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Syracuse, NY – Syracuse Heroes Expo Announced

Today, the organizers behind the 'Syracuse Comic Convention' and 'Anime Syracuse' announced that they are combining their efforts to bring a bigger show to Syracuse and the CNY region. The event, The Syracuse Heroes Expo, will combine elements of both of its predecessors including comics, anime (Japanese animation), video games, toys, manga (Japanese comics books), Star Wars, etc. and give attendees an opportunity to meet fellow fans and meet iconic figures from various areas of the entertainment industry.

The event will be held at the Holiday Inn Convention Center in Liverpool, NY on Sunday October 22nd. With over 9,000 square feet, the show floor promises to be filled with over 100 local and regional vendors as well as a media room, an anime zone sponsored by leading distributor 'Funimation', a role-playing arena being hosted by 'How to Play the Game' (formerly called 'Altered States') and an 'EB'-sponsored video game tournament floor that will give local video game enthusiasts an opportunity to compete against other local players in a wide assortment of video games.

Guests scheduled to appear at the event include: Ray Park who is best known for playing 'Darth Maul' in the popular film 'Star Wars Episode I' as well as the character of 'Toad' in the first 'X-men' film, Yvonne Craig who played 'Batgirl' in the 1960's hit TV series Batman, popular wrestler The Iron Sheik, 'Night of the Living Dead' writer John Russo and popular comic book artists Kalman Andrasofszky, Agnes Garbowska, Francis Manapul, Mike Raicht and CB Cebulski.

"After individually organizing and launching very successful events here in Syracuse we wanted to do something even bigger and more exciting. So we decided to combine our individual efforts and create an expo that would be wider in scope and more exciting for the fans that take part in it." Said Pat Maloney of Flying Turtle Toys, one of the event organizers.

The Syracuse Heroes Expo organizing committee includes Jeff Watkins of the 'Syracuse Comic Convention', Jeff Couto of 'Anime Syracuse', Patrick Maloney and Wayne Chase Jr of 'Flying Turtle Toys'.

About The Syracuse Heroes Expo

Syracuse Heroes Expo is Central New York's premiere hobby convention. From comics to anime, toys, manga collectibles, model kits, and video games, the event is dedicated to bringing the very best enthusiast gathering to the CNY region.

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