly assigned to draw an attendee's badge and exchange them at the end! Supplies will be provided and all art skill levels welcome.

If you get a question wrong, a panelist leaves

4:00 PM to 4:30 PM - Mane Events

Hosted by Nevaylin

Pony trivia where our panelists' futures are in YOUR hands. If you know a thing or two about My Little Pony, come test your skills - let's see if we make it to the end of the panel!

3D Animating Live!

4:00 PM to 5:00 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by argodaemon

Animation is hard, so let's see if we can do it live! Watch an experienced SFM (3D) Animator take requests and move the horses while cutting as many corners as possible!

The Great Gameshow the Experience

4:00 PM to 5:30 PM - Activities Room

Featuring Crackle's Cousin Cosplay & the PVCF Acting Guild

Join the PVCF Actors guild in an interactive event in which your favorite characters come to life with a gameshow twist. Price is Right, Wheel of Fortune, Let's Make a Deal, Jeopardy, & More! All ponyfied! With prizes ready for you to Win!

Exclusive Equestria and Celestial Sponsor Event

4:30 PM to 6:00 PM - Trotter's

Hosted by Amber Evergreen & Featuring our Guests of Honor

Two teams of fans face off in a pony-fied twist on Family Feud! We asked the fandom silly, serious, and chaotic questions—now it's your turn to guess the most popular answers. Survey says: fun!

Sunburst: The Stellar Stallion

5:00 PM to 5:30 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by FormulaPony

Sunburst is the silly—though endearing—unicorn who made his debut in Friendship is Magic at the end of Season 5. Let's shine the spotlight on this under-appreciated stallion and see what makes him such an interesting pony!

Blue Ponies vs Grey Ponies

5:30 PM to 6:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Silver Melody, Banquo0, Thoth Penswell, Nevaylin, DoTheDaringDew, & Luck Rock

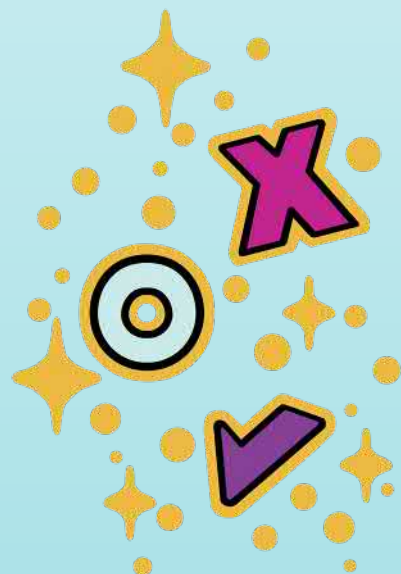
Before time began, there were grey ponies and blue ponies. Two warring factions, locked in millennia of Twitter wars. Today, they settle it in an all out battle (of silly lil challenges), competing for a modestly priced trophy (and world domination)!

Sketchbook Swap!

5:30 PM to 7:00 PM - Apple Orchard

Hosted by Brink!

Bring your sketchbooks, OC refs, and art supplies and get some new art and make new friends!



FRIDAY SCHEDULE

Plushie Feud

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Hibiscus Stitch

I surveyed the MLP fan community to learn their Pony Plushie opinions. Now teams of three will square up to see how in sync they are with the audience. We're playing the feud! The soft and cuddly feud!

Writing Parody and Satire - a Guide

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Fiaura The Tank Girl

This is a guide run by myself and Chocolate Pony for how to write satire or parody and legally get away with it. Want to make MLP original comics or want to publish fan-fiction, this is how to do it and the processes by which you can make it legally.

String and Swap Kandi Bracelets

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Activities Room

Hosted by SmilesPerHour

Want to learn how to make your own kandi bracelet? Tired of your current one? Come by and design a new pony with us! No art experience is needed.

The Grand Galloping Gala

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Crackle's Cousin Cosplay, Manehattan Jazz Quartet, AchieveHunter1, & MathmaticPony

See the Gala page in this book for info!

Con History: From First Fandom to the Brony Cons

7:00 PM to 8:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Chocolate Pony

The roots of the con scene. From the 1930s where fans fought to determine what the purpose of fandom should be at Worldcon 1939. The evolution of cosplay, rise of comic, anime, furry cons. To modern brony cons and their additions to the con scene.

Open Arts and Crafts

7:00 PM to 8:00 PM - Activities Room

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

Trotter's Cider Bar Open

7:30 PM to 2:00 AM - Trotter's

Stop by, relax, have a beverage, and maybe play a game or two! All ages may enter; must be 21+ to purchase or consume alcohol.

Equestria's NEXT Top Artist!

7:30 PM to 9:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by RiffPonies!, Nevaylin, Brittney Ackerman, Luximus, Saphy, Oomles, Befish, & Banquo0

Join an all-star cast of your FAVORITE My Little Pony fan-artists as they clash for artistic supremacy in a goofy gauntlet of arty party games - with YOU as the judge! Channel your inner art critic & help decide who is "Equestria's NEXT Top Artist"!

A Memorial to IronCaptain19

7:30 PM to 8:30 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Minty Root, Taylor Bowe-Mcardle, NickyD, & DoTheDaringDew

Together we remember our time with IronCaptain19, a sweet and caring friend from our community who we miss so dearly.

Pony Plushie Meetup

7:30 PM to 8:30 PM - Apple Orchard

Hosted by Hibiscus Stitch & FormulaPony

Calling all pony plush fans! Bring your pony plush for photos, fun, and mingling with other plush fans. This is the Ciderfest 2025 Plush meet!

MelodyBrony Performance

9:00 PM to 9:30 PM - Mane Events

Featuring MelodyBrony

Ready to rock along to some Pony metal? Get ready to headbang and sing along with MelodyBrony!

My Little Match Game: Take Two (18+)

9:00 PM to 10:00 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Taylor Bowe-Mcardle, Red Card, Brink, IN4RI, Banquo0, Amber Evergreen, SilverMelody, & Windber

A classic game show from the early 70's and 80's "Match Game" is getting ponified where contestants must match panelists answers exactly, it's after hours so expect the unexpected when it comes to fun from our group of stars from the fandom

The Pony's Court (18+)

9:00 PM to 10:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Mad Mack

We once again summon you to the Pony's Court for the trial of the year! Who is it this time facing the end of the gavel? Are they guilty or innocent? That of course, is for YOU to decide!

PegasYs Performance

9:30 PM to 10:00 PM - Mane Events

Featuring PegasYs

Hailing from the stars, PegasYs is crash landing into this year's Ponyville Ciderfest, bringing a meteor shower of chiptune treats and funky beats!

After Dark Vendor Hall (18+)

10:00 PM to 12:30 AM - Barley Room

Our fandom has spawned all kinds of wonderful art and merchandise, so come take a peek at some unique-oriented materials. This event is strictly for 18+ attendees only. Photo IDs are required, so leave the foals at home.

IvoryBrony Performance

10:15 PM to 10:45 PM - Mane Events

Featuring IvoryBrony

Started in the fandom, stayed for the friendship—and the synth presets. IvoryBrony makes music that slaps harder than a Celestia facehoof, and hits deeper than a Twilight Sparkle friendship speech. Expect piano, ponies, and questionable life choices turned into certified sonic vibes. *finger guns pew pew*

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

Wicked Karting: Game Showdown

10:30 PM to 1:30 AM - Trotter's

Hosted by Amber Evergreen & Brass Scribe

Tonight, its Mario Kart meets alcohol! The rules are simple: Crack open your drink to start the race. The first player that crosses the finish line wins, BUT you must finish your drink before you finish the race. You think you got what it takes?

Pony Video Nostalgia Panel (18+)

10:30 PM to 12:00 AM - Caramel Room

Hosted by JHaller, argodaemon, & Dinsfire

Could that be some 2016 vibes? Come in to relax and watch some of the fandom's oldest and most notable pony videos from the ancient years of the early to mid 2010s.

What The Horse?? (18+)

10:30 PM to 11:30 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Your Pal Tina, Endy, TaylorBMcardle, Princess Deadpool, & NickyD

Based on the party game "What The Dub!", this panel uses an MLP mod to replace old movie scenes with pony ones! Fill in the blanks with your dialogue and sound effects! This game just got 20% cooler!

Sound Bandit Performance

10:45 PM to 11:15 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Sound Bandit

Enjoy the purity of ponychops at Sound Bandit's super set! Explore different generations, musical styles, and lucid visuals to the beat!

Big Things Coming Performance

11:15 PM to 12:00 AM - Mane Events

Featuring Big Things Coming

Jensen Stiles and Koa team together to fulfill the age-old promise of all music-kind, the foretold... Big Things Coming!

John Kenza Performance

12:00 AM to 12:30 AM - Mane Events

Featuring John Kenza

Get ready for a set filled with euphoric melodies, high-energy basslines, and exclusive pony remixes you won't hear anywhere else. Whether you're a longtime fan or new to the scene, John Kenza will leave you with a night you'll never forget.

Sketchbook Swap - AFTER DARK EDITION (18+)

12:00 AM to 1:30 AM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Brink!

Bring your sketchbooks, OC refs, and art supplies and get some new art and make new friends! This panel is for ADULTS ONLY.

Bad Fanfiction (18+)

12:30 AM to 2:00 AM - Caramel Room

Hosted by argodaemon & JHaller

We're 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.

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SATURDAY

	Mane Events	Barley Room	Caramel Room	Fizzy Room	Apple Orchard	Trotter's Cider Bar	Autographs	Activities Room	Vendor Hall	
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10:45 AM					PVCF Baking Contest Judging					10:45 AM
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1:45 PM		Fan Animation Workshop!	Survivor: Equestria					No-Sew Fleece Blankets for Animals		1:45 PM
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5:00 PM				Feelings Forum	Cosplay Photoshoot Meetup 4:45 pm -5:45 pm	Sponsor Dinner		Closed		5:00 PM
5:15 PM		Making Your Mark in the MLP Fandom	Show and Tell!							5:15 PM
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7:00 PM	Pathfinder Project	Ponify That Movie! (13+)	Creating Transformative Stories in the Age of Franchise & AI	Things we Should Question and Don't!	Beading With Brink!	All-Ages VIP Social Hour		Closed		7:00 PM
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7:45 PM	Maersplash (Maerstrom & Turquoise Splash)				Q&A with the Community Guests (Game Show Edition)			Open Arts and Crafts		7:45 PM
8:00 PM		Con Chair Chat	The Strange World of Pony Physical Media (13+)	Cards Against Equestria for Charity (18+)						8:00 PM
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	Tabletop Gaming					Video Gaming	Charity Room	Con Store	Cider Lounge	Sponsor Lounge	Registration	Operations	
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SATURDAY SPECIAL EVENTS

Cider Tasting (Ticketed)

Friday - Trotter's Cider Bar
Session 1: 12PM to 1PM
Session 2: 2:30PM to 3:30PM

We can't call it Ciderfest if we don't give you the chance to taste some great hard cider! For 2025, we are excited to bring you a new collaboration event with local ciderists Cache Cider, a local cidery based right here in Milwaukee, WI! They will be bringing 4 of their freshly made hard ciders for you to try, including a special collaboration made exclusively for Ponyville Ciderfest!

Throughout this guided tasting, you will be able to try your samples in your shiny new tasting glass, included with your ticket purchase for this event. And at the conclusion, you will also receive an exclusive collectable bottle to commemorate the event!

As this is a hard cider tasting event, attendees must be 21. IDs will be checked.
Check website for ticket availability.

2025 Cosplay Competition

**Cosplay Competition featuring:
Crackle's Cousin Cosplay, Yaklyn Cosplay,
and Pinkie Pi!**

Saturday 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM - Mane Events

Come cheer on this year's talented cosplayers as they compete and showcase in Ponyville Ciderfest's 2025 Cosplay Competition.

Cosplay Competition Pre-Judging
Saturday 12:30PM - 2:30PM - Fizzy Room

ATTENTION COSPLAY CONTEST PARTICIPANTS: If you plan on entering the Cosplay Contest, you will need to come to the Fizzy room at the time for your category as indicated on your contestant form **IN COSTUME** to turn in your registration form (already completed) and to be pre-judged. Contestants, Handlers, and Chaperones **ONLY**. No viewers. Attendance is required for competitors.

Entry Forms available at Registration until 12PM on Saturday.



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Early Sponsor Vendor Hall Access

9:30 AM to 10:00 AM - Vendor Hall

Equestria, Celestial, Alicorn, and Super Sparkle Sponsors can all come and browse the Vendor Hall before other attendees during this special time!

MLP: Reanimated

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM - Mane Events

Hosted by GatorGoatJohnny

This year, 100 animators remade the episode "Magical Mystery Cure" ten seconds at a time. Come see the world premiere of MLP: Reanimated, followed by a look behind the scenes at what goes into hosting a reanimation project!

Pony Definition

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM - Caramel Room

Hosted by StatManDan

The game of fun with a pun returns to Ponyville Ciderfest! Based on the popular Canadian game show of the 1970s and 80s, this game adds a pony twist! Fun and prizes await. Think "Wheel of Fortune" minus the wheel, but with lots of (bad) puns.

Make a Crystal Kingdom Suncatcher

10:00 AM to 11:30 AM - Activities Room

We heard that Shining Armor might be at Ponyville! We decided to make Crystal Kingdom suncatchers in his honor. You can too.

Kayou Card Swap Meet and Collection Showcase

10:00 AM to 2:00 PM - Tabletop Gaming

Hosted by ThatYippingFurry

A dedicated meet-up for Kayou My Little Pony trading card fans! Bring your binders to trade, swap, and show off your collections. This is the perfect space to connect with other enthusiasts and learn about these exciting cards.

Bridlewood Squares

10:30 AM to 11:30 AM - Barley Room

Hosted by AutoKnight01 (Princess Deadpool) & Taylor Bowe-Mcardle

It's the game of Tic-Tac-Toe but with trivia and horse people! Chosen contestants will be putting their knowledge of Equestria across the generations to the test! There will be laughs! There will be prizes! And there will definitely be fools!

Is it a My Little Pony?

10:30 AM to 12:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by JMac

A SFW game inspired by an internet quiz. Is Rose Haven the name of a My Little Pony? Summer Haze? Pink Fairy? Heart Throb? None of the above? It's much more challenging than you expect.

PVCF Baking Contest Judging

10:30 AM to 11:30 AM - Apple Orchard

Featuring judges Foal Papers, Balto Racing, Yaklyn Cosplay, & Brink!

It's back! The Ciderfest Baking Contest will feature delicious baked goods and once the judging is over, these tasty treats will be available for purchase with all sales going towards the PVCF charity!

GoH Script Reading

11:30 AM to 12:30 PM - Mane Events

Hosted by Sonicsuns, Our Guests of Honor & Friends

Nobody knows what to expect at our signature GoH Script Reading - Not even the writers! Join our guests as well as Sonicsuns for a fantastic episode!

My Little Court Case

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Jelly Bean, Toni Cochran, & Morgan Greene

My Little Court Case is a debate/court room themed discuss panel. Everybody has their own controversial/unpopular opinions, so bring yours and debate against your fellow attendees to see who the jury agrees with more! (Lawyers will be provided.)

Ponysuits!

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by iRaven, Nevermourn, PassionateAboutPonies, Data-Byte, & weege

You've seen us at pony and furry cons all over the world with our antics, hugs, and pictures, but how's it like behind the scenes? Join us to learn the fun secrets (and silliness) covering all aspects of ponysuiting!

Renegade Stage

12:00 PM to 4:00 PM - Apple Orchard

Interested in performing or listening to live music during the day? Check out the Renegade Stage in the Apple Orchard! Sign-ups are on a first-come, first-served basis with 30-minute intervals.

Jackbox Qualifier 2

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM - Video Gaming

This is our Saturday qualifying event for "Jackbox with the Stars!", our Sunday Guest of Honor event. Come compete for your chance to be on the Mane Stage alongside the Guests of Honor and play Jackbox with them to see who is indeed the funniest pony. Sign-ups are very limited and are first-come, first-serve. Sign up in the video game room at the time of the event!

Cider Lounge Open

12:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Cider Lounge

Thirsty? Come on up to our Cider Lounge, located on the 17th floor in Room 1704! Any attendee can relax for a bit while sipping on some locally sourced hot and cold Apple Cider!

Cider Tasting - Session 1 (Ticketed, 21+)

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM - Trotter's

A ticketed cider tasting with local Ciderists Cache Cidery! See page 26 for details.

Cosplay Competition Pre-Judging

12:30 PM to 2:30 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay

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The Ribbon Game!

How to Play

Have you ever seen those ribbons people have on the bottom of their badges? Collect and trade as many as you can to see how long your collection can grow! Guests, vendors, convention departments, and other attendees may be participating!

Ribbon Game Etiquette

If someone has ribbons to hand out, they are not obligated to trade or give you one.

Vendors may have ribbons and may set their own rules, such as "with purchase" or "answer my riddle" to make it more of a game. The same goes for the convention departments! Our theme is "The Game Show" after all!

There might even be flash events where you can trade ribbons. Keep an eye on our Discord and socials during the con!

Winning the Game

Everyone who participates wins the satisfaction of having fun by collecting as many as they can, while hopefully meeting some new friends!

The person with the longest ribbon collection by closing ceremonies, made of unique ribbons obtained at the convention, might even win a prize!



Hooves Line Is It Anyway?

1:00 PM to 2:30 PM - Mane Events

Hosted by ACRacebest, Saberspark, Silver Quill, MathematicPony, Taylor Bowe-Mcardle, & Cosmic KeyFrame
Like ponies? Like Whose Line Is It Anyway? Like the idea of putting them together? Quick wit and epic fails make for hilarious improv comedy which has been going strong for over 10 years. Don't miss one of the most popular pony panels of all time!

Autograph Session

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM - Autograph Room

Featuring Jenna Warren, Ingrid Nilson, Andrew Francis, Michael Dangerfield, & Kyle Rideout
Come and get an autograph, photo, or recording from our Guests of Honor! Note that vouchers are available at the Con Store and must be purchased beforehand. Visit the Con Store for more details.

No-Sew Fleece Blankets for Animals

1:00 PM to 3:30 PM - Activities Room

It's getting cold and we want our furry friends to stay warm. Come in and make a no-sew fleece blanket for your pet. Don't have a pet? No problem! Our charity, the Wisconsin Humane Society, has plenty of pets in need of warm blankets. You can make one for them!

Fan Animation Workshop!

1:30 PM to 2:30 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Minty Root & argodaemon
Join our selection of fan animators in a look behind the scenes of various animated projects. Get to learn all sorts of magic tricks that animators pull to bring the illusion of life to the screen, and how you too can learn those skills.

Survivor: Equestria

1:30 PM to 3:00 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by GatorGoatJohnny
An interactive D&D-style roleplay of a season of Survivor featuring characters from the MLP franchise! Help the hosts decide who wins, and cheer on your favorite characters as they try to outlast each other for 1 million bits!

Cider Tasting - Session 2 (Ticketed, 21+)

2:30 PM to 3:30 PM - Trotter's

A ticketed cider tasting with local Ciderists Cache Cidery! See page 26 for details.

Cosplay Contest

3:00 PM to 4:30 PM - Mane Events

Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay, Yaklyn Cosplay, & Pinkie Pi
Come cheer on this year's talented cosplayers as they compete and showcase in Ponyville Ciderfest's 2025 Cosplay Competition. Hosted and judged by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay Team, along with guest judges Yaklyn Cosplay & Pinkie Pi.

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Name That Frame! A Pony Trivia Game

3:00 PM to 4:30 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by FormulaPony, GatorGoatJohnny,

Taylor Bowe-Mcardle, & Windber

Name That Frame! returns for its 2nd year at Ciderfest! Watch our contestants test their memories of MLP: FiM, frame by frame. Plus, have a chance to win your own prize by competing in our audience rounds. See what you know and Name That Frame!

Pony Show Trivia (G4)

3:00 PM to 4:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Phauxe Kitsune & Krystal Sparkle

Grab some friends and test your knowledge of pony! Teams of up to six people will compete in three rounds of Friendship is Magic trivia. Prizes will be awarded to every member of the first-place team, and Best Team Name.

Super Smash Bros Tournament

3:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Video Gaming

The annual tradition is back for you to prove yourself in the Super Smash Brothers Ultimate tournament. Come in and not only earn the ultimate bragging rights, but we have a special prize in mind for those who come out on top! Sign ups are available in the Video gaming room.

You Laugh, You Lose | LIVE From Ciderfest

3:30 PM to 4:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Your Pal Tina

You! Yes, YOU!! TRY TO MAKE ME LAUGH!! Taunt me from the peanut gallery or send in your freshest memes! And if I laugh, something "spicy" will happen! (in the form of consuming hot sauce)

Running of the Leaves Make an Autumn Keychain

4:00 PM to 5:00 PM - Activities Room

It's time for fall, and that means The Running of the Leaves. Come in and make a keychain to celebrate.

Pony the Gathering: Two-Headed Giant

4:00 PM to 8:00 PM - Tabletop Gaming - Guest Hosts

Hosted by Decora

They say teamwork makes the dream work right? Put that to the test then! How well do you work together with someone? Can your Deck pair well with your partner to take down your opponents? In this version of Commander, that'll be put to the test!

Feelings Forum

4:30 PM to 5:30 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Amber Evergreen

Between cons, we return to an uncertain world that can feel overwhelming. Join this audience-driven discussion as we share everyday struggles in a supportive, open-minded space.

Sponsor Dinner

4:30 PM to 5:30 PM - Trotter's

A dinner just for our Sponsors with our Guests of Honor! See page 5 for details.

Cosplay Meet Up and Photoshoot

4:45 PM to 5:45 PM - Apple Orchard

Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay

Calling all Cosplayers and fans of cosplay. Get free professional cosplay photos, take selfies with friends, and meet our wonderful MLP cosplay community.

Making Your Mark in the Pony Fandom

5:00 PM to 6:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Taylor Bowe-Mcardle, Red Card, DoTheDaringDew,

ACRacebest, Saberspark, & Silver Quill

We all joined the MLP fandom for a lot of different reasons and how we got involved, Taylor and his crew want you to tell us your tale of how you joined the community and what made you a fan of the show in this tell all panel

Show and Tell!

5:00 PM to 5:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Legendary Jelly & Blakelyn

HAY YOU! yes YOU, What's in your wallet? Or your pocket? Or your shelf? Never mind, don't -tell- me, SHOW me. Come down and show everyone that one special [Or not] thing that you want to show everypony! I want to see some pocket lint gosh darnit!

Sculpt Some Clay

5:30 PM to 6:30 PM - Activities Room

Use some super soft, very fun air dry clay, and sculpt your favorite pony, mascot, or whatever comes to mind.

Creating Transformative Stories in the Age of Franchise and AI

6:00 PM to 7:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Chocolate Pony

How to make your story stand out? How do we fight against corporations and AI? What does transformative art mean? Can one legally publish fanfiction? Join us for a look at fanfiction history, lawsuits, and deconstructing the hero's journey.

Things we Should Question and Don't!

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Fiaura The Tank Girl

This is where I talk about all the theories for MLP that didn't work out or didn't quite make a whole science panel and how they relate to our experience from the totally crazy to the strange.

Beading With Brink!

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Apple Orchard

Hosted by Brink!

Remember the beaded lizards from the 90s? There is a whole community of people who make all sorts of things now: earrings, bracelets, and even sculptures! Join Brink and learn the basics of beading and create your own piece to bring home!

All-Ages VIP Meet & Greet Social Hour (Ticketed)

6:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Trotter's

A special event for Changeling Package and Alicorn, Celestial, & Equestria Level Sponsor Badge holders! See page 5 for details.

SATURDAY CONCERT SCHEDULE

7:00PM

**PATHFINDER
PROJECT**

7:30PM

MAERSPLASH

8:45PM

BLUEBRONY

9:30PM

**GALEN &
METAJOKER**

9:45PM

**TREY HUSK &
SPINSCISSOR**

10:30PM

SYLVVER

11:15PM

**EUROBEAT BRONY &
PINKABOO**

12:00AM

**HALFWAY THROUGH
OMEGA**

SATURDAY SCHEDULE

Ponify That Movie! (13+)

6:30 PM to 7:30 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Banquo0, RiffPonies!, Nevaylin, XenGaming101, SilverMelody, & DoTheDaringDew

Attention My Little Pony and Movie fans alike! Join our cast of equine and film aficionados as they try to decipher film plots depicted exclusively through the medium of MLP! Play along to see if you can emerge victorious over our panelists!

Pathfinder Project Performance

7:00 PM to 7:30 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Pathfinder Project

Shredding skills? Check. Powerful screams? Check. Memes? Check...? Come witness Pathfinder Project's first solo US performance, featuring a brand new Symphonic Metal Brony Medley!

Open Arts and Crafts

7:00 PM to 8:00 PM - Activities Room

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

Maersplash Performance

7:30 PM to 8:45 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Maerstrom & Turquoise Splash

Come one come all!!! It's time to spin that wheel!! Flip that board! Shake that thang! Dwing that blorp! Beep bop boop!

Cards Against Equestria for Charity (18+)

7:30 PM to 9:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Railershy & Databyte

You like Cards Against Humanity? You like ponies? You like helping raise money for the animals at Wisconsin Humane Society? Then "COME ON DOWN!!!" and help the animals and have fun playing a game to rob any pony innocence you have!

Questions and Answers with the PVCF Community Guests (Game Show Edition)

7:30 PM to 8:30 PM - Apple Orchard

Hosted by Taylor Bowe-Mcardle & featuring our Community guests

Have you ever wanted to ask your favorite content creator a question? Well, here is your chance to do so! Join us in this special Q&A session with all our incredible community guests at PVCF and have your questions ready to be answered live.

Con Chair Chat

8:00 PM to 9:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by Charlie Worthley & Caitlyn Staublin

Ponyville Ciderfest wouldn't happen without the tireless efforts of dozens of volunteers, and all of it rolls up to our Convention Chairs. Come sit down and have a chat with the team behind it all and hear about what it takes to organize an event like PVCF!

The Strange World of Pony Physical Media (13+)

8:00 PM to 8:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Kyler J.S.

Going over CDs, Vinyl's, DVDs, Blu Rays, VHS, and Video Game releases relating to My Little Pony. Sharing facts about certain releases, and showing the audience the media that I have collected over time.

Party Drinking Game With Pinkie Pi (21+)

8:30 PM to 9:30 PM - Trotter's

Hosted by Pinkie Pi

It's party time! Want to watch a fun MLP:FIM episode with Pinkie Pi? Do a shot every time Pinkie Pie does crazy things like breaks the laws of physics. Can you finish the episode? BYOB. Prizes will be awarded.

Trotter's Cider Bar Open

8:30 PM to 2:00 AM - Trotter's

Stop by, relax, have a beverage, and maybe play a game or two! All ages may enter; must be 21+ to purchase or consume alcohol.

BlueBrony Performance

8:45 PM to 9:30 PM - Mane Events

Featuring BlueBrony

Take a spiritual and emotional journey through the music and visuals of Blu's Mix with BlueBrony, the blue pony bard. Come for the music, stay for the feelings.

I Can't Believe It's Actually Ponies The Anthology 8 (18+)

9:00 PM to 10:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by JHaller, Jakewhyman, Dinsfire, RapidBeta, Yuraynus, & ColeDonnerstag

Come in for the newest Ponies The Anthology PREMIERE!!! We're stopping back to our favorite Milwaukee convention to show you all the new and fun pony inspired video shorts we've been working on!

Smash or Pass! (18+)

9:30 PM to 11:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by The OC Doctor

Who is the best Waifu or Husbando? The OC Doctor doesn't know, but he does know a fun way to find out! With 300 characters for a random generator to spit out we will soon find out! So come on in and have some fun! Just leave the daki pillow.

Trey Husk & SpinScissor Performance

9:45 PM to 10:30 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Trey Husk & SpinScissor

Trey Husk and SpinScissor join forces for the first time live! Known best for their collaborations on Ponies At Dawn, they hope to offer a carefully-crafted and powerful experience that spans the strongest of their discographies!

My Little Karaoke: Singing Is Magic

10:00 PM to 1:30 AM - Trotter's

Hosted by Dashie1982 & Pinkie Derp Pie

Here's your moment of singing fame! Round up your friends and be a part of the musical fun by singing your favorite pony song. Almost every song from MLP:FIM is available to choose from, as well as many pony songs from various community artists.

For full bios and social media links for all of our guests & musicians, check out our website here!



SATURDAY SCHEDULE

After Dark Vendor Hall (18+)

10:00 PM to 12:30 AM - Barley Room

Our fandom has spawned all kinds of wonderful art and merchandise, so come take a peek at some unique-oriented materials. This event is strictly for 18+ attendees only. Photo IDs are required, so leave the foals at home.

Sylver Performance

10:30 PM to 11:15 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Sylver

Sylver makes happy music for happy people! Focusing on the more "internet-y" niche of EDM, Sylver's style of bounce and bass house is meticulously engineered to make you smile and DANCE! With such hits as "unfinished_wip_147" and "ftryvfgdwbushx_1", you're sure to have a good time. Come experience the sugar rush!

Watching Paint Dry: The Finale (18+)

11:00 PM to 12:00 AM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Amber Evergreen, Gobiraptor, Saphy Moon, Captain Thrack, & Brass Scribe

Did you solemnly swear not to be scared at the prospect of being doubly mared? Twilight needs your help to determine the real you with a test. If you pass, you get to stay. It's that simple. Just plant your ponk-donk-a-donk down while we sus you out!

Pinkabeat Bronies Performance

11:15 PM to 12:00 AM - Mane Events

Featuring Eurobeat Brony & Pinkabo

Two best friends & veterans of the Brony music scene unite to bring an unforgettable high octane, high BPM party that you'll never forget! Get ready to put your hooves up high and howl at the moon with Eurobeat Brony & Pinkaboo!

Why We Like Clop - The Scientific Analysis (18+)

11:30 PM to 12:30 AM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Fiaura The Tank Girl

I can't believe I'm doing this but this is a new panel in which I am going to scientifically discuss the reasons people like this type of pony art, and why there is so much of it.

Halfway Through Omega Performance

12:00 AM to 12:30 AM - Mane Events

Featuring Halfway Through Omega

Halfway Through Omega presents: Discord's Summoning, a chapstick fun set featuring everything from house, to hardstyle! A DJ Set with no telling which song or genre will be next!!

DrinkPonies: The Game: The Show: The Ride! (18+)

12:30 AM to 2:00 AM - Caramel Room

Hosted by RiffPonies!, JHaller, DoTheDaringDew, Nevaylin, Gobiraptor, Banquo0, & SilverMelody

Join a sloshed slew of the Brony fandom's BRIGHTEST & FUNNIEST creators as they ATTEMPT to answer extremely difficult My Little Pony trivia questions - while being forced to DRINK along the way in the fandom's most diabolical game show!

The Newlymare Game (18+)

1:00 AM to 2:00 AM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Taylor Bowe-Mcardle, Amber Evergreen, Gahzhe Evergreen, Tavy/IN4RI, GratefulRobber, Saphypone, Lunar Guardian, Cole Donnerstag, & Oomles

Here come the newlyweds! Join us in this new panel as recently married couples in the pony fandom compete against each other in a series of revealing questions to determine how well the spouses know or don't know each other.

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100% of proceeds from all charity events will go to support Wisconsin Humane Society

For 2025, we're continuing our partnership with the Wisconsin Humane Society to assist them in finding homes for animals in need of a loving family. Your donations will help them continue to provide assistance with their many programs, from offering affordable spaying and neutering, a pet food bank, their Wildlife Rehabilitation Center, and much more.

WHS is a 501(c)(3) organization and is the stray animal holding facility for municipalities in Racine, Brown, Door, Ozaukee, and Kenosha Counties only, as well as a spay/neuter clinic in West Allis.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

	Main Events	Battery Room	Caramel Room	Fizzy Room	Apple Orchard	Trotter's Cider Bar	Autographs	Activities Room	Vendor Hall	Tabletop Gaming	Video Gaming	Charity Room	Con Store	Cider Lounge	Sponsor Lounge	Registration	Operations
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Meditation & Breathwork with Ingrid Nilson

9:00 AM to 10:00 AM - Trotter's

Hosted by Ingrid Nilson

Join Ingrid for a practical approach to feeling good through breath and meditation techniques. Nothing fancy and attainable for everybody, we will go through simple practices you can do anytime, anywhere. There will be techniques shared for:

- feeling centered and grounded
- experiencing greater calm
- nervous system regulation
- practices to energize
- practices to relieve overwhelm.

A recent grad with a master's in clinical counselling psychology, Ingrid seeks to de-stigmatize the subject of mental health and wellbeing. This panel aims to provide practical, solution-oriented approaches to everyday self-care through effective tools and strategies.

Early Sponsor Vendor Hall Access

9:30 AM to 10:00 AM - Vendor Hall

Equestria, Celestial, Alicorn, and Super Sparkle Sponsors can all come and browse the Vendor Hall before other attendees during this special time!

Bronies React

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM - Mane Events

Hosted by ACRacebest, Saberspark, & Silver Quill

Bronies React is a Youtube series bringing together multiple personalities from the Brony Fandom. The series is celebrating 13 years of insanity. Always wild, always crazy; Q&A & stories galore!

Media Match Game!

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM - Barley Room

Hosted by Decora

Help! This panelist can't remember what goes with the topics they had planned for their discussion! It's up to you to help sort out titles with descriptions or events that happened in said media and save their presentation!

Come Meet the Musicians

10:00 AM to 11:30 AM - Apple Orchard

Featuring our 2025 Musicians

That ringing in your ears means you had a fantastic time at our concerts this weekend! Our performers are all here for you to talk to and chat with, so be sure to stop by!

Kids & Family Concert

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM - Activities Room

Featuring Thrack & TheOneGalen

Join Wonderbolts members Captain Thrack and Galen as they plays some cheery, acoustic pony tunes, sure to provide giggles for foals and parents alike!

Plushaholics (Not So) Anonymous

10:30 AM to 11:30 AM - Caramel Room

Hosted by RubioWolf & B.B. Wolf

Do you find yourself asking, "Do I have too many plushies?" If your answer is "No!", then you're in the right place! Because there's no such thing as too many plushies! Let's gather around and share our totally healthy obsession with one another!

PowerPoint Pony Party

10:30 AM to 12:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Nevaylin, Banquo0, DoTheDaringDew, & XENGaming101

Just a bunch of absurd and nonsensical My Little Pony PowerPoint presentations being performed by equally absurd and nonsensical horse people!

Cider Lounge Open

11:00 AM to 2:00 PM - Cider Lounge

Thirsty? Come on up to our Cider Lounge, located on the 17th floor in Room 1704! Any attendee can relax for a bit while sipping on some locally sourced hot and cold Apple Cider!

JackBox With The Stars!

11:30 AM to 1:00 PM - Mane Events

Hosted by Riffponies & Eliwood Sain, and Featuring our Guests of Honor

Join the Ponyville Ciderfest Guests of Honor as they play through some of the much-beloved JackBox Party Pack games, with hysterical results GUARANTEED & playing-along MOST DEFINITELY encouraged!

All the Pony Music!

11:30 AM to 12:30 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by brambleshadow4, Brass Scribe, & Luck Rock

You've heard of "Discord", but how much more fan music is there? Join us as we talk about various fan projects which try to keep up with every song the fandom makes, from ponymusic.wiki to Brony Music Anniversary, to Luck Rock's weekly music night!

Cosplaying on a budget

12:00 PM to 12:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Yaklyn Cosplay

Cosplaying can be pricey. Join me as I share practical tips, tricks, and creative solutions for bringing your favorite characters to life—without spending a fortune.

Buckball Tournament

12:00 PM to 1:30 PM - Apple Orchard

Hosted by Crackle's Cousin Cosplay, Red Card, AcheiveHunter1, Balto Racing, SmilesPerHour, & StatManDan

Participate in an irl Buckball Tournament. Bring a team, join a team, or come cheer on your friends. No experience necessary. All skill levels welcome. Medals awarded to the top teams and fun had by all!

Pony Archival and You (Scripts Edition)

12:30 PM to 1:30 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by ZizzyDizzyMC

Archiving ponies, or how I learned hard drives were expensive. Come on down, learn what it takes to archive, and how easy it is to start! This is the Scripts Edition: The update you've all been waiting for.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

The Pony is Right

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by GatorGoatJohnny & Brass Scribe

Play life-size versions of your favorite pricing games from "The Price is Right" by guessing the prices of several of the weirdest pieces of merch in the history of the franchise. Prizes are awarded, and audience participation is encouraged!

The Brony Dissertation

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Sylvver

In this panel, I'll break down and explore the themes discussed in a real published research paper all about the brony community. Come have a laugh!

Kids Charity Auction

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM - Activities Room

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.

Autograph Session

1:30 PM to 2:30 PM - Autograph Room

Featuring Jenna Warren, Ingrid Nilson, Andrew Francis, Michael Dangerfield, & Kyle Rideout

Come and get an autograph, photo, or recording from our Guests of Honor! Note that vouchers are available at the Con Store and must be purchased beforehand. Visit the Con Store for more details.

Charity Auction

2:00 PM to 5:00 PM - Mane Events

Supporting The Wisconsin Humane Society

The big climax of Ponyville Ciderfest! We've been collecting donations all week-end, and this is your chance to win some incredible items! All proceeds benefit the Wisconsin Humane Society.

Pony Mad Libs

2:00 PM to 3:00 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Cathode Ray, Tony the Brony, & Feral Pie

Come on down and have a laugh at Pony Mad Libs, the short story fill in the blank game. What sets this apart from normal Mad Libs is that all the short stories are about ponies in their crazy world.

Renegade Stage

2:00 PM to 4:30 PM - Apple Orchard

Interested in performing or listening to live music during the day? Check out the Renegade Stage in the Apple Orchard! Sign-ups are on a first-come, first-served basis with 30-minute intervals.

MLP Song Battle Bracket!

2:30 PM to 4:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by PaleoSteno & Banquo0

Everyone knows that My Little Pony has fantastic songs, but what is the BEST song? In this panel, we'll be pitting the best of the best against each other in a song battle bracket. The audience will be deciding the outcome of what's the best one!

A Crash Course In Hosting Brony Meetups!

2:30 PM to 3:30 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by Balto Racing, Rainbow Crash, & Crazykitty545

Have you wondered how to host an event within the fandom you love? You wanna gather the tools to have the best event possible? Join us as we share our knowledge of leading a local brony group & share the tips on creating & maintaining a brony group!

I Am A Vendor Lead And So Can You

3:45 PM to 4:45 PM - Fizzy Room

Hosted by Screw Loose & Cosmic Keyframe

Ever wonder: What is involved in managing a vendor hall? How do they choose vendors? What secrets do they hold to the perfect layout and table assignments?! Well, join Screw Loose and Cosmic Keyframe along with leads from your favorite MLP cons for a roundtable discussion on the intricacies of how a successful Vendor hall is put together.

Convention Stories

4:00 PM to 5:00 PM - Caramel Room

Hosted by DoTheDaringDew

One of the greatest parts of conventions is all of the wonderful stories we have been able to make and share over the years. Come join some convention veterans as they share a handful of the tales from over the last decade of pony cons!

Spirits of Harmony (13+)

4:30 PM to 5:00 PM - Barley Room

Hosted by GatorGoatJohnny

A judgment-free look into how MLP handles alcoholism and substance abuse, presented by a recovering alcoholic, with an open discussion and Q&A to follow.

Closing Ceremonies

5:00 PM to 6:00 PM - Mane Events

Featuring Charlie Worthley, Caitlyn Staublin, Michelle Worthley, & your PVCF25 Volunteers

...what just happened?? Was that the wildest convention weekend ever? Join us as we wrap things up, give out some awards, say goodbye to friends, and talk about what's coming next!





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