



PROGRAMME BOOK

August 22 – 24, 2014

La Quinta Inn & Suites

Romulus, MI

	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
8:30		Reg. Open/Episode	
9:00			
9:30		'70s England	Porny Pros Pictionary
10:00			
10:30			
11:00		It Feels Like the First Time	Older Lads/Collars & Cuffs
11:30			
Noon	Reg. Opens, Pros Fen Stakeout	Lunch	Lunch
12:30			
1:00	Welcome	Pros Bingo	
1:30	Episode Watch		Threats to the Lads' Relationship
2:00		Art Appreciation	
2:30	Episode Discussion		
3:00	First Times v. Estab. Relationships		Dead Dog Panel
3:30		Secondary Characters: Canon v. Fanon	
4:00	What Makes a Fic Work?		Room breakdown
4:30			
5:00	Dinner Break	Dinner Break	Hang Out
5:30			
6:00			
6:30			
7:00	Pros Trivia Team Challenge	Sell, Share & Swap	
7:30			
8:00		Vid Show	
8:30			
9:00	Games	Lewis Collins Tribute	
9:30			
10:00			
10:30			

Welcome to BistoCon!

Welcome to the first (and hopefully not last) BistoCon, celebrating our favourite Professionals, Bodie and Doyle. It's hard to believe how musing about missing a Pros-only con like Close Quarters turned into "Let's put on a con ourselves," but there you have it. Our goal with BistoCon is to provide a relaxing atmosphere where we can talk about the show we love with fellow fans. We've got our fingers crossed that the con will do that and more.

We couldn't have done it alone, and we have to give thanks to Kat, Krisser, Sno and Flamingo for providing support, moral and immoral, and to all of our lovely panelists.

FJBryan & P.R.Zed

Some General Con Information

Con Room

All con events will be held in the second floor conference space of the hotel.

Con Hours

The con room will open for the first panel or event of the day, and will be open until 11:00 p.m. each night. The room will be locked during meal breaks.

Food

The con registration fee does not include food. Breakfast is included with your room at the hotel, and is served from 5:30 to 9:30 a.m. We have provided an info sheet of local restaurants.

Registered Members

An alphabetical list of registered members.

aerye
Beth
blktauna
Carol
Cindy
Cyanne
Dawnwind
FJBryan
Flamingo
Frances the Hag
Glow
Golden Bastet
Kat
Kath Moonshine
Kiwisue
Krisser
lbc
Lorraine Brevig
Marti (merentha13)
mead
P.R. Zed
Sherrill
Snowwhite44
Sonia
Suzan
Tiger Tyger
Verlaine

11:00 AM - Panel A: Collars and Cuffs Required

Working out the kinks with Bodie and Doyle.

11:00 AM - Panel B: Older Lads

Retired and domestic bliss, running CI5, or something else: what future do you see for B & D?

Noon - Lunch Break

Time to grab some mates again and get lunch at your choice of local restaurants.

1:30 PM - Panel: Threats to the Lad's Relationship

What is the greatest threat to Bodie and Doyle's relationship, Cowley, society, or the lads themselves?

3:00 PM - Panel: Dead Dog

The con is winding down. What did you like? What did you think could have been better? What do you think we should do next time?

4:00 PM - Room Break Down and Hangout

Friday

Noon – Registration Opens

Pick up your registration package and get to know your fellow con-goers with the Pros Fen Stakeout.

1:00 PM - Welcome!

Introduce yourself to the con.

1:30 PM - Episode Watch and Discussion

A group watch of Blind Run, followed by a discussion of the episode.

3:00 PM - Panel: First Times v. Established

Relationships

The spark of a first time or the comfort of a long-term relationship? What do you prefer in your fic?

4:00 PM - Panel: What Makes a Fic Work?

Faithful characterization? Intricate plotting? Hot sex scenes? What makes your favourite fic work?

5:00 PM - Dinner

Grab some mates and get dinner at a local restaurant.

7:00 PM - Pros Trivia Team Challenge

Test your knowledge of Pros against our fiendish Pros Trivia Challenge.

9:00 PM – Games

Play game with a fannish, Pros slant. We'll have a Pros version of Cards v. Humanity, a Pros board game and more for you to play.

Saturday

8:30 AM - Registration

Registration opens once again, and an episode is shown for any early risers

9:30 AM - Panel: '70s England

The slang, the attitudes, the casualty wards, explore what the '70s of Pros was really like.

11:00 AM - Panel: It Feels Like the First Time

Come brainstorm a list of first surrenders for our boys, and let's figure out how these libidinous moments might have happened.

Noon - Lunch Break

Enjoy a delivered pizza lunch.

1:00 PM - Game: Pros Bingo

Try and get a bingo in this Pros version of the classic game.

2:00 PM - Panel: Art Appreciation

Suzan Lovett and Lorraine Brevig discuss their art and inspiration. Members are encouraged to bring their favourite art to discuss with our artists.

3:30 PM - Panel: Secondary Characters – Canon v.

Fanon

What do we know about CI5's other agents other agents from the show? And how have writers given them a richer life in fanfic?

5:00 PM - Dinner Break

Dinner with the group at the Sporting News Grill

7:00 PM – Sell, Share and Swap

Find a good home for those Pros zines, DVDs and other fannish goodies you no longer have room for.

8:00 PM - Vid Show

A mix of new and classic videos, including a couple of premieres, curated by our own Kat.

9:00 PM - Lewis Collins Tribute

A video tribute to Lew, including a memorial vid from Kat and various non-Pros shows, like Cuckoo Waltz, Robin of Sherwood and more.

Sunday

9:30 AM - Game: Pros Porny Pictionary

Use your drawing skills, or lack thereof, to lead your team to victory.