

A Trip to Skansen

By Leophan

Skansen museum is dedicated to Swedish culture and Nordic wildlife.

The Stockholm park offers a vast collection of old buildings, museums, animals, and history. For the attendees joining the trip, it meant a relaxing afternoon admiring historical buildings, as well as nordic wildlife and some more exotic creatures.

Few others had found their way here this day, giving us the park pretty much to ourselves.

Small groups walked around enjoying some peace and quiet, watching animals play, sleep, or just sit there.

A tranquil start to a busy convention!

The Door Sign Award Returns

By Leophan

Like last year, we wish to honor the creativity and talent on display in every corridor of the hotel. Door signs transform what's normally the most boring part of any hotel into a living art show.

With the help of the photo department we in WhatTheFuzz will inspect every single door sign, to find a winner and some honorable mentions. We'll be starting soon, so make sure to decorate your door as quick as possible or you might miss out!

The door signs will be judged on their creativity, originality, theming and overall quality. The winner will be announced in our Sunday issue and receive an official NordicFuzzCon diploma during the closing ceremony.



Know Your Furry Anime

Ginga Nagareboshi Gin (Silver Fang) - series, 1986

By Miles T.F. Baxxter

The Akita Inu pup known as Gin must defeat Akakabuto, a vicious and deranged bear residing in the nearby mountains. An action packed and heart wrenching journey which has become a cult hit in the Nordic countries – and there's even a Finnish musical!

Introducing the NordicFuzzCon Telegram Bot

A new Telegram bot has been created to aid you with information about local stores, delays and a little surprise game*. To use the bot you need to have the Android/iPhone Telegram app installed on your mobile or laptop device. There are two ways to interact with the bot, the simplest way is to be in any one chat and simply type **"@nfcinfobot"** (without quotation marks). This will open up a small menu where you can press any of the commands that opens up for more information. The second way is to search for the user **"@nfcinfobot"**, click on the user, press the start button and then type /help to show a list of possible commands.

* The game, which involves our beloved Mascot Mausie, will open after the opening ceremony.

Photo Competition

By Atkelar

With the NFC Photo Competition we are happy to announce something new this year.

All attendees can enter, and every picture taking at or around NFC 2017 is eligible, as long as it meets common legal requirements for public display. We want to have the winner and runner ups on our website, after all!

This is the first year we are holding this competition. If there is enough positive feedback we will bring the competition back next year with a broader submission range, so keep your eyes out for subjects related to next year's theme as soon as that is announced

Technical Details and Rules

1. You can submit at most two pictures for the contest.
2. Deadline is Saturday, March 11, 21:00 local time.
3. File format: JPEG (.jpg) high quality, but keep single files below 10MB.
4. Do not use Photoshop, other than for colour correction and cropping.
5. Submissions are to be sent via e-mail attachments. In the subject, write "PC:" + your badge number and nickname for credits. (E.g. "PC: 1234 someFur".) Send to photos@nordicfuzzcon.org



Photo by Atkelar

The Nightly Arcade

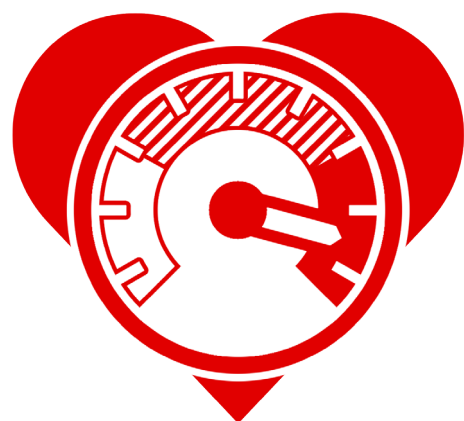
"Hayako" the Kitsune is today's arcade shrine deity and the festival theme is "Racing Heart".

Likes: lollipops, racing, gambling, rock and eurobeat.

Dislikes: schedules and stop signs.

Blood Type: O

Today's tournaments feature Japan World Cup, Mario Kart 8, Para Para Paradise and Initial D.



Game On!

This year's arcade room is a festival shrine with its games and events themed after the deity mascots inhabiting the shrine. Pay your respects by gaming through generations of classics and rare gems with many fursuit-friendly options and smaller tournaments occurring every other hour.

Also visit the boardgaming room for an array of games to try out with others – or bring your own!

The NFC App*

Download the official NordicFuzzCon app to help you get the most out of your convention experience! It's packed full of useful features you can access anytime right on your phone.

*Only available for Android



Catch 'Em All

Ever played Pokemon? Then you'll love this little game of finding as many participating fursuiters as possible during the convention. Start your hunt on the website (catchemall.nordicfuzzcon.org) or NFC app and pick your team: Yellow (Super-Kawaii), Red (Samurai) or Blue (Robotto). Look for a fursuiter with a blue badge and get the code that is on it*. Enter the code on the website or app to "capture" the suiter. In there you can also see information on your statistics and high scores. The top hunter will receive a diploma at the closing ceremony.

*The code is at the bottom right corner of the fursuit badge.

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