

# MEGAPLEX 6



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## MEGAPLEX

**A PawPet "Live" Experience**  
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On behalf of the Board and staff, I welcome you to the Wyndham Jacksonville Riverwalk, in my hometown of Jacksonville, Florida, and Megaplex 2007! This is the sixth edition of Florida's furry arts and entertainment convention, and our first year on the First Coast. We've been working hard to make this year special, and a big thank you goes out to the staff for their great efforts in bringing this all together.

We're all about the games this year, as Megaplex goes game show crazy! Family Feud, Match Game, and Deal or No Deal all get the furry treatment...and you're the contestants! Plus, we're bringing back favourites like Uncle Kage's Story Hour, the comedy of 2 the Ranting Gryphon, the insanity of WTF? Theater, and more! Check your schedule grid for times and rooms.

We have the pleasure of welcoming Mike Kazaleh as our Guest of Honour this year. Mike is a professional animator and comics artist; old-school furry fans will remember his comics work on "The Adventures of Captain Jack" (Fantagraphics), and "Mean Green Bondo Machine" and "The Suit" (MU Press). He has also drawn "Ren and Stimpy" for Marvel, "Cow and Chicken" for DC Comics, and "The Mighty Mutanimals" for Archie Comics, and is currently working on "Futurama" for Bongo Comics and "Camp Lazlo" for DC. Animation-wise, his credits include "The New Adventures of Mighty Mouse", "Tiny Toon Adventures", and "The Simpsons"; more recently, he has worked on "Krypto the Superdog", "Johnny Test", and "Hi Hi Puffy Ami Yumi". He was also a storyboard artist for the recent release, "The Ant Bully". Please help us welcome Mike to the First Coast, and be sure to attend the "Meet the GoH" panel on Sunday afternoon!

We are happy to continue supporting the C.A.R.E. Foundation in their efforts to rescue animals in the Central Florida area. C.A.R.E. will be on-site on Saturday, and we will be holding our charity auction that day as well. Please help us contribute to a great cause.

Above all, we are very happy to welcome all of you, and we thank you for giving us the support you have over the past six years. We are always striving to make Megaplex the best convention it can be. Sometimes we make mistakes; other times, we're right on the money. It's your comments and suggestions that help steer us towards the latter, and we hope that you will not hesitate to talk to us if you have ideas or concerns about the con.

Come on down...you're the next contestant!

Sincerely,

Karl F. Meyers (Carl Fox)  
Chairman  
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## CONTACTS AND POLICY

### MISSION

To provide to our membership a celebration of interactive art and performance, with a primary focus on anthropomorphics and fantasy.

### VISION

To be recognized by our membership as providing the highest quality programming, and to encourage return memberships through consistent quality and value.

The MegaPlex Staff would like to ensure everyone have a safe, sane, and fun convention. We ask that you please follow the convention safety and security policies outlined in this booklet. In general, if everyone shows respect and good manners to fellow convention attendees and the hotel facility and staff, then there will be few, if any, problems. We want everyone to enjoy! While at MegaPlex 6, you agree to abide by the policies of the convention. The senior members of the convention staff will resolve any disputes or questionable events. Their decision will be final. The convention security staff will issue warnings if they observe violations. Serious or repeat offenders will have their convention membership revoked without refund and will be asked to leave immediately.

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# GUEST OF HONOR

MIKE KAZALEH



Mike Kazaleh is a professional animator and comic artist, and a one-time member of Rowrbrazzle. Old-school furry fans will remember his comics work on 'The Adventures of Captain Jack' (Fantagraphics), 'Mean Green Bondo Machine' and 'The Suit' (MU Press). He has also drawn Ren and Stimpy for Marvel, Cow and Chicken for DC Comics, and The Mighty Mutanimals for Archie Comics, and is currently working on Futurama for BongoComics and Camp Lazlo for DC.

Born in Detroit, Michigan, Mike entered the comics field through the underground comic Dope Comix at Kitchen Sink in 1983. Between 1986 and 1992, he did worked on Fantagraphics titles from 'Captain Jack' to 'Anything Goes', 'Doomesday Patrol', 'Usagi Yojimbo' and 'Fontaine the Fox'. In the early 1990s, he joined Archie Comics, where he did artwork on 'Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles'. He has also worked on Marvel titles like 'Mighty Mouse', 'Ren and Stimpy' and 'Tummy Trouble'.

In addition, Mike is active in animation. He has directed TV spots for Geoffry & Jeffry from 1983 to 1985, and then worked as an assistant animator at Filmation Associates. In working with studios such as Bakshi Animation, 20th Century Fox and Warner Bros., his credits include The New Adventures of Mighty Mouse, Tiny Toon Adventures, and The Simpsons; more recently, he has worked on Krypto the Superdog, Johnny Test, and Hi Hi Puffy Ami Yumi. He was also a storyboard artist for the upcoming movie, The Ant Bully.

Mike is very knowledgeable of the animation and "golden age" funny-animal comics industry.

Mike currently lives with his wife, Tracy (herself a funny-animal cartoonist) in North Hollywood, CA. He appreciates contact from fans, questions related to the animation industry and history, and anything automobile-related.



# HELP SUPPORT

# LET'S MAKE A...

## C.A.R.E.

## DEALER'S ROOM

The C.A.R.E. Foundation is the beneficiary of the Megaplex Charity Auction. C.A.R.E. is a non-profit 501(c)3 that provides permanent sanctuary primarily for non-releasable wildlife. They currently house seven big cats, a black bear, and over seventy small animals. They provide a variety of educational programs, with focal points of conservation and animal safety, habitat sustainability, and wildlife identification and management.



### C.A.R.E. MISSION STATEMENT

The CARE Foundation was established to provide non-domestic, non-releasable animals with a safe and permanent home and to educate the public on conservation and current environmental issues concerning endangered and threatened species, as well as local wildlife and their habitat.

### AS A WILDLIFE SANCTUARY, THE CARE FOUNDATION:

- Provides a safe and permanent home for non-domestic, non-releasable animals.
- Provides a hands-on learning environment for those interested in careers in animal care and handling.
- Provides a resource center aiding those already faced with issues concerning captive wildlife.
- Networks with other like-minded wildlife facilities to help place and care for exotic animals in need of a home.

### AS AN EDUCATIONAL FACILITY, THE CARE FOUNDATION:

- Provides Educational Wildlife Programs for school children, civic groups, boy's and girl's clubs, time-share resorts, tour groups and family functions.
- Provides Educational Displays for Corporate Events, Conventions, Trade Shows and Community Events.
- Conducts Educational Lectures for Hunter's Education Courses to stress the importance of Ethical Hunting and Conservation.
- Actively participates in Research Projects involving Native Florida Wildlife.
- Provides specially trained animals for Film and Television Productions.

Please visit [www.thecarefoundation.org](http://www.thecarefoundation.org) for more information.

Our members asked for it, so Megaplex is bringing back a traditional Dealer Room in 2007! Bring your art, comics, clothing, DVDs - whatever you'd like to show. Bring your sketchbooks and trade, and meet other artists and fans. Tables are reserved, first come, first serve - check with Registration for any vacancies.

### HOURS

The Dealer's Room will be open during all convention hours.

### FINANCES

Any transactions involving money are the sole responsibility of those doing the transactions, and the individual should file all taxes on their own.

### SECURITY

Security will be provided so dealers may take pit stop, food, or under certain conditions sign (panel) breaks during the day. Security will simply try to make sure your goods will not walk away, but artists still are responsible for valuables, so if you need to leave for any length of time, please take money and other valuable items with you. Do not leave extremely valuable material or money unattended!

### FAMILY FRIENDLY

All works being displayed publicly must be no more than a PG rating. Simply covering explicit artwork with a post-it note or other pages of art is not acceptable. If convention staff hears of inappropriate material, you will be warned once. The second time, your con membership will be revoked.

### CONDUCT

Refer to the Conduct Policy on page 14.





# WYNDHAM JACKSONVILLE RIVERWALK

## HOTEL AND VICINITY

This year, Megaplex 2007 will be held at the Wyndham Jacksonville Riverwalk, in downtown Jacksonville, Florida. The hotel is just off of I-95, on the Southbank of the St. John's River. (For more specific directions, find out how to get there.)

The Wyndham is a short distance from the Museum of Science and History (MOSH), Friendship Park, and River City Brewing Company, which can easily be reached via the Riverwalk. The hotel is also a stop for the S.S. Marine Taxi service, which is a convenient way to get to the shops and restaurants at the Jacksonville Landing. The San Marco shopping district is close by, and Five Points and Riverside are just over the Fuller Warren Bridge (I-95 to Park Street). Jacksonville International Airport (JAX) is 20 minutes away.

## JACKSONVILLE LANDING

### Get there: Walking

Take the Riverwalk towards the Main Street Bridge (the big blue one nearest the hotel - go left when you reach the Riverwalk). Go under the bridge, and follow the sidewalk up onto and going over it. The sidewalk has a safety barrier between it and the cars. The Landing will be immediately to the left after getting across.

### Get there: Skyway

Head to the Kings Avenue station to hop on the Skyway (35 cents one way - correct change is required) and ride to Central Station. The Landing is a short walk from there. The Skyway is available 6a-11p on Thursday and Friday, and 10a-11p on Saturday. It does \*not\* run on Sunday.

### Get there: Water Taxi

The SS Marine Taxi picks up passengers directly behind the Wyndham, and will drop them off right at the Landing, so it's probably the most direct way to get there. The Water Taxi gets to each stop every 20 minutes (or so), and will be available 11a-9p Thursday and Friday, 11a-11p Saturday, and 11a-9p Sunday. Round-trip fare is \$5 for adults.

The Landing has a number of restaurants:

#### Full Service

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| - Benny's Steaks and Seafood (1st Floor East) | - Dona Maria's (Mexican) (1st Floor West)                |
| - Hooters (1st Floor West)                    | - Koja Sushi (2nd Floor East)                            |
| - The Cellar Grill (1st Floor East)           | - Deep Blue Lounge (2nd Floor East - lounge/nightclub)   |
| - The American Cafe (2nd Floor West)          | - Fuddrucker's (1st Floor East)                          |
| - Vito's Italian Cafe (1st Floor Center)      | - Demola's Italian Subs (1st Floor Center)               |
| - Mongo's Flat Hot Grill (2nd Floor West)     | - The Twisted Martini (1st Floor Center - bar/nightclub) |

#### Food Court / Quick Serve (in food court unless noted)

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| - Apple-A-Day Deli                   | - Calvin's Cajun Express     |
| - Asia Wok                           | - Coastal Cookies            |
| - Flamer's (Burgers, Chicken)        | - Great Wraps                |
| - Ice Cream Churn (1st Floor Center) | - Pattaya Thai Express       |
| - Rio Burrito                        | - Sakkio Japan               |
| - Sbarro                             | - Starbucks (1st Floor West) |
| - Big T's (BBQ)                      |                              |

The Landing's mall hours are Thursday 10am-8pm, Friday & Saturday 10am-9pm, Sunday 12pm-5:30pm, for anyone wanting to hit the food court. Full service restaurants have separate hours from the mall; check with them for availability.



# BIG BUCKS, NO... WELL, YOU KNOW.

## EVENTS

**Fursuit Meet-and-Greet.** Be sure to drop by for our traditional fursuiter social where you can introduce yourself and find out a little something about your fellow suiters. We'll also have last-minute announcements and reminders about the fursuiting track and related activities, so you definitely don't want to miss this one.

**Intro to Fursuiting.** If you've been watching those big costume animal characters wandering around the con and thinking, "I want to do what they're doing.", then this is \*the\* place to start. In this panel session we'll cover the basics from obtaining a fursuit and typical fursuiting accessories to getting started with bringing your character to life.

**Fursuiting Performance Mega-Workshop.** Whether you're just starting out or are a veteran fursuiter, the more you know about how to perform in costume the better your fursuit character will be. This two-hour interactive in-suit workshop will give suiters a chance to learn the basics of performance (or get a refresher on them). Then they'll try their paw at acting out different scenarios in front of the group, with experienced performers on hand to give gentle constructive advice and suggestions.

**Fursuit Public Performance and Safety.** Fursuiting at furry cons is great, but suiting outside of cons can be a really fun and rewarding experience. Join Santa Fox and friends as they discuss how to find, secure, and handle public performance opportunities, both with your own fursuit character and as an organizational mascot performer. We'll also be discussing performance safety, both in terms of health issues and physical safety for you and your audience.

**Spicing Up Your Fursuiting Life.** Have you been suiting for a while and not feeling the magic you remember from when you went out in suit for the first time? Looking for some way to make fursuiting more exciting and entertaining? Then join in this group discussion about ways to spice up your fursuiting life, which will look at how get more out of your existing character(s) and what to consider when thinking about obtaining an additional fursuit.

**Pawpet Performance Techniques.** The road to becoming a good pawpeteer starts with good performance techniques. This interactive workshop is geared for performers of all skill levels, whether you're just getting started or a seasoned pro looking to refine and extend your skills. Through demonstrations and group exercises, we'll help you learn (or re-learn) the basic foundations for good manipulation of a hand puppet character. BYOP (Bring Your Own Pawpets) if you have any.

**Pawpet Improv Workshop.** Performing a pawpet is not simply about learning the basic techniques. A good performer must be able to improvise on the spot, no matter how well-planned a performance might be. In this hand-on workshop, attendees will have the chance to get behind the puppet stage and try their paw at different scenarios thrown out by our hosts. Seasoned improvisers will be on-hand to give gentle constructive advice and suggestions to help participants learn and improve on their styles. BYOP (Bring Your Own Pawpets) if you have any.

**Pawpet and Plush Construction.** Ever wonder how those animal puppets and plushes are actually constructed? Want to build your own? Then join our panel of builders for a look at the secrets behind constructing a lovable, huggable plush animal or pawpet character.

**Developing Variety Show/Pawpet Skits.** Do you have an interesting idea for a variety show act

or puppet skit? If you're tired of doing the same musical lip-sync skits in open-call pawpet shows and furry variety shows, then here's your chance to learn how to develop more engaging acts. We'll start with the basic elements of a good skit, look at how to develop out each area, and how to put it all together into a workable performance. You'll hear input from JadedFox, Santa Fox, KP, and others on creating your own entertaining act.

**Open Call Pawpet Show.** Join us for MegaPLEX's first Open-Call Pawpet Show. You've seen the Funday Pawpet Show performing at the con for the last four years - now try your own hand at performing in front of a live audience of your fellow furs. We'll provide the stage, a sound system, some willing extras, and a handful of retail puppets - all that's needed is some fun ideas from you to get the show going. Of course, BYOP (Bring Your Own Pawpets) if you have them, because at open call shows, the more the merrier! If you want to perform in the show, please contact Santa Fox before show time if you can, and plan to arrive at least fifteen minutes before the show begins.

**Family Feud.** It's the classic game show with a brand new twist! Join your host, Santa Fox, for some fun and laughs in this furry version of one of your favorite television programs.

**Match Game.** It's back! Come match wits against 6 of the wackiest folks to ever fill in a blank. This game show returns to Megaplex for a lot of fun laughs.

**Megaplex Murder Mystery.** There's trouble afoot! For the first time, Megaplex is proud to present our own Murder Mystery Theater. It's a whodunit with lots of suspects, lots of motives, and a whole lot of fun. Will you be the one to figure who did it and why? Look for all the clues and solve the mystery!

**Uncle Kage's Story Hour.** Dr. Sam Conway, affectionately known as Uncle Kage, returns to entertain us with another of his world famous Story hours. Never to be confused with a "barber", our good doctor has traveled the globe collecting mishaps...er...stories to share with you.

**Magic in the Round.** The amazing talents of "Aces Wild" return to Megaplex for an up close demonstration of magic and illusion. The incomparable DEX, aka Clarke Braudis, will be performing for our guests in a "theater in the round" environment. Attendees may be asked to rotate at the "Magician's Table" to give many attendees an opportunity to be dazzled and delighted by our resident magician.

**Cartooning for Fun.** Ever wonder what it takes to draw cartoons and comics professionally, and still keep it fun? Here's a chance to find out! Come see our Guest of Honor, Mike Kazaleh, as he gives pointers on cartooning, and how he lets his own sense of style and humor shine through.

**Improv Workshop.** The host of WTF Theater is holding a panel to discuss and demonstrate his views and techniques on Improv Comedy. Terry Sender will be hosting this interactive panel on fine tuning your own improvisational comedy skills.

**WTF Theater.** Don't blink! You may miss something in this fast paced, completely unscripted comedy program. Terry Sender and his cast of comics will be doing their best to perform to suggested topics from the audience. Disclaimer: We can't be held responsible if you can't stop laughing.

# COME ON DOWN!

## EVEN MORE EVENTS

**C.A.R.E. Presentation/Charity Auction.** Our charity, C.A.R.E., returns this year to give an informative presentation on animals found and rescued in our area. Following the presentation, we will be holding a Charity Auction to raise money for C.A.R.E.

**Professional Fursuit Construction.** If you want to hear about costume construction from the pros, then this panel is for you! Our two presenters, Chad Laubach (Chad's Custom Costumes) and Matt Brayley-Berger (Kodi-Made and Arend Studios) will be discussing their tips and techniques for creating beautiful and amazing costumes. These two guys have built some of the costumes you will see appearing at Megaplex. Whether you want to know about foot, head, or bodysuit construction, this panel is a goldmine of fursuit building knowledge.

**Fursuit Deal or Big Deal.** It's our own new game show that lets our contestants choose what fursuiter will help them potentially win a big prize. It's a new concept in game show fun, and you'll see it first at Megaplex!

**2's Rant.** The ranting gryphon is returning to Megaplex! You wanna know what gets him mad? You wanna hear what ticks him off? Then you wanna be there for his rant! What can we say, it's 2!

**Rocky Horror Picture Show.** Janet! Brad! Rocky! Dr. Scott! It's back! By popular demand, one of last year's most popular events will be returning to Megaplex. It's a live stage performance of the Rocky Horror Picture Show. Be sure to brush up on your audience comments for this cult classic!

**Meet the Guest of Honor.** Join our chairman, Karl Meyer, in an audience interactive conversation with the Megaplex Guest of Honor, the incomparable Mike Kazaleh. He'll be answering questions about his career, artistic endeavors, and other amazing stories.

### **Fursuit Games and Late Night Fursuit Games.**

Megaplex will be offering two sets of fursuit games. The daytime Fursuit Games on Sunday will be milder and less physically challenging. The Late Night Games on Friday will be more demanding and challenging than the daytime games. There will be some new games this year, so join us for a lot of fun!

**The Gong Show.** Megaplex continues its tradition of offering "The Gong Show". High in comedy and sarcastic commentary, this show features not only fun puppet and fursuit performances, but also the comedic stylings of Uncle Kage, 2 the Ranting Gryphon, The Funday Pawpet Show's "Poink", AND one open judging slot that will be available in our charity auction! Always a highlight and always a fun time, the Gong Show is our cavalcade of scripted (and not so scripted) mayhem.

**The Funday Pawpet Show.** A live performance of one of the fandom's most enduring programs. Now in its seventh year of production, the Funday Pawpet Show will be performing LIVE and in the fuzz. This is one of the only venues where the full cast can make an appearance outside of the studio. If you've wanted to see the show live, then you won't want to miss this!



# SECURITY POLICY

## CONDUCT AND SAFETY

### INTRODUCTION

The following policy is intended to help everyone to have a safe, sane, wholesome and fun Convention. In general, MegaPlex asks that you show respect and courtesy toward your fellow Convention members, the hotel and its other guests. Consideration for the safety, rights and feelings of others will help to create a positive experience for all.

Members attending MegaPlex agree to abide by this policy while within Convention areas and while participating in Convention activities as a condition of membership. In any dispute over the interpretation or enforcement of any policy, the decision of MegaPlex Staff shall be final. We reserve the right to refuse membership to any person.

Security Staff will issue warnings if they observe violations. Serious or repeat offenders will have their MegaPlex membership revoked without refund, and will be asked to leave Convention areas immediately.

### APPEARANCE & BEHAVIOR

Members are expected to wear their official Convention badges at all times while in Convention areas or participating in Convention activities, and to display their badges upon request by Security Staff. Anyone found in Convention space without a badge will be escorted to Registration or asked to leave.

Personal dress, including Mascots and other costumes, should be "PG-rated." Dry clothes (shirt, shorts and shoes at a minimum) will be required in Convention areas. Public exposure of genitalia, buttocks or (female) breasts is not permitted. "Anatomically correct" costumes must be likewise clothed. Discreet wearing of collars, leashes, etc. is acceptable, but sexually-oriented leather gear is not permitted in Convention areas. Security Staff may request a change of attire at their discretion.

Public displays of affection, regardless of sexual orientation, should also be kept to a "PG-rated" level within Convention areas. Holding hands, hugging, chaste kissing and similar activities are acceptable; anything more passionate is not. The Security Staff will ask you to stop or relocate if you get carried away.

To help ensure an safe and enjoyable time for our younger members, anyone under the age of 16 attending MegaPlex must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

Harassment of Convention members by their fellow members will not be tolerated. We would ask that all attendees be civil and polite, respect the rights and "personal space" of others, and attempt to resolve conflicts in a peaceful manner. If you feel you are being harassed, please report to Security immediately. Anyone who, in the judgment of the Staff, grievously harasses or stalks any fellow member, will have his or her Convention membership revoked immediately.

### WEAPONS

All Federal, State, and local laws and ordinances apply to the possession, carry, and display of weapons at MegaPlex. In general, Florida State law prohibits the open carry of firearms and the concealed carry of any weapon without a State-approved license.



# SECURITY POLICY

## CONDUCT AND SAFETY

For the safety and peace of mind of all attendees, all potentially deadly weapons, and realistic replicas that could be mistaken for deadly weapons, must be disabled, peace-bonded, or otherwise rendered inert while on display at the Convention. If a weapon or replica is part of your costume, please consult Security for direction before taking it into Convention areas.

Due to the potential for eye injury and general nuisance, laser pointers and similar devices are not permitted.

Water guns, Nerf or other dart guns, Silly String, or other toy weapons capable of causing property damage are not permitted in Convention areas. Water guns and Silly String in particular can cause a lot of harm to Mascot costumes. Please do not use toy weapons in locations where damage to merchandise, artwork, costumes, hotel property, etc. is likely.

Convention Members observed violating weapons policy will be asked to return their weapons to their rooms or vehicles, or to store them in a hotel safety deposit box. Refusal to dispose of a weapon upon request will result in immediate revocation of Convention membership.

Displaying or using any weapon in a threatening, reckless or dangerous manner will not be tolerated.

### DEALER'S ROOM

As the Dealer's Room is open to Convention members of all ages, all items and materials on display there or in other public areas must be "PG-rated."

The exhibition of works that depict nudity (refer to the aforementioned dress code), sexual activity, excessive violence or gore, excessive profanity, drug abuse, or other disturbing subject matter will not be permitted. Applying labels or other coverings to a finished work in order to conceal its objectionable portions is not acceptable.

Megaplex requests that materials that do not meet these guidelines be kept private and shared outside of Convention areas.

### PHOTOGRAPHIC, AUDIO & VIDEO RECORDINGS

All Members in attendance at Megaplex should be aware that they may be photographed or recorded at any time while in public areas. Megaplex reserves the right to allow authorized individuals to make photographic, audio or video record of any public event held in Convention areas, and to distribute these productions, in whole or part, free of charge, for historical or promotional purposes. Members agree that they are not entitled to any notice or compensation for the appearance of their names, nicknames or likenesses in such productions. Photographic, audio and video recording at Megaplex is restricted.

Members who wish to take pictures or make recordings for personal, non-commercial use while at the Convention may do so, however they must not take any video or photos of areas marked as non-recordable. Anyone taking pictures in those areas may have their con membership revoked. We would ask that photographers and videographers act with common sense and courtesy, and refrain from recording any unwilling individual.

Anyone may post pictures of the convention on personal, not for profit websites. However, If someone is in a picture by themselves or with one other person, in the focus of the picture, and they wish to have their photo removed, you must respect that person's request and remove the image. If the person is in a group of three or more in the photo, then it is considered a group photo, and would require objection from at least a 50% majority of the people in the photo.

Photographic, audio and video recordings of the Funday PawPet Show (FPS) are the sole property of The Funday PawPet Show, and performances will be aired on the internet show at some later date.

Super Sponsors and other Members who appear on FPS in guest interviews,

performances, or live audience participation while attending Megaplex agree that they are not entitled to any notice or compensation for the appearance of their names, nicknames or likenesses in FPS recordings or broadcasts, unless other prior written agreement has been made.

Megaplex will not use the names or likenesses of corporately owned and trademarked mascots, puppets or other characters for any commercial or promotional purposes, except according to prior written agreement.

### PRESS POLICY

Megaplex is a private social function for Members only, and as such, is closed to all press and media members and organizations. Making photographic, audio or video recordings of any Convention event for investigative or commercial purposes is strictly forbidden.

Press and media members desiring a statement, press release or interview from Convention Staff should contact the Convention Director or Convention Promotions Chair. Each request will be considered individually and on a case by case basis.

### PETS

Due to the nature of the convention, including mascots and C.A.R.E Foundation animals, we will not allow any personal pets.



# THE SUDOKU GAME

By Jed Martinez

As many of Megaplex attendees are aware of, this furry convention used to be known as "Pawpet Megaplex". With that in mind, here's a sudoku puzzle featuring the nine different letters that make up "Pawpet Megaplex" - A, E, G, L, M, P, T, W, and X. Just as in the numerical version of sudoku, fill in the squares so that each row, column, and 3x3 grid contains all nine letters, without repeating... Good luck!

*The answer will appear on Page 22.*

L		G			T			A
	W			E		T		X
A			P				E	
		W	X			L		
	A				P		T	W
P				A	E			G
	L		G				M	
		E		M		A		
G	M			L	W			T

# IN MEMORY

## In Loving Memory of KimberFox,

**a.k.a.**

**Abraham Wichter,  
1950-2007**

Kimberfox was a long time Florida Furry, a local of the Orlando area, and an avid and dedicated fursuiter. His first convention was MFM 2000, he was also a regular member of Megaplex and AC. His first convention as a fursuiter was AC '03.

On February 2nd, after a long and brave battle with systemic cancer, Kimber passed away in his sleep from liver failure.

He is survived by his son, his sister and his mother.

**Rest well, old fox, we  
miss you.**



*His Royal Highness,*  
**Elliott Ingonyama I,**  
*announces his*  
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**Location: Central Florida**

An exact address will be provided to those who RSVP.  
 ([Elliott@pridelands.org](mailto:Elliott@pridelands.org))

**Date: 28 April, 2007**

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