# The Cloak

## January 2024



#### **Happy New Year!**



## Zoom 12/02/2023

For this week's Zoom, it was "a long" night. We watch TNG S5:E13 "The Masterpiece Society". Then an old sci-fi movie from 1977 "BattleStar Galactica".



I forgot how long the BattleStar Galactica movie was. It was a nice turnout for our Zoom. We had 7 Crew members and 3 guests for this event. Thanks to all that made this a fun.

#### **December's Meeting 2023**

USS Indianapolis Christmas Party. We had a great turn out. Lots of fun, food, trivia, and gifts, everyone had a wonderful time. Thanks to all that made this a very awesome evening.



## Zoom 12/09/2023

For this week's Zoom, it was "a good" night. We watch TOS S2:E24 "The Ultimate Computer". Then we watched DS9 S2:E04 "Invasive Procedures". It was a nice turnout for our Zoom. We had 7 Crew members and 4 guests for this event. Thanks to all that made this a fun.



## Zoom 12/16/2023



For this week's Zoom, it was "a interesting" night. We watch TOS

S2:E03 "The Changeling". Then we watched VOY S3:E02 "Flashback". It was a nice turnout for our Zoom. We had 9 Crew members and 4 guests for this event. Thanks to all that made this a fun.

#### Zoom 12/23/2023

For this week's Zoom, it was "a Q" night. We watch TNG S6:E15 "Tapestry". Then we watched DS9 S1:E07 "Q-Less". It was a nice turnout for our Zoom. We had 8 Crew members and 4 guests for this event. Thanks to all that made this a fun.



## Christmas Day 12/25/2023

So our annual Christmas breakfast was going to be at Madison's Café. But when we got to the Café, it was closed. So after a little discussion, We decided to have it at Denny's. Denny's was so crowded, there was a line of people to the door waiting to be seated. We had 6 crew members and 3 guests for our breakfast. It was a long wait to get our food, Everyone had a wonderful time and the food was awesome.





## Zoom 12/30/2023

For the last Zoom of 2023, it was "a look ahead" night. We watch DS9 S3:E11 "Past Tense, Part 1". Then we watched DS9 S2:E12 "Past Tense, Part 2". It was a nice turnout for our Zoom. We had 8 Crew members and 4 guests for this event. Thanks to all that made this a fun.



## Star Wars Night 12/20/2023

On Wednesday December 20th, our own LTCDR Jeff Franciski, as part of Star Wars Indiana, a partnership of the local 501stand Rebel Legion organizations, partook of the Indiana Pacers Star Wars Night.



In his usual role as the handsome scoundrel Han Solo from "that other franchise", Jeff entertained the crowd with his cohorts with fan interactions on the concourse, pregame festivities, and the traditional "t-shirt toss" during the fourth quarter. From the smallest child to the oldest "young at heart" adults, all enjoyed their interactions with the Star Wars characters and the members of Star Wars Indiana loved being a part of the festivities and bringing smiles to everyone's faces, including the staff of the Pacers and players from both

teams. Live Long and Prosper and May the Force be with you!

Lt. Commander Jeff Franciski

### **Crew Birthdays**



Carla Pearsey 01/14

#### **Starfleet Academy News**

Congratulations to Jeff Franciski on passing the Pike exam with a score of 100.

#### **Bible Verse**



## Star Trek DS9



# Svengoolie

We are kicking off the new year with a month's worth of horror

features from various eras starting off with two Universal 1930s films that demonstrate so well the atmosphere the studio was known for in that era. First, it's the rarely-seen shocker The Invisible Ray — in which Karloff has discovered a healing ray... that can also bring death! Bela Lugosi costars as the doctor who is his adversary — and could be his victim! We follow that up with our second '30s entry — one that we have had many requests for since we first ran it on our show last year - 1932's The Old Dark House. Karloff is a menacing mute butler in an old decrepit mansion owned by some odd unstable characters naturally, the perfect place for unsuspecting guests to be stranded! The amazing cast includes Charles Laughton, Gloria Stuart, and Ernest Thesiger, in a mix of thrills with a dash of comedy.

Then, we jump to the 1960s for a chapter in Britain's Hammer Studio's Frankenstein series — with Peter Cushing as Dr. Frankenstein, still being pursued for his ungodly experiments, returning to his home town, finding his home has been looted by the local corrupt authorities, and locating his missing creation for use in getting back at his enemies! We round out January with some 1970s horror: the original Willard — starring Bruce Davison as the title character, who is constantly put upon by his nagging mother and her friends, and his shifty boss, who stole the company from his father. He's no Dr. Dolittle, but he learns to talk to the animals - specifically, rats and uses them as his instrument of revenge. Ernest Borgnine, Elsa Lanchester, and Sondra Locke are among the humans in the cast. So, this month goes from radiation all

the way to infestation — with humans, non-humans and subhumans.



#### Name the Episode



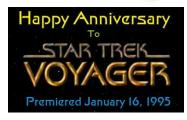
#### **Health Facts**



#### Name the Movie



**Star Trek Voyager** 



## Star Trek -Las Vegas







#### **Upcoming Events**











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