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## TOPCON TO HONOR LEONARD NIMOY

TOPCON will be honoring Hollywood Legend Leonard Nimoy at two separate events in Topeka, Kansas; TOP TOWN INDIE FILM FESTIVAL on April 11, 2015 at the QUINCY STREET Conference & Event CENTER and at TOPCON GEEK EXPO 2015 at the DOWNTOWN TOPEKA RAMADA.



The Iconic Actor who was born on March 26, 1931 was also recognized as a talented Director, Writer, Poet, Song Writer and Singer passed away at the age of 83 on February 27, 2015.

TOPCON Executive Director The GYPSY will be premiering a short film that he is writing and is currently in production at the TOP TOWN INDIE FILM FESTIVAL.

TOPCON GEEK EXPO 2015 which takes place on September 18, 19 & 20, 2015 will also feature the Tribute Film which will be shown during TOPCON's film festival on Sunday.

The theme for this years TOPCON is 'THE EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN IN COMICS & GAMING' and though the Convention will center around that theme this years TOPCON as well as TOP TOWN will be dedicated to Leonard Nimoy. "We would be doing a disservice to this legendary actor if we did not step forward and do something special to honor his work and his legacy." The GYPSY stated. "His impact on popular culture cannot be denied. He will be greatly missed by all of Geekdom and will forever be remembered for what he brought to the world."

Fans of Leonard Nimoy remember him most for his ground breaking work on the Star Trek Franchise as the half Earthling, half Vulcan Mr. Spock, a role that he did not shy away from but rather embraced. The Planned TOPCON Tribute film will also embrace that role and highlight many other aspects of the actors long and varied career.

The GYPSY is interested in involving the Fans of Leonard Nimoy in the short film. "If any fans have any photos they took with Mr. Nimoy or have a personal experience or thought about him they would like to share I urge them to contact me ASAP."

To get involved in the Leonard Nimoy Tribute Film or for more information on TOP TOWN INDIE FILM FESTIVAL or TOPCON GEEK EXPO 2015 please visit [www.TopCon.us](http://www.TopCon.us)

