

# YOTTA NEWS

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STORE NEWS

October has been a really busy month for us at Yottaquest with lots of events and projects going on around the office. I want to thank all the volunteers that came out to Cincinnati Comic Expo and demoed games.



### MAGIC

The Gathering®

The prerelease for the newest Horror themed set of Magic the

Gathering, Innistrad, had record breaking attendance for us at Yottaquest.

Some of the Yottaquest crew visited Alliance Open House and talked about all the cool upcoming releases and events from some of your favorite companies. One star of the show was the upcoming Heroclix: Infinity Gauntlet Storyline driven organized play.



Our "Lazy Sunday" casual tournaments for Warhammer 40k have been a huge success and the league has filled the store on several nights. Catch some of the action on the 22<sup>nd</sup> for our 40k Tournament.

Starting in at the end of October will be our first Warhammer Fantasy League, and it is designed for people who have never



played, or are completely new to the hobby. All of the staff knows the game, and it has become a fast favorite, so we are glad to share it with the Community.

We're also looking forward to November when we will be doing a Local Author and Artist Expo at Yottaquest to feature local talent.

Enjoy the rest of October, the holidays will be here before you know it!



-Matthew

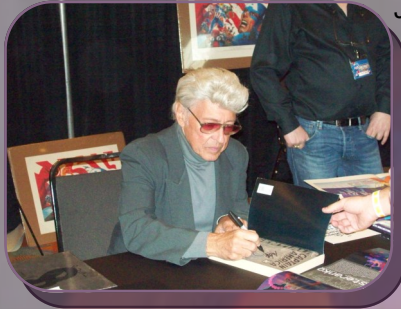
### Flash Forward

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|-----------|--------------------------------|
| Nov. 1st  | Ascension Tournament FREE!     |
| Nov. 6th  | Warhammer 40k Tournament FREE! |
| Nov. 12th | Warmachine/Hordes Tournament   |
| Nov. 19th | Local Artist and Author Expo   |

# CINCINNATI COMIC EXPO 2011 RECAP

September 17th saw the return of the Cincinnati Comic Expo. The second annual event was held at the Duke Energy Convention Center downtown this year. Although no official numbers have been released, attendance was definitely up, way up. It's good to see an event like this bring in the crowds in Cincinnati.

Vendors from all over the U.S. attended, and the show was able to snag some big –named talent such as



Jim Steranko! From the Comic Expo's site bio: *"The more than 100 innovations he created as artist-writer on Marvel's S.H.I.E.L.D., Captain America, and X-MEN revolutionized the comics form and, as an illustrator, he painted a multitude of book covers, record jackets, and movie posters, including 30 Shadow paperbacks. He has shown his work at more than 200 exhibitions worldwide, including the Louvre in Paris and the Smithsonian Institution in Washington."* Wow! Many other top artists and writers were also in attendance. Several participated in lectures and/or Q&A in the Panel room throughout the day.

The costume contest was a huge success as dozens of participants dressed up as their favorite comic book or other sci-fi/fantasy/horror genre character.



And, of course, YottaQuest was there to deliver the games! While having a booth in the vendor hall, we also hosted a gaming room, running tons of demos throughout the day. We thank everyone who attended this year and took the time to stop by. We hope you had fun. We know we did!



# OCTOBER 2011 EVENTS

| Sun  | Mon   | Tue  | Wed  | Thu  | Fri   | Sat   |
|--|---|--|--|--|---|---|
|  |   |  |  |  |   | 1<br>MTG Innistrad<br>Launch Party 9 - 6<br><br>Board Game Night<br>6-12<br><br>OWBN LARP<br>Camarilla 7-12   |
| 2<br><br>Open Miniature<br>Gaming- All Day<br><br>Warhammer 40k<br>1000pt Lazy Sunday<br>Free! 12- 6:30pm                  | 3<br><br>Living Card Games<br>5-10<br><br>MTG Booster Drafts<br>& Commander(EDH)<br>Free-For-All! 5-10  | 4<br><br>Board Game Night<br>and Go Club<br>5:30-10 pm<br><br>Monsterpocalypse!<br>5:30pm  | 5<br><br>New Comic Day<br><br>D&D Encounters:<br>Lost Crown of<br>Neverwinter<br><u>10am &amp; 7pm</u><br>Heroclix Night<br>400pt Golden - 5pm   | 6<br><br>Open Card Gaming<br>5-10 pm   | 7<br><br>Friday Night Magic<br>4 pm - 12 am<br><br>OWBN LARP:<br>Sabbat 7 pm - 12 am      | 8<br><br>All Day Board Game<br>Day!<br>Forbidden Island,<br>7 Wonders,<br>Ascension<br>& More!<br>9am - Midnight  |
| 9<br><br>Open Miniature<br>Gaming- All Day<br><br>Warhammer Fantasy<br>Tournament -<br>1500pt Lazy Sunday<br>FREE! 12-6:30 | 10<br><br>RPG: Pathfinder<br><u>10am - 2pm</u><br>Living Card Games<br><br>Plus Game of<br>Thrones Trn 5-10<br>MTG Booster Drafts<br>& Commander(EDH)<br>Free-For-All! 5-10 | 11<br><br>Board Game Night<br>and Go Club<br>5:30-10 pm<br><br>Monsterpocalypse!<br>5:30pm | 12<br><br>New Comic Day<br><br>D&D Encounters:<br>Lost Crown<br><u>10am &amp; 7pm</u><br>Heroclix Night<br>300pt Modern Cnst.<br>5-10            | 13<br><br>Open Card Gaming<br>5-10 pm  | 14<br><br>Friday Night Magic<br>4 pm - 12 am<br><br>LARP: Camarilla<br>Geist 7 pm - 12 am | 15<br><br>MTG Modern<br>Madness 9-7:30<br><br>Board Game Night<br><u>6-12pm</u><br><br>OWBN LARP<br>Camarilla 7-12  |
| 16<br><br>Open Miniature<br>Gaming- All Day<br><br>Warmachine/<br>Hordes Trn 25pt<br>Lazy Sunday - Free!<br>12 - 6:30pm    | 17<br><br>Living Card Games<br>5-10<br><br>MTG Booster Drafts<br>& Commander(EDH)<br>Free-For-All! 5-10   | 18<br><br>Board Game Night<br>and Go Club<br>5:30-10 pm<br><br>Monsterpocalypse!<br>5:30pm | 19<br><br>New Comic Day<br><br>D&D Encounters:<br>Lost Crown of<br>Neverwinter<br><u>10am &amp; 7pm</u><br>Heroclix Night<br>600pt Calvary Event | 20<br><br>Open Card Gaming<br>5-10 pm<br><br>Greater Cincinnati<br>RPG Meetup 7-10 | 21<br><br>Friday Night Magic<br>4 pm - 12 am<br><br>OWBN LARP:<br>Sabbat 7 pm - 12 am     | 22<br><br>2011 Fall Battle!<br>1750pt Warhammer<br>40k Fixed List!<br><u>9-6:15</u><br>Ascension Trn. Free!<br><u>5-11:30</u><br>LARP: Requiem<br><u>7pm - 12am</u><br>Board Game Night |
| 23<br><br>Flames of War (Late<br>War) Trn - 1000pt<br>Lazy Sunday FREE!<br>12-6:30<br>Pathfinder Home<br>Campaign 4-9      | 24<br><br>RPG: Pathfinder<br>10am - 2pm<br>24/31<br>Living Card Games<br>5-10<br>MTG Booster Drafts<br>& Commander(EDH)<br>Free-For-All! 5-10                               | 25<br><br>Board Game Night<br>and Go Club<br>5:30-10 pm<br><br>Monsterpocalypse!<br>5:30pm | 26<br><br>New Comic Day<br>D&D Encounters:<br>Lost Crown<br><u>10am &amp; 7pm</u><br>Heroclix Night<br>300pt Floor Const.<br>5-10                | 27<br><br>Open Card Gaming<br>5-10 pm  | 28<br><br>Friday Night Magic<br>4 pm - 12 am  | 29<br><br>Board Game<br>Night 6-12  |
| 30<br><br>YQ101 Intro to<br>Ironclaw RPG!  |   |  |  |  |   |   |



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**IT'S IN THE CARDS** CARD GAMES



Innistrad has arrived! The highly anticipated set brings a new flavor to the *Magic: The Gathering* card game. With some new play mechanics and, for the first time, select double-sided cards, this gothic horror themed set hits just in time for Halloween. These cards look great and the new set offers yet another opportunity for beginning players to start in fresh. Be sure to check out all the MTG events hosted by YottaQuest on the calendar in this newsletter and online at [yottaquest.com](http://yottaquest.com).

Coming this November, Gary Games will be releasing its first large expansion of *Ascension: Chronicle of the Godslayer*. Following on the heels of this summer's smaller set, *Ascension: Return of the Fallen*, the new title will be yet another stand-alone set, complete with game board and cards for 2-4 players. Dubbed *Ascension: Storm of Souls*, it will feature brand new cards with new mechanics such as trophy cards. And, combined with the original game or small expansion, you can play with up to 6 players.



**WINNERS CIRCLE**

| <u>MTG FRIDAY NIGHT MAGIC STANDARD</u> |                      | <u>MTG FRIDAY NIGHT MAGIC BOOSTER DRAFT</u> |              |
|--|----------------------|---|--------------|
| 9/02/11                                | Hunter Hersko-Fugitt | 9/02/11                                     | Mark Larson  |
| 9/09/11                                | Korey Fay            | 9/09/11                                     | Jack Grannan |
| 9/16/11                                | Ricky Allaer         | 9/16/11                                     | Peter Bauer  |
| 9/23/11                                | Hunter Hersko-Fugitt | 9/23/11                                     | Thad Goozner |
| 9/30/11                                | Bernie Wen           | 9/30/11                                     | Ricky Allaer |

| <u>MTG LEGACY</u>    |              |                 |  |
|----------------------|--------------|-----------------|--|
| 9/3/11               | Lee Bower    |                 |  |
| <u>MTG INNISTRAD</u> |              |                 |  |
| 9/24/11              | Prerelease 1 | Ben Wienburg    |  |
|                      | Prerelease 2 | Ryan Colantuono |  |
| 9/25/11              | Prerelease 1 | Phil Wyatt      |  |
|                      | Prerelease 2 | Donnie Speeg    |  |

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HOURS  
 Monday through Thursday  
 10 AM to 10 PM  
 Friday  
 10 AM to 12 AM  
 Saturday  
 9 AM to 12 AM  
 Sunday  
 Noon to 10 PM

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