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The Convention Issue
More types of con coverage than you can hurl a +6 sword at!
Anime mayhem in Baltimore
Philadelphia’s Furry Exodus

Please Feed THESE Animals!
Mayhem in Baltimore

Photoshooting our way through Otakon 2007 in a day.

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After our arrival in Baltimore’s Inner Harbor, we unpacked our stuff and settled into our hotel rooms. No con is complete without hard core drinking and cosplay so we combined the two. Hilarious results ensued and some of us had hangovers before Otakon’s opening ceremonies. Because of the said hangovers we missed the official opening ceremonies. Darn Drunks.

Instead we wandered aimlessly around Otakon. We were in search of folks in costume or cosplayers as well as convention attendees.

We didn’t have to travel far before finding some interesting suckers, er, we mean subjects to photograph. Everything and everyone from Street Fighter to BLEACH were on display. It was a video gaming/Japan-ophile/social outcast’s dream gathering which took over Baltimore’s Inner Harbor for four days. Were there lots of confused residents? Yes and we shamelessly (cosplaying as well) enjoyed every moment of it.

That night there was a rave party which provided an interesting end to our night. We were treated to dancing geeks, glow sticks and break dancers who put everyone else to shame. Break dancers rule, hands down. We left our fond childhood memories behind and returned to our hotel room to get drunk and play video games.
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**Features:**

**Mayhem in Baltimore**

The Otaku are out in full force for Otakon 2007. Join us as we shoot our way through this con with our cameras.

**The Fur Flies From Philly**

Philadelphia was formerly home to one of the largest Anthropomorphic conventions in the world. In 2006 this furry con was unable to find any brotherly love in Philly for its massive size and headed west. It's Pittsburgh's problem now. We give the largely unnoticed con our final parting shots.

**Convention History**

When and where did the first conventions start? Why should you care? Because we said so, that’s why.

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**Mainstay:**

**Monthly Snark**

The crap that pisses us off each month. Internet L33T speaking geeks. What’s up with that? Time to pwn their asses.

**Versus Mode**

This month we're spread the pain evenly and beat-up on both Apple and Microsoft. Which new OS is better, Vista or Leopard? Maybe they both suck. Only one way to find out...

**Gaming Gone**

With every good game there are a ton of bad ones. Now we'll just decide which ones are hilariously bad.

**Bad Round-up**

Social networking is this month’s victim. We’re looking at you Facebook.

**Disconnect**

Because trash talking isn’t any fun without the help of the fans. Fan love keeps the snarky force strong.