



About The Away Mission (formerly Vulcan Events)

The Away Mission is focused on putting on great events for the fans, producing intimate conventions offering refreshing alternatives to other convention styles that offer one long line after another. Drawing on more than 30 years of industry experience, the Away Mission brings trust and confidence back to the small-convention market.

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About the Celebrity Guests

William Shatner is a Canadian actor, author, film director, spokesman and comedian. He gained worldwide fame and became a cultural icon for his portrayal of Captain James Tiberius Kirk, commander of the Federation starship USS Enterprise. He has written a series of books chronicling his experiences playing Captain Kirk and being a part of *Star Trek*, and has co-written several novels set in the Star Trek universe. Shatner also played the veteran police sergeant in *T. J. Hooker* from 1982 to 1986. From 2004 to 2008, he starred as attorney Denny Crane in the television dramas *The Practice* and its spin-off *Boston Legal*, for which he won two Emmy Awards and a Golden Globe Award.

Since then he is busier than ever producing and directing two documentaries, making several guest TV appearances, and releasing the non-fiction book "Shatner Rules" which is the basis of his one man show which he performs in select cities around the country.

Alice Eve is best known by Star Trek fans as Dr. Carol Marcus, Kirk's love interest and the newest member of the Enterprise crew, in the new Star Trek hit "Into Darkness." Before Star Trek, she was already warming her way to nerd hearts everywhere with the female lead role in the romantic comedy film "She's Out of My League". She also played the role of Erin, Charlotte's Irish nanny, in "Sex and the City 2." Eve had a recurring guest role in season 8 of the HBO series "Entourage," as Sophia, a journalist and love interest to Vincent Chase. Recently she appeared in Paul McCartney's music video "Queenie Eye" (which also features Chris Pine).

Eddie McClintock is best known these days as Secret Service agent Pete Lattimer on the Syfy series "Warehouse 13." To date, McClintock has appeared in ten pilots, starred in five network series, worked on several TV movies, and made well over 45 guest appearances on more than 25 different shows. He was a cast member on the television sitcom "Stark Raving Mad", which won the People's Choice Award. He appeared on "Desperate Housewives" as Frank, the father of Gabrielle and Carlos' adoptive baby, Special Agent Tim Sullivan in four episodes of "Bones" in 2007, and guest-starred on "Sex and the City," "My Boys," "Felicity," "Friends," "Ned and Stacey," "Less than Perfect," "Better off Ted," and "The King of Queens." Most recently McClintock guest starred on an episode of the hit comedy "Modern Family".

Kevin Sorbo is an American actor who, in 1994, shot to fame for playing the role of Hercules the TV series *Hercules: The Legendary Journeys* which ran from 1995 to 1999. In between the years playing Hercules he played his first leading movie role in *Kull the Conqueror*. After Hercules came to an end he played the starring role of Captain Dylan Hunt in the science-fiction drama series *Andromeda* from 2000 to 2005. Recently, he has appeared in the spoof movie *Meet the Spartans* which opened at number 1 at the U.S. box office charts.



John de Lancie has created many characters during his acting career, and among the most memorable has to be the inimitable "Q," first brought to television in "Encounter at Farpoint," the premiere episode of Star Trek: The Next Generation. The role he reprised twelve times in ten years over three separate Star Trek series.

In the realm of fantasy, he can be heard in the role of the Q-like omnipotent trickster "Discord," who appears in several episodes of the animated series "My Little Pony."

Suzie Plakson is widely recognized for her role as K'Ehleyr, Worf's mate and Alexander's mother on "Star Trek: The Next Generation". Her first Star Trek appearance was as the Vulcan Dr. Selar in the TNG episode, "The Schizoid Man." She played a female Q in the "Star Trek: Voyager" episode "The Q and the Grey" opposite John Delancie, and the evil Andorian, Tarah in "Cease Fire" for "Star Trek: Enterprise." Away Mission is delighted to announce that she will be available for photo poses in full Klingon makeup at our Tampa 2014 event!

Also appearing all weekend are guest authors Glenda C. Finkelstein, William Hatfield, and K.L. Nappier.

