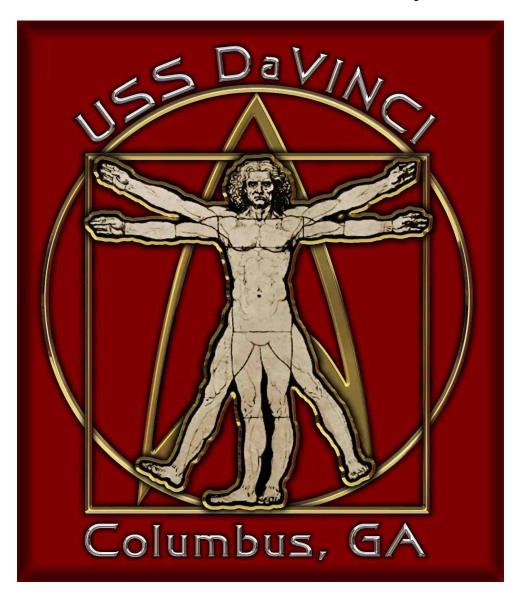
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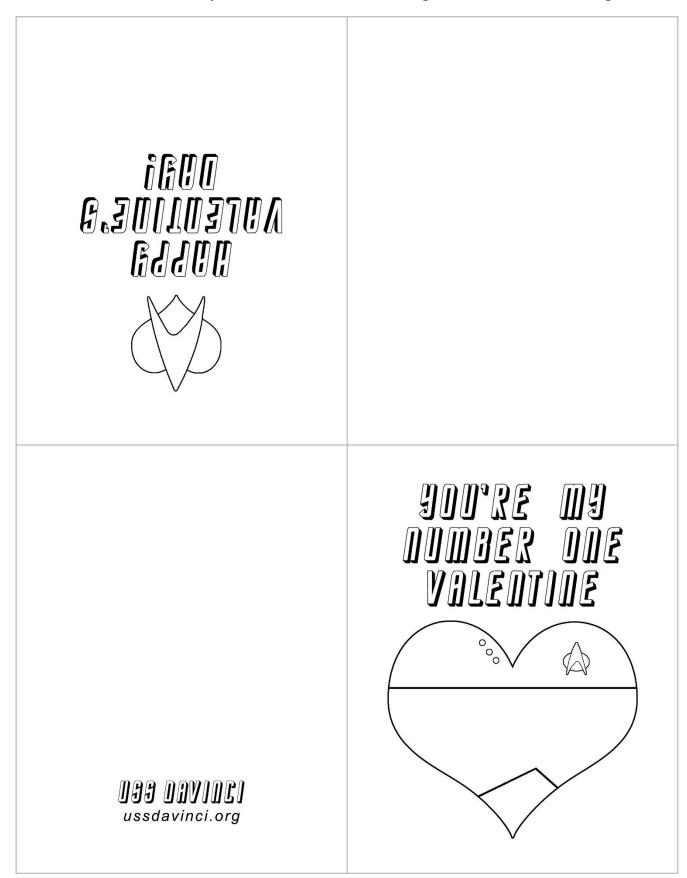
# UPCOMING EVENTS

\*\* 19 February, Night Out/Membership Meeting, Build Yo Salad, 6:30 pm



# ON THE HOLDDECK

Free Star Trek Valentine's Day card. Print, Color, cut along outside lines, fold along inside lines.





The Coca-Cola Space Science Center will be holding Astronomy Night at FDR State Park on February 10. The event will begin at 6:30pm at the Liberty Bell Pool (just outside Pine Mountain). There will be a presentation covering objects in the winter skies, followed by viewing those skies with telescopes (weather permitting).

For more details, visit: www.ccssc.org/events/

## WELL WIGHES

Everyone keep Connie Heller in your thoughts as she recovers from a broken hip.

## comic corner news

This is a partial list of Sci-Fi, etc. conventions for 2024. If you know of any upcoming convention that's not yet listed, please feel free to submit it.

### **February**

Feb 9-11 Atlanta Comic Con - Atlanta, Georgia ( atlcomicconvention.com/ )

Feb 25 Columbus Toy & Comic Book Show - Columbus, Georgia

( www.ccssc.org/comicbookshow/ )

#### March

Mar 22-24 **Toylanta** - Atlanta, Georgia ( www.toylanta.net/ )

### **April**

Apr 12-14 Huntsville Comic & Pop Culture Expo - Huntsville, Alabama

( www.hsvexpo.com/ )

Apr 21 Atlanta Comic Convention - Atlanta, Georgia ( www.atlantacomicconvention.com/ )

### May

- May 11-12 Savannah ComicCon Savannah, Georgia ( www.savannahcomiccon.com/ )
- May 24-27 **MomoCon** Atlanta, Georgia ( www.momocon.com/ )

### June

- Jun 21-23 Rangerstop and Pop Atlanta, Georgia (www.rangerstopatlanta.com/)
- Jun 21-23 **JoeFest & Comic Convention** Augusta, Georgia (www.joefestusa.com/)

#### **July**

Jul 19-21 **Southern-Fried Gaming Expo** - Atlanta, Georgia (gameatl.com/)

### August

Aug 2-4 Georgia Pop Culture & Horror Con - Columbus, Georgia

(gapopandhorrorcon.com/)

Aug 9-11 Monsterama Con - Atlanta, Georgia (monsteramacon.com/)

Aug 29-Sep 2 **DragonCon** - Atlanta, Georgia (www.dragoncon.org/)

### **September**

Aug 29-Sep 2 **DragonCon** - Atlanta, Georgia (www.dragoncon.org/)

Sep 13-15 Ancient City Con - St, Augustine, Florida (www.ancientcitycon.com/)

Sep 21-22 Collect-A-Con - Atlanta, Georgia (collectaconusa.com/atlanta/)

#### October

Oct 18-20 **Multiverse** - Atlanta, Georgia (www.multiversecon.org/)

#### November

Nov 15-17 **CONjuration** - Duluth, Georgia (www.conjurationcon.com/)

#### **December**

Dec 12-15 Anime Weekend Atlanta - Atlanta, Georgia (awa-con.com/)

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Here are just a few of the following DaVinci personnel, Star Trek celebrities, and historical events that are celebrating birthdays or anniversaries this month.

| Space Shuttle Columbia Disaster, Entire Crew Lost (2003)                      | 1 ~~                   |
|---|------------------------|
| Brent Spiner (LCDR Data, The Next Generation)                                 | $2^{nd}$               |
| Astronaut Eileen Collins Becomes First Woman to Pilot a Space Shuttle Mission |                        |
| (Discovery, 1995)   | $3^{rd}$               |
| NASA Launches High Energy Solar Spectroscopic Imager (HESSI) (2002)           | $5^{th}$               |
| CRMN Steve Brown  | <b>7</b> <sup>th</sup> |
| Astronaut Bruce McCandless Performs First Untethered Spacewalk (1984)         | $7^{th}$               |
| First Human Spaceflight Launch of the 21st Century (Atlantis, 2001)           | $7^{th}$               |
| Ethan Phillips (Neelix, Voyager)  | $8^{th}$               |

| Jerry Goldsmith (Composer)   | $10^{\mathrm{th}}$                                       |
|--|--|
| Philip Anglim (Vedek Bareil Antos, <i>Deep Space Nine</i> )  | $11^{\rm th}$  |
| VADM Connie Heller   | 14 <sup>tl</sup>   |
| Andrew Robinson (Elim Garak, Deep Space Nine)  | $14^{\mathrm{th}}$                                       |
| Simon Pegg (Montgomery Scott, Star Trek [alternate timeline])  | $14^{\mathrm{th}}$                                       |
| Ruth Nichols Sets New Altitude Record for Diesel-Powered Airplanes (1932)  | $14^{\mathrm{th}}$                                       |
| LeVar Burton (LCDR Geordi LaForge, The Next Generation)  | $16^{th}$  |
| Miranda, Smallest of Uranus's Moons, Discovered by Gerard Kuiper (1948)<br>Jerry O'Connell (CDR Jack Ransom, <i>Lower Decks</i> )  | 16 <sup>t</sup><br>17 <sup>th</sup>                      |
| Pluto Discovered by Clyde W. Tombaugh (1930) Space Shuttle <i>Enterprise</i> Completes First Flight Test Attached to a Boeing 747 Shuttle Carrier Aircraft (1977)  | 18 <sup>th</sup>   |
| John Glenn Becomes First American to Orbit Earth ( <i>Friendship 7</i> , 1962)   | 20 <sup>th</sup>   |
| Gary Lockwood (LCDR Gary Mitchell, TOS; Dr. Poole, 2001: A Space Odyssey)  | 21st   |
| Martha Hackett (Seska, <i>Voyager</i> ; Sub-Commander T'Rul, <i>Deep Space Nine</i> )  | 21st   |
| Jeri Ryan (Seven of Nine, Voyager, Picard)   | 22 <sup>n</sup>  |
| Celia Rose Gooding (CDT Nyota Uhura, Strange New Worlds)   | $22^{n}$   |
| Majel Barrett-Roddenberry (Christine Chapel, <i>TOS</i> ; Lwaxana Troi, <i>TNG</i> , <i>DS9</i> ) <i>Navstar 2A-03</i> Launched to Establish Global Positioning System (GPS) (1992)  Tawny Newsome (ENS Beckett Mariner, <i>Lower Decks</i> )  Scandinavian Airlines System Starts First Airline Route from Europe to Far East | 23 <sup>rd</sup><br>23 <sup>rd</sup><br>24 <sup>th</sup> |
| Via the North Pole (1957)  | $24^{th}$  |
| Anson Mount (CAPT Christopher Pike, Strange New Worlds, Discovery)   | 25 <sup>th</sup>   |
| Chase Masterson (Leeta, Deep Space Nine)   | 26 <sup>th</sup>   |
| Leonard Nemoy Dies at 83 (Spock, The Original Series, The Next Generation)   | 27 <sup>th</sup>   |
| Barbara Babcock (Various Characters, <i>The Original Series</i> )  | $27^{\rm th}$  |



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**Build Yo Salad** 

### AQUARIUS - KAZON PISCES - BETAZOID



Fight for Something Bigger than Themselves, Stuborn, Love Dangerous Adventures, Hate Boredom

Jan 21 - Feb 19



Empathic and Selflessly Helpful, Sometimes Too Trusting

Feb 20 - Mar 20

## MIGHT OUT LOCATIONS

February Build Yo Salad (Macon Rd)

March Olive Garden \*Uniform Night\*

**April** Firehouse Subs (Macon Rd)

May Carrabas

June Shane's Rib Shack

July Old Chicago

August Country's (Downtown)
September Longhorn (Whittlesey)

October Fazzoli's

November Hoolihan's (Downtown)

December McCallister's

**Alternates:** 

El Carrizo (Macon Road)

Ria's India Cafe



# MEMBERGHIPG



Many of you do not know when your membership in Starfleet is due for renewal. So to help you remember, the following lists your **family** expiration dates.

Please note that if the date is highlighted in **RED**, your membership has expired and you need to renew as soon as possible.

If highlighted in **BOLD** your membership is nearing its expiration so please renew soon.

| Name           | Starfleet | Name            | Starfleet |  |
|----------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|--|
| Sandra Adams   | Expired   | Everett Leonard | May '24   |  |
| Robert Anthony |           | Gregory Newer   | Expired   |  |
| Michael Allen  | Expired   | Joe Perry       | Nov '24   |  |
| Steve Brown    |           | Robert Phillips | Oct '24   |  |
| Steve Cushing  | Expired   | Karen Pynenburg | Mar '24   |  |
| Randy Dunn     | Expired   | Diane Ruhland   | Feb '24   |  |
| Freddy Heller  |           | Krysten Sweeney | Expired   |  |
| Todd Kes       | Nov '24   | Harold Stewart  | Expired   |  |
| Jeff Kirkland  | Nov '24   | Mike Watkins    | Apr '24   |  |
| Leiko Koone    | Apr '24   |                 |           |  |

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Here are a few important web sites relevant to the DaVinci:

**USS DaVinci Home Page** http://www.ussdavinci.org/

**Starfleet Home Page** http://www.sfi.org/

**Starfleet Database** https://db.sfi.org

**Starfleet Region 2 Home Page** http://region2.org/



# TABULATIONS



Keep saving tabs! Turn your tabs in to Steve Cushing.

As always, the tabs can come off any type can from pop to pet food to soup! Ask your neighbors to save tabs for you; ask your church or other social group to save tabs. You will be surprised as to how many tabs you can collect that way.

| Coupons                |          | Tabs                   |      |  |
|------------------------|----------|------------------------|------|--|
| Jeff & Martha Kirkland | \$22,500 | Freddy & Connie Heller | 3588 |  |
| Steve Cushing          | \$8,335  | Randy Dunn             | 385  |  |
| Sandra                 | \$165    | Steve & Lisa           | 2027 |  |
|                        |          | Jeff & Martha Kirkland | 6000 |  |



Opening Balance

\$110.6

**Closing Balance** 

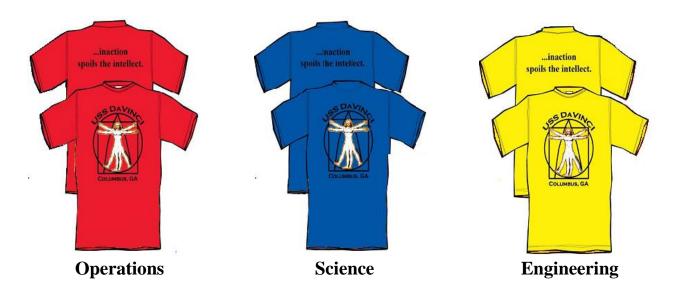
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# DAVIDCI T-SAIRTS

DaVinci t-shirts are still available! The cost is very reasonable: YM to L (\$11); XL (\$12), 2X (\$13), 3X (\$14), and 4X (\$15). Please contact Joe if you'd like to purchase a shirt.

Here is what the shirts look like:



Here is what we currently have in stock:

| <b>Operations</b> (1 | Operations (Red) |              | Science (Blue) |              | <u>(ellow)</u> |
|----------------------|------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| Medium               | 2                | Youth Medium | 1              | Youth Medium | 1              |
| Large                | 0                | Small        | 1              | Small        | 1              |
| XL                   | 3                | Medium       | 2              | Medium       | 4              |
| 2X                   | 2                | Large        | 1              | Large        | 2              |
| 4X                   | 1                | 2X           | 2              | XL/2X        | 0/0            |

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