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Nightly 'Zine

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The official daily news sheet for

Another note from Ida

We hope you are having a great time on this first day of Seattle Worldcon. Each day, in addition to the Daily 'Zine, we will also offer you this Nightly 'Zine - for addition general information and to highlight our evening programming.

Worldcon doesn't roll up the sidewalks at 6 or 7 p.m. There are our "After Dark" offerings on the third floor of the Sheraton Grand. There will be dances, a game library, member lounge and some special evening programming in Ravenna rooms A, B and C.

Personally, I'm not one to avoid a great dance. The dances are later in the evening Wednesday through Saturday, in the Metropolitan Ballroom at the Sheraton Grand Hotel. And [speaking of the dances](#) ...

Dance, dance, dance

Wednesday night, under the lights. Get your groove on at DJ Wüdi's dance party. Come on out to the Sheraton Grand, Metropolitan Ballroom, from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m.



From dance clubs in Alaska in the '90s to being a recent regular DJ at Norwescon, DJ Wüdi spins an eclectic mix of dance tracks from across the decades. Pop, electronica/dance, wave, disco, goth/EBM/industrial, convention classics and mashups - nearly anything goes!

What will get you out on the dance floor? Let DJ Wüdi know at <https://app.limedj.com/shows/djwudi/9NWMHW>



A Song of Ice and Fire – Arya-cropped
by Donato Giancola

The (after) life of the party

Some Worldcon members are hosting room parties at the Sheraton Grand which are open to all Worldcon members. Please check the party board on the 2nd floor concourse in the Summit for today's events the board will move to the 3rd floor of the Sheraton after 6 p.m.

There is also an online list at <https://seattlein2025.org/program-and-events/events/worldcon-after-dark/>.

Some of tonight's party highlights include: LAcon V Worldcon 2026, Montreal 2027 Worldcon bid, Brisbane in 28 bid, and Dublin in 2029 bid.

Last night, with the only pre-convention party on Tuesday night, Montreal started the party before Worldcon even started!

If you want to publish your party, add it to the board, fill out the form at <https://seattlein2025.org/location/hotels-accommodations/room-parties/> or email parties@seattlein2025.org.

Film Festival note:

For all festival blocks with a feature film, the short films will be shown prior to the feature presentation.

Find out more about the Seattle Worldcon 2025 Film Festival at <https://seattlein2025.org/program-and-events/events/film-festival/>

Jedi at Worldcon



Fen are generous folk

Because community and the needs of others are important, Seattle Worldcon and its membership (i.e., you) are showing their giving sides.

Come by the Information Table (Summit, second floor) where the race is on to see which local charity will make it to the stars first!

Our charity contenders are:

- **Books to Prisoners:** Founded in the early 1970s, this charity collects and mails thousands of donated books to prisoners around the country. www.bookstoprisoners.net.
- **Hugo House:** This nonprofit supports local writers at all stages of their development with classes, writing seminars, author talks, and a variety of online resources, created by authors to support authors. www.hugohouse.org
- **Bureau of Fearless Ideas:** Focused on inspiring youth to find their creative voice, this organization partners with schools and families to foster creativity through volunteer led workshops and afternoon programs. www.fearlessideas.org

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Free "Who's your microbe?" readings

Want a deeper understanding of the microbes that clean up our environment and how they connect to you? Find Dr. JeM, the Microbe Whisperer, in the Cantina (second floor) for a free two-minute reading. Find out more: <https://microbewhisperer.com/>.



The Daily 'Zine and Nightly 'Zine are the news sheets for Seattle Worldcon 2025. The 'Zines are published as a morning edition released at 9 a.m. **and** an evening edition released at 2 p.m. Info blurbs and photos from you, the convention members, are welcome and encouraged. The deadline is 10 p.m. for the next day's edition and 11:59 p.m. for the next evening's edition. Email your photos and submissions to zine@seattlein2025.org.

Your intrepid galactic explorer is Caitlin Cormier. Your entertainment-feed super star is Shelley George and pathfinder-drone programmer is Greg Burton. Special thanks to hyperspace navigator Michael Hanscom, aperture-control-system tech Kelcey Bauer and cloud-computing meteorologist Grant Dobbe. All gratitude to debris deflector Kevin Black and freehold leader Kathy Bond.

Like launching a deep-space research vessel, it takes a lot to get a Worldcon off the ground. All the fen, doing all the things: <https://seattlein2025.org/about/committee-and-staff>.