

Gen Con Announces Outer Worlds Expansion for 2023 Convention

INDIANAPOLIS (April 1, 2023) — Gen Con, the largest and longest-running tabletop gaming convention in North America, today announced an expansion of event space of galactic proportions for its upcoming 2023 convention via a rocket ship to the outer worlds of this galaxy.

Developed by theoretical engineer, former astronaut and space marine, and longtime Gen Con fan Dr. Deckard Hal, the Indianapolis Nostromo will shuttle attendees to various destinations around the galaxy as part of the new Outer Worlds expansion. "It was an honor," said Deckard, "to work with Gen Con to grant 2023 attendees the opportunity to boldly go on this new and exciting adventure."

"We are overjoyed to finally pull the proverbial tarp back from this amazing expansion for the general public," said Gen Con President David Hoppe. "For the past 12 cycles, our team of engineers, scientists, and overly helpful replicants have worked around the clock just so our attendees could enjoy this unforgettable adventure to where few have gone before."

This journey to outer space and beyond will shuttle attendees to a wide variety of locations where they will meet and interact with various flora, fauna, and more. It will also provide the opportunity to participate in a multitude of fun and possibly dangerous activities. These include participating in a Twilight Emperium tournament with the Eloi and Morlock people, taming and sand surfing on your own desert sandworm, assisting a team of space travelers observing a primitive alien civilization*, and much more.

*Note: Any who reveal themselves or in any way interact with said primitive alien civilization will immediately be shuttled back to Gen Con Prime, asked to leave the convention center, and banned from the rest of the 2023 convention, as per the rules of the Prime Directive.

Attendee safety while experiencing Gen Con Outer Worlds has been guaranteed through our partnerships with our 2023 Outer Worlds sponsors. Convention security will be handled by the Detroit based Zero Consumer Products as a way to test out their prototype security androids. Any and all alien interactions will be facilitated and moderated by the Yawland-Wutan Corporation, a small startup that specializes in interplanetary communication and transportation and were instrumental in completion of the Indianapolis Nostromo.

Tickets for the Gen Con Outer Worlds expansion will be available for purchase on May 21 at noon Eastern for the low price of 42 million galactic standard credits.

About Zero Consumer Products

Zero Consumer Products is a growing, Detroit based corporation founded in 1995 that originally specialized in supplying plastics to local companies. However, they have since begun supplying many other consumer-based products nationwide, and, despite a few casualties at only a handful of factories,

have been quite productive. Zero Consumer Products recently entered the security sector where they now develop a state-of-the-art security android, which has an impressive success rate of 82%, with only 6% of those failures causing fatal injuries.

About The Yawland-Wutan Corporation

The Yawland-Wutan Corporation is a small communication and transportation start-up based in Japan. Founded in 2021, Yawland-Wutan has begun experimenting in interplanetary communications, having made peaceful contact with multiple alien species over the past several months, and have created various prototypes for space travel using technology freely given by said alien species.

About Gen Con

Gen Con is the largest and longest-running annual event devoted to tabletop gaming culture in North America. The convention, which began in 1968 in Lake Geneva, WI, takes place each summer in Indianapolis, IN. During the convention, attendees shop and demo games from hundreds of exhibiting companies and choose from thousands of ticketed events representing a wide array of board games, card games, roleplaying games, seminars, entertainment events, and more.