

PROGRAM BOOK



WELCOME TO FUMPFEST 2023 ON THE COB!

When we approached Andy Hopp about hosting The Logan Awards at Con on the Cob we mentioned that we didn't yet have plans for FuMPFest for this year. He said "Why don't you have FuMPFest at Con on the Cob?" And we said, "yeah, why don't we?" So here we are! Andy has graciously allowed us to invade his convention like a swarm of locusts with ukuleles singing bad parodies and we are incredibly grateful to him. Thanks, Andy!

For the Con on the Cob people who maybe don't know what's happening, FuMPFest is a comedy-music convention run by The FuMP (The Funny Music Project). Join us for a weekend of funny songs and related weirdness!

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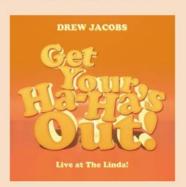
SPECIAL THANKS

Andy Hopp, Bill Frenzer, Bill Carey, Bonnie Gordon, Insane Ian, Jeff Whitmire, Ross Childs, Steve Goodie, the great Luke Ski, Toby Danger, TV's Kyle, Worm Quartet, Chris Mezzolesta, Bill Rockwell, Susan "Sulu" Dubow, Jeff Morris, Eclectic Lee, Seamonkey, Dementia Radio, Dr. Don, Ken Sherlock, Steve Popernack, our sponsors, HTB Press, and of course everyone who actually showed up to this thing!

FuMPFest Staff

Tom Rockwell - Con Chair, aka Devo Spice, the guy who does things
Luke Sienkowski - Co-chair, aka the great Luke Ski, who tells Devo to do things
Chris Mezzolesta - Sound Guy, Tile Guy, Power Salad performer
Ian Bonds - aka Insane Ian, Logan Awards Chair, and host, so Devo doesn't have to

Enjoy FuMPFest! Get Your Ha-Ha's Out!



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FUMP BINGO

FuMP Bingo is back! This is an ongoing thing throughout the weekend, not a one-time event. Grab your card from Table 27 and mark things off as they happen. Then, when you get a bingo go turn in your card at Table 27 for a stupid prize!



CONTENT GUIDELINES FOR PARENTS



Content is clean and just fine for the young'uns.



Generally clean but may contain some adult topics, double entendres, or some mild profanity.



Expect some profanity here but not an excessive amount.



No holds barred. Lots of \$#%^&@! profanity!



Totally insane! Not suitable for anyone.

GUEST OF HONOR: OGDEN EDSL

Ogden Edsl, or "The Ogden Edsl Wahalia Blues Ensemble Mondo Bizzario Band", was formed in 1970 by Bill Frenzer, Bill Carey, and Otis XII. The first song Dr. Demento played by them was



"Dead Puppies" which went on to become the most requested song of all time on the show (jockying for position with "Fish Heads" by Barnes and Barns). The band would go on to have dozens more hits on the show including "Daddy's Money" and the infamous "Kinko the Clown."

Ogden Edsl started out doing live shows in Omaha Nebraska in the early 70s featuring funny music, parodies, and comedy sketches. They also recorded a 65-episode radio serial. In 1976 the band moved to Los Angeles and released an album called *Stuffed*.

Ogden Edsl was inducted into the Nebraska Music Hall of Fame in 2001 and "Kinko the Clown" is featured on *The Rhino Brothers Present the World's Worst Records* compilation album.



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

URSDAY	The Main Entertainment Room		Table 27	The Everything Room
2:00:00				
3:00:00			CON ON THE COB PROGRAMMING	
4:00:00	CotC Welcoming Ceremony		FUMPFEST PROGRAMMING	
5:00:00	Voice-Having Murder Thuggg Killaz Collaborative Jam Session			
6:00:00				
7:00:00				
8:00:00				
9:00:00	The FuMPCast Live	(3)		
10:00:00				
11:00:00				
12:00:00				
DAY	The Main Entertainment Room		Table 27	The Everything Room
9:00:00				
10:00:00				
11:00:00				
12:00:00				
1:00:00	Live Podcasts	9		
2:00:00	Movie Time			
3:00:00		1		
4:00:00				
5:00:00	Concert: 2d6			
6:00:00	Concert: Insane Ian	0	Table 27 Open	
7:00:00	Concert: Jeff Whitmire			
8:00:00	Panel: Dumb Parody Ideas	(3)		
9:00:00	Concert: TV's Kyle			
10:00:00	What The FuMP? (Game Show)	9		
11:00:00	Karaoke on the Cob	J		
12:00:00				

SATURDAY	The Main Entertainment Room	Table 27	The Everything Room
7:00:00			
8:00:00	The Saturday Morning Cartoons and Cereal Party		
9:00:00			
10:00:00			
11:00:00			State of The FuMP
12:00:00	Jungle Mango's Snakestravaganza		Л
1:00:00	Concert: Toby Danger	Table 27 Open	
2:00:00	Q&A with GOH	e lable 21 open	
3:00:00	Concert: Steve Goodie	Autographs (Hallway)	
4:00:00	7	(
5:00:00	The Logan Awards)	
6:00:00	- I		
7:00:00	The CotC Costume Contest	Table 27 Open	
8:00:00	Concert: Bonnie Gordon) lable 27 Open	
9:00:00		1	
10:00:00	GOH Concert: Ogden Edsl	•)	
11:00:00	The CotC Queens of Drag		
12:00:00			
1:00:00			
SUNDAY	The Main Entertainment Room	Table 27	The Everything Room
9:00:00			
10:00:00			
11:00:00			
12:00:00			
1:00:00	The FuMP Showcase)	
2:00:00	Concert: Ross Childs	Table 27 Open	
3:00:00	Concert: the great Luke Ski		
4:00:00	Closing Ceremonies		
5:00:00			

PERFORMING ARTISTS



Bonnie Gordon - Bonnie is an actress and singer who prides herself on being a "professional nerd." Her VO credits include Star Trek Prodigy, Street Fighter V, Fire Emblem Echoes/Three Houses, Mighty Magiswords, MegaMan 11, and many more! She has traveled all over the world singing and guesting at comic cons with her

nerdy parody band The Library Bards "taking top 40 hits and transforming them into nerdy, geektastic tunes about sci-fi and fantasy!"



Insane Ian - Insane Ian is a comedy-musician from Chicago with a penchant for video games and a strange Spider-Man fetish. Recently knighted as a "comedy music god" by legendary radio personality Dr. Demento, Ian has made a name for himself with his quick wit and video game related song parodies. Besides perform-

ing, Ian will be your host for the weekend and is also the Chair of The Logan Whitehurst Memorial Awards for Excellence in Comedy Music.



Jeff Whitmire - Jeff Whitmire has been dubbed the "Weird Al" of horror (by a small, but feisty circle of social media)! He writes funny songs about popular horror films and franchises, as well as other pop culture subjects. He is a 3-time Logan Award Nominee and his songs have been heard on the Dr. Demento Show. He recently released

his second album, *Stabby Road*, an album of wacky horror movie themed comedy songs!



Ross Childs - Ross Childs has been improvising, singing, and performing in and around the country for the better part of the last decade. He moved to Chicago from Houston, TX in the summer of 2013. Since then, he has studied at iO, The Annoyance, and The Second City. He has been playing comedy music for the better part

of a decade, releasing his debut album "Kazoology" in 2018. When not recording and performing his music, he's writing and performing theater with his company, BYOT productions.

PERFORMING ARTISTS



Steve Goodie - Steve Goodie is a comedian, singer, songwriter, and record producer from Nashville Tennessee who has the distinct honor of having penned Nina Yankovic's favorite parody, "Dumbledore," a parody of her father's original song "Hardware Store." He loves writing songs about Harry Potter and making up weird

and often disgusting kids songs, and recently performed a tribute to Weird Al and Daniel Radcliffe at The Edinburgh Fringe Festival.



the great Luke Ski - At Dragon*Con 2004, Dr. Demento declared "the great Luke Ski" to be his show's Most Requested Artist of the 21st Century. Since then, Luke has held onto that title by having songs on the show's year-end countdown 18 years in a row, including five at #1. Luke is the brainchild behind Dumb Parody Ideas and re-

cently released a new album titled *Needlessly Meta*. His songs about fannish topics have made him a staple on the convention scene.



Toby Danger - Toby Danger exists as the universe's answer to the question: what if Weird Al had learned guitar instead of accordion? The trio takes parts of Foo Fighters, Green Day, Tenacious D, and "Weird Al" Yankovic to create a Frankenstein's monster of modern rock that does stand up on the weekends. Toby Danger is

a rock and roll explosion of comedy and electricity, ultimately reminding all of us not to take ourselves so seriously.



TV's Kyle and Linzilla - TV's Kyle is the puffy-vested bloopcore artist responsible for some of the more surreal songs posted to The FuMP. He is also the creator of Cartoon Network's Mighty Magiswords. Together with Linzilla—the world's smallest kaiju—they will take the stage and tell you the four things you need to

know, one of which is that you can't get there from here. Booyah!

PANEL DESCRIPTIONS

THURSDAY

CotC Welcome Ceremony - The event formerly known as Opening Ceremonies, welcome to the con! This is mostly a Con on the Cob event but we will be on hand to fill you in on the impending FuMPFest activities and presenting a special live performance of some kind.

The FuMPCast - Live - Join Devo Spice and the great Luke Ski as they host The Funny Music Podcast (aka The FuMPCast), live! This is a weekly show that supplements the songs posted at The FuMP where Devo and Luke interview the artists who posted



this week's song, discuss funny music news, tour dates, and more.

FRIDAY

Live Podcasts - Devo Spice will be presenting a live recording of Manic Mondays featuring News of the Stupid and more, and TV's Kyle and the great Luke Ski will be on hand for a recording of Kyle and Luke Talk About Toons.

Movie Time - Join us for a special screening of Devo Spice's first short horror film Room 259, plus the bonus video from FuMP 100, and possibly a world premiere comedy short.

Dumb Parody Ideas - A fastpaced, loosely organized contest to see who has come up with the dumbest parody idea. We present them in a rapid fire rotation as guests and audience members get up and perform a verse and chorus of their dumbest song. The winner will receive the coveted Golden Spatula!

What The FuMP? - How's your dementia knowledge? Are you the ultimate comedy-music fan? Put your knowledge to the test against other audience members in this Jeopardy-like game show which takes cues from several other popular game shows. Sign up forms are at Table 27.

SATURDAY

The State of the FuMP - Devo Spice and other members of the FuMP will be on hand to discuss what's going on behind the scenes at The FuMP.

Q&A with Ogden Edsl - Join the creators of such comedy classics as "Dead Puppies," "Daddy's Money," and "Kinko the Clown" for a Q&A and find out what makes them tick. This event will be followed by an autograph session.

The Logan Awards - The 13th annual Logan Whitehurst Memorial Award for Excellence in Come-

dy Music with winners in three categories: Outstanding Original Comedy Song, Outstanding Parody Song, and Outstanding Comedy Music Video.

SUNDAY

The FuMP Showcase - Artists who aren't otherwise performing will take the stage, including Brett Glass, Carrie Dahlby, Holy Bongwater, and Soggy Potato Chips.

Closing Ceremonies - All good things must come to an end, and such is the case with FuMPFest. This will be a combined FuMPFest/Con on the Cob event.



