

Saturday, August 6, 2016 12–4 pm

Main Library 60 S. High St. Akron, OH 44326

Looking for a way to celebrate your geeky obsessions?

Here's your chance!

Whether you're a fan of Star Wars, Suicide Squad, D&D, manga, sci-fi or fantasy novels, you're sure to have a great time geeking out with your fellow fans at our Fourth-Annual Geekfest! All fandoms are welcome at this free all-ages event!

There will be DIY crafts, photo ops, gaming, free-play Minecraft, a fan art exhibition, and other fun activities happening all afternoon, along with special events each hour (see reverse for details). And if getting your geek on makes you

hungry, Stray Dog and Popsmith Food Carts will be open for business!

Please call the Youth Services Office at 330-643-9186 for more information.

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12:00 pm

All Geeks Roadshow

12-4 pm

In Meeting Room 3

Collectibles experts from The Toys Time Forgot will be giving on-site appraisals of vintage toys and comic books from the 1950s-1980s (excluding Barbie dolls and toy trains). Sign up for a time-slot starting at 12! For a detailed list of what the experts will appraise, please see our Facebook Event Page at https://www.facebook. com/events/1530726043900323/

Trekkie vs. Jedi Trivia Battle In the Auditorium

Think you know everything about Star Wars and/or Star Trek? Use your smartphone to answer trivia questions and win fun prizes.

Miraculous Ladybug In Meeting Room 2

Discussion of all things Ladybug and Chat Noir, from characters, episodes, and theories to the past and future of this animated superhero series.

12:30 pm

Dungeons and Dragons Open Play

In the first floor Gaming Alley Join our Dungeon Masters for an epic adventure.

1:00 pm

OMG's Epic Crossover Panel In the Auditorium

Overlord Media Group presents a live performance of a combination of some of your favorite scifi and fantasy fandoms. What would happen if The Doctor from Doctor Who ran into the Starks of Winterfell from Game of Thrones? Or Eren from Attack on Titan? Or even Black Widow from the Avengers? Find out in this epic crossover panel!

Anime Name that Tune

In Meeting Room 2

Be the first to recognize music from popular anime for prizes.

1:30 pm

Magic the Gathering Tournament

In the first floor Gaming Alley

Bring your cards and compete against other Magic fans to win fun prizes.

2:00 pm

Writing the Unreal – An Author Panel and Q&A

In the Auditorium

Hear authors Cinda Williams Chima (The New York Times Bestselling Seven Realms and Heir Chronicles series); Lisa Maxwell (Sweet Unrest, Unhooked); and Mindy McGinnis (Not a Drop to Drink, A Madness so Discreet) speak and answer questions about how they create the fantasy, sci-fi, and paranormal worlds in their novels. The authors will be signing books following the panel, and books will be

Ramen Eating Contest In Meeting Room 2

available for purchase at the event.

Ramen Eating Contest: First player to finish a bowl of noodles wins a prize. Limited number of participants, sign up beginning at 2.

3:00 pm

Teen and Adult Cosplay Contests In the Auditorium

Dress as your favorite book, movie, game, television, or other character and compete against others for fun prizes. To participate in the contests, you must register by 2:30 pm. Actual weapons, including air guns, are not permitted in the library. Our detailed weapons policy can be found on our Facebook Event Page https://www.facebook.com/events/1530726043900323/.

For Little Geeks (Preschool-5th Grade): In the Children's Library

12 pm

Open Art Session

Donald Peoples, the creator of Paws, our library mascot, will be helping anyone who would like to draw a picture of Paws.

12-2 pm Comic Book Club

The Comic Book Club extends an open invitation to all enthusiasts to join them in the Children's Library to create, discuss and share all aspects of comic books.

DIY Light Sabers

Recycled materials will be available to make your own Star Wars-inspired light saber.

3:00 pm

Costume Parade (In the Auditorium)

Dress up as your favorite book, movie, game, television, or other favorite character and join us for our character parade!

