



THE BIG APPLE CHRISTMAS CON

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2022, THE NEW YORKER HOTEL, 481 8TH AVE @ 34TH ST.

Big Apple Comic Convention, NYC's original comic con now in our 27th year, is proud to announce our 4th Annual Christmas Con, a party convention with loads of *gifts, prizes, and special events* to celebrate Christmas and NYC's all season love affair with the world of comics and pop culture collectibles with our fans. **It's a Christmas Party.**

The **BACC Christmas Con** features over **100 exhibitors, plus artists, guests, and cosplayers**, with a special focus on talented up and coming **artists from the NYC area.**

Guests include:

- [Jim Steranko](#), pantheon author and artist, whose real surreal imagery [transformed comic book visual art](#),
- Ink Pot award winning Artist, Actor, Author, [Larry Hama](#), (*G.I. Joe, The 'Nam, and Bucky O'Hare*)
- Eisner Award winner [Jim Rugg](#) (creator of [Street Angel](#)) (Street Angel kicks butt, the coolest stuff ever).
- Eisner Award winner [Ed Piskor](#) (creator of the world phenomena [Hip Hop Family Tree Omnibus](#)) (Every modern family should have a copy,. A great gift and get it signed too).
- **Jim Rugg** and **Ed Piskor** host the super popular You Tube program [Cartoon Kayfabe!](#) (If you ain't listening you ain't thinking comics. The inimitable award winning.
- [Bill Tucci](#) creator of [Shi](#) (4 million copies sold) [A Child is Born](#) (perfect gift for Christmas)
- [Alitha Martinez](#) 2018 Eisner Award, and GLAAD Media Award winner ([World of Wakanda](#)). Innovative, versatile (*Iron Man, Moon Girl, Black Panther, Nubia, Archie*), a complete master of the craft and culture, Alitha's unique style and humane vision emerge whatever [subject she creates](#).
- Underground Comic artist/author legend [Paul Kirchner](#) ([Awaiting the Apocalypse](#), [Dope Rider](#), [The Bus](#))
- Indie comic cult icon [Ken Landgraf](#) [New York City Outlaws](#), Strangers, Blind Justice, Ink Zeitgeist, [Apocalypse 5000](#), Atomic Hercules. (If you think out of the box, you gonna find Ken been there for time).
- Master artist and [inker of hundreds of comics](#), from Marvel to DC and back [Keith Williams](#).
- Artist and editor [Sean Chen](#) for Valiant he produced [X-O Manowar](#), [Bloodshot](#), [Harbinger](#), and [Rai and the Future Force](#) (RFF #9, sold over 900,000 copies). The for Marvel he drew [Iron Man](#) for over three years, along with [Wolverine](#), Elektra, and the maxi-series [X-Men: The End..](#) (The next master blaster!).
- [Lou Manna](#), [Thunder Agents](#), [The Young All Stars](#), [Infinity Agents](#), is a consummate stylist.
- [Mahdi Khene](#), indie publisher, musician, is the creator of the remarkably alternative [Bootleg Spiderman](#), and [Steel Streets](#) (Ho Ho Ho, new stuff happinin')
- We also will have the MAD Magazine, forever in our minds visionary artist of. [Spy vs.Spy](#) Eisner Award winner [Peter Kuper](#) (Anyone ever read Mad needs to meet this man)

Also, Skateboard legend, author, actor, and musician for [Black Flag](#) [Mike Vallely](#), will be signing your deck and his new graphic novel bio [Blvd of the Eagles](#)

Yes, the rumors are true, **Santa Claus will arrive at the 40th floor of New Yorker Hotel and slide down the chimney (elevator) with a huge bag of gifts for our little fans.** Of course, our rightfully famous **Cosplay contest**, and an **Ugly Christmas Sweater Contest**, with prizes by our partner [Ultimate Wireless](#).

The BACC is an essential NYC comic book and pop culture collectible event, a national hub for collectors and traders, with some of the greatest collectible books are exhibited, and traded.

All of this in the spacious ballrooms of the Art Deco masterpiece **New Yorker Hotel (481 8th Ave @34th St).**

Big Apple Comic Con "Christmas Con," Saturday, December 16th 2023, 10am-7pm (VIP admission 9am)

Tickets: General Admission \$35; VIP Admission \$85; Kids under 14 \$15, Kids under 10 are Free. Contact:

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