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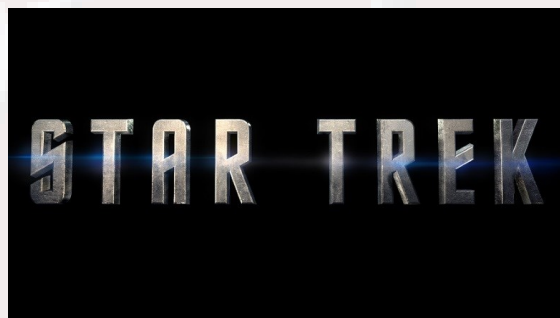
Crew I would like to start out by thanking everyone for their outstanding work to make the Accessibility through Innovation event possible. A great deal of your time and efforts went into this and cannot thank you all enough. I am sorry for the brevity of the center seat, and I promise I will make up for it next issue. It had been a busy and trying month for your CO with work schedule and other things other than Star League that had to be taken care of. I wanted to take the proper amount of time to convey the magnitude of this month's events.

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Paramount Pictures Officially Confirms Star Trek Origin Movie For Its Upcoming Film Slate



| BY: ANTHONY PASCALE 238 COMMENTS SO FAR

Today, the road to the next Star Trek feature film took a small but significant step towards becoming reality.

Paramount makes it official

Earlier this year, it was **reported** that Paramount Pictures was developing a new Star Trek feature film in parallel development to the “Star Trek 4” sequel to 2016’s *Star Trek Beyond*. Today the studio made the reports official as they announced their slate of films for 2025 and 2026, an official list which includes what Paramount is now calling “Untitled Star Trek Origin Story.” The studio also confirms the previously reported details: The film is “set decades before the original 2009 *Star Trek* film.” Toby Haynes (*Andor*, *Black Mirror* “USS Callister”) is directing based on a screenplay by Seth Grahame-Smith (*The Lego Batman Movie*), with J.J. Abrams returning as producer.

The Star Trek movie was just **one of many** the studio confirmed as part of their 2025/2026 slate at their CinemaCon presentation today. Paramount Pictures CEO Brian Robbins led the studio’s presentation at Caesars Palace in Las Vegas. This is the first time Star Trek has been part of the studio’s annual CinemaCon event since Robbins took over in 2021.

The “Star Trek 4” sequel to *Beyond* was not part of today’s CinemaCon presentation, presumably because with the recent **hiring of a new screenwriter**, that film would not be ready for theaters by 2026. It has also been reported that the origin story movie is set to start filming by the end of the year. There are no details yet on the plot, specific time setting, or cast. If Paramount can move fast enough they could get the origin movie into theaters by 2026—in time for Star Trek’s 60th anniversary.

Hallmark Announces Their 2024 STAR TREK Ornament Lineup

ASTER LUFKIN



Hallmark is known for making some pretty awesome fandom Christmas ornaments and they've just announced their official *Star Trek* collection for 2024!

The first ornament they released is the Keeper who kept Pike captive in the episode "The Cage." While most of the ornaments are released in October, this one is getting released in July to celebrate the 60th anniversary of "The Cage." This ornament will be priced at \$20.

The next ornament they teased is Dr Beverly Crusher. She is clad in her iconic blue coat and holding her medical tricorder, ready to see patients. This ornament will be released in October and sell for \$20.

The next ornament they dropped is an electronic ornament depicting the interaction between Data and Spock in TNG's "Unification II." This ornament plays sound clips from the iconic episode and is perfect for those *Star Trek* fans who just can't decide who they like better, Data or Spock. This ornament goes on sale in October for \$30.

If you're more of a modern *Trek* fan no need to worry, they're also releasing a Captain Pike ornament! This ornament features Pike sitting in the captain's chair and sporting his iconic hair. This ornament is also electronic and plays *Strange New Worlds* audio clips. It goes on sale in October for \$22.

Hallmark is also celebrating the 30th anniversary of *Star Trek: Generations* with this *Enterprise-B* ornament. This is the first ever *Enterprise-B* ornament Hallmark has released. This ornament also lights up and will hit the shelves in October for \$35.

To celebrate the anniversary of *Star Trek: The Motion Picture* Hallmark is releasing 2 mini ornaments in honor of the film! The first ornament is Spock wearing his TMP-era uniform. The ornament is only 1.8" tall, so super small and cute! The next is a miniature refit of the *USS Enterprise*. It is only 0.5" tall! Both of these ornaments will be released in October with Spock priced at \$11 and the *Enterprise* at \$10.

The final *Star Trek* ornament getting released this year isn't even technically a *Star Trek* ornament! The ornament is the ship from the *Star Trek* parody movie *Galaxy Quest*. This year is *Galaxy Quest*'s 25th anniversary and Hallmark is celebrating by releasing an ornament of their starship *The Protector*. This ship gets released in October and will sell for \$25.

End of an Era: Michelle Paradise Discusses STAR TREK: DISCOVERY's Final Season

CHRIS POST



As *Star Trek: Discovery* orbits its final season, co-showrunner Michelle Paradise sheds light on the series' culminating changes and its lasting impact on the *Star Trek* universe. [Speaking to TrekMovie](#), Paradise articulated the distinct shift in the show's narrative and thematic structure for season five. This latest season promises a different tone compared to its predecessors, infusing more action and adventure to elevate its storytelling.

"We knew coming into season five that we wanted that different tone... a bit more lightness—not to lose the things that make *Discovery*, *Discovery*," Paradise explained.

This shift was partly influenced by the heavy atmosphere of season four, which was written and filmed during the COVID-19 pandemic, adding a layer of somberness to the storyline.

Despite introducing episodic elements, Paradise was clear that the essence of *Discovery* remains intact.

"It's still fundamentally *Discovery*. And *Discovery* is built on serialized storytelling," she stated, reinforcing the show's core narrative style.

The decision to send the crew on a quest this season allows for episodic exploration, yet the series continues to weave these adventures into its serialized format.

Paradise also discussed the season five finale, which unexpectedly became the series finale.

"What's really interesting about this season is when we came in we didn't know that it would be our last season," she said. "So we had finished shooting and then we found out. We actually felt like of all the seasons for it to happen, this was the best one because the themes are

all so big.”

When it became clear that the season would be *Discovery's* last, some additional footage was shot, but most of the material already shot didn't need to be changed. “That is all just as we shot it with maybe a couple of tweaks for the finale that we ended up shifting just some things around, but it was very minor, very minor,” she said. “But I do think that people coming into the season and not knowing that will feel very satisfied and like we had known going in. So that's kind of cool.”

IN MEMORIAM: John G. Trimble

DAVID POWELL



John & Bjo Trimble. Image: Bob Paz / NASA

There are fans, and there are fans. Superfans, one might say, and John G. Trimble was one, along with his wife, Bjo. Sadly, we must report that John died early this morning, as reported by his daughter, Lora.

John and Bjo are best known as the force behind the letter writing campaign that helped to save *Star Trek: The Original Series* when it was slated to be cancelled after season two. John and Bjo also established Lincoln Enterprises, the mail order company run by Majel Barrett-Roddenberry.

According to Lora's Facebook post, John was a United States Air Force veteran. One of his best memories was when his 39th Air Rescue Squadron rescued visiting US Boy Scouts stranded on a mountain in Taiwan. It took multiple trips to get all hands safely home.

John and Bjo met “under a piano at Forrest J Ackerman's mansion, a friend they met through science fiction fandom. They were married in July and would have celebrated 64 years of marriage.” (Ackerman was the founding editor of *Famous Monsters of Film-land* magazine.) The Trimbles had three children.

Finally, said Lora, “John has touched thousands of lives in a way that [was] positive and full of joy. He will be greatly missed.”

Head over to Facebook for more on the life of John G. Trimble. You can also [check out the interview](#) John and Bjo did with Roddenberry Podcast *Women at Warp*.

Please join us in offering our condolences to John's family and friends

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Arrggghh! LED headlights!

Cooking with Neelix

Slow cooker pineapple pork loin



2-3lb pork loin trimmed of excess fat
2 tablespoons vegetable oil
salt and pepper
8 cloves garlic minced
1/4 cup soy sauce
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 23.5 ounce can pineapple chunks with juice



Trim pork loin of excess fat, season with salt and pepper. Set aside.

Heat a large pan over medium-high heat. Add oil, once the oil is hot, add the pork loin and brown on each side for about 2-4 minutes or until golden.

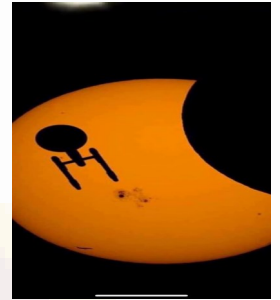
Add the pork to the slow cooker, rub with garlic. Add soy sauce and pineapple chunks with pineapple juice to the slow cooker. Distribute the brown sugar evenly over the top of the pork.

Put the lid on the slow cooker and cook on low for 4-6 hours, for a soft pork loin, that can still be sliced.

NOTE: If you want the pork extra soft, to make shredded pineapple pork, cook it on low for 8-10 hours, making sure during the cooking process, to lift the lid a few times and using a ladle pour the juices over the pork in order to keep it moist. After you shred the pork, add it back to the slow cooker and cook it on low for another hour.

Serve and enjoy!

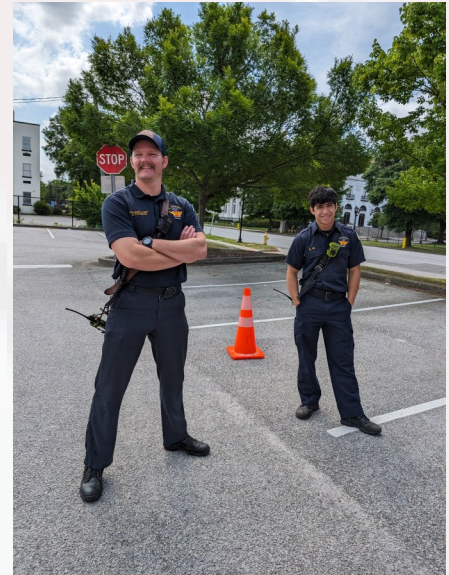
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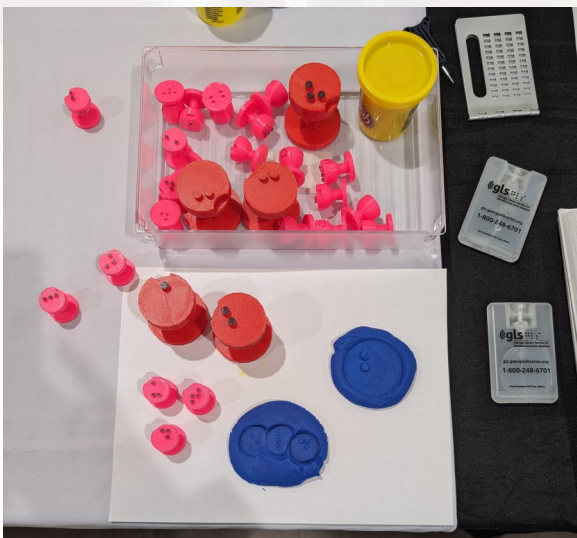
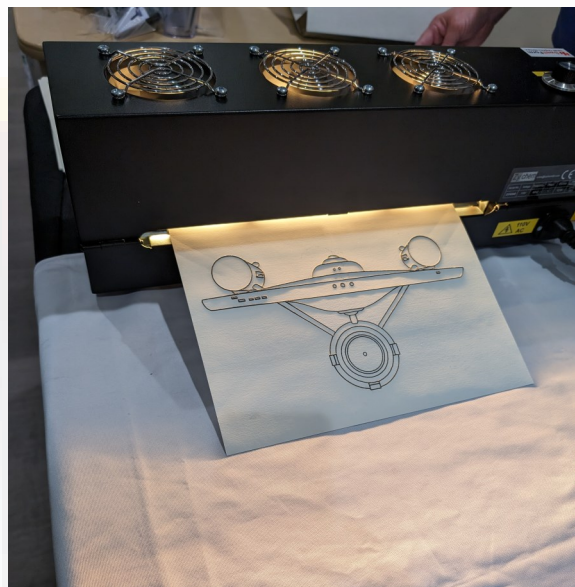


Watching the Solar Eclipse crew on your own event

The crew of the USS Star League at the Accessibility Through Innovation public event co-hosted with the Augusta Richmond County Library













‘Almost feels unreal:’ NASA set for crewed Starliner launch from Space Coast

Boeing Crew Flight Test is currently targeting takeoff at 10:34 p.m. on May 6



BREVARD COUNTY, Fla. – NASA astronauts Suni Williams and Butch Wilmore joined a news conference Wednesday to discuss the upcoming crewed flight test of Boeing’s Starliner spacecraft.

The Boeing Crew Flight Test is currently targeting takeoff at 10:34 p.m. Monday, May 6, from Space Launch Complex-41 at Cape Canaveral Space Force Station, according to NASA. The flight test seeks to use Boeing’s Starliner spacecraft to take Williams and Wilmore to the International Space Station for about a week in hopes that NASA then certifies Starliner for rotational missions as part of the agency’s Commercial Crew Program, much like has already happened with [SpaceX’s Crew Dragon spacecraft](#).

Williams and Wilmore [arrived at KSC](#) the week prior in a T-38 jet, touching down April 25 on a runway once used to

land space shuttles.

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The [Starliner capsule's first crewed flight test has been delayed for nearly a year](#) as Boeing grapples with continued technical issues. The project is running years behind schedule.

"It almost feels unreal. Like we've had a couple of launch dates and we've been like, 'OK, we're ready to go.'" Williams said.

Wilmore spoke about the honor that comes along with being able to test and certify a new spacecraft.

"The first word that comes to my mind is humbled. It's just the opportunity that the stars aligned and they put us in this position. It's a very humble position to be in. Grateful," Wilmore said. "And I think back to people like you know, John Young, who flew STS-1 the first time and that was the first on the first flight of the Gemini as well."

Given the [delays](#) so far issued for the mission, News 6's James Sparvero asked the astronauts why they believe the Boeing-built spacecraft is as safe as possible.

"We wouldn't be here if it weren't ready. We are ready. The spacecraft's ready and the teams are ready, and that's the message that I think you would expect to



A SpaceX Falcon 9 rocket passes in front of the moon after lift-off from Cape Canaveral Space Force Station, Fla. on April 18, 2024. The rocket is carrying 23 Starlink satellites.

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To purchase your tickets, head over to <https://icreg.sfi.org> to register.

This schedule is still evolving - stay tuned!

All times in Eastern

Friday, Aug 2

8:30am - ECAB
12pm - Lunch
6:30pm - Cocktails
7pm - Marine Mess (and awards for SFMC)

Saturday, Aug 3

8am - Breakfast Gathering
10am - Opening Ceremonies
12-4pm TBA
6:30pm - Cocktails
7pm - Banquet

Sunday, Aug 4

8am - Breakfast
10am-1pm TBA
1pm - Closing Ceremonies

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The USS Star League is awarded the following Region One Awards!
Congratulations and well done.
Thanks to Region One for this recognition !

Chapter of the year - USS Star League
XO of the year Jana Sandarg - USS Star League
Officer of the year - Ingrid Warden - USS Star League
Crew Handbook of the year - USS League



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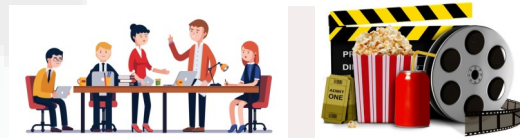
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Sunday May 12th
Mother's Day



Sunday May 19th
Possible movie w/ briefing
TBD



Monday May 27th
Memorial Day





TBD

Sun, Jun 16, 2024

Fathers Day



Please watch your emails and Facebook for online and updates and changes to activities



MEETING DATE: 2024-03-23

PROMOTIONS:

None this period

ACTIVITIES:

Friday March 1st Command staff met at Augusta Richmond County Library to continue finalizing plans for our Event (Accessibility Through Innovation) to be held April 27th Saturday March 23, 2024 We held our monthly briefing, followed by Lunch at the Captain's table, Bobby's Barbeque a Buffet restaurant which delighted crewmembers with a taste for the Earth version similar of a Klingon delicacy Roasted Targ Our fun activity was a visit a holodeck recreation of a 20th century game room. The Radioactive Pinball Arcade where the crew enjoyed a wide variety of old-fashioned games honing three dimensional tactical and strategic skills on such games as Star Trek pinball to Pac-Man, as well as many others. CO solicited crew input for the Region One Regional Coordinator and cast vote accordingly.
 Encouraged crew to vote on proposed STARFLEET amendments.

COMMENTS:

We published our newsletter and updated our social media pages. Planning continued on upcoming larger scale events through subspace communications such as a Chapter yard sale and also an away mission to Savannah Ga The crew also mourned the loss of former STARFLEET AND U.S.S. Star League member J. Beasley.



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]This is Lora writing,

April 19th, 2024 at 5:17 am my father John G Trimble passed away.

]John G Trimble

US Air Force - PFC - Korean War

John was born in the late 1930's and grew up in Devils Lake, ND. He graduated from Poly High School in Long Beach, CA, and enlisted in the US Air Force on 5 April 1955. John attended Basic Training at Parks Air Force Base Pleasanton, CA. He reported to Edward Gary Air Force Base in San Marcos, TX, for eight weeks of helicopter mechanic school on the Sikorsky H-19 Chickasaws. John was assigned to the 2157th Air Rescue Squadron, stationed at Kempo Airfield K-14 Korea for six months until the squadron was transferred to the 39th Air Rescue Squadron, Ashia Japan, for 18 months. John deployed to many locations during this assignment, including a long visit to Tainan, Taiwan. One of his best memories was when the squadron rescued visiting US Boy Scouts stranded on a mountain in Taiwan. It took multiple trips to get all hands safely home.

John returned to the US to serve at Williams AFB in Chandler, AZ. He was retrained to be an Air Operations Specialist, maintaining flight records and dispatching aircraft.

John met his wife, Betty Jo (Bjo) under a piano at Forrest J Ackerman's mansion, a friend they met thru Science Fiction fandom. They were married in July and would have celebrated 64 years of marriage. Their 3 children, Kathryn, Lora and Jenn have been a constant joy and the addition of husband to Lora, Jason and Jenn's husband Chris have completed the family. In 1966 they found a group of people interested in mediaeval combat and arts. They joined the Society of Creative Anachronism (SCA) . John served 2 terms as a member of it's board of directors, was a landed Baron of the first Barony. His arms were the very first to be registered with the college of Heralds and both John and Bjo have been members ever since. Later that year he said to his wife, "Gee it's a shame a good science fiction show like Star Trek is going to be canceled. We should do something about that!" And the same Star Trek campaign was born. For over 58 years John and Bjo Trimble have been ambassadors for science fiction, the space program and the SCA. Meeting and hosting people from all walks of life, all over the world.

John has touched thousands of lives in a way that positive and full of joy. He will be greatly missed.

In Memory of John Trimble