

CPA JEDI SITH ALLIANCE FEBRUARY 2025 COUNCIL MEETING

February 8, 2025

ATTENDEES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS

- Dan
- Curtis
- Eric
- Trish
- Andrew

MEMBERS

- Nick
- Cindy

Meeting started at 5:33

Last week's meeting minutes reviewed, Curtis motioned to approve, Eric seconded.

OFFICER REPORTS

HEAD OF COUNCIL

- Short month last month
- Reminder that trading cards are live on the forums

EVENT COORDINATOR

See separate attachment for full events list

Proposal to have 1 practice a month to show prep.

March

Happy Valley Comic and Collectibles Convention (Performance event)

Sat & Sun March 1st and 2nd

State College, PA (1 hr and 32 minutes)

Saturday 10am to 6pm

Sunday 10am to 5pm

5 people signed up

Harrisburg St. Patrick's Day Parade (Performance event)
Saturday March 15th
Lineup 1230pm to 130pm
Parade 2pm to 4pm
4 people signed up

April

Four State Comic Con Hagerstown, MD
(Performance weather pending)
Sat & Sun April 26th and 27th
Hagerstown, MD (1hr and 15 minute drive)
Saturday 10am to 6pm
Sunday 10am to 4pm
7 people signed up

May

Fan Expo Philadelphia (Performance event)
Weekend May 16th to 18th
Philadelphia, PA (1hr and 32 minute drive)
Fri 4pm to 9pm
Sat 10am to 7pm
Sun 10am to 5pm
2 people signed up

Future possibilities

Hershey Comic Con
Kipona

Reaching out to local events we missed previously during May 4th 2024.

- Andrew will look into Star Wars Day events in the Harrisburg/Lancaster area
- Dan requested feedback on interest in hospital visits, several expressed interest

COSTUME DIRECTOR

- Approved some costumes last week & reapproved some
- Guidelines will be added to the forums for easy reference by all

TREASURER

- Current balance is \$1144.07 across our bank accounts and petty cash.
- January 2025 Financial Summary:
 - Total expenses during the month were \$223.86
 - Total income during the month was \$395

FIGHT DIRECTOR

- Costume & Fight reapproval-
 - Went well last week
 - 7 fights approved
- Li reached out about interest in having him return
 - Targeting last weekend in March

- Tentatively ask for a lesson focusing on footwork

NON-COUNCIL REPORTS

WEB MASTER

- Scroll banner on website now shows no practice tonight; this is a good location for updates if we ever want to add anything else there
- Nick & Jason have been working on modernization

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QUARTERMASTER

- Current list of equipment gathered by Quartermaster:

A	B	C	D
Equipment Name:	Item Quantity:	Name of Holder:	Notes:
Airzooka	1	Nick Marquette	Club Owned
Back Drop	1	Cindy/Jess Hanwell	Club Owned
Banner	1	Cindy/Jess Hanwell	Club Owned
Banner Stand	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Bluetooth Speaker/Mic	1	Tracey Hanwell	Club May Borrow if Needed
Boffer Bag 1	15	Curtis Lenker	Club Owned
Boffer Bag 2	30	Cindy/Jess Hanwell	Club Owned
Business Cards	500 +/- 30	Cindy Hanwell / Curtis Lenker	N/A
Con Kit (Black/Yellow)	1	Nick Marquette	Club Owned
Con Kit (R2-D2)	1	David Doughty	Club Owned
Cooler	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Display Stand	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Flag	1	Dan Hanwell	Club May Borrow if Needed
Fog Machine	1	David Doughty	David Doughty
Green Screen	1	Cindy/Jess Hanwell	Club Owned
Handtruck	1	Nick Marquette	Club May Borrow if Needed
Kyber Crystal	1	Nick Marquette	Club May Borrow if Needed
Mannequin	3	Andrew Rinier	Club Owned (2 Female, 1 Male)
Saber Stand	1	Dan Snyder	Club Owned
Soundboard/Speaker	1	Tracey Hanwell	Club May Borrow if Needed
Sound Board Speaker	2	Tracey Hanwell	Club May Borrow if Needed
Sound Board Speaker Stand	2	Tracey Hanwell	Club May Borrow if Needed
Sure Handheld Mic	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Wireless Handheld Mic	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Wireless Handheld Mic	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Wireless Lapel Mic	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Wireless Lapel Mic	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned
Wireless Receiver	1	Cindy Hanwell	Club Owned

SOCIAL MEDIA DIRECTOR

YouTube

- We have 9 new subscribers putting us from 313 to 322.
- The top 3 posts are the same as usual.

Facebook

- We have 2 new followers putting us from 259 to 261.
- The top reel remains the same.

Instagram

- We have 10 new followers putting us from 218 to 228.
- Top posts remain the same.

OLD BUSINESS

- 3D printed lightsaber hilts:
 - The vendor was able to print ones in the right size, just needs to know how many we'll want
 - Nick will get quotes for 10, 15, and 20

NEW BUSINESS

- Church will have another event the 4th Saturday of each month from 6-8pm starting Feb 2025. We can come before or after if we want. Ok to meet during the 5pm service. We could tentatively do 3-6. Agreed we will do 3-6 for winter months, will assess as needed for
- Con kit container:
 - 2 options reviewed:
 - https://www.homedepot.com/p/RIDGID-Pro-Gear-System-Gen-2-0-Stackable-25-in-All-Terrain-Rolling-Tool-Box-with-9-in-Wheels-254065/320483537?MERCH=REC_-plpbrowse_multi_-320483663_-2_-n/a_-n/a_-n/a_-n/a
 - <https://www.harborfreight.com/tool-storage-organization/tool-boxes-bags-belts/modular-tool-storage/modular-rolling-toolbox-58512.html>
 - Curtis motioned to purchase the Harbor Freight/Baurer one. All voted in favor.
 - Dan will stop by Habor Freight to purchase.
 - Curtis to bring current con kit to next practice to realign into the new kit.
- Photo Backdrop- proposed by Dan
 - To have set up at con's to help create the environment
 - No decision made, will revisit in future
- Need a better table display
 - Saber Stand on the table
 - Lightsaber stand for just holding them behind the table so they aren't cluttered
 - No decision made, will revisit in future

Meeting ended 6:33 pm

Follow up/additional conversation needed in future meetings:

From February

- Con materials/kit
 - Backdrop
 - Table display incl light saber stand- how to make it obvious that we're a choreography group not selling the light sabers we are displaying

Meeting items & sidebars from this and prior meetings to be revisited in the future:

From December

- Social Media
 - How to drive more activity & interest