Arisia needs your help!!!

We’re fundraising to cover a settlement of a hotel dispute. This is a fight for Arisia’s future and we need your help.

Remember the Boston Park Plaza? Last year, we were there because the Arisia community voted to respect the hospitality union and not cross picket lines to work on our convention.

The Marriott challenged our interpretation of the contract to allow this move and we lost the case in binding arbitration. The judgement was crippling.

After more negotiations, Arisia agreed to pay significantly less. We need to come up with a final payment of $40,000 by March 1st — still more than we have!

Three weeks ago, we started a fundraising drive and the response has been extraordinary. However, we still have more to go!

Visit the table near the Dealers Room to donate or donate at corp.arisia.org/donate

Thank you for being part of the future of Arisia!!!

IRT is here to help!
The Incident Response Team (IRT) is dedicated team to help with Code of Conduct violations and member behavior issues.

Here’s how to reach them:

Visit them in Quincy on Lobby Level (2 West)

Email Incidents@arisia.org

Call or Text 617-657-9756

In case of immediate danger
Pick up any hotel phone and dial 0.

For active intervention and other security issues, contact The Watch.

For more info, visit arisia.org/ProblemReporting

Emergency contacts are on the back of your badge!!!

Thank You!

Lots of kudos to the 20+ people who helped with load-in! Arisia wouldn’t be happening without you. <3

Calling All Volunteers!

Team Arisia needs your help!

8 hours of volunteering earns you an exclusive Arisia T-shirt.

12 hours of volunteering earns you membership for next year!

Help with load-out earns you 2x hours after 3pm Monday.

Come to Team Arisia HQ in Revere on Lobby Level (2 West) to volunteer.

Newsworthy news? Email us at newsdesk@arisia.org

Feedback

Your experience is important to us! Constructive feedback helps us improve the con.

Scan this or go here arisia.org/feedback

Registered Attendees
as of 7 pm Thursday

2313

Schedule & Maps

Find con maps and program info in the Guidebook app!

Get the app and guide at guidebook.com/g/arisia20

More cool stuff on back!
Open Parties

Check out these themed parties happening this evening! This is not an exhaustive list! Check standing sign boards throughout the con for details and other parties.

407 — House of Toast
447 — Cookie Decorating Party

Publications

For Arisia Progress Reports, printable schedule, hardcopy publications, and a digital version of this newsletter, visit: arisia.org/publications

Ground Rules

No sleeping in the lobby!

First Aid
If it’s more severe than anything you’d handle at CVS, tell The Watch so we can get you an ambulance!!

Drinking in the Hotel
No BYOB in public spaces! Only alcohol purchased at the hotel can be consumed in public.

No Vaping or Smoking
This includes newly legal items. You will be charged for damages.

Elevator Use
Please only press the button for the direction you want to travel! Pressing both buttons will force an elevator to make an unnecessary stop and slows down everyone! Thank you for your patience.

Changes

Open Play
Fri 4-6 PM | Hancock & Webster
Fast Track Open Play time has been changed (not 5:30-7:30)

10 Things I Wish I’d Known Before My First LARP
Fri 5:30 PM | Lewis
Rebecca Slitt will not be on this panel. David Olsen will moderate

The GM-less Game
Fri 7:00 PM | Lewis
Rebecca Slitt will not be on this panel. Shaheen Rogers/Multiverse has been added as a panelist.

CircleSinging
Fri 8:30 PM | Bullfinch
Kat Weiler will not be at this session.