



**MEDIA EVENT ADVISORY
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26 - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2021**

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**COMIC-CON® 45th ROBERT A. HEINLEIN BLOOD DRIVE RETURNS
FOR IN-PERSON EVENT AT MARRIOTT MARQUIS SAN DIEGO MARINA**

Friday, Nov. 26 – Sunday, Nov. 28

WHAT: Comic-Con® Special Edition 45th Robert A. Heinlein Blood Drive.

WHEN: Blood drive: Friday, November 26 & Saturday, November 27, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., Sunday, November 28, 2021, 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

A special presentation will take place on Saturday, Nov. 27 at 11 a.m. San Diego Blood Bank's interim CEO will present Comic-Con's Chief Communications & Strategy Officer David Glanzer with an award for their 45 years of support, as well as proclamations from the County and Mayor's office.

WHERE: Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina, Marina Ballroom, 333 West Harbor Drive, San Diego, CA 92101.

NOTES: Donors receive a limited-edition Comic-Con T-shirt (while supplies last, sizes subject to availability) and a collection of 4 pins.

Appointments available at SanDiegoBloodBank.org/sdcomiccon-nov21, walk-ins welcome. Photo ID required; no Comic-Con badge required.

Since 1976, The Robert A. Heinlein Blood Drive is hosted in partnership with the COMIC-CON® convention. Over the past 45 years, donors at Comic-Con have donated over 47,000 pints of blood, potentially impacting more than 143,000 lives.

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