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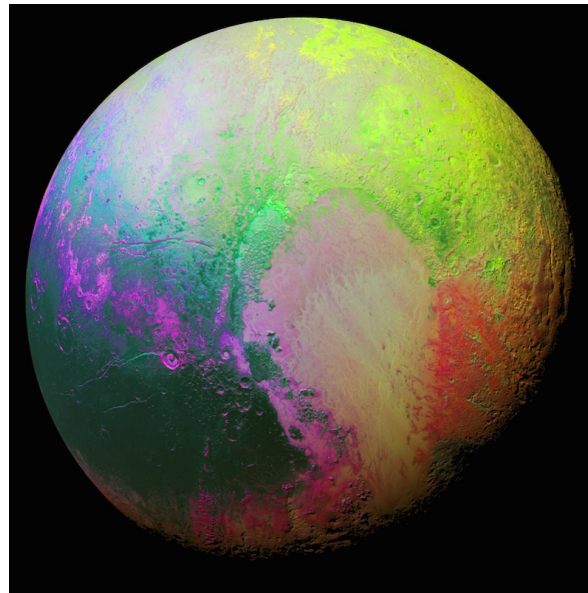
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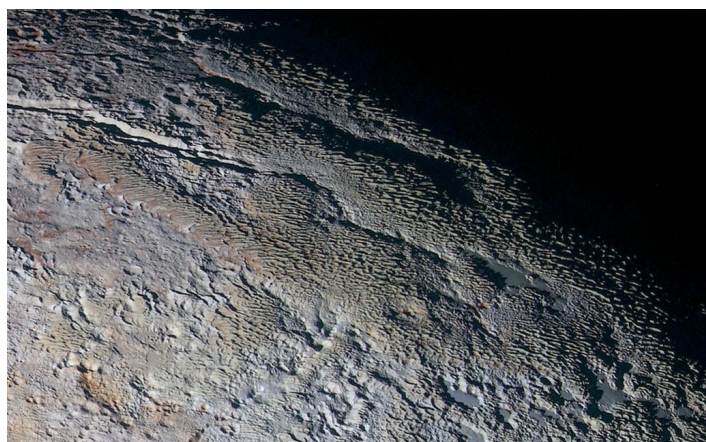
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NASA Releases Never Before Seen Image of "Psychedelic Pluto"

New Horizons scientists made this false color image of Pluto using a technique called principal component analysis to highlight the many subtle color differences between Pluto's distinct regions. The image data were collected by the spacecraft's Ralph/MVIC color camera on July 14 at 11:11 AM UTC, from

a range of 22,000 miles (35,000 kilometers). This image was presented by Will Grundy of the New Horizons' surface composition team on Nov. 9 at the Division for Planetary Sciences (DPS) meeting of the American Astronomical Society (AAS) in National Harbor, Maryland.



In this extended color image of Pluto taken by NASA's New Horizons spacecraft, rounded and bizarrely textured mountains, informally named the Tartarus Dorsa, rise up along Pluto's day-night terminator and show intricate but puzzling

patterns of blue-gray ridges and reddish material in between. This view, roughly 330 miles (530 kilometers) across, combines blue, red and infrared images taken by the Ralph/Multispectral Visual Imaging Camera (MVIC) on July 14, 2015, and resolves details and colors on scales as small as 0.8 miles (1.3 kilometers).

Credit: NASA/JHUAPL/SWRI



Captain's Log

Vice Admiral Eddie Allen III

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SHIP'S COMPUTER UPDATE

I have begun to replace software items that did not come with the new computer. I had to replace items that are not normally offered with a new computer. I have three email accounts working and can receive and send mail. I have figured out how to do my reports using the machine as well as the articles for the newsletter.

I have finally gotten the hang of loading photos but not the hang of getting everything into folders. I can tell you what not to do as I have loaded all my files just to have them get misplaced when I hit a wrong button. I then found them with no folders and pretty much useless. Yes, I had to reload all of them.

I still need to learn to make flyers and newsletters and update the website. I have a long way to go.

I have now figured out how to connect my camera and get the photos off of it.

That's it for now. I have been sick much of the last two months and that is all there is for now.

CALENDAR

Since the September meeting I have spent over a week down sick with my sinuses. What is up with my body?!!

During the second week of the month Rhonda and I loaded up to meet with members in Las Vegas. We had quite a few functions there with the local members. We had a BBQ (yes, I did the barbecuing and made the beans. I also did the drinks/soda) Rhonda got to mostly chill but spent a lot of time babysitting. We had a dinner at a Korean restaurant and another dinner at a local hamburger joint. We had a movie outing and a chili dinner night. There was a luncheon at Mt Charleston. We went to the Road Kill Grill, a Diners, Drive Ins and Dives with Guy Fieri location. We also had of all things a pizza party. Lots of gatherings.



Let's meet the Las Vegas Members:



Me with Dora Clark



Toni Clark, Adrienne Miller with Rhonda



Dorian and Sophia Miller

As far as the rest of the month has gone, I have spent it repairing several computers and trying to get well. I'll share some of the Vegas photos with you...

Photos and credits:

Rhonda M Allen



Mt Charleston



This is what happens when you eat Eddie's famous home-made pancakes





This is what happens when a two year old gets to you with his stickers.



Vegas can look an awful lot like LA in places



Storm over the mountains



Desert Sunset



Road Kill Grill



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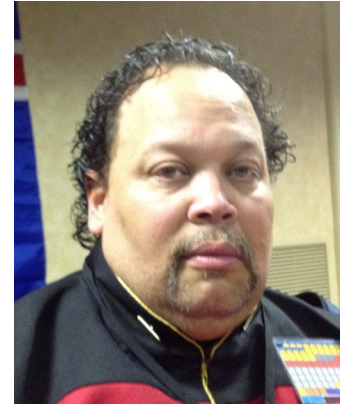




Engineer's Log

Vice Admiral Eddie Allen III

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Back to my really enjoyable article of trying to find that special something Trek for everyone...

Crowded Coop Messenger Bags and wallets:



ST Mega Blocks by Mattel



Klingon Bathrobe by startrek.com





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Scarves and Caps for Winter by ThinkGeek



And now a few Star Wars items:

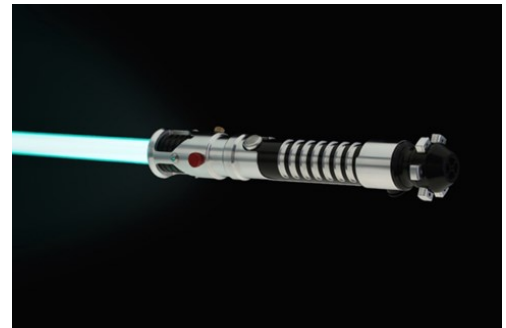
Darth Vader and R2D2 shower heads



Leggos



Ultra Saber has light sabers



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Shatner's Nimoy Tribute out in February.

John Cho will join house of lies: <http://variety.com/2015/tv/news/house-of-lies-john-cho-malcolm-jamal-warner-1201624057/>

Star Trek Comic # 50 is out.



There will be four IDW Publishing Trek comics released in January 2016. The titles include: Star Trek – Five Year Mission, Star Trek Vol-11, Star Trek New Visions: Mister Chekov, and Star Trek: Starfleet Academy #2.

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The Star Trek: The Official Starships Collection shuttlecraft set has arrived in the UK. Included in the set are the TOS-era Galileo, TNG type 6 Goddard (Enterprise-D,) DS9 type 10 Chaffee (Defiant) and a Voyager type 9 Cochrane.

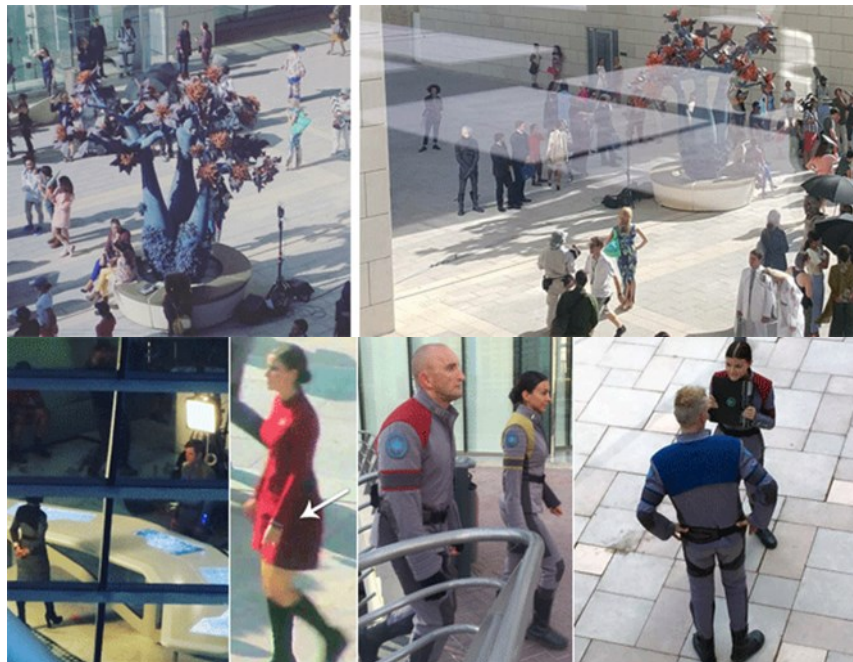


Zachary Quinto is headed to off-Broadway and Smokefall. <http://variety.com/2015/legit/news/zachary-quinto-to-lead-cast-of-mcc-theaters-smokefall-1201619168/>

Bruce Hyde (Riley) has passed from throat cancer. <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/tvshowbiz/article-3280178/Original-Star-Trek-crew-member-Bruce-Hyde-played-Lt-Kevin-Riley-two-episodes-TV-series-dies-74-throat-cancer.html>



ST Beyond filming complete. Set Photos:





Shatner to join the cast of Malevolent, a Horror Film. <http://www.hollywoodreporter.com/heat-vision/william-shatner-joins-animated-horror-832224>

ST/Green Lantern # 4



Star Trek Strange New Worlds writing contest is back: <http://trekmovie.com/2015/10/09/the-star-trek-strange-new-worlds-writing-contest-is-back-get-your-fanfic-published-in-an-official-star-trek-anthology/>

Shatner will be honored by the Society of Voice Arts in November and Quinto receives Champions award from GLSEN.

ST Beyond Press Conference photo:





Trek News (cont'd from page

ST Actors in local cons during October and November:

Fanboy Expo will be held Oct. 16-18 at the Knoxville Convention Center in Knoxville, Tennessee. In attendance at Fanboy Expo will be **Julie Newmar** and **Chris Sarandon**.

The Grand Rapids Comic Con will be held October 16-18 at the DeVos Place in Grand Rapids, Michigan. In attendance at Grand Rapids Comic Con will be **Marina Sirtis**.

November begins with the Wizard World Comic Con Louisville will be held Nov. 6-8 at the Kentucky International Convention Center in Louisville, Kentucky. In attendance at Wizard World Comic Con Louisville will be **William Shatner**.

Wrapping up November will be Starbase Indy, to be held Nov. 27-29 at the Wyndham Indianapolis West in Indianapolis, Indiana, USA. In attendance at Starbase Indy will be **Lee Arenberg** (DaiMon Bok), **Jeffrey Combs** and **Natalija Nogulich** (Admiral Nechayev).

Don't forget the Red Shirt Diaries: <http://www.theredshirtdiaries.com>

Idris Elba's villain character in ST Beyond: <http://www.newsarama.com/26061-idris-elba-s-star-trek-beyond-villain-groundbreaking-for-the-franchise.html>



Star Trek Las Vegas Creation Con 2016: <http://trekmovie.com/2015/09/28/star-trek-las-vegas-convention-kicking-it-up-a-notch-for-the-50th-anniversary/>

Enterprise D Virtual Tour video clip: <http://trekmovie.com/2015/09/22/the-enterprise-3d-project-offers-a-virtual-tour-of-the-enterprise-d/>





Star Wars News – October 2015



55 Days until 18 Dec 2015

Jedi Council available from October 22: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uQu3hgzvNOI>

Jedi Council from October 15: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=as2_BS48SCM

SW The Force Awakens super-geek mega-trailer: <http://io9.com/all-the-star-wars-the-force-awakens-footage-released-s-1738244300>

SWNN's the Resistance Broadcast # 9: <http://www.stitcher.com/podcast/the-resistance-broadcast>

SWNN's the Resistance Broadcast # 8: <http://www.starwarspost.com/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-8/>

The force awakens presales broke the first day previous record times seven. 6.5 million in 3 hours.

The newest trailer for the Force Awakens from half time on Monday night football: <http://www.starwars.com/video/star-wars-the-force-awakens-trailer-official>

The poster for Force Awakens is released:





Play Star Wars the Old Republic game for free: https://account.swtor.com/play-free?utm_campaign=sor_pbm-g-i-us-broadterms&utm_medium=banner&sourceid=sor_pbm-g-i-us-broadterms&cid=14030&ts=1442877664089

Oscar Issac says there will be a lot of surprises and plot twists in the Force Awakens. <http://www.mtv.com/news/2211492/oscar-isaac-star-wars-secrets/>
Force Awakens Rumors: <http://www.starwars7news.com/2015/09/speculation-first-appearance-of-a-villain-from-the-force-awakens.html>

A Daisy Ridley scene:



WalMart has a collectible disc game:

Collider Jedi Council 24: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TTtPqM-iY2s>

The Cantina Forum birthday Party giveaway: <http://star-wars.info/the-cantina-forums-birthday-party-win-10-awesome-star-wars-prizes-9004>



Beer!

Star Wars: Rogue One set photo:



MEETING MINUTES -

What can you learn about a movie from an ad?



More rumors in the Disney theme park Star Wars arena... http://www.screamscape.com/html/wdw - hollywood_studios.htm
SW7 shoots begin at Skellig Michael.



Resistance Podcast episode 4: <http://www.starwarspost.com/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-4/>

Design by Humans "T" shirts for Force Awakens:
<http://teehunter.com/2015/09/design-by-humans-force-friday/> Lots of Designs!



Collider's Jedi Council 23: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F36wPZ4pkPE>

Kabam launches mobile RPG SW: Uprising game: <http://www.adweek.com/socialtimes/kabam-launches-mobile-rpg-star-wars-uprising-on-ios-android/626427> .

Olivia Jackson stunt woman for Force Awakens was injured on Resident Evil set. http://moviepilot.com/posts/2015/09/16/milla-jovovich-s-stunt-double-olivia-jackson-was-seriously-injured-in-a-freak-accident-on-set-3547138?lt_source=external,manual





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RealID.com has released Force Awakens 3D glasses:



EA Battlefront Game Beta coming in early October. Want to be a tester: <http://starwars.ea.com/starwars/battlefront>

Win an autographed Force Awakens poster by helping breast cancer: <http://starwars.info/reminder-win-an-autographed-the-force-awakens-poster-and-help-raise-funds-for-breast-cancer-research-9038>

Force Awakens Topps cards: <http://www.topps.com/star-wars.html>

The SW database is being updated with Force Awakens data: <http://www.starwars.com/databank>

BB-8 Remote controlled Droid by Sphero: http://store.sphero.com/products/bb-8-by-sphero?gclid=CKjQ_uLAicgCFY17gQodyGkDzQ Your phone or tablet is your remote.



Anthony Daniels discusses the secrecy of the SW movie: <http://www.theguardian.com/film/2015/sep/03/the-secrecy-has-been-ludicrous-star-wars-actor-anthony-daniels-on-the-new-film-and-his-life-as-c-3po>

Collider's Jedi Council 22: <http://starwars.info/colliders-jedi-council-episode-22-8019>

Force Friday may have been a disaster: <http://io9.com/force-friday-was-a-disaster-for-many-star-wars-fans-1728765957>

Giant 18 foot Millinium Falcon toy for sale: <http://toyland.gizmodo.com/this-is-what-a-monstrous-18-foot-long-millennium-falcon-1719696985>

SW Shattered Empire Comic:



Guavian Enforcer toy says a lot about the movie:

Resistance Broadcast: Episode # 3 <http://www.stitcher.com/podcast/the-resistance-broadcast/e/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-3-40382281>

Global SW Toy unboxing event live: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL148kCvXk8pAirxa-tYnAQ6soqS1rLYkw>



Benicio del Toro lands role in SW VIII.

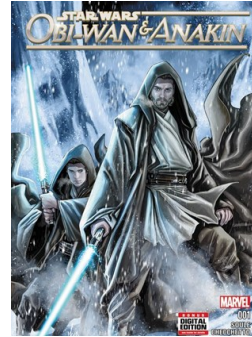
Boba Fett Fan Films: <http://www.bobafettfanclub.com/multimedia/films/>

Force Awakens teaser # 2 <http://www.starwars.com/video/star-wars-the-force-awakens-official-teaser-2>

SW Rebels BluRay out September 1

Top 10 SW sound effects: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TLmM87r1ft4> Chewbacca did not make the list.

Obi-Wan and Anakin limited comic due out:



Rumor has it that The Force Awakens will be 136 minutes.

GuGu MBatha-Raw may get lead in next SW VIII:

Also on the short list is: Gina Rodriguez, Tattiana Maslany and Olivia Cooke:



From Vampire Slayer to Jedi Slayer: Sarah Michelle Gellar: SW Rebels

Force Awakens soundtrack release set for January.

Disney will not put their logo before SW logo in the new movie.

SW: Rogue 1 is currently filming in Iceland.



Tim Rose did return to play Admiral Akbar: http://moviepilot.com/posts/2015/09/29/exaggeration-dude-compares-playing-admiral-ackbar-in-new-star-wars-movie-to-being-detained-in-guantanamo-bay-3567831?source=external_manual

Books to read before seeing Force Awakens: Aftermath, A new Dawn, Lords of the Sith, Tarkin, and Heir to the Jedi.

SWNN the Resistance # 7: <http://www.starwarspost.com/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-7/>

Collider Jedi Council, September 24: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1MuxJjYKhcl>

SWNN the Resistance # 6 <http://www.starwarsnewsnet.com/2015/09/the-resistance-broadcast-episode-6.html>





Meeting Minutes – October 2015

Your CO has a ticket to Creation Con Las Vegas 50th Anniversary.
Your CO has his ticket to the 18th showing of SW Force Awakens.

Major discussions for the ECAB:

Only electronic memberships and how to pursue that. All electronic CQ. It seems the electronic membership is catching on faster than expected and the CQ cost is about to go through the roof. Here's the breakdown of memberships by type, current as of 10/22/15, Courtesy of CompOps Vice-Chief Tony Knopes:

Totals:

2858 total memberships
775 Print memberships
2083 E-memberships

Domestic/Overseas:

676 Domestic print memberships
99 Overseas print memberships

1795 Domestic e-memberships
288 Overseas e-memberships

A member has proposed an ala carte version of the CQ that is paid for separately as well. I voted to change to all electronic.

They are trying to change the Lifetime Membership requirements. I voted to keep the same. (Any accusation could kill it for you)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Region</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Members</u>
13-Sep	1	KY, IN,NC,OH, SC, TN, VA, WV	921
	7	DL, DC, MD, NJ, NY, PN	599
	2	AB, FL, GA, MS, PR, Car	525
	3	LA, TX	483
	4	AZ, CA, HW, NV	456
	12	MO,IL,KS,AR,OK	428
18-Oct	1	KY, IN,NC,OH, SC, TN, VA, WV	945
	7	DL, DC, MD, NJ, NY, PN	611
	2	AB, FL, GA, MS, PR, Car	531
	3	LA, TX	491
	4	AZ, CA, HW, NV	461
	12	MO,IL,KS,AR,OK	428

In September \$174 was collected for SF Scholarships.





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This is the new points for chapter of the year system. I will adjust the Horizon's point system to accommodate this:

Recruiting, New Member, each	3 Pts per member per month
Recruiting, Returning Member (gone 2 years) member per month	2 Pts per
On time Reporting	5 pts / per month on time
Chapter, Planned Event or Attend Event month	1 Pts per event per
Region, Plan Event	5 Pts per event per month
Region, Attend Event:	2 Pts per event per month
Fleet, Plan Event	6 Pts per event per month
Fleet, Attend Event	3 Pts per event per month
Host Summit (Multiple Chapters Split)	6 Pts
Attend Summit (CO or XO or a Prox	4 Pts
Attend IC (Any Member) how many member attend	6 Pts per IC no matter
Plan Event inside Fleet or Region Eve	2 Pts
Chapter Newsletter and awarded quarterly	10 Pts per year split up
CQ Submissions, 5 Max	2 Pts each
Active Mother Ship	3 for the year
Donations (Major = 1pts per month for ongoing, Minor = 2pts per event	
Communications/ Social Media (Facebook, Twitter, etc) each site per year	2 Pts
Web Site Active	6 Pts
Work Convention (Table or Booth)	3 Pts

