

ARISIA 2026

Friday Evening

		3:00 PM		5:30 PM		6:45 PM		8:00 PM		9:15 PM		10:30 PM		11:45 PM
Lobby Level	Central Square			Making Makers Make		Songs of the Supernatural		Introduction to Anime		Friday Evening Readings		Friday Singing into the Night		
	Harvard Square			Comics are a Medium, Not a Genre		Self-Care at Conventions		Menswear Costuming Challenges		The Culture of Cheese		Arisia: Up! All Night! (Late Night Bad Movies)		
	Kendall Square			Apocalypses, Zombie and Otherwise				Fights of Fantasy: A Glitterhearts Roleplay						
	Porter Square A									Climate Change for Climate Change Literature?				
	Porter Square B		Shabbat Services (4 PM)		Thanks, It Has Pockets!		Everybody But Batman: The Loner and his Family		Avoiding Essentialism in SFF		Humorous Horror, Suspense, and Intrigue			
		3:00 PM		5:30 PM		6:45 PM		8:00 PM		9:15 PM		10:30 PM		11:45 PM
Ballrooms	Amesbury AB (Lobby) Events	Chaos Theory Story Hour		Open Fencing (5PM)			PMRP Presents Star Trek: Mirror, Mirror (7PM)					Bridgerton Ball (9PM)		
	Mt Auburn (14th) Gaming						Intro to Battletech Miniature War Game (7 PM)							
												The One Ring (TTRPG) (7 PM)		
							Dungeons & Dragons (White Box): Tower of Zenopus (TTRPG) (7 PM)							
					Dungeons & Dragons, 5th Ed. (5PM)							Vampire: The Masquerade (LARP)		
	Charles View (16th) Art Show													

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Saturday Morning / Afternoon

		8:30 AM	10:00 AM	11:15 AM	12:30 PM	1:45 PM	3:00 PM
Lobby Level	Central Square		Arisia's Gap Year	Saturday Feedback Session	"How Are You Really?": Coping When the World is On Fire	Build a Believable Natural Disaster	The Art and Science of Adapting Fashions from Sources
	Harvard Square	Chiildren's Programming: Nutty Scientists	Casual Cosplay, Bounding, and Other Subtle Nerd Fashions	AI Assisted and Created Art: Threat or Menace?	Campaign Creation Crash Course	Found Footage Fears	Ask the Toastmaster: House of Toast
	Kendall Square		Manga 101: Introduction to Japanese Comics	You Can't Keep a Good Zombie Down	Whips, Chains, and Capes: Superhero Kink	Herbal Medicine for Writers	Box Office Bombs That Are Better Than You Think
	Porter Square A		Disinformation Self-Defense	250 Years of Revolutionary History	The Tiffany Problem	Hold Your Enthusiasm: Problematic Things	Intersectionality in Social Justice
	Porter Square B		Polyamory Meetup	My First Masquerade	Ask a Maker	Designing Embroidery for Cosplay	Non-D&D TTRPGs

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Ballrooms	Amesbury AB (Lobby) Events		Children's Programming: Story Time (9:00 AM)	Medieval, Renaissance, & Victoria Fencing Demos		Fighting With Swords: Duels!	Mt. Arisia Stair Climb (2 PM) <i>NOTE: Meeting in Lobby</i>
	Mt Auburn (14th) Gaming		Pathfinder: The Sword Lords (TTRPG) (9 AM)		Dungeons & Dragons, 5th Ed. (12 PM)		
	Charles View (16th) Art Show			Battletech Miniature War Game	Pathfinder: Tanuki Trouble (TTRPG) (12 PM)		Pathfinder (TTRPG)
			Ask the Artists			Tour of the Art Show with Lori!	Director's Tour of the Art Show

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		4:15 PM	5:30 PM	6:45 PM	8:00 PM	9:15 PM	10:30 PM
Lobby Level	Central Square	A Dr. Demento Sing-Along	Indie Gaming Review from '20 - '25	Artist, Craftsperson, Maker, Crafter, Hacker - What's In a Name?	Broad Universe Rapid Fire Reading	Dangerous Things I Did as a Kid	Saturday Singing Into the Night
	Harvard Square	Lovable Rogues	Fact-Checking for Fantasy: Research Tips		WEATHER IS HAPPENING -- THE TIMELINE	From Roy Rogers to Jesse Custer and Beyond: Western	Children of the Night: Horror Hosts
	Kendall Square	1% Nightmares	Saturday Readings	Scary Stories Without the Ick Factor	Too Much Sympathy for the Devil	Not Your Average Juke Joint: The Triumph of Sinners	
	Porter Square A	The Moral of the Story Is...	Don't Know Much About Geography - But You Should!	Pirates on the High Seas and in Space	A Complete History of Time Travel	Previously on X-Men '97	
	Porter Square B	Actual Play TTRPGs - Where Play and Performance Matters	Creative Practice for Neurodivergent Artists	Neurodiverse Meetup	Spooky (Costume) Stories to Tell in the Dark	Writing Hope	
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Ballrooms	Amesbury AB (Lobby) Events		Renaissance Ball (5:00 PM)		NERF Blaster War (7:30 PM)	DJ Dirge - Saturday Night Dance (9:00 PM)	
	Mt Auburn (14th) Gaming	Pathfinder: Winter Queen's Dollhouse (TTRPG) (3 PM)		Pathfinder: The Decilane Academy's Show (TTRPG) (6 PM)	Dungeons & Dragons (White Box): Tower of Zenopus (7 PM)	The One Ring (TTRPG) (7 PM)	
	Charles View (16th) Art Show	Tactile Tour of the Art Show					Werewolf (LARP) (7 PM)

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		9:00 AM	10:00 AM	11:15 AM	12:30 PM	1:45 PM	3:00 PM
Lobby Level	Central Square		Making a Living in a Creative Field	How Conveniently Inconvenient!	Arting on the Cheap	Adaptive Designs: Cosplay and Disability	A Tom Lehrer Sing-Along
	Harvard Square	Children's Programming: Drag Story Hour	Invertibrates in Speculative Fiction	Sinister Sequels	Gender Expression and Dressing Up	Cities of the Future	The Year in Science 2025
	Kendall Square		All We Hear is Radio Drama	Keeping the Arisia Fire Burning	Arisia January Corporate Meeting	So Your Favorite Comics Pro is a Monster...	Up, Up and Oy Vey!: Jews, Comics and Comic Characters
	Porter Square A		Your Fat Friends	Fantastical Cuisine: The Use of Food in Fantasy Anime	No Dice -- TTRPG Systems Without Dice	The Name of the Game: 30 Games in 60 Minutes	Daring and Dangerous Librarians
	Porter Square B		Unpacking Super-Heroes and the American Dream	Cartography in SFF	Advanced Topics in Polyamory	Non-Binary Mixer and Safe Space	Care and Feeding of Costumes
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Ballrooms	Amesbury AB (Lobby) Events	Fighting With Swords: Mixed Weapons Shenanigans!			Mt. Arisia Stair Climb (1:00 PM)**	Family Game Hour (2:00 PM)	NERF Blaster War
	Mt Auburn (14th) Gaming	Pathfinder: Dragon's Plea (TTRPG)	A Yankee Board Game Swap	Masquerade Rehearsal (11 AM)			Pathfinder: Friends in Need (TTRPG)
	Charles View (16th) Art Show	Pathfinder: Student Exchange (TTRPG)					About the Artist: Lori Del Genis

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**** NOTE: Mt Arisia Stair Climb is meeting in lobby****

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Lobby Level	Central Square	Cursed Literature	Designing Things that Don't Exist	Fight for Your Kids' Rights: Special Education	Pride and Joy: Resistance and Creating Celebratory Spaces	I'm Just Wild About Kirby!	Sunday Singing Into the Night
	Harvard Square	Guilty Pleasure TV	Effective Advocacy for Geeks	What's Destiny Got to Do With It?	Making Space for Making	The Great Arisia Campaign Off	1989: The Year No One Left the Theater
	Kendall Square	Audio Horror: It's All in your Head	The Year in Horror Films	Songs, Poems, and Stories in Modern SFF	The Muppet Show: 50 Years of Getting Things Started		
	Porter Square A	Beasts in Books: Mythological, Cryptid, and More	Arisia Munch (18+)	Surveillance, Forensics, and DNA	The Twisted History of Body Horror	Faiths of Fantasy and the Future	Sunday Evening Readings
	Porter Square B	Creating Craft Spaces	SFF on the Stage	Doctor Who: A 2025 Post-Mortem	Prophecies and Dreams: Do's and Don'ts	Does Time Travel Have a Future?	

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Ballrooms	Amesbury AB (Lobby) Events	Nerf Blaster War (3:00PM)				Masquerade		Post-Masq Karaoke (11:00 PM)	
		Masq Rehearsal							
	Mt Auburn (14th) Gaming	Pathfinder: Friends in Need (TTRPG) (3 PM)				Vampire: The Masquerade, 5th Ed. (TTRPG) (9 PM)			
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Lobby Level	Central Square	Sing-Along: Disney Songs		Legacy Sequels		
	Harvard Square			Monday Feedback Session		
	Kendall Square	Almost Speculative Fiction		Creating Believable Extraterrestrials		
	Porter Square A	On Trial in Space		Scientists Doing Science on the Page		
	Porter Square B	Hello, Dave		Notions of Noninterference in Science Fiction		

		10:00 AM	11:15 AM	12:30 PM	1:45 PM	3:00 PM
Ballrooms	Amesbury AB (Lobby) Events		NERF Blaster War (10:30 AM)		The Arisia Trading Post	
	Mt Auburn (14th) Gaming				Muffin Walk	
	Charles View (16th) Art Show					

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