

Tardum Flumen #0 — Thursday Morning*

Tardum Flumen Welcomes You to Westercon 66!

Welcome to Westercon! If this is your first time, Westercon is the west-coast regional science fiction convention. It pulls in fans from all over the west and even from farther parts. As you might tell from the number 66, Westercon has a long history. There are many traditional elements that go back to the early days of the west and are celebrated wherever Westercon is held, every year, such as olive cultivation, leather crafts, goat roping, and robotic mixology. Well, to be honest, the robotics is new, but the fans who started Westercon would have enjoyed the science-fictional aspect. We hope you will too.

Tardum Flumen is a fully-modern Web 2.0 newszine. All content is user-generated! Nobody is paid! Check in regularly to find out what your friends are doing, and what fans like you are buying in the dealers room! Tell us about your experiences at Westercon 66. Did you find a great restaurant? Get a good snapshot of someone (with their permission)? Need to send a secret message? Attend an interesting panel? "Like" it in the zine! Or tell us what you don't like and start a flame war! (Paper zines add a whole new dimension.) Our email address is pubs@westercon66.org. There will also be a drop-box in the fanzine lounge, computers you can type on, and paper you can scribble and draw on.

What's in a name? The title is a shout-out to the interests of our wonderful guests and the rich history of our location in Sacramento. "Tardum" is the Latin root word for TARDIS which, never mind the made-up acronym, is the original very slow time machine. "Flumen" evokes the flumes that were built to carry

Program Updates and Errata

Unable to attend: Ronni Eloff, Davidson Haworth. Also attending: Brad Lyau, Grania Davis.

Hugh Daniel Memorial: Sunday, 1:30pm in Sonoma. Theater Arcanos LARP start time is 1:45pm (not 12:30), and will be Still Flyin'. Add Lynn Gold to "Care & Feeding of Performers". Story Time with M. Todd Gallowglas moved to Friday at 4:15pm in the Atrium. Maya Bohnhof Reading moved to Sunday at 11:15am.

The Autographs schedule will be posted on-line and at the Autographs table. The Filk/Concert schedule will be available soon.

Christine Doyle

Consuite Schedule Correction

Despite what it says in the program book, the Consuite will not open until 1pm.

Chris O'Halloran

Cupcake Party in the Consuite

Presidential Suite – Room 1214

4 varieties of mini cupcakes - all vegan, some glutenfree! From 2pm Thursday until the cupcakes are gone. *Chris O'Halloran*

mountain streams down to the mines so they could wash away the hillsides and separate out the gold. And gold is the color of a certain brick road that we all know so well. I hope you like our awesome logo, drawn by Artist Guest of Honor Eric Shanower. Please enjoy the con and all of our wonderful Guests of Honor.

Tom Becker

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Westercon 66 TV Schedule

We will be on hotel channel 66! *Ken Patterson*

Thursday, July 4 2:45 PM WC66TV News

News and interviews from Westercon 66 2013

3:00 PM Frau im Mond

Klaus Pohl, Willy Fritsch, Gustav von Wangenheim

Director: Fritz Lang

A tenacious scientist blasts off for the moon in hopes of riches that may be found there.

1929



Buster Crabbe, Constance Moore, Jackie Moran Directors: Ford Beebe, Saul A. Goodkind 1939

7:45 PM WC66TV News

News and interviews from Westercon 66 2013

8:00 PM Rocket to the Moon

Burl Ives, Troy Donahue, Gert Frobe

Director: Don Sharp

Phineas T. Barnum and friends finance the first flight to the moon but find the task a little above them. They attempt to blast their rocket into orbit from a massive gun barrel built into the side of a Welsh mountain, but money troubles, spies and saboteurs ensure that the plan is doomed before it starts...

1967

9:45 PM Buck Rogers Chapter 2: Tragedy on Saturn

Buster Crabbe, Constance Moore, Jackie Moran Director: Ford Beebe, Saul A. Goodkind 1939

10:05 PM Superargo

Giovanni Cianfriglia, Guy Madison, Luisa Baratto Director: Paolo Bianchini

A masked wrestler/superhero goes up against a madman and his army of robots.

1968

11:35 PM Buck Rogers Chapter 3: The Enemy's Stronghold

Buster Crabbe, Constance Moore, Jackie Moran Directors: Ford Beebe, Saul A. Goodkind 1939





Free Parking

The Hilton Arden West is graciously offering free parking to Westercon members who are not staying in the hotel. (If you are staying in the hotel, you should already have free parking with your room.) Just show your Westercon badge to the front desk clerk and ask for a "6 Day Ticket". It gives you unlimited in & out privileges; perfect for secret agents on the go. *Diane Osborne*

Maid Tipping

No, not that. Maid tipping is where you leave a gratuity for the housekeeper. There will be a lot of us in the hotel this weekend and the maids will be working hard. Let's give them some appreciation. Dave Gallaher

Messages

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*For fannish values of morning.

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