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WASABICON PDX ANIME, COSPLAY, AND GAMING EVENT RETURNS TO PORTLAND After a brand change under new ownership, the weekend long pop culture festival offers an opportunity for enthusiasts to celebrate fandom together.

(PORTLAND, OREGON. August 12, 2021) WasabiCon PDX is a two-day pop culture convention for fans of Asian pop culture, cosplay, and gaming. Previously operating under the names Newcon PDX and Fandom PDX, the event (under new ownership) is set to welcome artists, vendors, and media guests the weekend of August 21-22, 2021 at the Sheraton Portland Airport Hotel.

WasabiCon PDX will feature over fifty exhibitors for attendees to peruse along with panels, contests, an anime viewing room, and more. This year, the event will feature Amanda C. Miller: the English voice of Boruto from the Japanese animated series *Boruto*, the sequel to the blockbuster *Naruto* franchise. Joining her is voice actor Zach Aguilar, the English voice of Tanjiro from the series *Demon Slayer* and the motion picture *Demon Slayer The Movie: Mugen Train*. The *Demon Slayer* movie, released earlier this year, holds the record for the largest opening for a foreign film in the United States and is the highest grossing anime film of all time.

Tickets are \$25 for Saturday, \$20 for Sunday, or \$40 for the weekend. You can purchase admission in advance on the WasabiCon PDX website (WasabiCon.com/pdx/tickets/) or at the door each day. Parking is free for all attendees. Events begin at 10:00 AM each day and conclude at 8:00 PM on Saturday and 6:00 PM on Sunday.

Masks will be required in all indoor public settings across Oregon starting Friday, August 13, 2021. Therefore, all attendees must wear a mask when participating in WasabiCon PDX.

Complete details are available online at WasabiCon.com/pdx

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