

Colorado's Largest SciFi & Fantasy Literary Convention!

MileHiCon 57 Progress Report #1

Please welcome our Guests of Honor for MileHicon 57!

We are thrilled to have:

Toastmaster & Author Shannon Lawrence

Author GOH Wen Spencer

Author GOH Gail Carriger

and Artist GOH Scott Jones

Plus over 100 other Authors, Artists, and Speakers
to be announced!
MileHiCon.org

Registration is now Open!

We have made some changes which we hope will make Registration and attendance at MileHiCon easier.

- 15% Membership Discount available now until April 30
- Children's Membership (age 11 and under) \$0
- Add Participation in the Avistrum School of Wizardry
 Cosplay Event to any Membership for just \$20

Register Now



New Location

Hyatt Regency Aurora

13200 E. 14th Place, Aurora, CO 80011

Be sure to use the link below to get the MileHiCon Rate.

Reserve Hotel Room





Programming is hard at work figuring out which panels will go where and when in our new space. Have a suggestion for a panel or someone to be on panels? Email programming@milehicon.org



With the convention being on Halloween this year, we're planning to lean into the spirit of the season with mask-making for the younger set, followed by trick or treating around the convention, and a chance for the kids to walk across the main stage in costume. We'll then have Opening Ceremonies -- theme to be determined, but dress your best! -- followed by a Halloween Gala and a showing of Rocky Horror at midnight. The fun will continue all weekend with returning favorites like the Reading Game, author readings, panels on art, science, editing, writing, cosplay, fandom, and more, and chances to sit and chat with our guests of honor.

3 Days of Continuous Fun!

Author's Talks - Panel Discussions - Free Autographs - Avistrum - Gaming - Model Making - Cosplay - Active Track - And so much more!

Burning Through Pages

This year's Literacy Auction recipient is the **Burning Through Pages.**

We provide literature, resources, and time to youth organizations in an effort to foster communities of great readers and inspired thinkers

Burning Through Pages is a 501(c) 3 non-profit organization based out of Denver, CO dedicated to the advocacy of reading and writing for our city's youth. For more information: burningthroughpages.org

I've been working hard gathering a top notch literacy auction staff for this year, and reaching out to local collectors and businesses. Please email literacyauction@milehicon.org if you're interested in joining our team! It is always a blast every year. We already have some donations coming in, and would love anything the local geek convention community can contribute! Art, collectibles, games, memorabilia, rare and interesting books, and more, are highlights of the auction every year. [add the link to the Google form for donations here]

Please email <u>literacyauction@milehicon.org</u> with any questions.



MileHicon art Show

Hello from the Mile Hi Con Art Show!

MHC 2025 is on the horizon, and we are very excited to see what all our creative and talented artists are going to share with us this fall. The Art Show prices are remaining the same. Panels will be \$16, and tables will be \$24. Commissions will be a flat 10 percent fee.

Complete the Art Show application to be considered for inclusion in the Art Show. Applications will be accepted until the end of July, or until the spaces are all filled. We will have a waiting list in the event that artists have to relinquish their spaces.

We look forward to seeing you in October!

Display panels will be 4' x 4' and tables will be 27" x 6'.

Contact Art Show Director at <u>artshow@milehicon.org</u> for more information on the art show.

Art Show Application

MileHiCon Exhibitors

Authors Row, Author's CO-OP, and Community Tables

Authors Row is a way for science fiction, fantasy, and horror authors to directly connect with the members of the convention. It is distinctly separate from the vendors room, in that only authors or publishers are allowed to have tables, and they can't generally sell other merchandise – only books. Please apply via the Exhibitor's Application below.

The Authors Co-Op table is for authors to self-promote at MileHiCon. You can sign-up for two hour blocks at the convention. To secure a spot, please apply via the Exhibitor's Application below.

Are you another convention or organization looking to advertise your group? Reach out to the Tables Coordinator via email.

For additional information please email TablesCoordinator@milehicon.org

Vendors Room

The application process for the Vendors Room is open! Please Apply via the Exhibitor's Application below.

Space Descriptions

6'x6' space - \$125

Includes one 6'x30" table with tablecloth/table skirt and 2 chairs.

6'x12' space - \$200

Includes two 6'x30" tables with tablecloths/table skirts and 2 chairs.

10'x10' Space - \$275

Includes two(2) 6'x30" tables with tablecloths/table skirts and 2 chairs.

10'x12' Space - \$325

Includes three(3) 6'x30" tables with tablecloths/table skirts and 2 chairs.

10'x18' Space – \$375 Includes four(4) 6'x30" tables with tablecloths/table skirts and 3 chairs.

Exhibitors Application

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Your organization or business can become a part of MileHiCon as a sponsor by co-promoting or donating \$500!

Includes:

A listing as a sponsor for your business or organization

An ad in our program book

An ad on our website

And postings on our social media sites!

Contact Christine at <u>info@milehicon.org</u> for more information.

