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Corflu Glitter

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Glitter is available by request, though it may arrive unbidden, like a shivering kitten begging you to let it come in out of the cold.

Glitter is also available as a free download at Corflu.org.

Reserving Your Corflu Glitter Guest Room

Sunset Station Hotel-Casino is now ready to accept room reservations for Corflu Glitter. You can enter your reservation online or via a toll-free phone call.

The cut-off for reservations is March 17, 2012, which isn't exactly the day after tomorrow. Still, the supply of rooms, especially smoking rooms, isn't inexhaustible. Signing up early insures that you'll get the type of room you want in the best location.

Obviously, it greatly helps the con if you reserve your room through these channels as a member of Corflu. Since Sunset Station waived the \$13-per-day amenities fee, you're not likely to get a better *real* deal through a travel site.

The toll-free reservations number is: 888-786-7389. Be sure to mention our group's special code: SCICORF.

The online system is fast and simple. The URL is: [https://rooms.stationcasinos.com/cgi-bin/LANSAWEB?procfun+rn+Resnet+sun+funcparms+UP\(A2560\)::SCICORF:/](https://rooms.stationcasinos.com/cgi-bin/LANSAWEB?procfun+rn+Resnet+sun+funcparms+UP(A2560)::SCICORF:/)

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Party with the Vegrants

Corflu Glitter officially starts with the Opening Ceremony early on Friday evening, but the Vegrants aren't impressed by "official" anything and never stand on ceremony.

That's why Las Vegas' informal, invitational Core Fandom fan club has started collecting money at each meeting to bankroll the Corflu Glitter Kick-off Party on Thursday evening at Sunset Station in the main con suite.

The Vegrants will be on hand to provide boundless hospitality, including plenty to eat and drink. If you're coming to Corflu Glitter, consider arriving on Thursday in time for the fourth renewal of this Corflu-in-Vegas tradition.

Take a Hike!

Once again, by popular demand, Ken Forman will lead Corflu's nature lovers on a Friday morning hike. Ken's guided forays into nature have become a highlight of Las Vegas Corflus. More and more fans have discovered how much fun it is to accompany the knowledgeable and witty Main-spring to one of the Vegas Valley's special wild places.

Ken has already outlined a hike to an area Corfluvians have not visited with him on previous excursions.

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A Little More Animation

Don Miller introduced the Corflu Glitter logo a couple of weeks ago, but the con's graphics maven hasn't stopped working on the visuals. He has now created two more fine pieces.

His original Corflu Glitter logo drew a lot of favorable comment, but Don wasn't satisfied with it. After some tweaking of the color scheme to boost the eye-appeal of the neon-style lettering, Don has brought forth an improved version.

Don didn't stop there, though. He has now created an animated version of the logo to enhance the Corflu.org site. Tom Becker, our Webmaster, will be posting it in the next few days.

Meet Corflu Glitter's A Team

Corflu Silver introduced the Virtual Consuite, which has now become a popular element of each year's event. Corflu Glitters A (for Audio-visual) Team, led by the fan who invented the Virtual Consuite, Bill Mills, anticipates expanded use of audio and video in 2012.

Glitter will have more details on specific plans as they become relevant, but this time I want to introduce our talented squad. It's the best way to show that we're taking this aspect of Corflu very seriously.

Bill Mills is a professional in the audio and video field, with both technical and performing experience. He also produced and directed the internet television series "The Wasted Hour."

Roc Mills is an excellent photographer and has done professional voice acting.

Don Miller not only has years of professional audio and video experience, but he has run film and video programs at several cons, including Corflu Blackjack.

JoHn Hardin is understudying Bill as a video camera fan and already has plenty of experience with fannish still photography.

Peter Sullivan says it's "85% likely" that he'll be at Corflu Glitter. If he's here, he'll be Bill's prime assistant. If he stays at home in the UK, Peter will be a resource for anyone there who wants to interact with Corflu Glitter's virtual presence.

The Wrap-Up

Here comes the bottom of the page and there's still so much I want to tell you. Looks like the weekly frequency will continue for at least another issue.. See you all next Friday.

— Arnie

Vital Information

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