



# TFNATION 2017 SCHEDULE

Please be aware that like the Transformers themselves, all events, timings and guests are subject to change

## FRIDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2017

Important – The traders' hall and Forge will not be open on Friday.

10:00 – 21:00

Registration Desk

### Registration Check-In

Collect your wristbands, t-shirts and other TFNation merchandise from our dedicated Registration Desk in the Monarch Foyer area.

12:00 – 12:20

Panel Room

### Transformers fans: Unite!

One room. One fandom. All we need is you! A social meet, for those who arrive early. A great, informal way to meet new friends at the start of a fun-filled weekend.

12:30 – 13:50

Panel Room

### Lucky Draw

TFNation's own Dave & Steve Mapes present: Lucky Draw – a presentation about the rarest and shiniest Transformers of all!



**14:00 – 14:50**

**Panel Room**

**Spotlight: Beginnings**

How did you come to love the Transformers? Petrina Witt, Andrew Turnbull, Nicole Hale, Vanessa Sutherland and Sam Bullock take a walk down memory lane to examine the varied ways in which people find this wonderful hobby.

**15:00 – 15:50**

**Panel Room**

**Colour Commentary**

Join long time Transformers comic colourists John-Paul Bove and Josh Perez for an informal discussion about life behind the stylus.

**16:00 – 16:50**

**Panel Room**

**It's a Brave New World**

Introducing Brave – the anime and toylines which Transformers would have been, had the original series continued through the 90s. Lead by the knowledge base of Sid Beckett, Simon Barlow and Matt Clarke.

**17:00 – 17:50**

**Panel Room**

**Have I got Thew for you?**

YouTube's own Matthew Adams and Dave Mence answer your burning TF questions.

**18:00 – 18:50**

**Main Hall**

**The Matrix Test**

Get your combiner teams to the ready as the walking supercomputer that is Chris McFeely challenges you with a quiz that would stump Vector Sigma.



**19:00 – 19:50**

**Main Hall**

**Heavy Metal War Rectified**

Chris McFeely and the Mapes brothers take a look at this classic episode, which has now been extended with newly unearthed storyboards and vocal outtakes from the 1980s!

**20:00 – 20:20**

**Main Hall**

**Protect / Destroy: 10 Years of Bayhem**

Multi-credited Transformers actor Mark Ryan looks back at a decade of destruction at the box office.

**20:30 – 23:00**

**Main Hall**

**Live Action Movie**

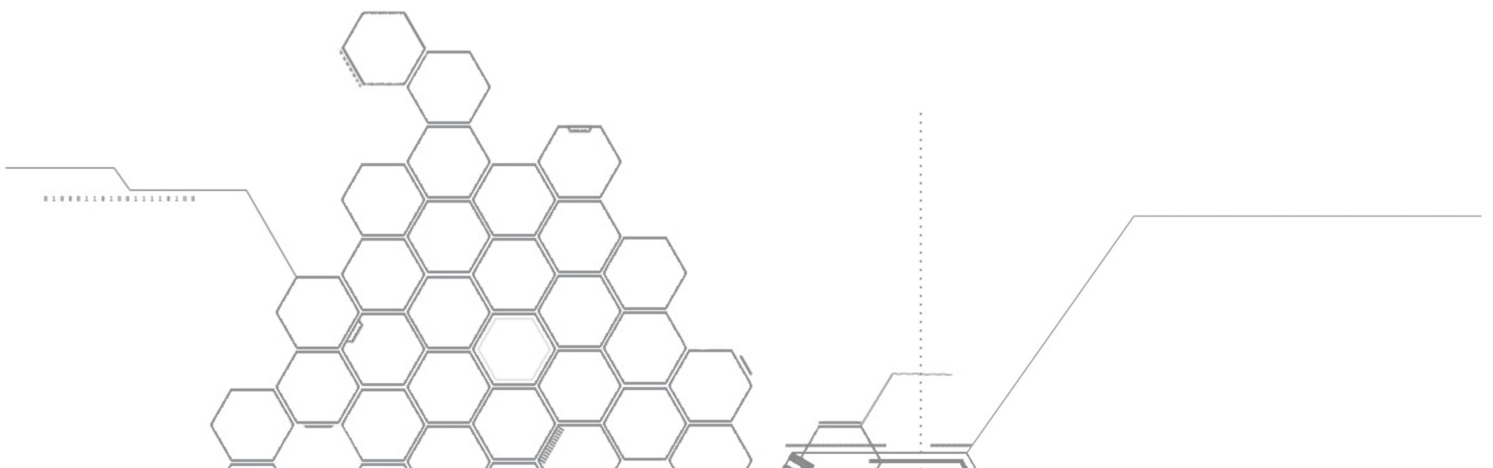
In 2007 the franchise underwent its biggest transformation ever. Join us as we look back to Hoover Dam...

**23:00 – Close**

**Panel Room**

**Perchance to Dream**

Looking for a relaxing end to day one? Join Adam and friends for a selection of Transformers bedtime readings.





## SATURDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2017

08:30 – 17:00

Registration Desk

### Registration Check-In and Ticket Sales

Collect your wristbands and t-shirts or buy tickets from our dedicated Registration Desk in the Monarch Foyer area.

09:00

Main Hall

### Breach their defences!

Doors to the traders' hall open to Weekend ticket holders only.

09:00

The Forge

### Breach their defences!

Doors to The Forge and display area open to both weekend and day ticket holders.

10:00

Main Hall

### Open, Dammit Open!

Doors to the traders' hall open to day ticket holders.

10:00 – 10:50

Main Hall

### Get on with the Ceremony

Join us as TFNation 2017 officially gets underway with our opening ceremony. See all of our guests for the first time, and learn what we have in store for the weekend.



**11:00 – 11:50**

**Main Hall**

**Maggie Roswell: Won't somebody please think of the Transformers?**

TFNation welcomes Simpsons star and Emmy Award nominated actress Maggie Roswell to the main stage! Maggie may not be a Transformer (yet!) but you won't want to miss her stories from the world of voice acting.

**12:00 – 12:50**

**Main Hall**

**Meet your Maker: Bob Budiansky**

We meet legendary Transformers writer Bob Budiansky, for a special presentation about his days at Marvel US.

**13:00 – 13:50**

Transmission incoming... stay tuned.

**14:00 – 14:50**

**Panel Room**

**The Art of Transformers**

A relaxed gathering with Transformers artist extraordinaire, Sara Pitre-Durocher.

**15:00 – 15:50**

**Main Hall**

**Venus Terzo: Dark Poison of our Hearts**

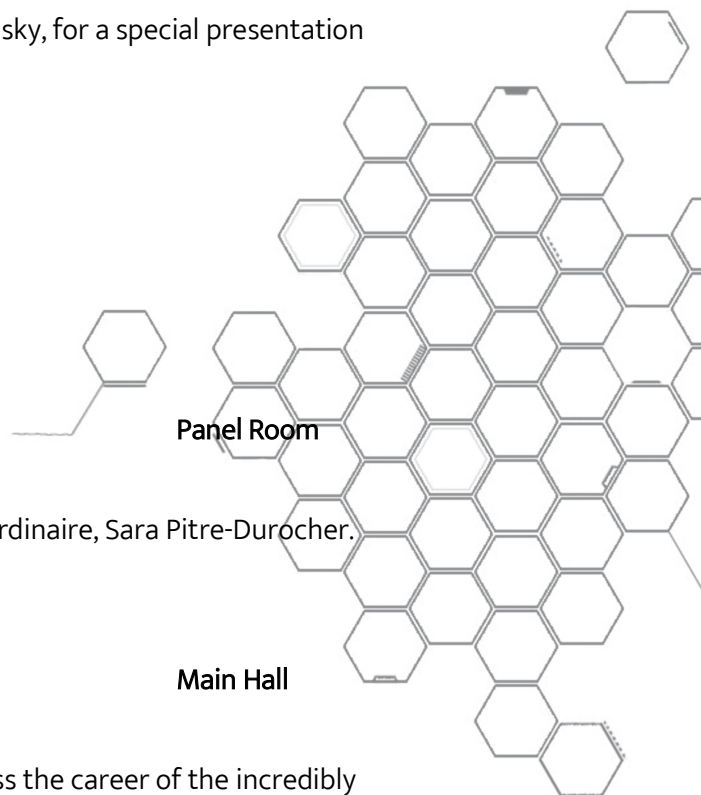
Meet the real Blackarachnia as we sit down to discuss the career of the incredibly talented Venus Terzo.

**16:00 – 16:50**

**Main Hall**

**Transformers: The Definitive G1 Collection**

Lead by the legendary Simon Furman, a host of creators take a look at the incredible new presentation of classic tales by Hachette.





**16:00 – 16:50**

**Panel Room**

**Podcast Panel**

Moonbase 2 host and community champion Andy Millman will bring joy to your audio receptors in this podcast panel.

**17:00**

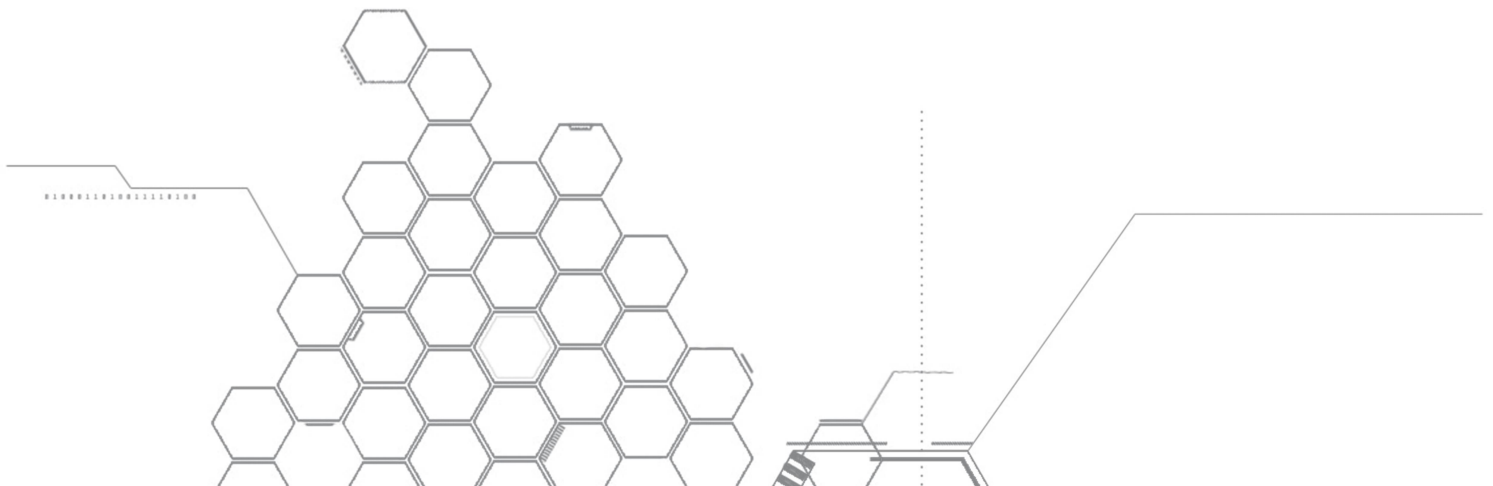
**Traders' and Forge halls close.**

**17:00 – 17:50**

**Panel Room**

**The Transformers YouTube Community Panel**

Whether you are a long-time member of TTYC, or a new convert, be sure to pop along and meet the crew at their annual gathering!





## **SATURDAY NIGHT (FOR WEEKEND TICKET HOLDERS ONLY)**

**19:00 – 19:20**

**Clubcon**

### **Welcome to Clubcon**

Weekend ticket holders, take your places for an evening of entertainment that is more than meets the eye!

**19:30 – 20:20**

**Clubcon**

### **Pretenders Cosplay**

Admire the incredible talent on show at TFNation's annual costume parade.

**20:30 – 20:50**

**Clubcon**

### **Just a Cycle!**

Host Andrew Turnbull is joined by celebrity guests in a game show for the ages - Even Smokescreen wouldn't bet on these results!

**21:00 – 21:30**

**Clubcon**

### **TFNation 2017 Live Script Reading**

Details to follow.

**21:40 – Close**

**Clubcon**

### **Cosplay contest Results**



**SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2017**

**08:30 – 14:00**

**Registration Desk**

**Registration Check-In and Ticket Sales**

Collect your wristbands and t-shirts or buy tickets from our dedicated Registration Desk in the Monarch Foyer area.

**09:00**

Doors open to Weekend and Sunday ticket holders.

**Main Hall / Forge**

**10:00 – 10:50**

**Main Hall**

**The Conversation**

Furman. Budiansky. A conversational panel starring two of the biggest names in Transformers history.

**11:00 – 11:50**

**Main Hall**

**We Dynamite Hal Rayle to Pieces**

Voice over panel, starring the actor behind G1 Shrapnel, Snarl and Pipes.

**12:00 – 12:50**

**Panel Room**

**Cosplay Panel**

Join Isa and Tori as they talk to last year's winners Emalie, Jo and Chaozrael to hear what goes into making a Transformers costume!

**13:00 – 13:50**

**Main Hall**

**Triple Take-Over**

A round up of the hottest news in third party toys.







**14:00 – 14:50**

**Panel Room**

**Re-Animated**

Chris McFeely and Jim Sorenson talk you through the epic journey that lead to their TFA themed graphic novel: Trial and Error. If you're lucky you may get to meet the artists too!

**15:00 – 15:50**

**Main Hall**

**Mark Ryan: Permission to Speak**

We sit down with the voice of Bumblebee, Jetfire, Lockdown and more, to discuss his varied career on and off the Transformers movie sets.

**16:00 – 16:50**

**Main Hall**

**Lost Light**

James Roberts and Jack Lawrence answer questions about the natural successor to the highly acclaimed Transformers: More Than Meets The Eye.

**17:00**

**The Forge**

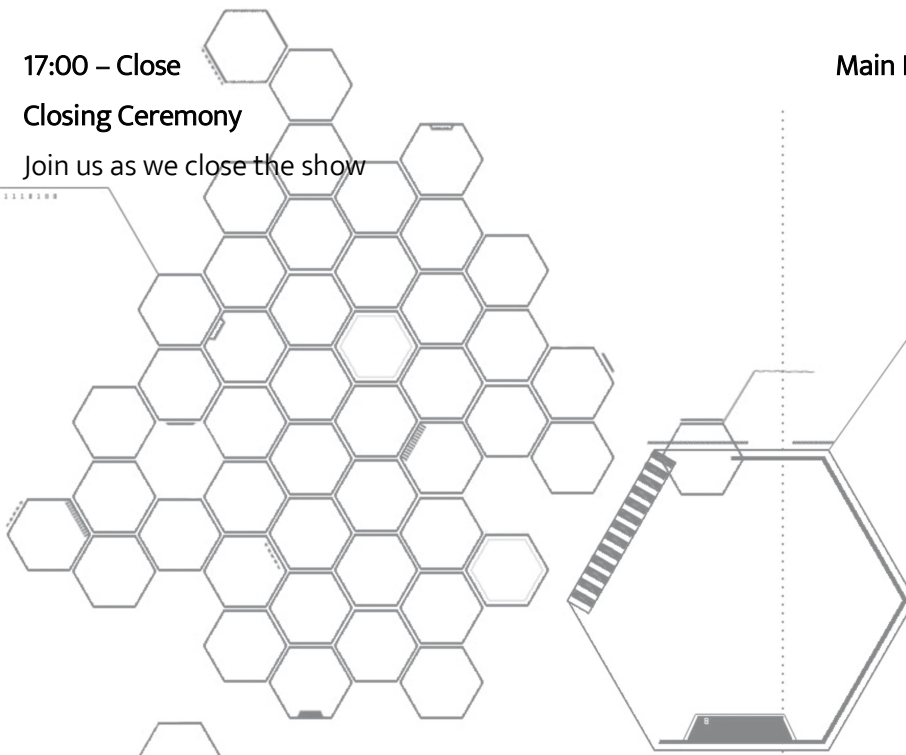
**The Forge Closes**

**17:00 – Close**

**Main Hall**

**Closing Ceremony**

Join us as we close the show





# TFNATION<sup>®</sup>



- MAIN HALL
- THE FORGE
- PANEL ROOM
- DISPLAY AREA
- CLUB CON (SATURDAY EVENING ONLY)
- POOL/GYM

- TFNATION WELCOME DESK
- HOTEL RECEPTION
- BAR/LOUNGE
- TOILETS
- MAIN ENTRANCES/EXITS

