

Anthrocon 2001 Programming Book

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HERE, HERE, AND THERE!



ONCE AGAIN,
WE THANK YOU FOR
CHOOSING ANTHROCON AIR!
HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!
SQUEAK!

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How Do You Give Character to Your Creations?
– Fred Patten – Sat. 1-2PM

***How to Legally Protect Your Creations – See
Art Related Events

Poetry Circle – WJ “Havoc” Rogers
CB – Fri. 1-2:30PM

Are you a poet and want everyone to know it? Or maybe you aspire to be a poet and want some feedback on your work? The Poetry Circle debuts at Anthrocon this year!

Short Story Writing – Dawn
G3 – Sat. 1-2PM

How do you convey a lot with just a little? How do you tell a tale without waging War & Peace? Find out how when Dawn shed a little light on the subject!

Short Tails – Jon C. Crusoe
G1 – Sat. 10:30AM- 12PM

Bring your short stories to share with the group and get some feedback! Another Anthrocon writers’ event debut!

Writing and Illustrating for RPGs – See Art Related Events

Science, Sociology, and Spirituality Related Events

Anthro-Symbolism in Religion – Joelle Mellon
G3 – Fri. 1-2:30PM

Miss Mellon will lead this lecture and discussion session on the use of anthropomorphic animals by various cultures as religious symbols, whether as deities or otherwise, throughout history. A must for any history buff or any writer, artist, fursuiter, or puppeteer looking to add something new and different to their work!

Anthro-Tarot and Other Divination – Joelle Mellon
G3 – Fri. 6-8PM

Once again, Miss Mellon will be addressing the issue of anthro-animals as symbolism, but this time as it pertains to the tarot deck. Come and learn about this and other forms of divination and perhaps even have your cards read!

Furry Diversity Workshop – Trickster
G3 – Sat. 9-10:30PM

Gather together for a light talk about our differences and similarities with each other and how to

better understand and get along with one another.

Furry Philosophy – CK Penchant
G3 – Sun. 1-2:30PM

What is the reality of furrydom? Is a way of appreciating our interrelatedness with the animal world, or is it a staggeringly self-indulgent form of escapism? What does it mean to be a furry? How differently do we perceive the world (and function in it) as a result of a life in furrydom?

Grey Muzzle – InnerWolf
G3 – Sat. 10:30AM-12PM

“Dirt? DIRT????! YOU had DIRT????! Why, back in my day...!” Join InnerWolf and other “elder furs” for this friendly gathering of somewhat older, but young at heart, members of the fandom for a good old “Remember When?” session and to complain about “All these young whippersnappers running around who think they can draw and write and whatever!” Ok, maybe not... but come anyway!

HERD Gathering – Whitehorse
G3 – Sat. 2:30-4PM

Once again the corral gate swings wide to welcome all the equine brothers and sisters into what has become the Annual HERD Gathering at Anthrocon! If you like horses, this is the place to be!

Macro-Furs & Science – Kagemushi & Bennie
G4 – Sat. 10:30AM-12PM

Just how realistic IS the idea of giant furs? “Uncle Kage” and Bennie will be happy to expound upon the subject and lead a juicy discussion! Don’t miss this! (Attention Micro-Furs: Enter at your own risk!)

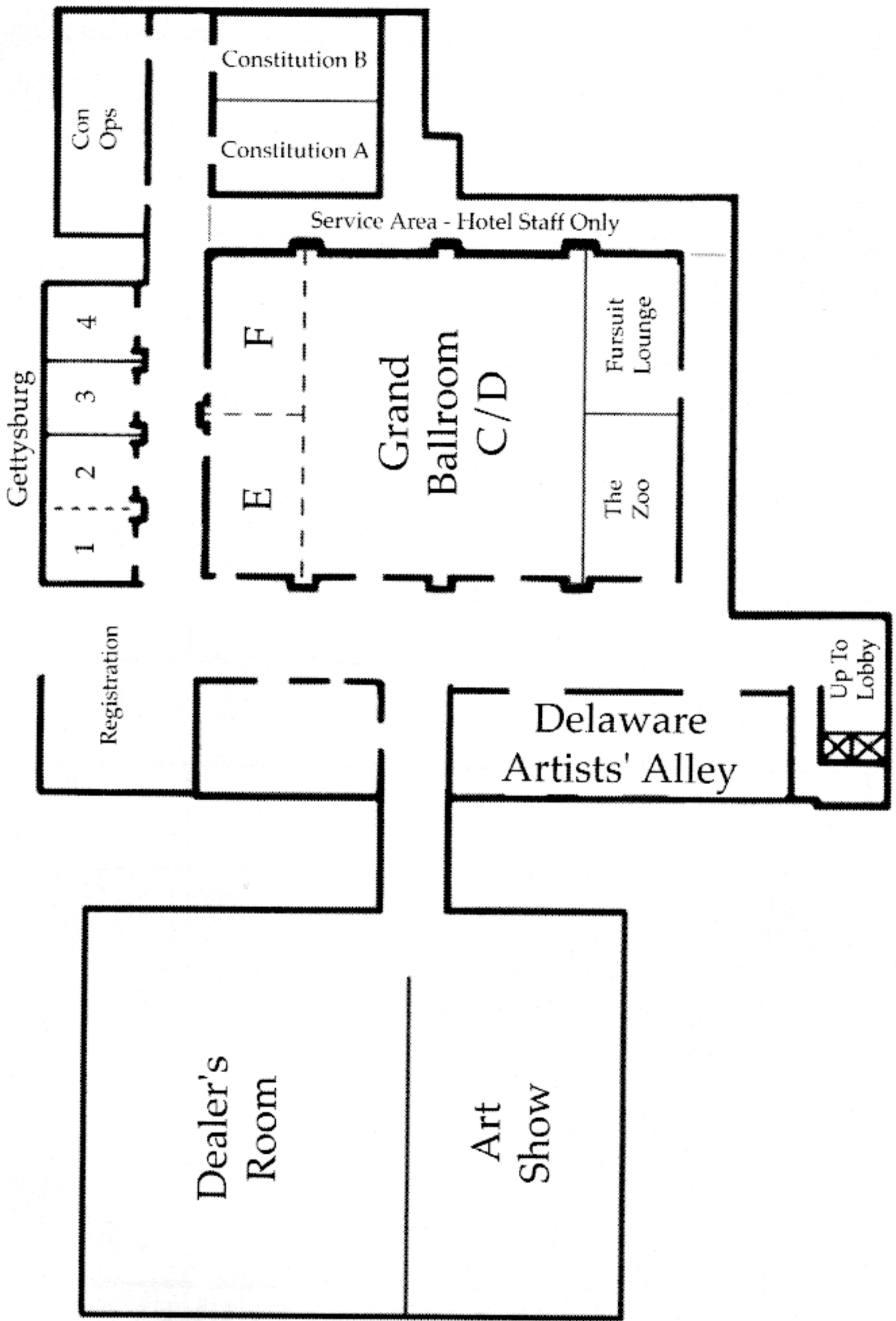
Mad About Marsupials! – Matt “Danruk” Adey
G3 – Sat. 4:30-5:30PM

Like kangaroos? ‘Possums? Koalas? Pull up a pocket and sit a spell in appreciation of our Australian, pocket-bearing brethren... or would that be sistren?

Musical Furs! – Brody Catsmouth
CB – Sun. 10AM-12PM

Sing, play, and be merry at the Anthrocon Musical Furs Jam! Bring your musical instruments, tune your vocal chords, and practice your scales, because everyone is welcome to join in the revelry!

MAIN FLOOR



ADAM'S MARK

FRIDAY	Gettysburg 1	Gettysburg 2	Gettysburg 3	Gettysburg 4	Constitution A	Constitution B	Grand Ballroom C/D	Grand Ballroom E	Grand Ballroom F	Delaware Rooms 1 - 4	Dealers' Room	Art Show	FRIDAY
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3:00P - 3:30P	Furry Anatomy 101..	Childrens' Book Writing	Teen Furs	Make-Up For Fursuiters	TREE	Circle							3:00P - 3:30P
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Spirituality Round Table – TygrmoonFoxx

G3 – Fri. 9-11:30PM

Spirituality Round Table returns once again. Gather around the table and learn about your own spirituality as well as that of others.

Teen Furs – Fleetpaw

G3 – Fri. 3-4PM

This year, Anthrocon makes room for a meeting of the teenage members of the fandom! Come and meet others of your own age group and get to know each other.

Using Your Powers for GOOD!

G2 – Sun. 3-4:30PM

Ok, we've addressed Eevil, now let's hear it for Do-Gooders! Are you a member of the fandom who has used your talents to help others out through charity work and the like? Then we want to see you here! Come on in and network, brainstorm, or just chat about the work you do and hear about what others are doing to make the world a better place!

Wolf Park Presentation – J. Willard

GBC – Fri. 1-2PM

Check out this slide show and lecture about Wolf Park! Come see and hear about the wonderful work this organization does for a much-persecuted member of our North American wildlife.

Fursuiting, Puppetry & Performance

Basics of Fursuit Acting – Spiked Punch

G4 – Sat. 3:30-4:30PM

So once you have your fursuit ready, what do you do with it? Spiked Punch will teach you all the basic movements and how NOT to trip over your own newer and, perhaps, bigger feet!

Belly Dancing for Beginners – NightSky

BluWyrn

G4 – Fri. 6-7PM

Got the urge to wiggle and a need for a giggle? Come belly dance! It's fun, it's easy, and it's exercise!

The Funday Pawpet Show LIVE & Unlagged! -

Yappy & Pals

GB – Fri. 4-7PM

All the way from Orlando, Florida, Ezra (sitting in for Mutt), Temp Ferret, BitchVoop, Skippy, Mach, and many, many others are here for 3 hours of fun and lunacy! They'll be recording this one for later airplay, so be on your best behavior or

Seal of Disapproval will surely bark at you!

Fursuit Head Construction – Aetobatus & HopperRoo

G4 – Sun. 10:30AM-12PM

Check out this demo on the various techniques of fursuit head construction! See how the pros do it! From fiber-glass to paper maché, to fur and feature applications, Aetobatus and HopperRoo will cover it all!

Fursuit-Friendly Dance Hour

GB – Sat. 9-10PM

Slower music and less "ravey" lighting effects during this hour so that our fursuiting pals can comfortably kick up their heels for a bit!

I've Got This Puppet On My Arm... - ToolFox & PixyVixy

G4 – Sun. 3-4:30PM

ToolFox and PixyVixy will teach you all you need to know about making hand puppets come to life in this "hands-on" session. They'll have a few spare puppets, but if you can, BYOP! (Bring Your Own Puppet!) Got to make sure we have enough to go around...can't have naked hands running loose, y'know!

ImprovFURSation Training – Prismo & The Loonies

GBC/D – Fri. 1-2:30PM

ImprovFURSation Training II – Prismo & The Loonies

G2 – Sat. 10-11:30PM

Want to get in on the fun of Improvisational performance? Then these are the places to be! Learn this crazy craft from guys who've been doing it all along and maybe even perform in the show with them on Sunday!

ImprovFURSation Show! – Prismo & The Loonies

GB – Sun. 10:30AM-12PM

Join the Improv gang for a morning of laughter as we test the skills of this troupe with some crazy actors' games! You might even see your friends performing with them!

Latex Prosthetics for Fursuiters – Jason "SuperJay" Harrison

G4 – Fri. 1-2:30PM

SuperJay is bringing his box of tricks to demonstrate the art of applying facial prosthetics and paint/make-up! Optional \$30 fee to obtain mate-

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rials and participate! And why not? You could enjoy the rest of the day, walking around in your new face!

Life-Casting – Boogi & RobFox

G4 – Sat. 1-3PM

Make a new face using the face you already have! Boogi and RobFox demonstrate the art of life casting as applied to mask-making for fursuiters!

Make-up for Fursuiters – Boogi & RobFox

G4 – Fri. 3-5PM

In case you're going without a mask or maybe a partial mask, you'll need a little make-up. Boggi and RobFox will show you how it's done!

Masquerade Rehearsal

GB – Sat. 9AM-12PM

Masquerade!

BG – Sat. 7-8:30PM

Once again, the fursuiters take the stage to show their stuff! This one is a must-see!

The Pawpeteers LIVE!

G2 – Sun. 1-2:30PM

The Pawpeteers have returned to Anthrocon! Come and see them perform songs and skits in an up-close and cozy setting!

Starting a Fursuiting Group – Tyger CowBoy

G4 – Sat. 9-10PM

Whether it's for fun or for work, Tyger CowBoy knows how to organize fursuiting groups and he wants to show you how! Check out all the benefits of grouping together to perform for charity and social events!

Sewing Machine Basics – Andy "TiborTiger" Coll

G3 – Sun. 3-4PM

From selecting the right machine, to actually making your own fursuit, Tibor will give you the general low-down on all you need to know to get things started. You'll get hands-on experience with sewing machines!

Uncle Kage's Story Hour

GB – Fri. 7-8PM

Hey kids! Do you know what time it is? It's Uncle Kage's Story Hour! Grab your milk and cookies and cuddle up with you favorite stuffed animal 'cause you're sure to be in for a real treat, a few tricks, and maybe even a terror or two! You just never know what'll happen!

RPGs and Other Games

Apples and Apples! – The Usual Suspects

CA – Fri. 9-11PM

If you haven't heard of it or played it, it's very easy to learn, extremely fun and can get very silly and ridiculous.

Conker's Bad Fur Day Tournament! – Ghalion Rabbit

CA – Sun. 10AM-1PM

You've played the game, now see how your game skills stack up against others'!

Exquisite Corpse & Writers' Time Trials – See Writing Related Events

Iron Claw – Galen Wolfitt

CA – Fri. 5-9PM & Sat. 12-4PM

Take on the persona of an anthropomorphic animal in a fantasy setting! A Sanguine Productions Limited game.

Open Gaming

CA – Continuous

Bring your own board/card games and have fun! Please be mindful of those around you by keeping noise down to a dull roar.

"Trivial Pursuit" – Brian "SilverFox" Miller

CA – Sat. 4-5:30PM

SilverFox (Syl) returns with his Furry version of Trivial Pursuit! Test how much you know about movies, books, comics, artists, writers, etc. of the genre!

Whose Sketch Is It Anyway? – See Art Related Events

World Tree – Vicki Bloom

CA – Fri. 12-4PM & Sat. 8:30PM-???

The World Tree is an immense tree, with cities in its upper branches. The people are in several species, none close to human, from the bipedal dog-like Cani, clever raccoon-morph Rassimel, and shape-shifting ottery Orren to the brutish floating octopus Khtsoyis. Magic is common, though more people use it for cleaning the house than for destroying cities.

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ADDITIONAL BIOS AND THANKS

Kjartan Arnorsson (Panelist)

Kjartan Arnorsson uses the nickname Karno. He's a thirtysomething, two metre, 90 kilo, bearded college graduate. In Iceland, he's been on TV, and in hardcover books. But he's come down in the world since then, and now he draws for American comics such as *GENUS*, Savage Squirrel Comics and *BIG Funnies*.

Jon C. Crusoe (Panelist)

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Crusoe lives in Tallahassee, Florida, where a gray tomcat named Jasper owns him. He has had fiction published in *Marion Zimmer Bradley's Fantasy Magazine* and in *Spellbound Magazine*. His comic work has been published in *Shanda Fantasy Arts' Magic Carpet* and *Giant Shanda Animal*.

Chris Goodwin (Panelist)

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Goodwin hails from the New England area and is a graphic designer. "I've been involved in furry fandom since 1996 when I first started drawing funny animals. Within the fandom, aside from my own work and private commissions, my illustration projects include work done for *Ironclaw*, and *Anthrolations* magazine, t-shirt design for the Purple Nurple and Anthrocon 2001.

WhiteHorse (Panelist)

WhiteHorse is an animal sciences student who is working on a degree in Equine science. Whitey founded the herd in 1999 at MFM and this little group has grown to around 200 members who share their horseyness over a mailing list and at various meetings, including the upcoming HERD campout in the spring of 2002. Whitey is an accomplished fursuiter with his 2nd suit, the new and improved WhiteHorse fursuit to debut in the fall of 2001.

Tara A. Maune (Panelist/Staff/Writer)

Although Tara has attended anthropomorphic conventions since Confurance East 1995, she's been writing stories since the age of five. Tara has several anthropomorphic stories published in *Paw Prints*, *Ever-Changing Palace* and the *Anthrocon 99 Con Book*. Currently she works as a Recruiter in Human Resources, where she'll never lack for new characters with the wondrous variety of people she interviews daily.

Tony Bassette Jr. (Panelist/Staff/Master of Play)

Tony has been a furry fan back in the days of Captain Carrot and the Zoo Crew and discovered furry cons 7 years ago. Long before either, he has been engaged in encouraging and aiding others in the development of their talents, running classes in problem solving, creativity and having fun. He also has been heavily involved in storytelling, crafts, games and children's activities. Lately he has been collaborating with Tara Maune on

many of these both within and outside the SCA.

On behalf of Anthrocon, I'd like to thank all of our event volunteers and suggest that everyone else thank them as well! In the unfortunate scenario that any event leader's biography was not printed here or in the conbook, let me say that I am truly sorry and accept full responsibility. If anyone was missed, I will see about noting the omission and placing a bio for you on the Anthrocon website.

Once again, thank you everyone, especially Jonah "Points" Safar for his close and careful guidance in my first full year as Programming Director!

Susan "SusanDeer" Parkin AC2K+1
Programming Director

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JULY 12 - 14, 2002

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LISSANNE NORMAN, AUTHOR OF THE SHOLAN SERIES
HEATHER BRUTON, RENOWNED FANTASY ILLUSTRATOR

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\$30 *only* at Anthrocon 2001
\$35 until February 28, 2002
\$40 until June 15, 2002
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\$85 for a Sponsor Membership
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HOTEL INFORMATION

Returning to the Adam's Mark Hotel
City Avenue and Monument Road
\$99/night (single/double/triple/quad)
A limited number of junior suites are available at \$124/night.

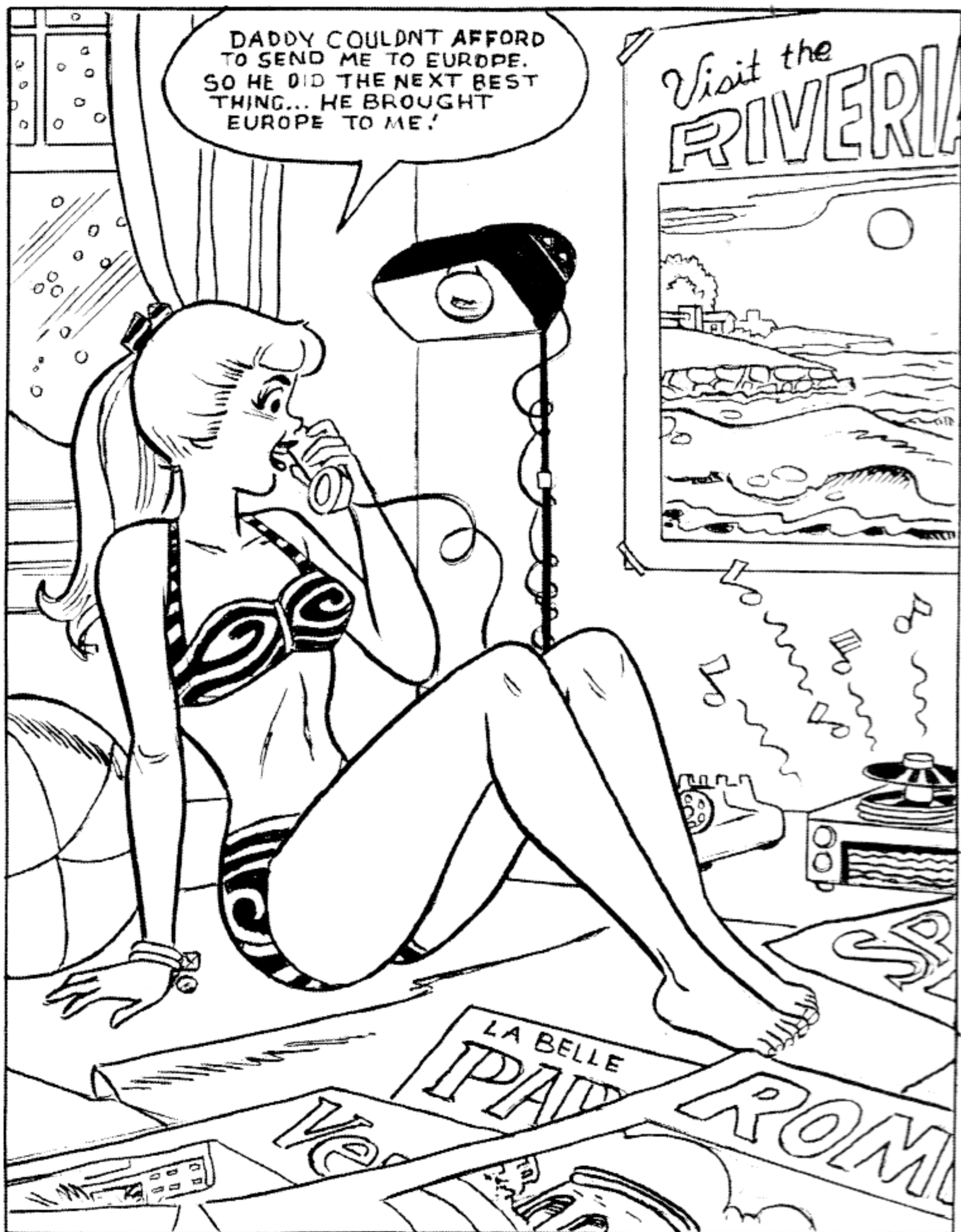
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We anticipate a full house, so do not delay!

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Betty's PIN-UP

DADDY COULDN'T AFFORD TO SEND ME TO EUROPE. SO HE DID THE NEXT BEST THING... HE BROUGHT EUROPE TO ME!

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See You at Anthrocon 2002!