

TO RUN A REGULAR MEET-UP, YOU NEED SOME OF THEM MIGHT DO MORE THAN ONE JOB...

...BUT IT'S BEST TO HAVE AT LEAST TWO OF YOU (MORAL SUPPORT!)

I do our social media so everyone knows when the next meetup is. We send a newsletter too, using free software. If money is involved (eg entrance fees) you'll need a treasurer.

I'm ok with tech, so we can livestream the talks - nice to give our speakers a bigger audience.

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I set the dates well in advance. Something like 'the last Tues every month' works well. Check you're not clashing with any similar events in your area.

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It's got a projector & screen, which is useful... & they don't play loud music or mind us chatting.

HOW TO FIND OTHER COMICS PEOPLE

let's brainstorm!

COMICS GROUPS

that already exist:

NATIONWIDE & INTERNATIONAL NETWORKS

IN MY OWN REGION

CHECKLIST

for good places to meet:

- ☐ **FREE OR CHEAP**
see if there's a directory of local spaces online
- ☐ **STEP-FREE ACCESS**
or next best: a ramp/only a couple of stairs
- ☐ **QUIET ENOUGH**
- ☐ **DO THEY SERVE FOOD/DRINKS?**
some might prefer alcohol-free
- ☐ **ACCESSIBLE BY PUBLIC TRANSPORT?**
online is also an option - or hybrid

WHAT ELSE?

I'M GONNA FIND (OR MAKE) MY COMICS COMMUNITY



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LET'S START HERE

WHAT DO YOU WANT OUT OF YOUR COMICS COMMUNITY?

discuss... and write the ideas you like here.

