

# Lake Effect Comic Book Convention

June 4, 2017

Holiday Inn Cleveland Northeast - Mentor  
7701 Reynolds Rd, Mentor, OH 44060  
Sunday June 4th 10:00 am to 5:00 pm  
ARTIST ALLEY FORM

- Creator agrees to abide by all show rules, policies and procedures adjacent to and incorporated in this application/contract. Signature of this contract indicates that the person signing has full authority to sign for the below referenced company and accepts personal liability for his/her company.
- Creator agrees that the Show Management will not be liable for damage or loss to selves, family, staff, and Creator's property through theft, fire, accident, or other cause. Creators expressly release the Show Management from all liabilities for any loss and/or injury. Creator's are encouraged to individually insure their property.
- Creator setup times will be assigned by Show Management. Creator must comply with these arrangements. Creator setup begins at 7:00 am the day of the show. Creators will be promptly notified if setup times change.

For questions, please contact us at [comics.and.friends.store@gmail.com](mailto:comics.and.friends.store@gmail.com)  
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**\*MANAGEMENT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE TO ACCEPT ANY REQUEST FOR EXHIBITION SPACE FOR ANY LAWFUL REASON.**

Creator booths include a 6 foot table and two chairs.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

# of 6-foot tables \_\_\_\_\_ x \$25.00 = Amt. Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Merchandise \_\_\_\_\_

Creator's Signature/Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please send us promotional materials/flyers for the show!  
PLEASE ENCLOSE SASE FOR CONFIRMATION - THANK YOU

## 2017 Lake Effect Comic Book Convention Rules and Regulations

So that we can provide creators with a well-balanced, adequately regulated, attractive and successful 2017 Lake Effect Comic Book Convention (herein called the "Show"), exceptions to the following rules and regulations will not be permitted. Show Management reserves the right to enforce strict compliance with all rules and regulations. Show Management further reserves the right to expel any dealer or dealer helper who does not adhere to these rules.

### 1. Table Fees

All tables must be reserved in advance. Table fees are NON-REFUNDABLE unless Show is cancelled by Show Management. All "Non-sufficient Funds" checks will be subject to a \$40.00 service fee. Receipt of payment is acknowledgment that you agree to all creator Rules.

### 2. Space Assignment

Every effort will be made to comply with requests. Show Management reserves the right to determine table location. Table sharing is not permitted. Creator may not assign their booth or any portion thereof to any other person for any reason.

### 3. Display Regulations

No exhibit may block or interfere with a neighboring exhibit. All materials and activities at a table shall be relevant to the creator's products and/or services. ABSOLUTELY NO SMOKING, NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, AND NO ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE EXHIBITOR HALL. No pornographic materials can be displayed and bootleg video products are expressly forbidden. Nothing may be tacked, nailed, screwed, or otherwise attached to the columns, walls, floors, or furniture of the event area. Violators will be responsible for removal and charged for cleaning. Any expense incurred due to violation of this rule will be borne by the creator.

### 4. Creator Attendee

Each creator is limited to 2 (two) helpers per table and will receive free admission.

### 5. Creator Setup

Creator setup begins at 7:00 am the day of the show. All Creators are expected to remain setup for the duration of the Show. Show closes at 5:00 p.m.

### 6. Furnishings

Each individual exhibit area will be provided with 1 (one) six foot table and 2 (two) chairs.

### 7. Staffing

Table spaces must be staffed at all times.

### 8. Cancellation Clause

Table fees are non-refundable unless the Show is cancelled by Show Management.

### 9. Creator Liabilities

Creators shall keep contracted area neat, clean and in good order. If the occupied space or any area of the space is damaged by the creator and/or his employees, the contracted creator is liable. Creator hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Show and all their managers, officers, sponsors, employees, agents, guests and assigns from any damages, expenses, losses or liabilities, including but not limited to any suit or claim for personal injury, product liability, for property damage or for loss or use of property by whosoever sustained on or about creator's participation in Show.

### 10. Unauthorized Items/Merchandise

Only items that are old, collectible and/or suitable to the character of this show will be acceptable. As this is a family oriented Show, no pornographic materials can be displayed and bootleg video products are expressly forbidden. Violation may result in immediate expulsion from the Show at the sole discretion of the Show Management. Show Management reserves the right to request that an creator remove unauthorized products from the display area. If the creator refuses this request, this contract will be terminated immediately and the creator will be required to remove self and all of their products, equipment, and furniture without any liability or refund obligation whatsoever on the part of Show Management.

### 11. Creator responsibilities

The creator agrees to comply with all applicable local, federal, and state tax and other laws relating to the sale of goods or services, and to obtain, pay for, and display all necessary licenses and permits, and to pay all taxes and levies insofar as the Creator's own participation in the Show is concerned.

### 12. Force Majeure

In the event any part of the exhibit area or any portion thereof is unavailable whether for the entire event or any portion of the event as a result of any cause or agency over which the Show has no control, the Show shall not be liable to reimburse or indemnify the creator in respect of damage or loss as a result thereof.