

BUBONICON 57
TENTATIVE E1 – AUGUST 11
FRIDAY, AUGUST 21, 2026

Time	Main Room – Salon F	Salon G-J	Cimarron/Las Cruces	Santa Fe	Carlsbad (has screen)	
3:00 pm	ARTIST CHECK-IN OPEN * REGISTRATION & DEALERS ROOM OPEN		SCREEN up All Weekend		3:00 PM: GAMING OPEN	
4:00 pm	Panel # 1 – MY A.I. SOULMATE NEVER LEAVES DIRTY DISHES IN THE SINK Joan Saberhagen, Kevin Sonney, Lauren C. Tefteau, Tiffany Trent MOD: Yvonne Coats				4:30 PM: ART SHOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC	
5:00 pm	Panel # 2 – WILL YOU LOVE ME TOMORROW: YOU GOT ROMANCE IN MY SCI-FI David Gerrold, Diana Rowland, Catherine Wells, Connie Willis MOD: Rae Oestreich	50 MINUTES WITH Jane Lindskold	50 MINUTES WITH David Lee Summers	5:00 PM CON SUITE OPEN	5:00-6:00 PM Art Workshop “DRAWING FROM YOUR IMAGINATION” Jerrett “Doom Kitten” Querubin	
5:30 pm						
6:00 pm	OPENING CEREMONIES 2026 Con Chair & Special Guests					
6:30 pm	SCIENCE TALK: “SPACE: HOW SPACE HISTORY, ECONOMICS, AND TECHNOLOGY IMPACT EARTH AND BEYOND” Matthew Fetrow ENDS BY 7:40 PM	6:30 PM Panel # 3 – WHERE HAVE ALL THE MONSTERS GONE, LONG TIME PASSING Gabriella Buba, Vivian Shaw, S.M. Stirling, David Lee Summers MOD: Kathy Kitts	6:30-7:15 PM 45 MINUTES WITH Lauren C. Tefteau	6:30 PM 50 MINUTES WITH Walter Jon Williams	6:30 PM Fan Presentation “SYNTHETIC INTELLIGENCE IN STAR TREK” Troy Stull and Josef Melech-Solomon	
6:45 pm			7:15 PM BROWNCOATS SET UP			
7:00 pm			7:30 PM Panel # 4 – PLAYING IN OTHER SANDBOXES: MEDIA TIE-INS & ORIGINAL CREATIONS Livia Blackburne, Aaron Campbell, Mark Fenton, Jim Sorenson MOD: T. Kingfisher	8:00 PM Fan Program “DR. HORRIBLE’S SING-A-LONG BLOG” Film, Raffles, Prizes! CSTS Charity Event Suggested Donation \$2-5 Presented by the Albuquerque Browncoats ENDS BY 10:20 PM	7:30-8:20 PM Fan Program “THE DOCTOR’S DILEMMA: THE DOCTOR & MORALITY” Erika Hanson & Lori Jansen	7:30-8:20 PM Fan Presentation “HISPANIC FOLKLORE: HORROR AND DARK FANTASY IN MY COMIC BOOK & FUTURE STORIES” Octavio Ramos Jr
7:15 pm						
7:30 pm				8:30-9:05 PM 35 MINUTES WITH Vivian Shaw	8:30 PM Solo Presentation “SOLVING THE PACHACAMAC MYSTERY” Benjamin Radford ENDS BY 9:45 PM	
7:45 pm	7:45-8:35 PM			9:15 PM 45 MINUTES WITH S.M. Stirling ENDS BY 10:00 PM		
8:00 pm	Panel # 5 – GETTING COZY: KNICK-KNACKS & NOVELS Travis Baldree, Darynda Jones, Carolyn Kay, Martha Wells MOD: Sarena Ulibarri					
8:15 pm						
8:30 pm		8:30 PM Panel # 6 – ARTIST CHAT Jeff Benham, Aaron Campbell, Dale Deforest, Betsy James, Jerrett “Doom Kitten” Querubin, Jon Sanchez, John Sumrow. MODs: Chaz Kemp & Carolyn Kay ENDS BY 9:50 PM				
8:45 pm	AUCTION SET UP (Room closed 30 minutes, please)					
9:00 pm						
9:15 pm	9:15 PM TO WHENEVER LATE NIGHT CHARITY AUCTION Benefiting ENMU Library Williamson Collection, Roadrunner Food Bank, World Central Kitchen, and NM PBS (at least first \$500) Auctioneers: Craig C, Gordon G, Patricia R, Geneva S. Plus Mandy S, Jessica C, Danielle & Arthur M-P, Hilary E, Grace J, and ???					
9:30 pm						
10:00 pm						
10:20 pm					11:00 PM-ISH CON SUITE CLOSES	
12:00 am?						

FRIDAY: Registration Hours 3:00-8:00 pm
Art Show Hours 4:30-9:00 pm
Dealer Room Hours 3:00-8:00 pm
FRIDAY COMMUNITY TABLE IN DEALERS ROOM ----- 4:15-6:00 pm ABC Public Library System
6:15-8:00 pm MañanaCon