

D23 EXPO FRIDAY Schedule | September 9, 2022

Sounds Delightful | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 10 a.m.

Join Disney artist and historian Stacia Martin for an all-new edition of "Sounds Delightful!," an illustrated audio adventure across decades of vintage vinyl recordings from yesterday's turntables, including rare promotional and production tracks.

Cesar Milan Better Human Better Dog | Hyperion Stage | 10:15 a.m.

Pet owners across America need help, and Cesar Millan is ready to show them the way. His positivity in troubled times and his heartwarming transformations make us feel like we can overcome all obstacles, starting with our own four-legged pals!

Inside Look at the Society of Explorers and Adventurers | Backlot Stage | 10:30 a.m.

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Disney Legends Awards Ceremony | Hall 23 | 10:30 a.m.

Disney100 kicks off at D23 Expo on Friday, September 9, at 10:30 a.m. with an epic presentation that includes the **Disney Legends Awards Ceremony**, featuring Disney CEO Bob Chapek. The Disney Legends Ceremony will once again honor those visionaries and artists who have made significant contributions to the Disney legacy. Look for the names of the 2022 inductees to be announced in the coming weeks.

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The Simpsons! | Premier Stage | 10:45 a.m.

Join us for a fun chat with the cast and creatives of this iconic show.

Celebrating the People of Walt Disney Animation Studios | Hyperion Stage | 11:45 a.m.

The Walt Disney Animation Research Library presents “traceback,” a look at the lives and work as well as the artistic and technical contributions of women and employees of color throughout the history of Walt Disney Animation Studios.

Who is Honored with a Window on Main Street, U.S.A.? | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 12:00 p.m.

Observers notice details throughout the Disney theme parks, such as names styled on building windows. Discover the people behind the names through a talk with the team that researched the upcoming Disney Editions book *People Behind the Disney Parks*.

ABC’s “Home Economics” | Backlot Stage | 1:30 p.m.

The stars of ABC’s Home Economics discuss the making of the family comedy and share an exclusive look at the upcoming season three premiere, filmed at Disneyland Resort in Anaheim, CA.

National Geographic’s Superhero Women of STEM | Hyperion Stage | 1:45 p.m.

Meet three extraordinary women who are changing the face of exploration, education, and storytelling. Find out what it takes to study large bears up close; learn about the science of *Avatar*; and get ready to win first place at the Science Fair!

A Very '90s Afternoon Special with the “All New” Mickey Mouse Club | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 2:00 p.m.

Join cast from *The All New Mickey Mouse Club* as they share favorite memories about the third incarnation of the series (1989–1994), and discover how *MMC* pushed boundaries by highlighting topics that had rarely been covered on children’s television.

Marvel DRAW Live! | D23 Expo Live! Stage | 2–2:30 p.m.

Join Brian Crosby, Marvel’s Director of Themed Entertainment, for a real-time, step-by-step tutorial session on how to draw some of Marvel’s most iconic heroes and villains!

“Disney For Scores” Podcast Live Celebrates Marvel Music | Backlot Stage | 2:30 p.m.

Celebrate the powerful music of Marvel storytelling when *Variety’s* Jon Burlingame hosts *Disney For Scores* Podcast live. Jon will bring the format of the popular *Disney For Scores* Podcast to life as he interviews composers of some of your favorite Marvel series and films. Listen in as they fill us in on the secrets of creating the amazing music that helps build the Marvel Universe!

Studio Showcase Day 1: Celebrate the Magic of Disney and Pixar | Hall 23 | 3:30 p.m.

At 3:30 p.m., guests will be treated to new details, first looks, sneak peeks, surprises, and announcements regarding upcoming theatrical and Disney+ titles from **Disney Live-Action, Pixar Animation Studios, and Walt Disney Animation Studios**. Studio heads, filmmakers, and cast members will come together on stage with the inside scoop on some of these studios’ most exciting titles.

Behind the Scenes: ABC’s “Beauty and the Beast: a 30th Celebration” | Hyperion Stage | 3:45 p.m.

ABC’s previews the upcoming special “Beauty and the Beast: a 30th Celebration”

Disney Legends in Conversation | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 4:00 p.m.

Listen in as members from the newest class of Disney Legends partake in an enlightening conversation about their storied careers.

The Cast and Creators of Disney Channel’s “Hamster & Gretel” | Backlot Stage | 4:30 p.m.

Join the cast and creative team of Disney Channel’s *Hamster & Gretel* as they share a behind-the-scenes look at what went into making the music-filled animated series and reveal exclusive content from the show.

National Geographic Special Screening: Epic Adventures with Bertie Gregory | Hyperion Stage | 5:45 p.m.

The face of a new generation of aspirational adventurers and natural history filmmakers, 29-year-old Bertie Gregory takes viewers on an epic and nail-biting journey that pushes into the most spectacular and secretive corners of our wild world.

D23 Mousequerade | Premiere Stage | 6 p.m.

Hosted by Nina West and featuring a star-studded panel of judges including Yvette Nicole Brown (*Big Shot, Disenchanted*), Ashley Eckstein (voice of Ahsoka Tano and creator of Her Universe), and Ally Maki (*Toy Story 4, Home Sweet Home Alone*). This contest features fans sporting their best Disney costumes. With category themes like Off the Screen, Imagine That, Magical Mashups and more, there is plenty to see here!

Walt's Plane: Taking Flight Through Disney History – Presented by Amazon | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 6:00 p.m.

As Walt Disney's company plane makes its historic return at D23 Expo, discover the fascinating story of the Grumman Gulfstream I aircraft, fondly remembered as "The Mouse."

Here for the Laughs | Backlot Stage | 6:30 p.m.

Stars of your favorite TV and streaming series come together to discuss their careers, and what it takes to make a comedy hit.

D23 EXPO SATURDAY Schedule | September 10, 2022

A Peek Behind the Curtain at the Walt Disney Imagineering Illusions and Special Effects Development Lab | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 10 a.m.

Learn about the legacy of Walt Disney Imagineering's Illusions and Special Effects Development Lab, including the work created by Yale Gracey for the Haunted Mansion and other early projects, plus a behind-the-curtain look at the present-day magical process that is so unique to Imagineering.

The Making of Disney100: The Exhibition | Backlot Stage | 10 a.m.

Producers from the Walt Disney Archives, Semmel Exhibitions and Studio TK reveal illuminating details about the all-new exhibition celebrating 100 Years of Disney Wonder, scheduled to premiere at The Franklin Institute in Philadelphia in February 2023.

Studio Showcase Day 2: Marvel, Lucasfilm and 20th Century Fox | Hall 23 | 10 a.m.

Filmmakers, celebrity talent, and surprise guests will join representatives from **Marvel Studios** and **Lucasfilm**, among others, on stage in Hall D23 at 10 a.m. to showcase theatrical and Disney+ titles. Going behind the scenes of these studios' highly anticipated films, specials, and series, attendees will see exclusive footage and be among the first to learn what else is in the works.

Women in Disney Fashion | Hyperion Stage | 10:15 a.m.

Moderated by DisneyBound founder, Leslie Kay, four of Disney's major fashion icons will discuss their collaborations, the inspiration behind their unique collections, and what it's like to work in the fashion industry.

Talkin' Pets with the Vets of National Geographic | Premiere Stage | 10:30 a.m.

Join National Geographic's vet sensations Dr. Pol and wife Diane, Critter Fixer Dr. Vernard Hodges and Dr. Geoff, Dr. Jen and animal keeper Rain from 'Magic of Disney's Animal Kingdom' for a heartwarming look behind the scenes of their popular series.

“Marvel’s Moon Girl and Devil Dinosaur” | Hyperion Stage | 11:45 a.m.

Join the *Marvel’s Moon Girl and Devil Dinosaur* cast and creative team as they share an exclusive sneak peek of the highly anticipated series before its debut on Disney Channel and Disney+.

Bob’s Burgers | Backlot Stage | 12:00 p.m.

The Emmy Award-winning animated series *Bob’s Burgers* joins D23 hot off the critically-acclaimed release of *The Bob’s Burgers Movie!* The cast and creators will break news and have you howling with laughter during a lively panel discussion.

Uncovering Treasures from the Marty Sklar Collection | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 12 p.m.

Join Walt Disney Imagineering Ambassador Bob Weis and Leah and Leslie Sklar, the wife and daughter of the late Disney Legend and Imagineer Marty Sklar, as they discuss some of the treasures they’ve discovered while going through Marty’s collection from his more than 50 years with Walt Disney Imagineering.

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Join Brian Crosby, Marvel’s Director of Themed Entertainment, for a real-time, step-by-step tutorial session on how to draw some of Marvel’s most iconic heroes and villains!

It’s a Small Disney World: Celebrating the Art of Disney Parks | Hyperion Stage | 2:00 p.m.

Moderated by Tyler Slater, Public Relations Manager, this panel gathers Disney Parks artists and authors who created artwork for our global parks, including items which will be for sale at the D23 Expo Marketplace.

A Century of Storytelling at Walt Disney Animation Studios | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 2 p.m.

The Walt Disney Animation Research Library celebrates 100 years of Disney Animation storytelling by highlighting the stories and people behind key art and artifacts in its collection.

Marvel Comics: Celebrating 60 Years of the Amazing Spider-Man | Backlot Stage | 2–3 p.m.

Celebrate sixty spectacular, sensational, web-slinging years of Spider-Man! From his humble debut in 1962's *Amazing Fantasy #15*, he wall-crawled his way to international super-stardom. Now, join Executive Spider-Editor Nick Lowe and Editor in Chief C.B. Cebulski as they team up to trace the comics history of the web-head across six decades—and BEYOND! Tantalizing trivia about the webbed wonder will be shared in this can't-miss panel, so be sure to swing by!

Disney's Epic Entertainment Showcase The Musical | Hall 23 | 3:30 p.m.

At 3:30 p.m., **Disney Branded Television**, home to some of the most iconic stories and characters in the Disney canon—including Peabody Award winners *Doc McStuffins* and *The Owl House*, plus the culture-defining movie franchises *High School Musical* and *Descendants*—will present an exclusive showcase of upcoming content that will continue the legacy of excellence in storytelling. The showcase will feature talent appearances and never-before-seen sneak previews of original content for Disney+, Disney Channel, and Disney Junior, including looks at the new Disney+ Original series *National Treasure*, *American Born Chinese*, and *The Santa Claus*.

A Celebration of Disney Animation's "Encanto" | Premiere Stage | 3:30 p.m.

Join the team behind Walt Disney Animation Studios' Academy Award®-winning hit *Encanto* for stories behind the making of the film—and a few surprises!

Dreaming, Designing, and Bringing to Life the Disney Wish | Backlot Stage | 4 p.m.,

Walt Disney Imagineers fresh off the launch of the newest ship in the Disney Cruise Line fleet—the *Disney Wish*—talk about their experiences bringing this ship to life. From the wondrously themed spaces, imaginative kids' clubs, and the first-ever Disney attraction at sea, the ship brings to life fantastical stories you know and love like never before.

“Cautionary Tales” with the Disney Villains: The Imagination of Ridley Pearson | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 4:00 p.m.

Celebrate the writing of author Ridley Pearson and his new book, *Cautionary Tales*, a collection of scary tales based on Disney films. Get inside scoop on how Ridley and the Walt Disney Archives created a unique and creative continuing partnership.

ABC’s On the Red Carpet’s Storytellers Spotlight | Hyperion Stage | 4:00 p.m.

On The Red Carpet’s Storytellers Spotlight is an intimate conversation series that amplifies the work of historically underrepresented, diverse storytellers and their allies across the Walt Disney Company in film, television, theater, music, and podcasts.

Signings with Marvel Editor-in-Chief C.B. Cebulski and Executive Editor Nick Lowe | Talent Central | 5:30 p.m.

Swing by Talent Central to meet Marvel’s Editor-in-Chief C.B. Cebulski and Executive Spider-Editor Nick Lowe for a signing opportunity!

National Geographic Special Screening: “Limitless with Chris Hemsworth” | Hyperion Stage | 5:45 p.m.

Though he unfortunately won’t be at D23 Expo, get an exclusive first look at Chris Hemsworth’s new Disney+ series *Limitless*! He puts his body and mind through transformative experiences, sharing tips that can help you too have a healthier life, body, and mind.

The Santa Clauses | Premiere Stage | 6:00 p.m.

Join *The Santa Clauses* cast and creatives for a lively chat.

Sneak Peek at “Zootopia+” from Walt Disney Animation Studios | Backlot Stage | 6 p.m.

Get a first look at the highly anticipated animated series Zootopia+, coming to Disney+ from Walt Disney Animation Studios, with directors Josie Trinidad and Trent Correy.

Building Walt's Florida Project: Walt Disney World from Dream to Reality | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 6:00 p.m.

Using rarely seen photography, the Walt Disney Archives and special guests present a "true-life" look at the extraordinary construction and opening of the Walt Disney World Resort.

D23 Disney Stars Trivia Showdown | D23 Expo Live Stage | Saturday, September 10, 6 p.m.

Join the iconic Nina West (*RuPaul's Drag Race*, *Hairspray* on Tour) for an evening of Disney trivia and challenges with a slew of celebrity contestants.

D23 EXPO SUNDAY Schedule | September 11, 2022

Disney Original Documentary's Sneak Peek of "Mickey: The Story of a Mouse" | Backlot Stage | 10:00 am

Disney Original Documentary presents a panel dedicated to *Mickey: The Story of a Mouse*, which celebrates one of the world's most beloved icons, Mickey Mouse. Hosted by Bret Iwan, the official voice of Mickey himself, the panel will include filmmakers and select film participants. Attendees will get a behind-the-scenes look at the making of the film as well, as an exclusive sneak peek.

Nat Geo & Disney: 100 Years of Exploring the World Through Storytelling | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 10:00 a.m.

Since 1888, National Geographic has been igniting the explorer in everyone, including none other than Walt Disney himself. With a shared belief in the power of storytelling to change the world, Disney and Nat Geo were connected long before making it official in 2019. Nat Geo's iconic yellow border has always served as a portal to explore the farthest reaches of the Earth and beyond. How did Walt and team use this portal and the iconic Nat Geo Image Collection to the wonder of the natural world to inspire the wonderful world of Disney?

Revisiting Yesterday's Tomorrow: Disney's Magical Mid-Century | Hyperion Stage | 10:15 a.m.

Join legendary producer Don Hahn for a look back at Disney projects from the 1950s and 1960s as he shares an illustrated journey through the era with rarely seen art and photography reflecting the unique style that Walt Disney and his artists pioneered.

A Boundless Future: Disney Parks, Experiences and Products | Hall 23 | 10:30 a.m.

At 10:30 a.m., join **Disney Parks, Experiences and Products** Chairman Josh D'Amaro for a look at Disney's boundless future. With announcements and updates on the magic happening around the world in parks, on the high seas, at home, and beyond, attendees will get a behind-the-scenes look at the big dreams of Disney Imagineers. Every Disney fan will want to be a part of this special presentation full of exciting news and surprises.

The Cast and Creators of the Disney+ Series “The Proud Family: Louder and Prouder” | Premiere Stage | 10:30 a.m.

The cast and creative team of the Disney+ animated series *The Proud Family: Louder and Prouder* gather to discuss the acclaimed revival of the groundbreaking series *The Proud Family* and share an inside look at the upcoming season.

Back to the Grid: 40 Years of TRON presented by Enterprise | Backlot Stage | 12 p.m.

Head to the Backlot stage for TRON behind-the-scenes stories from the film, artwork, and more about this digital frontier.

An Animated Conversation: Celebrating 90 Years of Goofy | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 12:00 p.m.

Join Walt Disney Archives director Becky Cline, Disney Legend Bill Farmer, animator Eric Goldberg, and producer Dorothy McKim as they celebrate one of Walt Disney’s most memorable creations—Goofy!

Join National Geographic Books on 100 Disney Adventures of a Lifetime | Hyperion Stage | 12:15 p.m.

Join Disney historian, notable personality, and book author Marcy Carriker Smothers for a conversation about her beautifully illustrated treasury by National Geographic Books. Discover 100 beloved or little-known Disney adventures—all full of wonder.

Walt Disney Imagineering: 70 Years of Making the Impossible, Possible | Premiere Stage | 1 p.m.

For seven decades, the magic-makers at Walt Disney Imagineering have blended limitless imagination with cutting-edge technology to create groundbreaking experiences that bring together families and friends to form lifelong memories. Join Imagineers past and present as they discuss the core elements of storytelling and innovation that bring dreams to life for guests from all around the world.

100 Years of Treasures from the Walt Disney Animation Research Library | Backlot Stage | 2 p.m.

Never-before-seen clips, recording sessions, and live-action references mark 100 years of Walt Disney Animation Studios as the Animation Research Library unveils newly digitized media from its collection and from its Oral History Project, in which the legends of animation have been interviewed.

“The Main Street Electrical Parade” — 50 Years of Nighttime Magic & Imagination | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 2:00 p.m.

See and hear how the iconic *Main Street Electrical Parade* was born and has evolved over its 50-year history with a panel of the creative talent behind it from 1972 to today. Experience it for yourself via never-before-seen film from its opening and early years.

100 Years of Hollywood Magic: A Disney Tour of the UCLA Film & Television Archive | Hyperion Stage | 2:15 p.m.

The UCLA Film & Television Archive presents rare footage of the Hollywood that shaped the Disney brothers and sparked their imagination.

Explore the World with the Next Generation of National Geographic! | Premiere Stage | 3:45 p.m.

Meet the exciting next generation of National Geographic stars who are taking viewers to the most remote locations on Earth in pursuit of breathtaking landscapes, extraordinary wildlife, exotic foods, epic challenges, and undercover storytelling.

FX’s “AHS: Behind the Screams” | Backlot Stage | 4:00 p.m.

Join the legendary designers, artists, and stylists responsible for creating the iconic looks of your beloved *AHS* characters. Fans will get inside details on how it all comes together, where fashion and horror intersect, and how these creatives keep things fresh after 11 installments and an anthology spin-off. Panelists include producer and costume designer Lou Eyrich and producer and makeup artist Eryn Krueger Mekash.

The Disney Parks Through the Decades: A Disney Ambassador Perspective | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 4:00 p.m.

Join us for a conversation with Disney Ambassadors spanning the decades. From representing Walt Disney in the 1960s to opening Walt Disney World, experience the history of Disney Parks as never before.

The World of Duffy & Friends Revealed | Hyperion Stage | 4:15 p.m.

Disney Imagineers discuss the origin and the continuing popularity of Duffy & Friends, including the newest friend who has become a global phenomenon—LinaBell!

Disney Princess – The Concert | Hall 23 | 4:15 p.m.

At 4:15 p.m., Disney Concerts will present a special performance of *Disney Princess – The Concert*, featuring Tony® nominee Susan Egan (Broadway's original Belle in *Beauty and the Beast*, Meg in Disney's animated feature *Hercules*), Broadway.com® Audience Award nominee Isabelle McCalla (Princess Jasmine in *Aladdin*, *The Prom*), Disney Channel star Anneliese van der Pol (*That's So Raven*, *Raven's Home*, Broadway's final Belle in *Beauty and the Beast*), and Broadway World Award winner Syndee Winters (Broadway's Nala in *The Lion King*, *Hamilton*). Music director Benjamin Rauhala (*Fiddler on the Roof*, *The Secret Life of Bees*) and Prince Adam J. Levy (*Moulin Rouge*) will also join the quartet. The acclaimed cast will perform favorite Disney Princess and *Frozen* songs, including classics such as "Part of Your World," "Let It Go," "A Whole New World," "Colors of the Wind," and "Almost There." The performers will share exclusive, hilarious, and heartfelt behind-the-scenes stories from their time on the stage and screen.

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Join the iconic Nina West (*RuPaul's Drag Race*, *Hairspray* on Tour) for an evening of Disney trivia and challenges with a slew of celebrity contestants.

"Dancing with the Stars" 31st Season Celebration | Backlot Stage | 6:00 p.m.

Stars of the hit competition series *Dancing with the Stars* come together to celebrate 31 seasons of memorable performances, award-winning choreography and, of course, Mirrorball trophies.

Conversations with Disney Character Voices | Premiere Stage | 6 p.m.

Join Rick Dempsey, Senior Vice President of Character Voices for a behind-the-microphone look at signature Disney voices across the years.

Memories of Walt Disney World: Framing A Portrait of 50 Magical Years | Walt Disney Archives Stage | 6:00 p.m.

Join the book team behind *A Portrait of Walt Disney World: 50 Years of The Most Magical Place on Earth* for a making-of panel discussion. The session will conclude with a special screening of *The Magic of Walt Disney World* documentary featurette.