

# PINBALL EXPO 2023 – SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

\*\* All Seminars will be held in the Nirvana AB Seminar Rooms - FLIP OUT! Tournaments will be held in Schaumburg EFGH \*\*

## WEDNESDAY • OCTOBER 18

8:00 a.m. Registration For FLIP OUT! Opens (Schaumburg EFGH)  
Main Tournament Seeding 5:00 p.m. - 12:00 Midnight  
8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Pinball Expo Registration  
8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Vendor Setup  
7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Bumper Blast Welcoming Party  
at ENTERRIUM - Buses load at 6:45 p.m.

## THURSDAY • OCTOBER 19

7:30 a.m. Pinball Expo Registration  
7:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Vendor Setup  
9:00 a.m. Buses Depart Hotel for the  
**Stern Pinball, Inc. Factory Tour\***  
Mark Tremonti will be at the Meet & Greet  
at the Stern Factory Tour!

10:00 a.m. Registration For FLIP OUT! Continues  
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
Main Tournament Seeding  
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
Women's Qualifying  
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Midnight  
Classics Qualifying  
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Midnight  
Kids (Age 14 & Under) Tournament  
10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.  
Registration for Pinball Expo World Cup Tournament  
10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (Main Hall)

### EVENT HALL OPENS

12:00 Noon Registration For Pinball Expo 2023 Virtual  
Pinball Tournament AT PAUL ZIMMERMAN'S BOOTH  
Pinball Expo 2023 Virtual Pinball Tournament  
12:00 Noon - 10:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m. "Solid State Repair Tips & Horror Stories"  
Speaker: **Mike Gullo**

2:00 p.m. "1,2,3 PINBALL! — And A Peek 'Behind  
The Curtain' at American Pinball"  
Speaker: **Jim Schelberg**

2:45 p.m. "Pinball Mods, Kits, & Restoration & Getting Kids Involved!"  
Speaker: **Tanner Walters "The Pinball Scientist"**

3:30 p.m. "Multi Products Update (The Motor Guy)"  
Speaker: **Mark Patzke & Vince Patzke**

4:00 p.m. Pinball Expo World Cup Tournament  
(Main Hall)

4:00 p.m. "Marketing to New Audiences and the Power of Pinball"  
Speakers: **Jeff Cernava (MAD Pinball),  
Corbin Angeli, Zach Angeli, & Kyle Crison**

4:45 p.m. "Honey I Bought a Church!"  
Speaker: **Joe Newhart: Avid Collector  
Turned PinballSTAR Entrepreneur**

5:30 p.m. "Troubleshooting Aftermarket Electronics"  
Speaker: **Brett Davis**

6:00 p.m. - 12:00 Midnight Project Pinball Silent Auction  
(Ends Saturday at 4:00 p.m.)

6:00 p.m. "Above & Beyond: Topper Talk  
with The Electric Playground"  
Speakers: **Rob Rath & Alec Gleason**

6:45 p.m. "The Making of Pulp Fiction Pinball"  
Speakers: **Mark Ritchie, Josh Sharpe,  
Scott Pikulski, & George Petro**

7:30 p.m. "Under the Playfield"  
Moderators: **Ernie Silverberg & Dan Rosenstein**

8:00 p.m. "An Evening with Jersey Jack Pinball"  
Speakers: **Jack Guarnieri, Steve Ritchie, & the Team**

9:00 p.m. "Meet Evil Kniveel"  
Speaker: **Ken Head**

9:30 p.m. **MOVIE NIGHT**  
"Pinball: The Man Who Saved the Game"  
Introductions: **Michael Gottlieb**  
Special Guest: **Roger Sharpe**

12:00 Midnight **EVENT HALL CLOSES**

## FRIDAY • OCTOBER 20

8:15 a.m. "Adventures in Repairing Foreign Pinball Machines"  
Speaker: **Ron Coon, Jr.**

9:00 a.m. "Brian Colin's Arcade History Tour"  
Speaker: **Brian Colin**

### EVENT HALL OPENS

10:00 a.m. Main A & B Division Finals Begin 10:00 a.m.  
Women's Qualifying  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
Classics Qualifying  
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Midnight  
Kids (Age 14 & Under) Tournament  
10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Midnight Project Pinball Silent Auction  
10:00 a.m. "Building a Stronger Pinball Community -  
The Three P's of Pinball with Kineticist"  
Speaker: **Colin Alsheimer**

10:45 a.m. "Mappin' Around (with Pinball Map)"  
Speakers: **Ryan Gratzler, Scott Wainstock, & Beth Poore**

11:30 a.m. "How We Make Pinball Accessible"  
Speaker: **Kathy Camden: founder of Pinball for All**

12:00 Noon Pinball Expo 2023 Virtual Pinball Tournament  
12:00 Noon - 10:00 p.m.

12:00 Noon "Meet the Captain of Captain's Auction Warehouse"  
Speakers: **Captain Chris Campbell & CC Castaneda**  
**\*\*FREE CAPTAIN SWAG!\*\***

12:30 p.m. "Token Taverns' Q&A"  
Speakers: **Retro Ralph, Bob Rose,  
& the Token Taverns Team**

1:00 p.m. "Screen XL - Display and Sound  
Upgrades for Your Stern Machine"  
Speakers: **Oscar Terol, Fernando Tendo, & Juan José Trigueros**  
**\*\*SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT\*\***  
in recognition of **Drew Robishaw's record-breaking achievement**

1:50 p.m. "Meet the Makers"  
Meet & Chat with Custom & Homebrew Makers!  
Moderators: **Ernie Silverberg & Dan Rosenstein**  
(Vendor Hall Homebrew Section)

2:00 p.m. "Turner Pinball - Innovating Outside (& Inside) the Box"  
Speakers: **Chris Turner, Matthew  
Brozusky, Gabe Hernandez, & Brad Duke**

3:00 p.m. "The Making of Venom"  
Speakers: **Brian Eddy, Dwight Sullivan,  
Mark Tremonti, & Zombie Yeti**

4:00 p.m. "Foo Fighters"  
Speakers: **Jack Danger, Tanio Klyce,  
& the Foo Fighters Team**

5:00 p.m. "007 Game Rules Deep Dive with  
Lonnie Ropp and Mike Vinikour"  
Speakers: **Lonnie Ropp & Mike Vinikour**

6:00 p.m. "How to Become a Pinball Operator"  
Speakers: **Roper Fuentes & Bob Burnham**

7:00 p.m. "Pinball is for Everyone"  
Speaker: **Dan Spolar**

7:45 p.m. "Pinball Expo Hall of Fame Inductee Ceremony"  
Speaker: **Rob Berk**

8:00 p.m. "American Pinball: Galactic Tank Force,  
Save the Cows & Eat Ice Cream"  
Speakers: **David Fix & the Creative Team**

9:00 p.m. "LTG:"  
Speaker: **Lloyd Olson**

9:30 p.m. - 12:00 Midnight Barrels of Fun Pizza Party  
(In Front of Utopia)

12:00 Midnight **EVENT HALL CLOSES**

## SATURDAY • OCTOBER 21

9:00 a.m. "Take Your Seat at the Table w/ Eric Meunier, Mark  
Tremonti, and the Godfather Design Team"  
Speakers: **Eric Meunier, Mark Tremonti,  
& The Godfather Design Team**

### EVENT HALL OPENS

10:00 a.m. Project Pinball Silent Auction  
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. Main A & B Division Finals  
Continue at 10:00 a.m.  
Classics Qualifying 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Midnight  
Kids (Age 14 & Under) Tournament  
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (Highest score wins)  
Women's Qualifying 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Women's Finals 5:00 p.m. Start

## SATURDAY • OCTOBER 21

10:00 a.m. "Highlights and Lowlights in the History  
of Books on Coin-Op"  
Speaker: **Dave Marston**

10:30 a.m. "How the YRC Freight Bankruptcy Affects You!"  
Speaker: **Dino Gaspari (www.shipmypinball.com)**

11:00 a.m. "What is a Hard Top... and What Isn't It?"  
Speakers: **Bruce Westfall & Scott Moehring**

11:30 a.m. "Playfield Restoration from A to Z: LIVE!"  
Speaker: **Marcelo Adrian Blanco**

12:00 Noon Pinball Expo 2023 Virtual Pinball Tournament  
12:00 Noon - 10:00 p.m.

12:00 Noon "Affordable Pinball Components for Your  
Custom Pinball Machine"  
Speaker: **Rolando Martin**

12:30 p.m. "Owning and Operating a Pinball Museum"  
Speakers: **Rob Berk, Gerard van de Sanden,  
Charlie Martin, & Dave Alverson**

1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Pinball Author, Artist, & Designer  
Autograph Session  
(Nirvana C Seminar Room)

1:30 p.m. "Female Lead: How Digital Pinball Can Pave the  
Way for More Women Driven Pinball Everywhere"  
Speaker: **Anna Lengyel**

2:00 p.m. "Stumbler Mods - The Art of Making Pinball Modifications"  
Speakers: **Davey Price & Neil McRae**

2:30 p.m. "What it Takes to Run a Large Pinball Tournament"  
Speaker: **Neil McRae**

3:00 p.m. "Pinball Restoration: A Radical Change  
from the Desert of Cyprus through the  
Italy Flood to Pinball Expo"  
Speaker: **Ivan Cicognani**

4:00 p.m. Project Pinball Silent Auction Ends

4:00 p.m. "The Dynamic Duo: Pinball Art with Franchi & Yeti"  
Speakers: **Chris Franchi & Zombie Yeti**

4:45 p.m. "Magic Girl - The Story Continued"  
Speakers: **Eric Bartels & Jim Askey**

5:00 p.m. Women's Finals 5:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

5:30 p.m. "Clocked In: a Dozen Heads Inside a  
7 in. Tall Box - the Pinball Clock Story"  
Speaker: **Phillipe Gregoire**

6:00 p.m. "Pinball and Arcade Video Game  
YouTube Content Creation"  
Speakers: **Todd Tuckey, Retro Ralph, & Frank Lindenmuth**

6:45 p.m. "Special Guest Moderator: **Jeff Ohler**  
"How We Design Games at Multimorphic"  
Speaker: **Stephen Silver**

7:15 p.m. **MOVIE NIGHT**  
"Token Taverns: The Arcade Bar Documentary"  
Moderator: **Bob Rose**

8:00 p.m. Pinball Drawing at Registration

9:15 p.m. "Let's Make a Deal"  
Speakers: **Dwight Sullivan & Corey Stup**

2:00 a.m. **EVENT HALL CLOSES**

## SUNDAY • OCTOBER 22

7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Event Hall Tear Down  
9:00 a.m. Classics Finals Begin  
Meet 8:30 a.m. - Start 9:00 a.m.

## TOURNAMENTS & MORE!

### PINBALL TOURNAMENTS

• FLIP OUT! Tournament Main & Classics • Kids Tournament (Age 14 & Under)  
• FLIP OUT! Women's Tournament • Pinball Expo World Cup Tournament  
• Freedom to Play Pinball Tournament

### RETRO GAMING TOURNAMENTS

• Galloping Ghost Arcade Retro Arcade Game Tournament  
• Pinball Expo 2023 Virtual Pinball Tournament • BHOP E-Sports Tournaments

### JUST FOR FUN

• Pinball Repair Zone • Homebrew Pinball Exhibit • Project Pinball Silent Auction  
• Retro Console Free Play Zone • MOVIE NIGHT (Thurs. & Sat.)

For Full Details Visit: **PINBALL EXPO.COM**

Speaker Introductions by: Dave Marston, David Fix, Gary Flower, and Jim Schelberg

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE: SCHEDULE AND TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

BRING A GAME AND GET FREE ADMISSION AND A TICKET FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A NEW STERN PINBALL MACHINE!

**SMOKING IS NOT PERMITTED IN THE EVENT HALL AND DURING SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS**

\*NO PHOTOS OR VIDEO TAPING WILL BE ALLOWED DURING THE FACTORY TOURS AND NO EMPLOYEE OR CONTRACTORS FOR ANY OTHER PINBALL MANUFACTURERS ARE ALLOWED. 10.17.23