

# USS Horizon Newsletter

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## Commercial Spaceflight

(From SpaceRef: Virgin Galactic Press Release)

Virgin Galactic conducted its fifth powered test flight and second space flight of its commercial SpaceShipTwo, VSS Unity.

In its fifth supersonic rocket powered test flight, Virgin Galactic reached space for the second time today in the skies above Mojave CA. Spaceship VSS Unity reached its highest speed and altitude to date and, for the first time, carried a third crew member on board along with research payloads from the NASA Flight Opportunities program.

This space flight means Chief Pilot Dave Mackay and co-pilot Michael "Sooch" Masucci become commercial astronauts and the 569th and 570th humans in space. Beth Moses, Virgin Galactic's Chief Astronaut Instructor, flew as the third crew member in a first, live evaluation of cabin dynamics. She is the 571st person to fly to space and the first woman to fly on board a commercial spaceship.

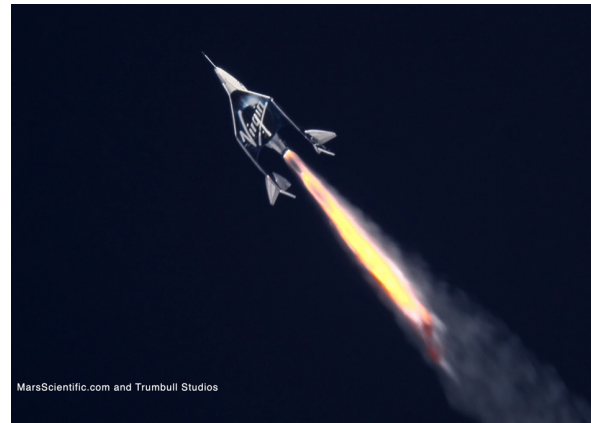
In addition to this element of envelope expansion, VSS Unity flew higher and faster than ever before, as its world record-holding hybrid rocket motor propelled the spaceship at Mach 3.04 to an apogee of 295,007ft.

Today's flight notched several additional firsts for the industry: The flight was the first time that a non-pilot flew on board a commercial spaceship to space, and it was the first time that a crew member floated freely without restraints in weightlessness in space onboard a commercial spaceship; it was the first time that three people flew to space on a commercial spaceship, and Dave Mackay became the first Scottish-born astronaut (Brian Binnie, who was raised in Scotland, flew to space in 2004). The glide back home was followed by a

## Video of the Month



## MOVIE NIGHT IN COLUMBIA



smooth runway landing and a rapturous reception from the crowd on the line, which included staff and some of Virgin Galactic's 600 Future Astronaut customers.

Virgin Galactic is the world's first commercial spaceline. Founded by Sir Richard Branson and owned by the Virgin Group and Mubadala Investment Group, Virgin Galactic will transform access to space for the benefit of life on Earth. To date, over 600 men and women from over 50 countries--greater than the total number of humans who have ever been to space--have reserved places to fly on Virgin Galactic's reusable space launch system, consisting of carrier aircraft WhiteKnightTwo and spacecraft SpaceShipTwo.

# Star Wars News



by: Chewbacca of Kashyyyk - March 2019

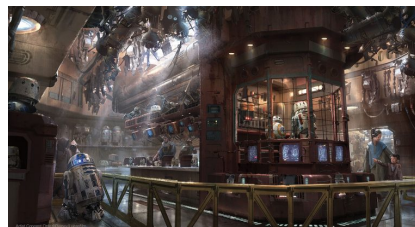
1. In an interview, more on the Carrie Fischer footage in Episode IX: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/03/episode-ix-leia-poe-deleted-scenes.html>
2. Resistance Broadcast, Mar 14: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/03/the-resistance-broadcast-will-darth-vader-appear-in-episode-ix.html>
3. SW Celebration in Chicago Episode IX panel on April 12: <https://www.starwarscelebration.com> and <https://www.starwarscelebration.com/Features/Stages/Live-Stage/> for live streaming information. ( Ahmed Best, Alan Tudyk, Billy Dee Williams, Ashley Eckstein, Forest Whitaker, Freddie Prinze Jr, Ian McDiarmid, Jason Issacs, Peter Mayhew, and about 50 more)



[www.starwarscelebration.com/Features/Stages/Live-Stage/](https://www.starwarscelebration.com/Features/Stages/Live-Stage/) for live streaming information. ( Ahmed Best, Alan Tudyk, Billy Dee Williams, Ashley Eckstein, Forest Whitaker, Freddie Prinze Jr, Ian McDiarmid, Jason Issacs, Peter Mayhew, and about 50 more)

4. Resistance is still out there: <https://www.starwars.com/tv-shows/star-wars-resistance>
5. Resistance Broadcast, Mar 11: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/03/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-ix-footage-shown-to-disney-shareholders.html>

6. Episode IX Fan Made Trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8AWM0mnXLIU>
7. Galaxy's Edge to open May 31 in Disneyland and August 29 in Disney World: <https://disneyparks.disney.go.com/star-wars-galaxys-edge/>
8. Resistance Broadcast, Mar 7: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/03/the-resistance-broadcast-obi-wan-kenobi-a-star-wars-character-discussion.html>
9. Resistance Broadcast, Mar 4: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/03/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-ix-old-x-wings-and-new-tie-fighters.html>
10. Galaxy's Edge location that may be in Episode IX: [https://www.reddit.com/r/StarWarsLeaks/comments/avw1wz/tie\\_echelon\\_from\\_galaxys\\_edge\\_and\\_maybe\\_ix/?utm\\_content=media&utm\\_medium=post\\_embed&utm\\_name=d13d5787ee53427baa4b155131c6d4d9&utm\\_source=embedly&utm\\_term=avw1wz](https://www.reddit.com/r/StarWarsLeaks/comments/avw1wz/tie_echelon_from_galaxys_edge_and_maybe_ix/?utm_content=media&utm_medium=post_embed&utm_name=d13d5787ee53427baa4b155131c6d4d9&utm_source=embedly&utm_term=avw1wz) and lots of photos at this site: <http://www.themepark.com/star-wars-land-disneys-hollywood-studios/>
11. Resistance Broadcast, Feb 28: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/02/the-resistance-broadcast-star-wars-galaxys-edge-full-details-with-abc-news-clayton-sandell.html>
12. Topher Grace's Fan Made All Star Wars Trailer: <https://consequenceofsound.net/2019/02/topher-grace-star-wars-trailer-watch/>



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# Trek Talk

1. Pneumonia almost killed Whopie Goldberg: <https://globalnews.ca/news/5035889/whoopi-goldberg-almost-died-pneumonia/>
2. Live Streaming for PaleyFest LA: <https://www.paleycenter.org/2019-paleyfest-la-tickets/>
3. Museum of Science receives Enterprise Replica model: <https://www.trektoday.com/content/2019/03/museum-of-science-fiction-receives-enterprise-replica-model/>
4. Picard's new series will feature Santiago Cabrera and Michelle Hurd: <https://deadline.com/2019/03/santiago-cabrera-michelle-hurdcast-star-trek-jean-luc-picard-series-cbs-all-access-1202569185/>



5. Photos are from Discovery (upper right)
6. Planetary Post, Feb 20: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?time\\_continue=1&v=qisclu23xul](https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=1&v=qisclu23xul)
7. History of Section 31: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gWtSN4n59AI>
8. Stewart/Picard series gets director, Hanelle Culpepper: <http://collider.com/star-trek-picard-tv-series-director/>



9. LeVar Burton wins award for dedication to children's Literacy and AIDS research: <https://thedaily.case.edu/actor-childrens-literacy-and-aids-research-advocate-levar-burton-named-2019-inamori-ethics-prize-winner/>
10. Discovery gets a third season: <https://www.theverge.com/2019/2/27/18243280/star-trek-discovery-season-3-renewed-cbs-all-access-michelle-paradise-new-showrunner>
11. Morgan Woodward (Dr Simon Van Gelder, Captain Ron

- Tracey) has passed: <https://www.syfy.com/syfywire/star-trek-original-series-guest-star-morgan-woodward-dead-at-93>
12. ST Online Mirror of Discovery: <https://www.arcgames.com/en/games/star-trek-online/news/detail/11055643-welcome-to-the-mirror-of-discovery>
  13. ST Alien Domain launches: <https://incursion.gamesamba.com>
  14. Trek at ToyFair: <https://trekmovie.com/2019/02/19/toy-fair-2019-offers-previews-of-new-star-trek-products-from-factory-mego-qmx-and-more/>



15. This summer we will finally get access to "Chrono Trek" card game: <http://trekcore.com/blog/2019/02/toy-fair-2019-looney-labs-star-trek-ds9-fluxx-chronotrek-games/>
16. William Shatner makes "Grand Ole Opry" debut: <https://www.opry.com/artist/william-shatner-and-jeff-cook>
17. Discovery Photos:





# Captain's Log

Vice Admiral Eddie Allen III

17 March 2019



## Begin Log

in October 2017 I got my Flu shot. For the rest of the season, I had the Flu three times. I know, it was not the strains I was immunized for. Then last fall I got another Flu shot. So far this season I have had the Flu once. The shot is probably doing its job but it sure seems like a lot of Flu. Because of this, I missed the Reunion. Even with the snow, we had planned a timing that was impeccable. We would have left early Friday afternoon for Fulton and returned late Saturday evening. It missed both snow opportunities. Que' Sera...

I have returned to the fold when it comes to doing all of the functions we normally schedule in St Louis. I am in SFI for Charity and for fun! The charity goes on but the fun was sacrificed. We have a wonderful movie schedule and for now we are posting it with the regular calendar but at the bottom. I have it on good authority that several members from mid-MO want to join us for some of the movies.

I now have time to read books again. I have the time to also get caught up with some of my TV shows. My DVR was past 100%. I am planning to go camping and need to work out one last item before I schedule that. I plan to do a float trip weekend and may include it in with the camping trip. Rhonda and I are considering a party or BBQ but are unsure of our 5 W's. Rhonda wants to do something. I will comply.

Update: I have read 7 books in the last month. I am caught up on all the NCIS shows, Bull, Lethal Weapon, SWAT, and have given up on two shows. I still need to catch up with Bluebloods, McGiver, Discovery, and a few others. I have also finally put away the last of Christmas and straightened up the living room and dining room.

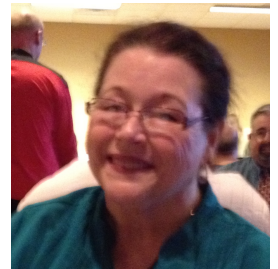
I would like to restart our board gaming sessions. If anyone is interested in that please let me know. I will schedule this in an area of mutual benefit.

## End Log

# XO's Log

Rear Admiral Khane Williams

18 March 2019



I would like to thank all who braved and thumbed their noses at mother nature to attend the Region 12 Family Reunion. We were small but we were mighty and we had a wonderful time.

Friday night was attended by members of the USS Phoenix, USS Dark Phoenix, USS Blackstone, USS Discovery and the USS Horizon. During the social a rousing game of Cards Against Humanity was played and it was agreed that it would never be discussed after the game. Snacks were served by the USS Horizon who hosted the social.

Saturday saw the addition of one more chapter represented, the USS Missouri. Awards were given to deserving chapters and individuals. We were privileged to have Justin Donovan there to give us an update on the upcoming 2019 International Convention in St. Louis. It was a great presentation and sounds like a wonderful event not to be missed. Saturday lunch was provided by Daneille McLeod who ordered pizza for everyone from Dominos. Thank you Daneille it was much appreciated by all.

The auction brought in several hundred dollars for the region and was once again run by our dynamic auction duo of Justin Donovan and David Williams. As I said before we were small, but mighty. Thank you to all who donated and who bid. Some of the items were truly unique and well worth the money that was bid and spent.

Saturday night dinner was at the Central Missouri Meat and Sausage Barnyard Smokehouse. The fare went from hotdogs to steak and everything in between. All of us had a good meal and left satisfied. Many adjourned to the lounge at the Baymont Inn for dessert of cake made by the Sweet Temptations company of Fulton. No one felt like swimming this year probably due to the cold outside, but we all had a good visit with the RC Chris Boggs.

Again, my thanks to all the brave souls who came to the Region 12 Family Reunion. It was great to see all of you. If you would like a T-Shirt, even though you did not attend the event, contact Chris. He has plenty of shirts and they are of a very cool and interesting design with each chapter and state on the front in the shape of a phaser.



# Engineer's Log

Vice Admiral Eddie Allen III

16 March 2019

**TREKYARDS:** <https://www.youtube.com/user/knightstalker666Upcoming>

## Major Launches & Showers (No Satellite Launches listed. There are 1 to 4 of these most weeks.)

- MAR 22: Space Walk at ISS, 6:30 am
- MAR 25: India Chandrayaan 3 to Moon
- MAR 26: Conjunction of moon and Jupiter
- MAR 29: Moon in conjunction of Saturn again
- APR 4: Soyuz with 72nd Cargo Del to ISS
- APR 8: Space walk at ISS, 6:30 am
- APR 9: Conjunction of moon and Mars

- APR ??: Atlas 5 launch Boeing CST-100 Starliner to ISS
- APR 17: Grumman Antares 12th Cygnus cargo to ISS
- APR 21-22: Lyrid Meteor Shower peaks
- APR 25: Moon conjuncts Saturn.
- APR 25: Space X Falcon 9 19th Dragon to ISS
- MAY 4: May the Force be With You!
- MAY 6-7: Eta Aquarid Meteor shower
- MAY 18: Blue Moon
- MAY 22: Moon Occults Saturn
- JUN ?? Space X Crew Dragon first crewed test flight to ISS
- JUL 5: Soyuz MS-13 with 3 new crew members for ISS
- JUL 8: SpaceX Falcon 9 Dragon cargo to ISS

## What's new in the world of Cell Phones this year?

**Folding Screens** are coming. They will not come free or cheap. Expect to spend 2 Grand or more for a phone.

**Huawei Mate X** will top \$2500 and will sport 5G. The fold open from inside screen will be 8 inches in tablet format or about twice my iPhone X. Each half will allow two items open at the same time. It will have a Leica Camera.



**Galaxy Fold** will actually have 3 screens with one on the outside and two that fold open on the inside. The cover will be 4.6" and the open



7.3 inch screen, Royole FlexPai with a 7.8 inch screen is the cheapest of the three.



### Who is going 5G?

#### In 2019

- Samsung Galaxy S10 5G
- Huawei Mate X
- One Plus
- LG V50 Thin Q
- Honor
- Motorola 5G Moto Mod
- Xiaomi Mi Mix 3 5G
- Oppo
- ZTE Axon 10 Pro 5
- Royole FlexPai

#### In 2020

- Vivo
- Apple iPhone

As a note based on 3G, 4G, and LTE, the first year or so there was no service in our area. Missouri is not a dynamic location like NYC or LA and is not the Atlanta, Houston and many other larger Metros. I expect that 2020 will be the year of 5G here.

Amazingly these phones have smaller batteries than the iPhone. I wonder how long they will actually last?

# Engineer's Black Market Store

Vice Admiral Eddie Allen III

16 March 2019



Star Trek Themed Leggings: <https://www.wildbangarang.com/collections/star-trek->

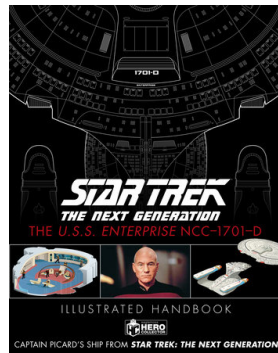


Eaglemoss Starships: [https://shop.eaglemoss.com/usa/star-trek-starships?gclid=CjwKCAjwvbLkBRBbEiwACHbckZyAH5Ch6c08B9lwR0kdVuafIjUV24jCHcekaSzE82-rrLypap\\_4IRoC\\_L8QAvD\\_BwE&gclid=aw.ds](https://shop.eaglemoss.com/usa/star-trek-starships?gclid=CjwKCAjwvbLkBRBbEiwACHbckZyAH5Ch6c08B9lwR0kdVuafIjUV24jCHcekaSzE82-rrLypap_4IRoC_L8QAvD_BwE&gclid=aw.ds)



Gorn Mask: <https://www.amazon.com/Star-Trek-Classic-Deluxe-Latex/dp/B0026XWTWG>

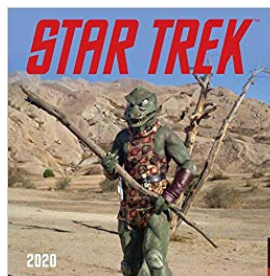
EagleMoss Next Gen Book on NCC-1701-D :<https://www.penguinrandomhouse.com/books/599194/star-trek-the-next-generation-the-uss-enterprise-ncc-1701-d-illustrated-handbook-by-ben-robinson/9781858755403/>



Sulu Figure 1:6 Scale: <https://qmxonline.com/products/star-trek-tos-sulu-1-6-scale-articulated-figure>



QMX Badges: <https://www.amazon.com/QMX-Magnetic-Insignia-Badge-Engineering/dp/B00L4KVT5A>



2020 Star Trek Calendars: <https://www.amazon.com/Star-Trek-2020-Wall-Calendar/dp/0789336324>

Queen's Shadow: [https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07FR2JJ7L/ref=dp\\_kindle-redirect?\\_encoding=UTF8&btcr=1](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07FR2JJ7L/ref=dp_kindle-redirect?_encoding=UTF8&btcr=1)



KyLo Ren Figure: <https://www.amazon.com/Star-Wars-Black-6-Inch-Kylo/dp/B00SD81400>





# Flight Log

Captain Rhonda Allen

14 March 2019

Spring Forward.....Say it isn't so, is spring finally on the way? It has been at least 2 weeks since we've had any snow or ice. Just the idea that we have reached the time to spring forward has everyone in a better mood.



I've been dreaming of sweet juicy tomatoes. Orange, yellow, and even purple. These jewels make me want to eat salad every day. Maybe I should try my hand at growing tomatoes in a container on my deck. The only draw back is that tomatoes do attract worms, and that's something I cannot deal with. I purchased a small greenhouse with a cover last year. I started several vegetables from seed, I didn't get a single vegetable probably due to the fact that I failed to anchor the structure to the rail of the deck, and it blew over, taking all of the contents with it. I won't make that mistake this year. I'm thinking about herbs this time, basil, thyme, cilantro. Maybe I'll also repeat the carrots, and okra too. It's so exciting to see the little shoots break the soil. What I've had the most success with is growing flowers from seed, the neighborhood rabbit likes my flowers too!

As far as my reading challenge, I can't get enough of Sandra Brown. I haven't read a book that hasn't pulled me into the story, and left me wanting more. Luckily between Half Priced Books, and the Barnes & Noble clearance section, I can find them for a great price. I'm on a time out from buying books on Amazon, as I kept getting books attached to KindleUnlimited \$9.99 a month. Be careful you could end up getting this monthly charge, check your bank accounts. Ultimately, I was refunded about 6 months worth of these fees.

Happy Lenten season to you all!





# Trek Talk

## PODS & BLOGS (That your CO listens to)

(Instead of posting each entry I have decided it is better to post the location of blogs and news services that I peruse. You be your own judge of the content.)

HYPERCHANNEL: <http://www.trek.fm/hyperchannel-home/> (NEWS and STUFF)

SHUTTLEPOD: <https://trekmovie.com/category/shuttle-pod/> (TREK NEWS)

WEEK IN TREK: <https://player.fm/series/this-week-in-trek-a-star-trek-podcast> (Weekly News & Discovery)

602 CLUB: <http://www.trek.fm/the-602-club-home> (Non Trek Sci Fi by Trekkers)

LITERARY TREKS: <http://www.trek.fm/literary-treks-home> (Literature Critique')

PRIMITIVE CULTURE: <http://www.trek.fm/primitive-culture-home> (Compare Trek to the World)

META TREKS: <http://www.trek.fm/meta-treks-home> (Philosophy of Trek Things)

STANDARD ORBIT: <http://www.trek.fm/standard-orbit-home> (TOS & REBOOT Themed Discussions)

EARL GREY: <http://www.trek.fm/earl-grey-home> (Next Gen Themed Discussions)

THE ORB: <http://www.trek.fm/the-orb-home> (DS9 Themed Discussions)

TO THE JOURNEY: <http://www.trek.fm/to-the-journey-home> (Voyager Themed Discussions)

WARP FIVE: <http://www.trek.fm/warp-five-home> (ENTERPRISE Themed Discussions)

THE EDGE: <http://www.trek.fm/the-edge-home/> (DISCOVERY Themed Discussions)

PRIORITY ONE: <http://priorityonepodcast.com/category/productions/p1podcast/> (DISCOVERY and other discussions.)

CONTINUING MISSION: <http://www.trek.fm/continuing-mission-home> (INDEPENDENT media themed discussions)

STAR WAR: <http://www.trek.fm/starwars> (TREK fans on STAR WARS discussions)

ROUNDTABLE: <http://www.trek.fm/patrons-roundtable> (GENERAL TREK discussions)

IMPROVISED TREK: <https://player.fm/series/improvised-star-trek> (Comedy Trek Episodes)

# Mid America Convention List – March 2019 Update



## March 2019

22-24	Chicago, IL <a href="http://www.c2e2.com">http://www.c2e2.com</a>	C2E2 Comic & Entertainment
23-24	Hagerstown, MD <a href="https://www.fourstatecon.com">https://www.fourstatecon.com</a>	Four State Comic-Con
29-31	Baltimore, MD <a href="https://regenerationwho.com">https://regenerationwho.com</a>	(Re)Generation Who
29-31	Kansas City, MO ( <b>Shatner</b> ) <a href="http://planetcomicon.com">http://planetcomicon.com</a>	Planet Comicon
29-31	Anaheim, CA <a href="https://www.comic-con.org/wca">https://www.comic-con.org/wca</a>	WonderCon
30-31	Rock Island, IL <a href="https://mightyconshows.com/show/quad-cities">https://mightyconshows.com/show/quad-cities</a>	Quad Cities Comic Con
31	Laurel, MD <a href="http://clandestinecomics.com/?page_id=2">http://clandestinecomics.com/?page_id=2</a>	Clandestine Comics

## April 2019

5-7	St Louis, MO (Mamao) <a href="https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/st-louis">https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/st-louis</a>	Wizard World
5-7	Little Rock, AR <a href="http://www.animeconarkansas.com">http://www.animeconarkansas.com</a>	Anime Arkansas
11-15	Chicago, IL ( <b>Issacs</b> ) <a href="https://www.starwarscelebration.com">https://www.starwarscelebration.com</a>	Star Wars Celebration
19-21	Chicago, IL <a href="http://heroesfanfest.com/chicago/">http://heroesfanfest.com/chicago/</a>	Heroes & Villains Fan Fest
26-28	Washington DC ( <b>McFadden, Sirtis, Spiner, +4</b> ) <a href="http://awesome-con.com">http://awesome-con.com</a>	Awesome Con
26-28	Las Vegas, NV <a href="https://lvlupexpo.com">https://lvlupexpo.com</a>	Lvl Up Expo

## May 2019

3-5	St Charles, MO <a href="http://animestl.net">http://animestl.net</a>	Anime St Louis
10-12	Springfield, MO <a href="https://visioncon.net">https://visioncon.net</a>	Visioncon
10-12	Davenport, IA <a href="http://qcgamefest.com">http://qcgamefest.com</a>	QC Gamefest
16-19	St Charles, MO <a href="https://geekwaytothewest.com">https://geekwaytothewest.com</a>	Geekway to the West

## June 2019

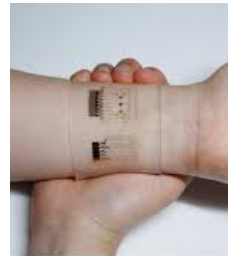
1	Howard Co Fairgrounds, MD <a href="https://galactic-con.com">https://galactic-con.com</a>	Galactic Con Maryland
1-2	Rosemont, IL <a href="https://www.comicconrevolution.com/chicago/">https://www.comicconrevolution.com/chicago/</a>	Comic Con Revolution Chicago



# Medical Log

MySha Allen

17 March 2019



## Sweat & Non-Invasive Testing (From: Science Daily)

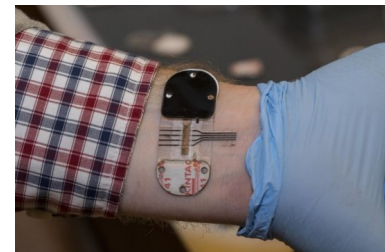
Last spring U of Texas announced a wearable sensor that measures blood glucose levels

([diabetesselfmanagement.com](http://diabetesselfmanagement.com))

as well as cortisol and interleukin 6. This is a non invasive tester that will soon get mounted to the wrist and report to an app on a cell phone.

Now the University of Cincinnati reports a wearable patch the size of a band-Aid that can monitor so much more without a blood needle stick or invasive test. (And, the crowd cheers!)

Both sensors create a ambient sweat environment and are limited time testers. The glucose tester will run for about a week. This new one will run hours and give results over time that normally require multiple needle sticks.



They have identified four waves of testing:

1. Samples from blood draw sent to labs.
2. Samples tested at the doctor's office.
3. Now non-invasive testing.
4. Eventually, implants.

They have tried saliva, tears and interstitial fluid but sweat has the most promise. The device is the size of a band-aid and can be tailored to measure anything from drugs, to hormones, to dehydration. In the drug range it will allow the doctor to tailor a dosage to the specific individual so that we do not overmedicate.



## Mid America Convention List – March 2019 Continued

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| 2     | Altoona, IA<br><a href="https://quadcitycon.com">https://quadcitycon.com</a>   | Quad Con          |
| 7-9   | Indy Pop Con<br><a href="https://indypopcon.com">https://indypopcon.com</a>  | Indianapolis, IN  |
| 7-9   | Oklahoma City, OK<br><a href="https://www.soonercon.com">https://www.soonercon.com</a>   | SoonerCon         |
| 13-16 | Jefferson City, MO<br><a href="http://cosplacon-mo.squarespace.com">http://cosplacon-mo.squarespace.com</a>                        | CosPlayCon        |
| 14-16 | Las Vegas, NV<br><a href="https://www.amazingcomiccon.com/amazing-las-vegas">https://www.amazingcomiccon.com/amazing-las-vegas</a> | Amazing Comic Con |
| 21-23 | Rosemont, IL<br><a href="https://www.creationent.com/cal/gateway25.htm">https://www.creationent.com/cal/gateway25.htm</a>          | Gateway           |
| 22-23 | St Louis, MO<br><a href="https://stlouiscomiccon.com">https://stlouiscomiccon.com</a>  | Comic Con         |

### July 2019

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| 5-7   | Indianapolis, IN<br><a href="http://www.inconjunction.org">http://www.inconjunction.org</a>                                | InConJunction       |
| 12-14 | Hunt Valley, MD<br><a href="http://www.shore-leave.com">http://www.shore-leave.com</a>                                     | Shore Leave         |
| 18-21 | San Diego, CA<br><a href="https://www.comic-con.org/ci">https://www.comic-con.org/ci</a>                                   | Intl Comic Con      |
| 26-28 | Washington DC<br><a href="https://www.otakon.com">https://www.otakon.com</a>   | Otakon              |
| 31-4  | Las Vegas, NV<br><a href="https://www.creationent.com/calendar.htm#stlv">https://www.creationent.com/calendar.htm#stlv</a> | Star Trek Las Vegas |

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| 1-4   | Indianapolis, IN<br><a href="http://www.gencon.com">http://www.gencon.com</a>                                  | Gen Con           |
| 22-25 | Chicago, IL<br><a href="https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/chicago">https://wizardworld.com/comiccon/chicago</a> | Wizard World      |
| 30-1  | Indianapolis, IN<br><a href="https://indianacomicon.com">https://indianacomicon.com</a>                        | Indiana Comic-Con |

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| 21-22 | Topeka, KS<br><a href="http://www.topcon.us">http://www.topcon.us</a> | TopCon |
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# Photo Gallery



Edward & Khane



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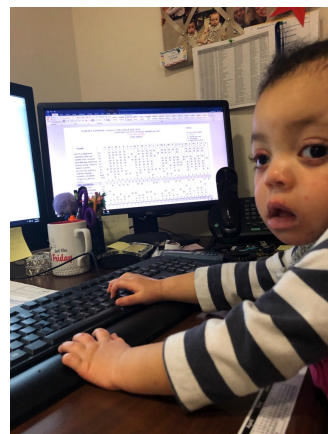
Eddie & Madea



Rhonda and Edyn



More three Edwards



Future Hacker - Lyla

# Star Wars News



## Star Wars Podcasts viewed by your CO

**REBEL FORCE RADIO:** <https://player.fm/series/rebel-force-radio-star-wars-podcast> (NEWS & INTERVIEWS)

**FULL OF SITH:** <https://player.fm/series/full-of-sith-star-wars-news-discussions-and-interviews-30977> (PHILOSOPHY & NEWS)

**STEELE WARS:** <https://player.fm/series/steele-wars-star-wars-podcast-2151292> (Star Wars & Comedy)

**STAR WARS REPORT:** <https://player.fm/series/star-wars-report-podcast> (Projects & News)

**FORCECAST NETWORK:** <https://player.fm/series/forcecast-network-star-wars-news-and-commentary-all-shows> (News & Commentary)

**UNDERWORLD:** <https://player.fm/series/the-star-wars-underworld-podcast> (News & Rumors)

**JEDI JOURNALS:** <https://player.fm/series/jedi-journals-star-wars-literature-podcast> (Literature)

**COLLIDER JEDI COUNCIL:** <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLayt6616IBcnqEWU6U0D8I95SUiqVU3DR> (Weekly News)

**STAR WARS SHOW:** <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL148kCvXk8pBjG-JOhIU6rWzLyA2O2an> (News & Guests)

**RESISTANCE RADIO:** <http://resistanceradio.net> (News & Underworld)

**REBELS:** <http://rebelcels.com> (Rebels News)



# Trek Talk

## Star Trek Discovery Photos

(Please consider watch Star Trek Discovery. The show is great and if you cannot get it where you are at, please join me for a viewing. Yes, I am promoting the show and that is because I want Trek on television and I want more Trek. If we do not support what is there, there may be no additional programing.)



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# Star Wars News

13. Episode IX may feature a T-65 X-Wing: <https://thecantina.starwarsnewsnet.com/index.php?threads/star-wars-episode-ix-might-feature-a-t-65-x-wing.55910/>
14. Resistance Broadcast, Feb 25: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/02/the-resistance-broadcast-details-from-our-obi-wan-kenobi-series-report.html>
15. Obi-Wan TV Show rumored for Disney: <https://www.slashfilm.com/obi-wan-kenobi-tv-series/> and will be a streaming service item.
16. The Future of Star Wars: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/02/alan-horn-star-wars-future.html>
17. Resistance Broadcast, Feb 21: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/02/the-resistance-broadcast-lucasfilm-story-group-what-would-you-say-ya-do-here.html>
- 18: SW Celebration will have a Phantom Menace 20th panel: <https://movieweb.com/phantom-menace-20th-anniversary-panel-star-wars-celebration/>
19. The first trailer for Episode IX will show with Avenger: End Game.
20. Resistance Broadcast, February 18: <https://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2019/02/the-resistance-broadcast-artoo-done-too-and-episode-ix-art-concepts-leaked.html>



## Fleet News

1. Region 12 has 19 chapter with 460 persons. The USS Horizon has 78 members with 12 others recently renewing. The region is slowly losing members again.
2. Post Card exchange: <https://www.facebook.com/Starfleet-Post-Card-X-Change-3630>
3. Fleet Positions: [https://l.facebook.com/l.php?u=https%3A%2F%2Fgoo.gl%2Fforms%2F5YlqtmoRp7KhGOzs1&h=ATOXXd\\_x19N6dAKjS2Zw\\_o8-ss2mex8sRy0dYY-YelqASKR\\_-cYBJCTHoLTw4rYrB9shC9smYn\\_weFcUaQWQI6LpR7jo3EFBhs-FRcxI5OZtK8Kz\\_YUGmNpHPIBofgfJmJQ](https://l.facebook.com/l.php?u=https%3A%2F%2Fgoo.gl%2Fforms%2F5YlqtmoRp7KhGOzs1&h=ATOXXd_x19N6dAKjS2Zw_o8-ss2mex8sRy0dYY-YelqASKR_-cYBJCTHoLTw4rYrB9shC9smYn_weFcUaQWQI6LpR7jo3EFBhs-FRcxI5OZtK8Kz_YUGmNpHPIBofgfJmJQ)
4. Yan Huang, USS Alba, passed on March 8
5. Annual Writing contest: [comms@sfi.org](mailto:comms@sfi.org)
6. Shakedown Launch: USS Solstice, Region 7, Glenn Smith commanding
7. New Chapter, USS Sun-Tzu, West Fork, AK, Region 12, Robert Frizzie commanding
8. There are now R12 Training Courses: [ussmoco@hotmail.com](mailto:ussmoco@hotmail.com)
9. There were database upgrades March 13th.
10. Michael Garcia is the new director of Starfleet: Engage
11. Region 12 Annual Awards
  - a. For Annual Awards 2018
  - b. Member of the Year: Rezty Felty
  - c. Enlisted Officer of the Year: Connie Arensman
  - d. Officer of the Year: Tracy Mengel
  - e. Commanding Officer of the Year: Shane Russell
  - f. Chapter: USS Orion