# 05/15/2024 Daily OFMD Recap

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TLDR; Rhys Darby; The Cryptid Factor; Taika Waititi; Max News and Polite Menacing; June 3rd: Adopt Our Crew; Petition Status; Fan Spotlight; Mermay; Love Notes;

Hey Lovelies, things got a little cut off cause my son decided to be awake all darn night so I didn't get to finish til this morning I know there's some stuff that wasn't included but I'll try to make sure it's in there tonight! <3

#### == Rhys Darby ==

Rhys and Dan are back on the mics doing more podcasts! There's a crossover podcast happening too!





#### Source: The Cryptid Factor Instagram

Also, new Cryptid Factor short Tiktok! If you've got Tiktok, please go over to The Cryptid Factor Tiktok page and send them some love! If you don't have tiktok, here's that video for you below:

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Source: The Cryptid Factor Tiktok

#### == Taika Waititi ==

Pretty sure this picture has been out for a long while but it was recently reposted by Stephen Langdan on his Instagram so I thought I'd share it because it's a great photo of Taika.



Source: Stephen Langdan Photo

More Taika out and about with Rita <3



Source: VIP Magazine Albania

## == Max "MakeItHappenHere" ==

In case you're unfamliar with what "Upfront" is (I certaintly was): "In TV advertising, the Upfront is **the decades-old practice of buying and selling TV advertising time months in advance**. Traditionally, these deals have taken place in the spring of each year, involving ad spots that would air in the coming television broadcast year." -Src: SimulMediaSo yesterday Max was pushing for people to buy ads with them and as you can imagine, OFMD Twitter was not having it. I'm just including a few screenshots. Thank you to @neverleftpod and @singletureen on twitter for the polite menacing and capture of the WBD stocks not getting any better.



Warner Bros. Discovery Ad Sales 🤣 🝥 @WBDAdSales

Today is the day! Follow along live beginning at 10:00 a.m. ET for @wbd Upfront updates! #WBDUpfront #MakeItHappenHere

# Make it happen here.

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## = June 3: Dont Stream On Max =

Adopt Our Crew is announcing June 3rd "An Excellent Day" to be another great day to push #DontStreamOnMax! (Just so happens to be that's the day that Stede plundered the infamous plant!) Thanks for continuing to fight the good fight @adoptourcrew!





Source: AdoptOurCrew Twitter

## = Petition =

Hey all, we are getting surprisingly close to 89K on the petition... I know there are some newer folks to the fandom that have joined recently, would any of you be kind enough to sign it? I realize we're not sure how much it's helping at this point, but 89K would be a nice round number in case it does help David and the cast somehow :)

**Petition Link** 

#### Save "Our Flag Means Death"



# == Fan Spotlight ==

#### = Cast Cards =

@melvisik I'm always impressed how you can track down all these cast members! I'm going to include your note since I realize it's less easy with Nancy Lantis below as it was a quick shot:"Tonight is a wealthy woman from the party boat, doomed for daring to insult the future husband of the Gentleman Pirate. I think she's the one giving Ed that devilish grin when Gabriel calls him 'Fascinating' and helps him to his feet"

#### Melvisik @melvisik · 4h

Check out Nancy Lantis of "Space Force" and "Brooklyn Nine-Nine" in #OurFlagMeansDeath 🙊 #SaveOFMD #AdoptOurCrew



Source: @melvisik's Twitter

### == Because The Night FanZine ==

The new NSFW Gentlebeard Zine "Because the Night" opened preorders today! They'll be open until June 15th, and you can learn more on their post!



## == Mermay ==

More Mermay! We're half way through the month! I would love to bring some other artists in too, I've been trying to reach out on socials to see if anyone would like their submissions included but haven't heard back a whole lot-- if you're interested please shoot me a dm!

#### = erostheartist =

Day 9: Revenge / Day #12: Moonglow





## = Hannah's Handmade Magic =

Day 12: Moonglow



Source: Hannah's Handmade Magic on Instagram

## = Snejpowa =

Day 13: Roads To Moscow / Day 14: Orange / Day 15: Blind Man's Cove







## = Blueberreads =

Day 14: Orange / Day 15: Blind Man's Cove





## == Love Notes ==

Can I just say I love being weird? What is "normal" anyway? Normal can be weirdness, normal can be social norms, normal is based entirely on who's perspective you're talking about.

I have been "weird" my whole life and I love being weird! All it means is we're different than what people originally expected, and you know what?

That's fucking awesome!

It makes us unique and it's so nice to be a member of a community of other weirdos (said affectionately, I actually think it's a compliment).

Your weirdness is amazing, and I adore every inch of you for it!

Shine on weirdos! You got today and you're gonna kick it's ass!



Source: KatieAbey's Instagram