



March 27-28, 2026

AUTHOR/ARTIST ALLEY & EXHIBITOR INFOBOOTHS

CulpeperCon is a free celebration of graphic novels, pop culture, and storytelling, connecting fans and creators through interactive events, art, and community.¹

Showcase your creativity and highlight your community contributions at CulpeperCon with an Information Booth.

How it works

Community superheroes are invited to host an **Information Booth** at **CulpeperCon** on **Saturday, March 28, 2026**, from **10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.** in **Culpeper County Library**.

(The evening of March 27 is for the Cosplay Runway & Contest only.)

Bring an **interactive element**—like as trivia, photo ops, or mini demos—to engage attendees. Small incentives (coupons or discounts) are encouraged to expand your reach beyond the event.

No selling, bartering, trading, or other transactions are permitted on Library premises.

Authors & Artists Fantasy/Sci-Fi authors & 2D artists (comic, graphic novelists, illustrators)

- Each author or artist receives an **8×8 ft. booth** space inside the Library.
- Setup begins at 8:00 a.m.
- A time slot system may be used depending on space and the number of registrants.

Exhibitors Organizations celebrating graphic novels, pop culture, or storytelling.

- Each exhibitor receives an 8×8 ft. space inside the Library
- Setup begins at 8:00 a.m.
- Booths must remain open 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Why Participate:

- ★ **Grow Your Audience:** Engage with 1,500+ fans who may not attend larger conventions.
- ★ **Build Connections:** Share your art and services with fans eager to discover local talent.
- ★ **Celebrate Creativity:** Inspire others in a fun, community-driven event.
- ★ **IT'S FREE:** Booth space is provided at no cost making it easy to connect and grow locally.²

How to Apply

- ★ Submit your application by March 14, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. to be included in printed materials.
- ★ Email your application to info@culpepercon.org or apply online at www.culpepercon.org.
- ★ If you need setup or participation accommodations, include that in your application.

¹ The Friends of the Culpeper County Library is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, volunteer-led organization. Money raised by the Friends is used to host programs & cultural opportunities that would otherwise go unfunded.

² A refundable **\$1.00 escrow deposit** is required with the application and will be returned after CulpeperCon participation, making this opportunity effectively free.

FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED BY MARCH 14, 2026 AT 5PM FOR ELIGIBILITY ON ANY PRINTED MATERIALS

CONTACT INFORMATION

Legal Name

Phone

Website

Author / Artist / Business Name

Email

Facebook/Instagram tags

Legal Personal or Business Address

City

State

ZIP Code

Describe in detail the art or services that you create or provide:

TABLE TYPE

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Author & Artist Alley

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Exhibitor Infobooth

For Authors & Artists only: Time slots will generally be from 10am-5pm. If a time slot system must be used depending on space and the number of registered authors & artists, what wave do you prefer?

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10:00 am – 1:00pm

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2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

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Other: _____

Special Requests

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Check this box if you have any special requests for your space.

Priority given to those with accessibility needs or require accommodations. We will contact you to ensure your needs are met.

- ☐ I agree to read, complete, and comply with the CulpeperCon 2026 License Agreement. The agreement will be emailed to you after this form is submitted and must be returned to info@culpepercon.org. E-signatures are accepted.
- ☐ I acknowledge that selling, bartering, trading, or conducting any type of transaction on Culpeper County property is strictly prohibited.
- ☐ I will email my business logo (if applicable) to info@culpepercon.org no later than March 14, 2026, at 5:00pm.

Name

Signature

Date