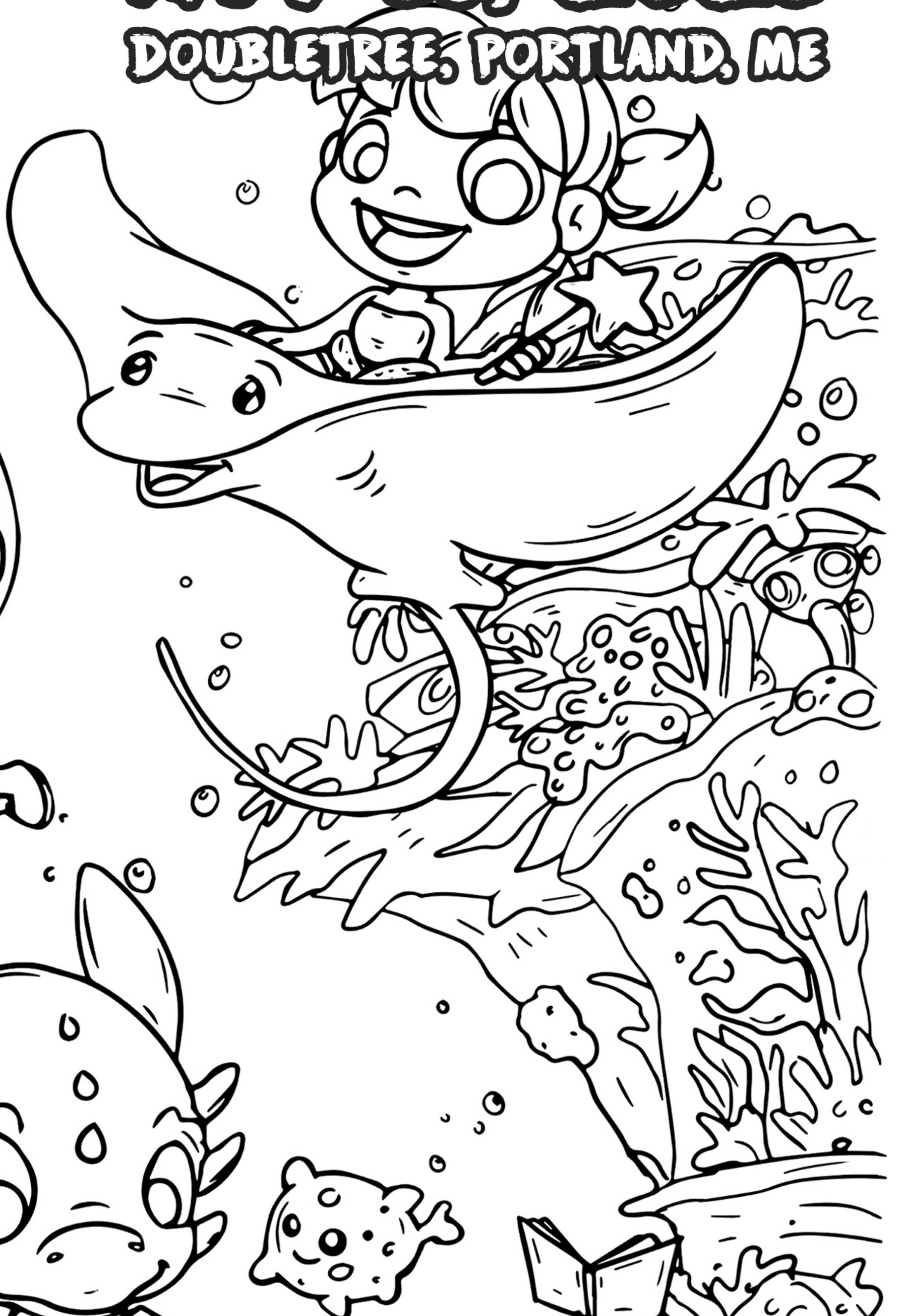


**KIDS
CON**
NEW ENGLAND

NOV 13, 2021
DOUBLETREE, PORTLAND, ME



**EVENT PROGRAM
& ACTIVITIES**

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WELCOME

KIDS CON NEW ENGLAND 2021!

In our sixth year, we are super excited to bring back our event to Maine, with lots more awesome artists and authors from around the country, workshops, activities, gaming and fun! Join in on the various contests and win awesome prizes!



Pictures & Videos will be posted after the event on our website and facebook!

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Share & post your pics with us!
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#KIDSCON #KIDSCON2021

A HUGE Thanks to:

Volunteers: Adam, Anais, Beth, Cameron, Circe, Emily, Jason, Jeremy, Travis
Sponsors: Maine's CW, BinnieMedia, Diversions Puzzles & Games, Game Makers Guild, Jetpack Comics, Cruise Planners, Homelight, Fox Pest Control, Porch, Inspection Support Network, Hire a Helper, Alison Schloss, Portland Pie Co, Alphagraphics Manchester
Guests: Jim Lawson, Mark Parisi, Tim Jones, Dave London, Calm Passion, Team 172 NF, Prisma Photo Ops, FIRST Robotics, Team 172 NF, Prisma Photo Ops, Sages Entertainment, Granite State Ghostbusters, Pine State Heroes, Heroes for Hire NE, Seaside Princess Parties, Daniel, Alex, Cliva, Andrew, 501st NE Garrison, Old Port Batman & Batgirl, Galliens, and to all our awesome artists, authors & vendors! THANK YOU!

IMPORTANT STUFF

Masks & wristbands required for ages 5+ to enter the event.

Location:

Doubletree by Hilton
363 Maine Mall Rd.
Portland, ME 04106



Show Hours:

Saturday November 13, 2021
10AM to 5PM
(9:40AM Online Ticket Holders Early Bird)

Tickets:

Ages 5 & up: \$12
Under 5yr: FREE!
Military & Seniors (65+): \$10

Yum Yums:

Restaurants on site:
Chipotle, Cracker Barrel, Starbucks

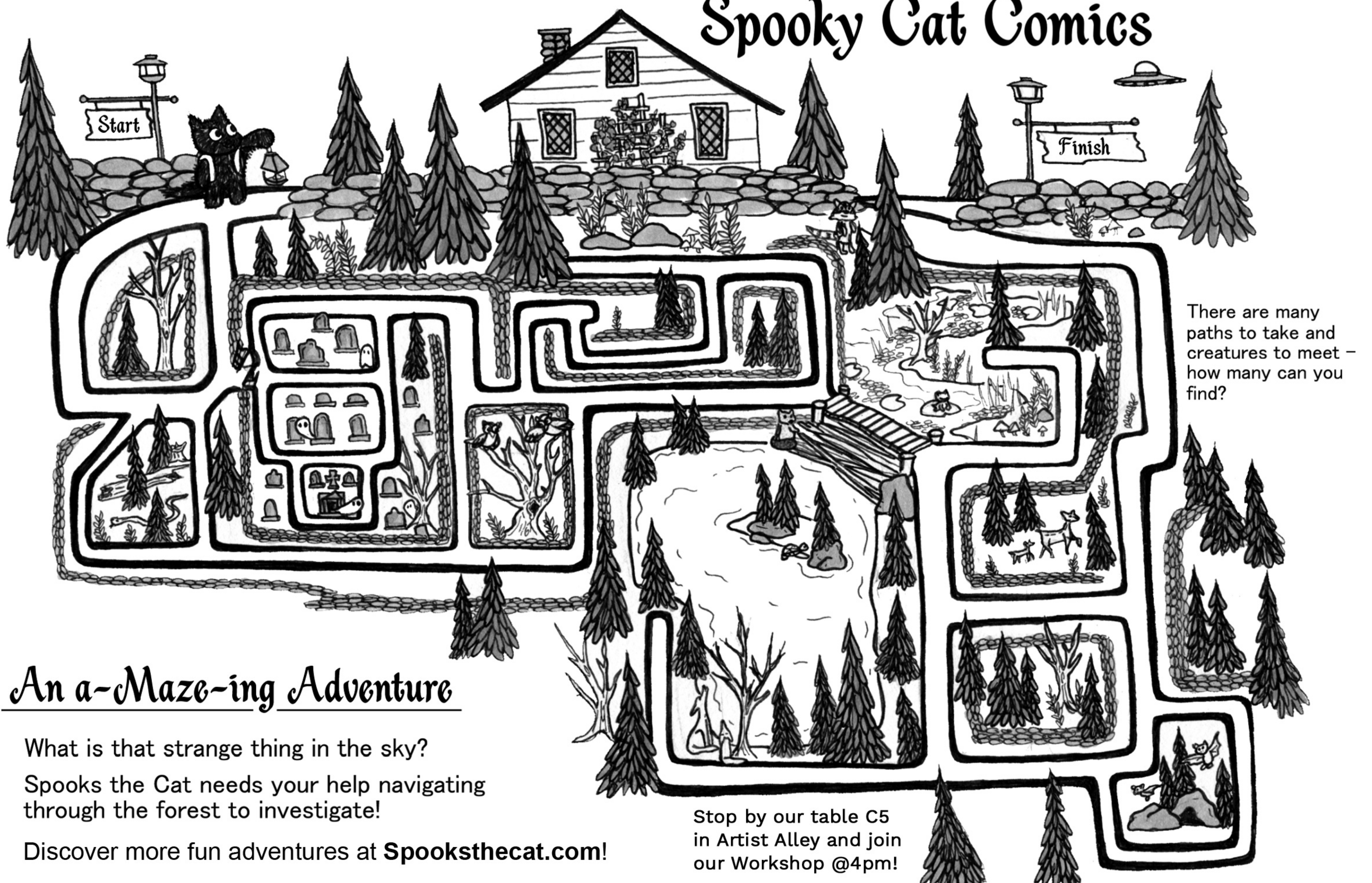
Within a mile or less:
Popeye's, Chili's, Uno's, Longhorn, IHOP, Five Guys, Gyro Express, Panera, Burger King, McDonald's, Moe's BBQ, Olive Garden, Taco Bell, Romano's Mac Grill, Little Caesar's, Pizza Plus Sandwich Shop & more

ATM, Snacks, Lost & Found:

Hotel East Lobby
Wifi open



Spooky Cat Comics



There are many paths to take and creatures to meet - how many can you find?

An a-Maze-ing Adventure

What is that strange thing in the sky?

Spooks the Cat needs your help navigating through the forest to investigate!

Discover more fun adventures at Spooksthecat.com!

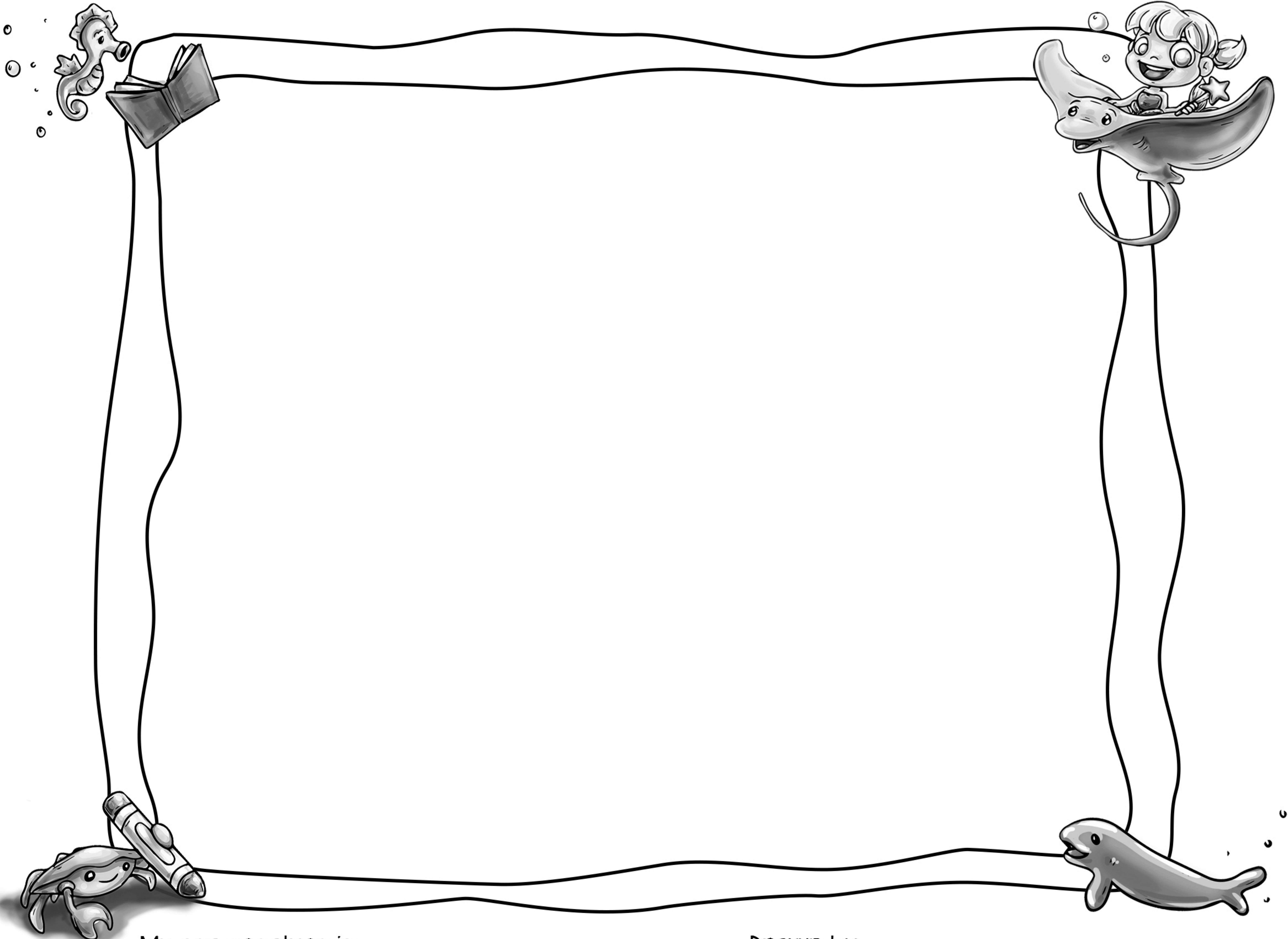
Stop by our table C5 in Artist Alley and join our Workshop @4pm!



SEA QUEST



LET'S EXPLORE THE OCEAN USING OUR IMAGINATION!
CREATE AND DRAW A CREATURE OF THE SEA, REAL OR IMAGINARY!



My sea creature is:

Drawn by:

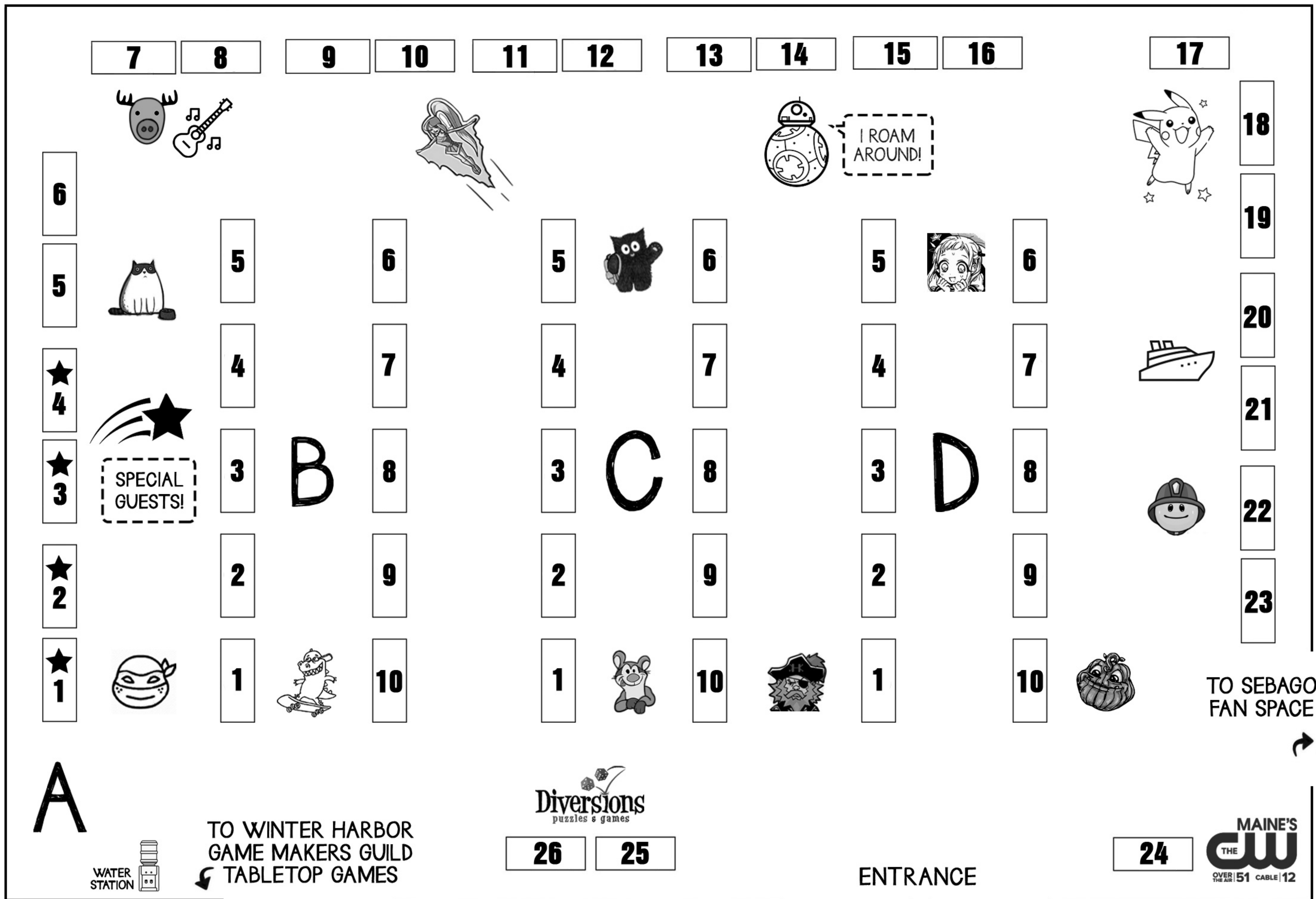
THANK YOU TO OUR AMAZING SPONSORS & SUPPORTERS!



ARTIST & AUTHOR ALLEY



Check out all the creators & cool art!



LIGHTHOUSE BALLROOM - ARTISTS, AUTHORS & VENDORS:

- ★ A1 JIM LAWSON, *TMNT*
- ★ A2 MARK PARISI, *OFF THE MARK*
- ★ A3 DAVE LONDON, *PET PEEVES*
- ★ A4 TIM JONES, *SOUR GRAPES*
- A5 JENNIFER MORRIS, *FLUBBY THE CAT*
- A6 LAUREN KRUGH ILLUSTRATION
- A7 JIM PETIPAS, *COWS GO MOO*
- A8 AARON RISI, *MOOSE WITH A UKE*
- A9 CRAIG HOLLAND ILLUSTRATION
- A10 HB COMICS, *TEAM SYNERGY*
- A11 SEW CUTE WORKSHOP
- A12 ALEXANDRA'S STEAMPUNK EMPORIUM
- A13 ALEXANDRA'S STEAMPUNK EMPORIUM
- A14 ALEXANDRA'S STEAMPUNK EMPORIUM
- A15 SUNNY SPONDER
- A16 SCATTERBRAIN HANDMADE
- A17 THE AWESOME COUPLE
- A18 THE AWESOME COUPLE
- A19 ANTMONSTER TOYS
- A20 CRUISE PLANNERS
- A21 CRUISE PLANNERS
- A22 FIREMAN RON, LIMERICK FIRE DEPT.
- A23 JADE FOREST ARMOURY
- A24 MAINE'S THE CW - **WIN PRIZES!**
- A25 DIVERSIONS PUZZLES & GAMES
- A26 DIVERSIONS PUZZLES & GAMES
- B1 CASCO BAY STUDIOS, *TEAM DINO*
- B2 DAVIS ARTS FANDOMS ILLUSTRATED
- B3 HUSKY LEAF STUDIOS
- B4 BELANGER BOOKS
- B5 MELANIE ANN ARTS
- B6 LEONA HOSACK CARICATURES
- B7 BILL PAGUM
- B8 VICKI VEGA

- B9 ALLIE THEK, *ACT CRAFTY*
- B10 BOSTON COMICS ROUNDTABLE
- C1 NATE KANE, *TREZILLA ART*
- C2 MEG GRESOCK ART
- C3 KELSEY HAILS, *MAGENTA FANTASIES*
- C4 MELISSA MENZONE ART
- C5 ALISON SCHLOSS, *SPOOKS THE CAT*
- C6 NORTHEAST COLLECTIBLES
- C7 FRIENDS OF MOMO
- C8 CULLIVER CRANTZ, *FRIGHTVISION*
- C9 LIAM SPAULDING, *SLUGS*
- C10 SCOTTY ARSENAULT ILLUSTRATION
- D1 KEITH GLEASON, *MIGHTY MASCOTS*
- D2 SUE GRECO PAINTS
- D3 EYES 4 LEARNING
- D4 EYES 4 LEARNING
- D5 THE HERO SHACK
- D6 GEEKS-TER
- D7 GEEKS-TER
- D8 CLANDROIDS BATTLE BOTS
- D9 KIDS ARCANUM, *CRAFTY QUESTS*
- D10 DEREK DEXTRAZE, *PUMPKIN WIZARD*

LOBBY:

- L1 CHECK-IN, TICKETS & MERCH
- L2 EMILYATPLAY, *ARYA'S ADVENTURES*
- L3 COSTUME CONTEST SIGN-UP
- L3 SCAVENGER HUNT & COLORING CONTEST PRIZES PICKUP*
- *COLORING CONTEST WINNERS POSTED AT TABLE.
- *MUST BE PRESENT TO COLLECT, WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.
- L4 TOYS FOR TOTS COLLECTIONS
- L5 SAGES ENTERTAINMENT, *MAGIC*

WINTER HARBOR:

GAME MAKERS GUILD & DIVERSIONS PUZZLES & GAMES:

- G1 MOVE RATE 20 GAMES
- G2 YUTA GAME DESIGN
- G3 PAIR OF JACKS GAMES
- G4-6 DIVERSIONS PUZZLES & GAMES

SEBAGO: FAN SPACE

F1 PRISMA PHOTO OPS GREEN SCREEN EXPERIENCE
Strike a superhero pose! Get your pictures taken in a fun environment of your choosing, with superheroes, princesses, Yoshi, Pikachu, Power Rangers & more at the show! Just ask!

- F2 FIRST ROBOTICS TEAM 172 NORTHERN FORCE
- F3 501ST NE GARRISON STAR WARS CHARACTERS
- F4 GRANITE STATE GHOSTBUSTERS
- F5 SEASIDE PRINCEE PARTIES
- F6 PINE STATE HEROES & HEROES FOR HIRE NE

LITTLE RIVER BAT CAVE:

OLD PORT BATGIRL & BATMAN: Meet the 2020 Guinness World Record Cosplayer with the Most Functional Gadgets!
10-11AM, 1-1:40PM (roaming halls in between)

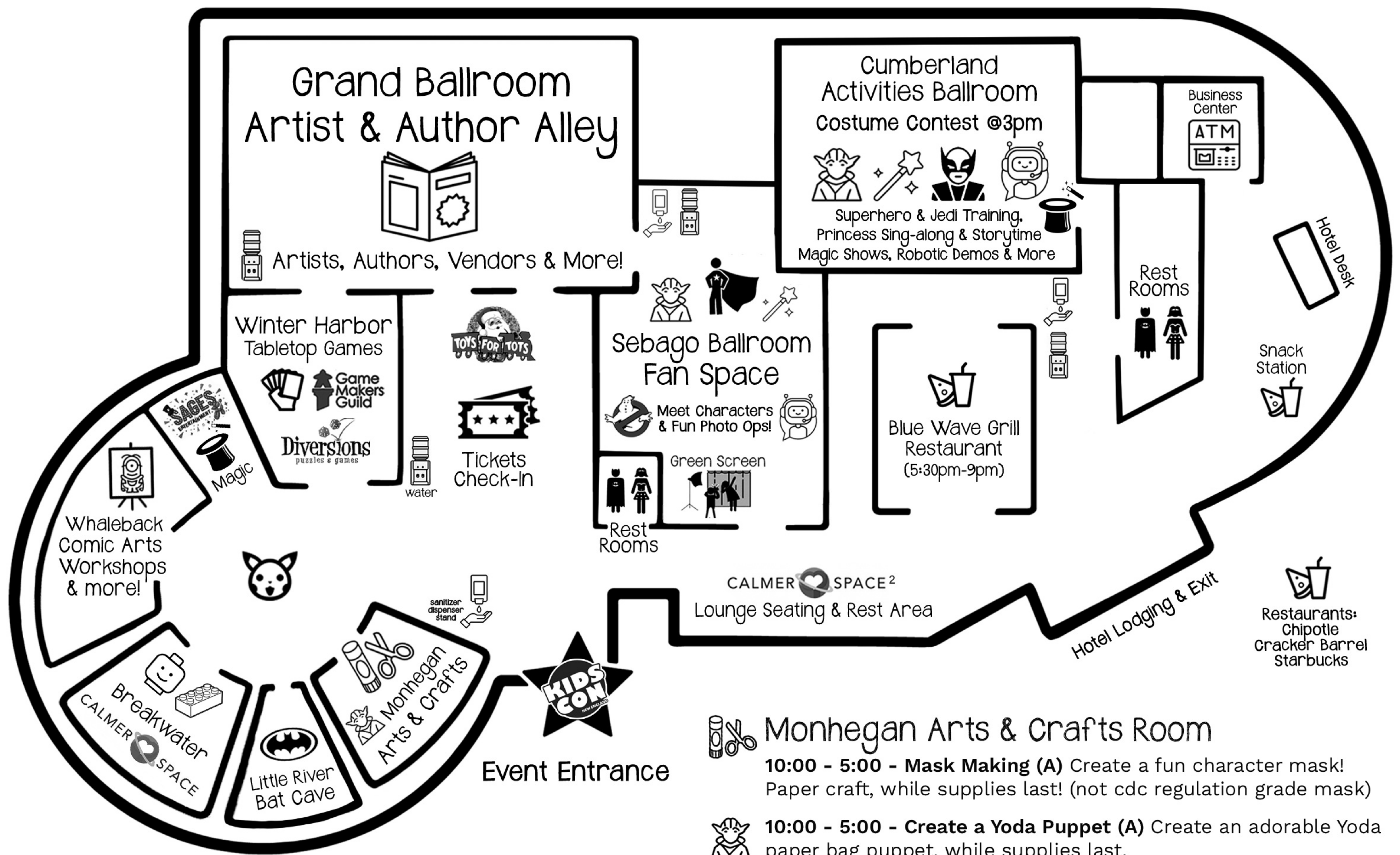
Also at **SUPERHERO TRAINING: 2:20 Cumberland Ballroom!**

LOBBY: EVENT CHECK-IN, TICKETS, MERCH & PRIZES, TOYS FOR TOTS
***SIGNUP HERE FOR KIDS & FAMILY COSTUME CONTEST CONTEST @3PM IN CUMBERLAND BALLROOM**

SAGES ENTERTAINMENT: Magic Demos & Kits,
MAGIC SHOWS: 11-11:40, 12:40-1:20 Cumberland Ballroom!

FOOD: EAST LOBBY: SNACKS, DRINKS, BLUE WAVE GRILL
ON SITE: CHIPOTLE, CRACKER BARREL, STARBUCKS
(DOZEN MORE RESTAURANTS WITHIN 1 MILE)





EVENT SCHEDULE:

Grand Ballroom Artist & Author Alley
10:00 – 5:00 - Meet Comic & Children’s Book Artists, Authors, Creators, Vendors, and get cool art, comics, books, toys & more!
 *Participate in the Scavenger Hunt & Win a Prize, while supplies last!

Whaleback Workshop Room
10:30 - 11:10 - **Cartooning with Tim Jones: Learn to Draw Expressions and Characters from Sour Grapes Comic Strip (A)** Learn to draw expressive faces & more in this fun class!

11:20 - 12:00 - **Draw Fantastic Beasts with Jennifer Morris (A)** Create a zoo full of bizarre and amazing creatures!

12:10 – 12:50 - **Write & Illustrate a Comic Strip Gag with Dave London (A)** Learn to illustrate a joke in comic strip format!

1:00 – 1:40 - **Draw Monty the Moose, Ukulele Song & Story with Aaron Risi (A)** Learn the story of Monty the Moose and how he got his ukulele, enjoy a song and learn to draw Monty!

2:00 – 2:40 - **Draw Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles with Jim Lawson (A)** Learn how to draw TMNT characters & more!

3:00 – 3:40 - **Cartooning & Character Design with Mark Parisi (A)** Learn about character design and how to draw cartoon characters from Marty Pants comic & more!

4:00 – 4:40 - **Create an Adventure Story with Spooks the Cat comic creator, Alison Schloss (A)** Put on your creative caps and participate in this spooky fun adventure group activity! What will Spook the Cat encounter next?

CALMER SPACE Breakwater Room

10:00 – 5:00 - **Calmer Space: Presented by Calm Passion (A)** Enjoy Lego building and low stress activities, sensory friendly space with comfy chairs to help you relax, refocus, recharge and rejoin the activities when you’re ready. Calmpassion.org

Also, join them for fun **Jedi Training: 10:10-10:40, 11:50-12:30** in the Cumberland Ballroom!

Monhegan Arts & Crafts Room
10:00 - 5:00 - **Mask Making (A)** Create a fun character mask! Paper craft, while supplies last! (not CDC regulation grade mask)

10:00 - 5:00 - **Create a Yoda Puppet (A)** Create an adorable Yoda paper bag puppet, while supplies last.

10:00 - 5:00 - **Coloring Fun (A)** Fun & cute coloring activity pages, illustrated by Kids Con artists, available while supplies last.

12:00 – 12:40 - **Coloring Contest - Win Prizes! (Ages 12 & under)** Show off your coloring skills and enter to win prizes! Write your name on the back of a coloring page and submit it at the marked collection spot at the table in the room. Winners will be posted at 1:30 at the Kids Con booth in the lobby. Must be present to collect prize before end of the event.

4:10 – 4:40 - **Sketch-Off - Win Prizes! (A)** Show off your drawing skills and battle to win the title of Kids Con Sketch Champion!

Winter Harbor Game Room
10:00 - 5:00 - **Table Top Gaming: Game Makers Guild & More (A)** Meet game makers and learn to play fun family-friendly games!

10:00 - 5:00 - **Table Top Gaming: Diversions Puzzles & Games (A)** Play fun family-friendly games provided by our sponsor, Diversions Puzzles & Games!

Cumberland Activities Ballroom

10:10-10:40, 11:50-12:30 - **Jedi Training: (Ages 5+)** Presented by Calm Passion - Calling all Padawans! Learn the jedi arts!

11-11:40, 12:40-1:20 - **Magic Shows with Sages Entertainment (A)** Watch Wayne and Kali as they perform their magic! Visit them in the lobby for more magic fun!

1:30 - 2:10 - **Magical Sing-along & Storytime with Seaside Princess Parties (A)** Anna, Elsa, Belle, Ariel and Merida!

2:20 - 2:50 - **Superheroes Training (A)** Learn what it takes to be a superhero! Meet superheroes, learn about them, practice poses and earn a certificate to become a certified superhero!

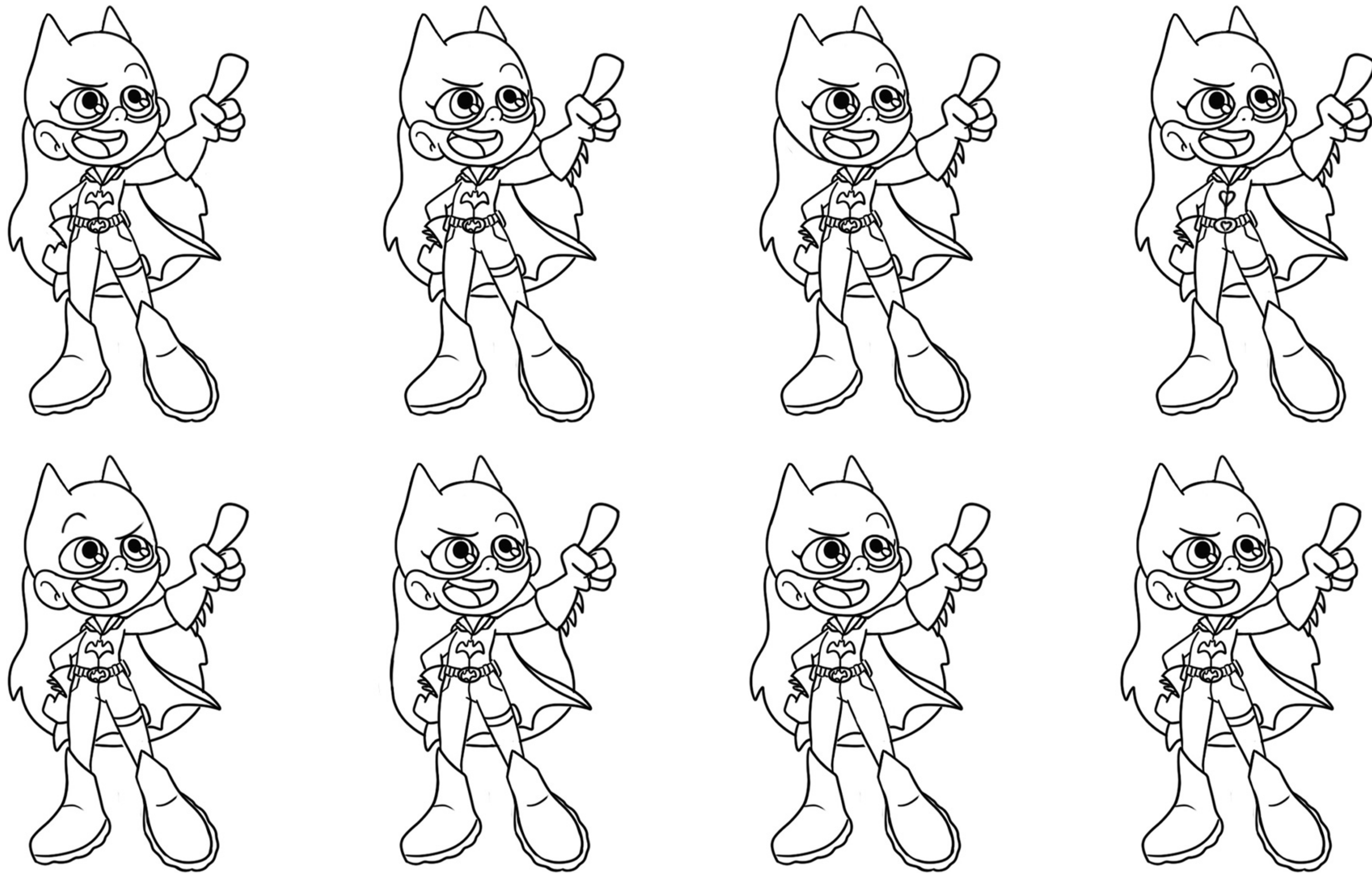
3:00 - 3:40 - **Kids & Family Costume Contest - Win Prizes! (A)** Show off your costumes! Must be present during contest to win. Register in the lobby at Kids Con check-in booth by 2:45.

4:00 - 4:40 - **Robotics Demos with First Robotics Team 172 Northern Force (Ages 7+)** Learn about robotics in these fun demos! Also visit their booth in the Sebago Fan Space for more fun learning!

Restaurants:
 Chipotle
 Cracker Barrel
 Starbucks

ARYA'S ADVENTURES

OH BOY, ARYA'S CREATED CLONES OF HERSELF WITH HER IMAGINATION!
CAN YOU SPOT WHICH TWO ARE EXACTLY ALIKE? COLOR THEM UP!



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ON SAT MAY 21, 2022 AT THE
EVERETT ARENA, CONCORD, NH!**

KIDS CON PORTLAND, ME RETURNS FALL 2022!

**EVENTS INFO & TICKETS:
KIDSCONNE.COM**

KIDS SCAVENGER HUNT!

Locate these books, games and items in Artist Alley & beyond! Ask the creator/exhibitor to sign their square. When all completed, present this to the Tickets Booth for a prize, and be entered in our raffle!*

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*prizes while supplies last. *refer to the event map & location hint below image!