

SPRING SUN CELEBRATION MINICON 2026



Art: Namod

INTRO AND HOME RULES

The venue is open from 9.00 to 2.00 am on Saturday, 9.00 to 19.00 on Sunday.

Smoking is allowed only in the garden, away from the entrances.

For any need, reach the staff at the SSC Front Desk, located in the Dawn Hall (Vendor Area), or around the venue: you can easily identify the Staff Team by their **red lanyards (while attendees have **blue** lanyards)**

Transfers

Please confirm your transfers from/to the venue as soon as possible at the Front Desk or via Discord (on the dedicated section on the SSC server). We serve the following stations and hotels:

- Pilastrino train station
- Lavino di Mezzo train station
- Anzola train station
- Hotel Bologna Airport



Snacks and drinks in the Dawn, Sunset and Twilight Halls are free (please write your name on your glass to reuse, so we can reduce wastes). If you consume a lot, consider doing a little donation!

During the minicon, inside and outside the venue, are in force general rules of common sense; I am positive we don't need to list everything that's inappropriate. The Staff reserves the right to revoke access to anypony misbehaving.

Please note the Minicon is a private event; for this reason no unannounced or not registered attendees can enter the premises of the venue.

GUESTS OF HONOR



KORON KORAK

SSC is proud to host an awesome musician from Prance! Koron Korak is a very eclectic performer: he plays several instruments like violin, piano, drums, bass guitar; but he is also an amazing DJ.

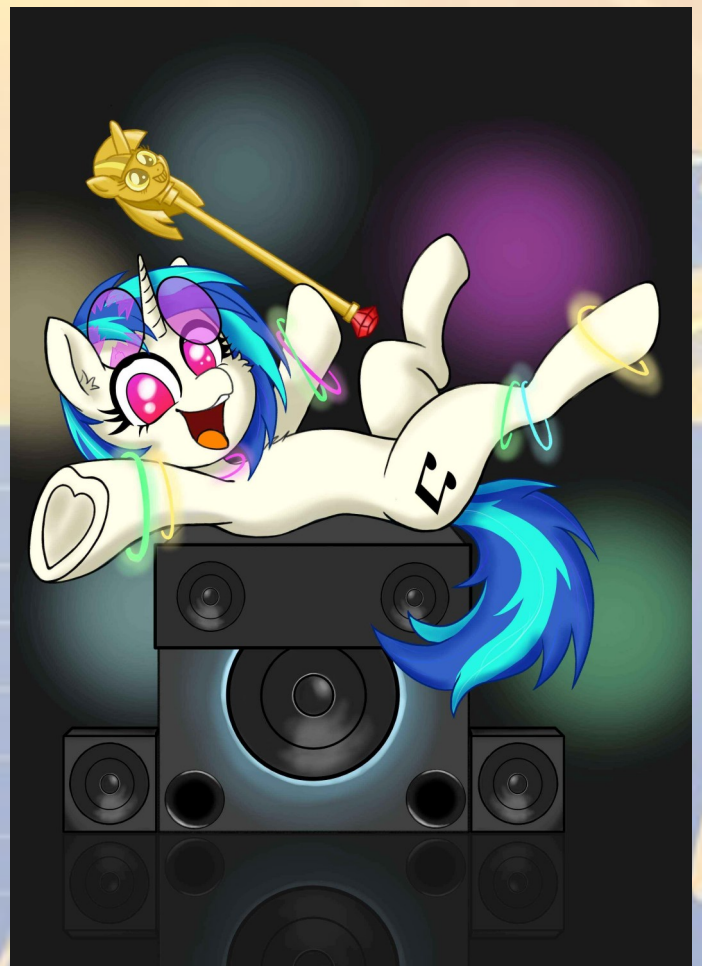
Considering how many energies he spends on the scene, it's funny to realize that his favourite pony is Somnambula!



BOOTLEG VINYL

Herald of Celestianism, Wielder of the Twilycane, Crafter and Creator of the Bass Cannon, is coming to bless SSC with his holy presence!

But that's not just about spirituality: he is also going to shake the venue and those lazy flanks with his wub-wub device at the Saturday concert (and not only, be prepared)!



FOOD

Obviously, food is important in an italian convention.

Saturday and Sunday Lunch: we are going to order delivery to the venue. There are physical copies of the menu around the venue and a digital copy on the SSC Discord Server.

You can order your food before 11.30 of each day, and have it served at 12.30 directly in the venue. Just ask to the SSC Front Desk.

Saturday Dinner: PIZZA PARTY! Directly served in the venue, you can buy all the pieces of pizza you want on the spot.

Sunday Dinner: dinner organized at “Baita Mamma Rina”; fixed price **25 EUR**. Includes 2 first courses (pasta with sausage sauce, linguine with ham and lemon), gnocco and tigelle*, sliced ham and other cured meat, cheese selection. Also available a vegetarian variant of pasta.

+5 EUR extra for wine.

Booking is required (maximum 20 slots).

Transfer organized from the venue to the restaurant at 20.00 of Sunday.

*flat round bread cooked on the moment and fried soft bread slices.

Snacks and beverages are available at the minicon for free.



Payments and donations

At the Minicon we are not yet ready to accept payment cards. You can pay everything either via cash or Paypal using the QR Code below:



Remember to write your
nickname in the text box!



Art: Ostarbito

Saturday 14 March

Time	SUNSET HALL (Mane room)	DAWN HALL (Vendor Area)	Twilight Room (Quiet Room)
10.00	OPENING		
11.00			
12.00	Pony Drawing Workshop	Vendor Hall Opening	Pony Tabletop games
13.00			
14.00	Birthday Party!		
15.00	Games and Quizzes		Miniature Painting Workshop
16.00			
17.00	Pony Art Panel		
18.00	Auction		
19.00		Vendor Hall Closing	
20.00			
21.00	Concert		RPG (Planeshift Equestria)
22.00			
23.00			
24.00	Flying Lantern Ceremony		



Sunday 15 March

Time	SUNSET HALL (Mane room)	DAWN HALL (Vendor Area)	Twilight Room (Quiet Room)
10.00	Games and Quizzes	Vendor Hall Opening	
11.00	Celestianism Worship		Pony Drawing Workshop
12.00			Cooking Workshop
13.00			
14.00	Ponybanda		RPG (Planeshift Equestria)
15.00			
16.00	Pony in Fiera (Price giveaway)		
17.00	KARAOKE		
18.00		Vendor Hall Closing	
19.00			
20.00	DINNER		
21.00			
22.00			



Panels, Events and Activities

Events and Spectacles

Birthday Party!

Two ponies are celebrating their birthday! Join us to wish a good ponylife to Etyline and Namor; there's also cake!

Celestianism Worship

All pray the Sun! Join the High Priest of the Celestianism, Bootleg Vinyl, in the Sacrament of the Sun Celebration, the Brony Baptism and a Wedding Ceremony.

Pony Art panel

SSC artists will talk about pony art and will guide you through a commentary on horse famous OCs

Pony in Fiera

Funny giveaway for everypony! Play to win more tickets, exchange them and earn all the good stuff!

Flying Lantern Ceremony

It's already an SSC tradition to light up some flying lanterns on Saturday night. Join us outside the venue right after the concert.

Workshops

Pony Drawing Workshop

Grab a pencil and join Ostarbrito and the other artists to discover simple tricks and tips to draw your favourite ponies. Instructions how to draw ships are not included.

Cooking Workshop ✨

Join us cooking some italian dishes! Yes, you are going to eat what we cooked, then! No complaints for food poisoning.

Miniature Painting Workshop ✨

Dario is presenting a basic introduction to miniature painting; once you have done, you can bring home the pony you have colored yourself!

Games

Pony Tabletop games:

PUNO, Cards against Ponykind, Twilight's Secret Shipfic Folder and others. Just sit at the table and play!

Games and Quizzes

Challenge yourself and the other attendees at games about ponies. The winner(s) of each round will earn amazing prizes!

PONYBANDA ✨

Laurel Crown presents a musical quiz on MLP songs! Mainly from the show but also from the fandom. Gather some friends to form a team and challenge the others for the amazing prizes!

NOTE: maximum 3 teams of 4 ponies each.

RPG—Planeshift Equestria

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It's 500 years since Nightmare Moon has been banished on the moon; Equestria is a land full of wonders under reconstruction, and the war between the Two Sisters has become a myth.

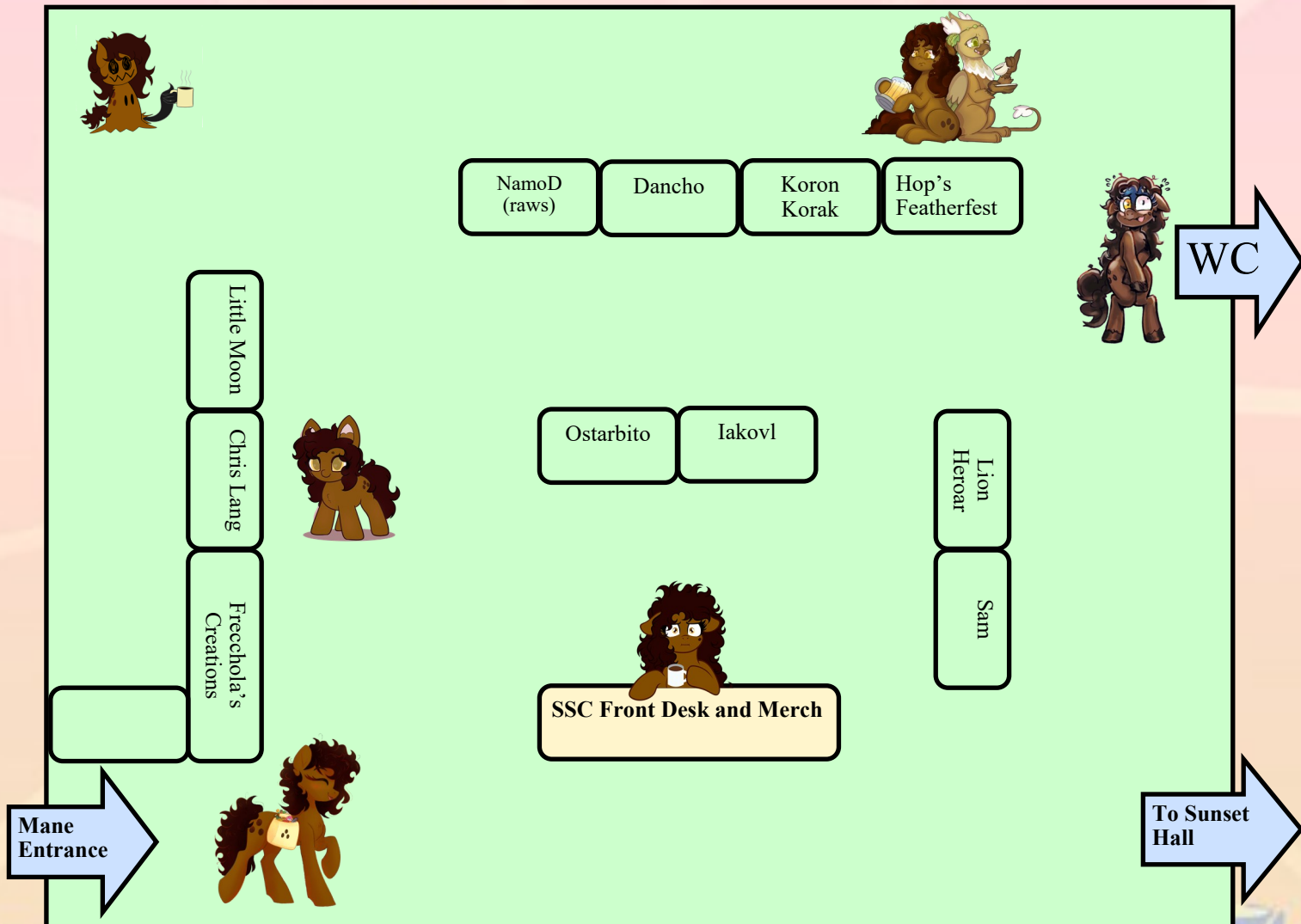
Dario holds RPG sessions for 3 to 6 players.

PLEASE NOTE: events with the ✨ symbol have limited slots, so it's highly recommended to register online (SSC Discord) or at the Front Desk (vendor area, Dawn Hall)





Vendors



I NEED MORE MERCH!



Art (from top left to bottom right): Laurel Crown, Little Moon, NamoD, Sodapop Spray, Sweet Cream, KuroArt, Scrauso

Meet the SSC staff



ICO_N / Pyrite

How did you land on SSC? I needed a break from lighting fires in the house, so I looked for a herd different from the ones I grazed with. I found a strange pony; he seemed to know me. Maybe he was right, because I went from 0 to 100 in less than a year...

What's your role in SSC? As said, I specialize in fires, so it's a short step from fire to chef... sometimes it's difficult to prepare for a herd that's having fun while I'm toiling away. But I have two advantages: I can poison my enemies knowing their intolerances and, above all, as a chef, I don't clean the dishes!

Tell us a bit about yourself. Rainbow pastel pone enjoyer, autistic pone, serial pony hoarder, gamer, crazy OC creator from a distant and forgotten land, I don't like to fly with my own wings, I prefer that others take responsibility for my demise!

On what specific fixation are you specialized? Comics, fan comic dubs, references' finder, pop pony culture seeker, lore keeper!

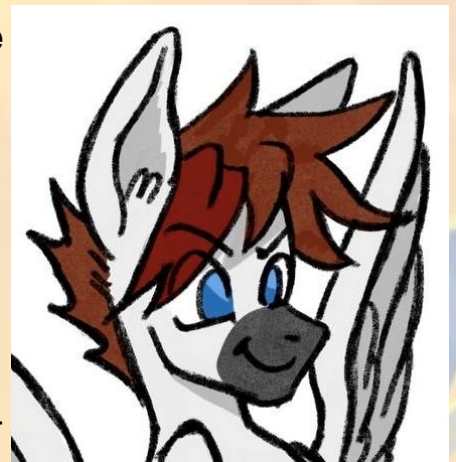
Etyline

How did you land on SSC? After some years wondering around, I found this little tribe of crazy ponies and decided to stick with them. We all share a single brain cell!

What's your role in SSC? I bring music to the ponies and help who wants to perform to reach the audience loud and clear!

Tell us a bit about yourself. I'm an adventurer who likes to challenge himself and sometimes messing my own things up.

On what specific fixation are you specialized? I'm very socially awkward and got low self esteem. If you meet me and i act off, keep bothering me! I will eventually open up!



Scrauso / Scrap

How did you land on SSC? I didn't arrive in SSC, it just spawned spontaneously under my hooves! I was in a serious withdrawal crisis for lack of ponycons, and I felt compelled to make one.

What's your role in SSC? I wish I knew.

Tell us a bit about yourself. I am gold medal of Sleep Deprivation and I consume excessive amounts of coffee. Oh! Now I realize how Moka was born.

On what specific fixation are you specialized? Organizing things, channeling ponies energies and enthusiasm. And collecting/producing pony merch. There's no such a thing as enough pony merch.

Meet the SSC staff



NamoD / Cyberlime-Dotnette

How did you land on SSC? I smelled cheese.

What's your role in SSC? Whatever I have to do to obtain cheese

Tell us a bit about yourself. Hi, I make art and animations and I like cheese

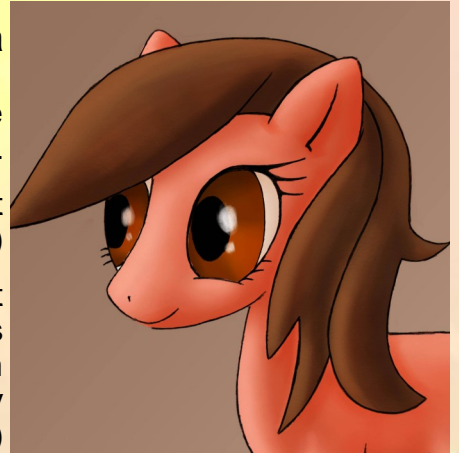
On what specific fixation are you specialized? C H E E S E

Frecchola

How did you land on SSC? A cool draconequus dragged me into this group run by a chick with a top hat.

What's your role in SSC? Vendor hall staffer (I'm a crochet pattern designer. What did you expect?)

Tell us a bit about yourself. I make nerd and cute crochet patterns to live. In this group, finally, I feel part of italian MLP's fandom and I'm okay with that. I've got a ponysona, you can see her in the picture aside, but she hasn't got a name (stay tuned! It will arrive soon! I promise!)



On what specific fixation are you specialized? "Grumis", because all can call them "amigurumis", but a very energetic kelpie told me that cute nickname. I can't stop calling them like this, right now!



Chris Lang / Mischief

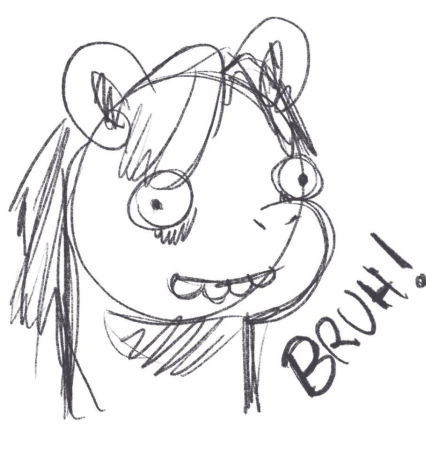
How did you land on SSC? I met a nice and fancy chick, we talked and became friends. *Forever*

What's your role in SSC? Forger of ideas, Crazy artist and Official Chaos Entity

Tell us a bit about yourself. Are you sure you want to know?

On what specific fixation are you specialized? I'm actually shy. - Ironic and mischievous smile-

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Little Moon

How did you land on SSC? Meeep!

Runs away and hides

What's your role in SSC? "....."

We had an interview to run...?

Well, ok.

Ostarbito / Grey

How did you land on SSC? I was lucky enough to meet some really cool people at my first convention I ever attended (Eponafest) and it was a "friendship at first sight".

What's your role in SSC? Serial goofy artist.

Tell us a bit about yourself. I'm a shy mare with a passion for drawing, but once you get to know me I become a lot more sociable. Did you know? Wings aren't just for flying, they could also be used as an extra set of hands- I mean hooves...

On what specific fixation are you specialized? 2D artwork, digital as well as traditional art with the use of pencils and markers, I emphasize on a cartoony aesthetic while maintaining the G4 with my own little "twist".



Defenderlin / Lin

Another pillar of the art team of SSC, famous for being a silly angry slav pony.

She can't be here for an interview but we already know what she could answer at our questions:

"Shit yourself"

Thank you Lin for your invaluable contribution.



Albion / Cerulean Skies

Special thanks to our britalian friend for being the "emotional support" pony.



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Moka

How did you land on SSC? At the first edition they made the joke about having a mascotte for the coffee machine... I don't know if to be flattered or annoyed.

What's your role in SSC? I am the mascotte!

Tell us a bit about yourself. I am super energetic, outgoing, extrovert, and I love to spend time with the other ponies! I want to do big things all together!

On what specific fixation are you specialized? Coffee! Any kind of good coffee!

Thanks also to all Moka's friends she made around the World!



Hanging out
with Ines and
Sequoia!
FresMare,
California



Exchanging
drinks with Hop
Hop's Featherfest,
Austria
(I don't like beer...)

A trip in Colta-
nia with Aran-
cino
Etnaponies,
Italy



Greetings from Etna!

Art: MS Colorsplash, Namod,
Little Moon, SomeStupidFrog

Thank YOU for being part of the herd!

There's a few things that make a convention unforgettable, and the most important one are surely the ponies participating at it! Pony conventions are not like other cons, they represent an occasion to participate together to create an experience, a moment of sharing a passion that it's difficult to explain to those who are not into it; an opportunity to create memories that we can treasure forever, thanks to the ponies we met, the games we played, the food we shared, the songs we sang together, under the great flag of Equestria, in a magical land we keep alive in our hearts.

For this reasons, we all THANK YOU for joining here today, to celebrate the wonderful world of pastel-colored small equines, and to create memories with the rest of the herd.

By the whole Spring Sun Celebration Herd,
we wish you a great pony convention, even if it's just a "mini"convention.

May your ride never end

The SSC Herd

Our socials and contacts

Telegram Channel



Discord Server



Bluesky

You can hop on the ride there, while waiting for the Spring Sun Celebration 2027!



Art: KuroArt (top), Mewryy (bottom)