

WHObraska.com

www.facebook.com/groups/549759898372496/

[Doctor Who Facebook club – does not appear to have physical meetings]

CONVENTIONS AND OTHER EVENTS

WillyCon

Wayne, NE – April 4-6, 2014

wildcat.wsc.edu/clubs/willycon/

Pretzcon

Omaha, NE – April 4-6, 2014

www.pretzcon.org

ConStellation Nebraska

Lincoln, NE – April 25-27, 2014

www.constellationne.net/

BritishFest

Omaha, NE – June 27-29, 2014

britishfest.weebly.com/index.html

Lincoln ZombieFest

Lincoln, NE – [2013 event was in July – 2014 event still being planned]

www.lincolnzombiewalk.com/

OSFest

Omaha, NE – August 1-3, 2014

www.osfes.org/

Nuke-Con

Omaha, NE – October 3-5, 2014

www.nuke-con.com

Anime NebrasKon

Omaha, NE – October 31-November 2, 2014

www.animenebraskon.com/

If you are a member of another local club, or represent another Nebraska convention – either of which was not included in this sampler of Nebraska fandoms – please contact us at starbaseandromeda@yahoo.com to share your information!

On behalf of all of the members of area fandoms, the members of *Star Base Andromeda* would like to offer a special thanks to the musicians, board members and volunteers of the *Lincoln Community Concert Band* for inviting us all to come and participate in your March 17th, 2014 concert “Out of This World!” We hope the presence of our costumed characters adds to the festivities. We look forward to collaborating with you again in the future if you choose to do music from other genre works! We hope that The Force is With You and that you Live Long and Prosper!

A Fandom Directory for Nebraska

2014



A Sampler Guide to Area SciFi/Fantasy Clubs, Conventions & Events

Are you a science fiction/fantasy fan, living in the Lincoln or Omaha, NE area? Are you interested in connecting with other genre fans, either by attending local club meetings or discussing fannish topics online, or going to a Nebraska science fiction and fantasy convention? The following are just a few of the area fan clubs/organizations you can join. The back page of this guide lists upcoming area conventions.

CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS

Star Base Andromeda

www.starbaseandromeda.com

www.facebook.com/groups/starbaseandromeda/ [38 members on FB]

Star Base Andromeda was founded, as *The City-Wide Star Trek Club: Star Base Andromeda*, in February 1974. We continue to meet weekly, celebrating our 40th anniversary last month, making SBA the oldest and longest-continually-meeting genre club in this region. Despite our origins as a *Star Trek* club, we quickly grew to embrace nearly every other genre fandom, including the worlds of SF/Fantasy literature. SBA meets every Tuesday night at *The Coffee House* in downtown Lincoln (1324 P St.), with near-monthly Book Discussions held at the UNL Student Union downtown. Visitors are always welcome – come join us in discussions of what you’ve been reading and watching lately - and connect with other area fans!

Other Lincoln, Omaha and eastern Nebraska Groups

Central Nebraska Board Game Club

www.facebook.com/groups/50687538907/ [110+ members on FB]

[Board games – often with an SF/Fantasy focus]

Doctor Who Fan Club of Nebraska – TARDIS Travelers

www.facebook.com/groups/26018007684/ [250+ members on FB]

[Viewings and discussions of Doctor Who / Socializing]

501st Legion – Central Garrison

www.centralgarrison.com/

www.facebook.com/CentralGarrison501stLegion [1,000+ likes on FB]

[Star Wars costuming – “Bad Guys”]

Grand Island Gaming Guild

www.facebook.com/GrandIslandGamingGuild [130+ likes on FB]

[Board games – often with an SF/Fantasy focus]

The Heartland Organization of Rocketry [T.H.O.R.]

www.nerocketry.org/

[Model Rocketry – mainly in Omaha area]

Klingon Assault Group

www.kag.org

www.facebook.com/KlingonAssaultGroup [1350+ likes on FB]

[Several active members in the Omaha area]

Lincoln Fantasy & Science Fiction Club

lfsfnebraska.blogspot.com [inactive]

www.facebook.com/groups/lincoln.fantasy.sf/ [active – 65 members on FB]

[General science fiction club – mainly UNL students; including gaming and writing]

Lincoln Zombie Walk

www.lincolnzombiewalk.com/

[Organizers of annual Lincoln Zombie Fest and downtown Lincoln Zombie Walk]

Metro Area Paranormal Society

mapsomaha.com

[Omaha area investigators of paranormal activity]

Midwest Robots

www.facebook.com/pages/Midwest-Robots/129178973787366 [100+ likes on FB]

[Robot-building group with strong SF focus – North Central US]

Nevermore Paranormal

www.nevermoreomaha.org/nevermoreomaha.org/Home.html

[Omaha area investigators of paranormal activity]

Omaha Judge Core

omahajudgecore.weebly.com

www.facebook.com/groups/140924455949726/

[Omaha gaming – particularly role-playing games – support group]

Omaha Science Fiction Education Society

www.osfes.org/

Omaha Zombie Walk

www.zombiewalkomaha.com/

www.facebook.com/omahazombiewalk [4,000+ likes on FB]

R2-Central Builders Club

www.R2-CM.com

www.facebook.com/pages/R2-Central-builders-Club/123393807696955 [600+ likes on FB]

[Omaha-based group for robot-building, particularly robots from the Star Wars films]

Rebel Legion – Central Base

www.rebellegion.com/base.php?b=13

[Star Wars Costuming – “Good Guys”]

Steampunk Society of Nebraska

www.facebook.com/groups/steampunksociety/ [1,000+ members on FB]

[Alternative Historical Costuming / Socializing]

Wayne State College Science Fiction & Fantasy Club

wildcat.wsc.edu/clubs/willycon/

[College scifi/fantasy club; organizers of the annual WillyCon convention in Wayne]