

# 06/04/2024 Daily OFMD Recap

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TLDR; Rhys Darby; Taika Waititi; Samba Schutt; Nathan Foad; Ruiho Qian; Con O'Neill; Dominic Burgess; Damien Gerard; Tell Tale TV Awards; SaveOFMD Crew - Never Left; AdoptOurCrew; Fan Spotlight: Cast Cards/NeverLeftPodcast; Articles; Pride Month; Love Notes;

## == Rhys Darby ==

Rhys posted on Instagram saying he spoils us, well yes, yes sir you do! That's another Cryptid Factor episode this week!

[#094 The 'This Paranormal Life' Special Issue of The Cryptid Factor on Spotify!](#)

• New Podcast Episode

## #094 The 'This Paranormal Life' Special Issue



The Cryptid Factor

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### Episode Description

**\*\*SPECIAL ISSUE\*\*** Rhys and Dan are in London - and take the opportunity to storm the secret studio of podcast cousins Rory and Kit from 'This Paranormal Life'. With Buttons dialed in, they catch up and cover off a great deal of usual weirdness, along with the unusual addition of some ghost stories! There's also time-traveling Albert Einstein and restaurants, dream-crashing men, Steven Spielberg stealing movie ideas, oh, and LOADS of Lazy Code!

[www.thisparanormallife.com](http://www.thisparanormallife.com)

Source: Rhys Darby's Instagram / [Spotify](#)

## == Taika Waititi ==

More proud hubby pics of Taika at Rita's concert.



Source: [CapitalOfficial Instagram](#)

And a sneaky Taika as well.



Source: [RitaOra\\_AlbanianFan](#) Instagram

## == Samba Schutte ==

Samba has his [#CrewForLife](#) shirt up again! It's back for pride while supplies last!  
Please visit [shopstands.com](#). Also a quick cameo from Samba!

Back for a short while in all sizes!



Back for Pride (while supplies last)

@sambaschutte

[@shopstands](#)

 [Shopstands.com](https://shopstands.com)



Source: [Samba Schutte's Instagram](#)

== Ruibo Qian ==

Our lovely Pirate Queen performed a beautiful song for us, and it was too big for the recap so I've included it here:

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OG Source: [Ruibo Qian's Instagram](#)

== Nathan Foad ==

Nathan is back with more ratings! This time his "Quids!"

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Source: [Nathan Foad's Instagram Stories](#)

== Con O Neill ==

Con wishes us all "Happy pride beautiful people!"

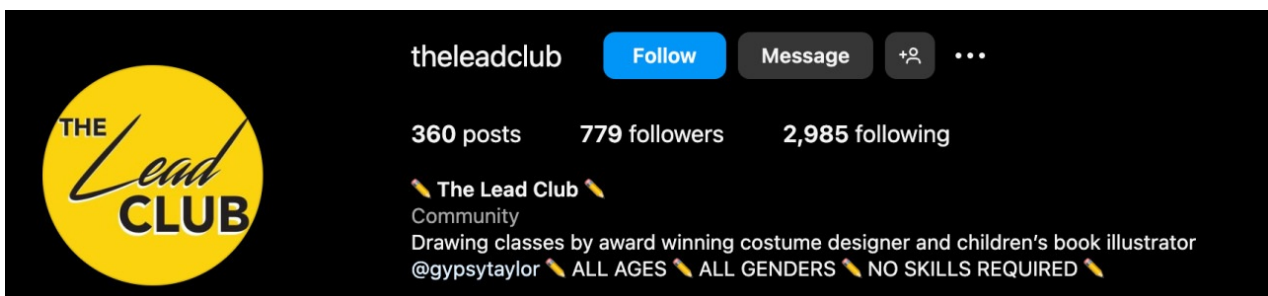


Source: [Con O'Neill's Instagram](#)

== Gypsy Taylor ==

"I'm cooking something up with [@theleadclub](#) ← follow for more info to be revealed soon". Our lovely costume designer Gypsy Taylor has a cool class called The Lead Club, and they'll be doing drawing classes with some other fantastic people. If you're

interested, follow their Instagram below!



theleadclub [Follow](#) [Message](#) [+](#) [...](#)

360 posts 779 followers 2,985 following

**The Lead Club**  
Community  
Drawing classes by award winning costume designer and children's book illustrator  
@gypsytaylor **ALL AGES** **ALL GENDERS** **NO SKILLS REQUIRED**

The image shows the Instagram profile for 'theleadclub'. It features a yellow circular profile picture with the text 'THE Lead CLUB'. The bio includes the name 'The Lead Club', the word 'Community', and a description: 'Drawing classes by award winning costume designer and children's book illustrator @gypsytaylor'. It also lists three key features: 'ALL AGES', 'ALL GENDERS', and 'NO SKILLS REQUIRED', each preceded by a small yellow pencil icon. The profile has 360 posts, 779 followers, and is following 2,985 accounts.

Source: [Gypsy Taylor's Instagram](#) / [TheLeadClub Instagram](#)

== Damien Gerard ==



Our Papa Teach, Damien Gerard is sending love for Pride Month <3



Source: [Damien Gerard's Instagram](#)

== Dominic Burgess ==

Dominic's been buy! Lots of celebrating his awesome show Palm Royale! Also he was kind enough to send us some more Cat Pictures, which you know I can't resist.



**Erik Anderson**

@awards\_watch

Spent the morning with Kristen Wiig, Ricky Martin, Dominic Burgess, Tate Taylor and Abe Sylvia to talk about their amazing show PALM ROYALE with the lovely folks of GALECA.



1:31 PM · Jun 4, 2024 · **4,725** Views

Source: [@awards\\_watch](#) Twitter



**Dominic Burgess** @dominicburgess · 50m

An incredible evening celebrating @JeffToyne and the music of Palm Royale 🎵🎵🎵 #palmroyale



Source: [Dominic Burgess Twitter](#)



**Dominic Burgess**  
@dominicburgess

A story in three acts:



Source: Dominic Burgess Twitter

## == Save OFMD Crew: #NeverLeft! ==

Our dear friends over at SaveOFMD Crew have their calendar up for #NeverLeft and are working hard to help raise money for our Queer Elders through SAGEUSA. [Please visit their post below](#) to learn more and how you can help!



saveofmdcrewmates

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### The Fight Continues...#NeverLeft!

We don't have to tell you all that the campaign to fight for Our Flag Means Death #NeverLeft. This Pride Month, we plan to make it known in a big way! 🗣️🏳️‍🌈

Each week we have a focused call to action, along with actions that can be done at "any time". These calls to action are inspired by those of successful queer/diverse fan campaigns from over the years. This month is a time when we honor those who have come before us; and fan campaigns fighting for our representation are no exception.

Fans have a voice, and can make a difference!

If we funnel all of our attentions at one item a week, we can make a big splash in getting the attention of MAX, as well as the media at large.

**#NeverLeft: SaveOFMD Pride Month 2024**

**# DontStreamOnMax**

**Week 1** **Call In!**  
Time to sound the alarms at MAX. We're calling for a flood of calls! Your voice matters, make it heard!

**# SaveOFMD**

**Week 2** **Digital Deep Dive!**  
This week we focus on a grab bag of digital actions. Send your emails, taxes, feedback, and more!

**# CommandeerTheComments**

**Week 3** **Fanart Flood: Commandeer the Comments!**  
MAX tried to shut down fan vendors. Let's flood their House of the Dragon comments with fanart! Only send your own work. We have memes for everyone!

**# LongLiveOFMD**

**Week 4** **Lovely Letters Return...**  
In honor of queer fan campaigners before us, let's bring back the most tried and true trick in the book. Flood their mailboxes, the more letters, the more impact!

**Fiber Arts Brigade's Charity Auction:**  
Donations in benefit of SAGE, who provide services and advocacy for queer elders. Auction June 30!

**Any Time!**

- Use #OurFlagMeansDeath and #SaveOFMD. Keep being loud about the show and the movement!
- Stream OFMD on iPlayer and RTL+. Let's show Max the numbers they couldn't head. #DontStreamOnMax
- Sign the Petition
- Write up OFMD on Ranker
- Rate the show on IMDb, Just in Tomatoes, etc
- Fax MAX
- Email feedback
- Use the feedback links
- Write other streamers and accounts to the cause
- Comment on MAX's posts, especially Pride ones!
- Reach out to local media/radio/Pride groups
- Reach out to other queer/cancelled fandoms. #WatchOurSister!

**#NeverLeft**

Throughout Pride Month, we're taking celebrating our queer elders one step further with a month-long fundraiser in aid of SAGE USA. We'll share the link to the SAGE donation page as soon as it is available. Keep your eyes peeled for additional treats as the fundraiser meets certain goals! 🙄 🍷

In addition to the donation page, our very own Fiber Arts Brigade will be hosting an auction! Over the next few weeks, we'll share sneak peeks at some of the items that'll be available for sale, via the FAB eBay store: [www.tinyurl.com/FABAuction](http://www.tinyurl.com/FABAuction).

For more info on SAGE and the wonderful, vital work that they do, please check out their website: <https://www.sageusa.org/>.

All hands on deck! 🗳️ 🙌

## == Save OFMD Crew: Tell Tale Awards Reminders! ==

So many folks are fighting for the Tell Tale awards for Rhys, Ruibo and OFMD! Our kind crewmates over at SOFMD have created a nice guide for us with a QR Code to scan! [You can visit their post here as well for more info!](#)

**Vote #OurFlagMeansDeath - Round 2!**

Favorite Cable or Streaming Comedy Series:

- Our Flag Means Death!

Favorite Performer in a Cable or Streaming Comedy Series:  
(you can only vote once)

- Rhys Darby
- Ruibo Qian


Other cast members:

Favorite New Comedy Series:

- Deadloch stars Mads Sami (Archie)

Favorite Limited Series:

- Palm Royale features Dominic Burgess (Jeffrey! Fettering!)



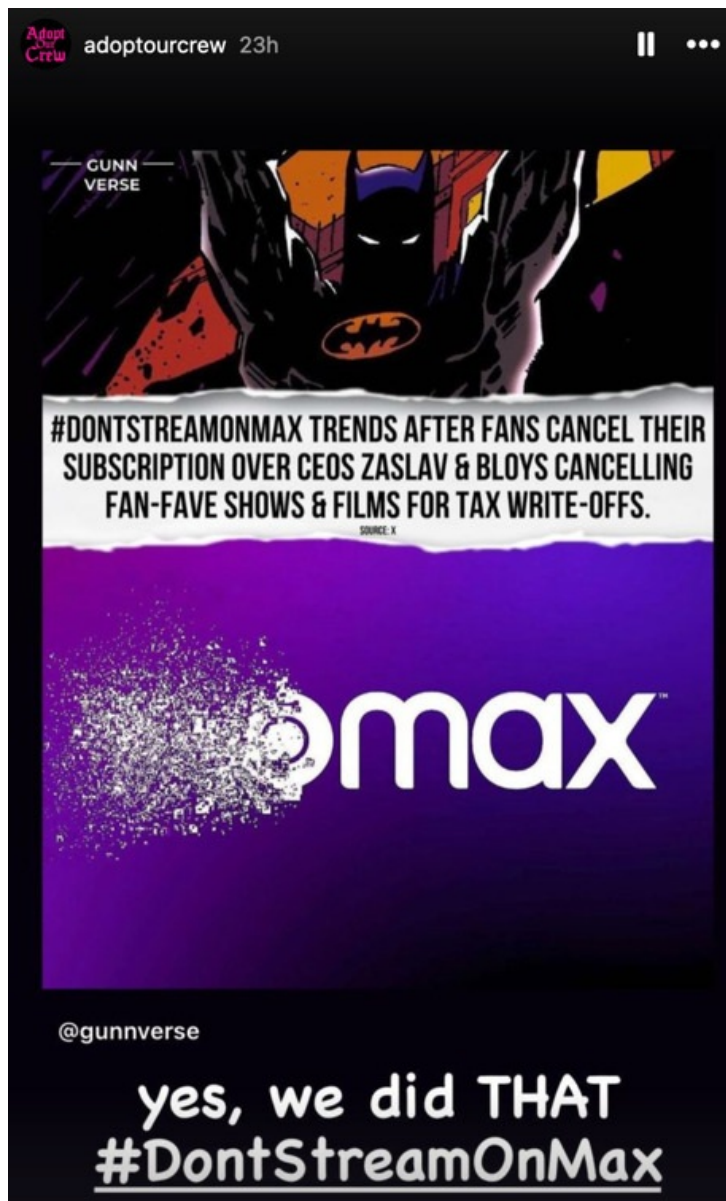
<https://tinyurl.com/vote4ofmd>

@SaveOFMDcrew

## == Adopt Our Crew ==

Our dear crewmates over at [@adoptourcrew](#) have been very busy for Pride Month! Please visit their tumblr to learn all about the charity/creator spotlights they have

going on! I wanted to include a bunch today but I ran out of image room so please visit their Tumblr: [@adoptourcrew](#) In addition, there was a shout out by [@gunnverse](#) on Instagram regarding all the PoliteMenacing/MassiveAggression from June 3!



Source: [AdoptOurCrew's Instagram](#)

## == Articles ==

Also Shared by AdoptOurCrew on instagram was this Yahoo Entertainment article [Read the Article Below!](#)

**yahoo!**entertainment

## #DontStreamOnMax is trending on social media. Why the streaming service Max is facing a boycott.

More than 22,000 X posts have been created with the #DontStreamOnMax hashtag since the campaign began June 3.



**Kelsey Weekman** · Internet Culture Reporter

Tue, June 4, 2024 at 11:35 AM MDT · 3 min read



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Source: [AdoptOurCrew on Instagram](#)

== Fan Spotlight ==

= Cast Cards =

Our sweet and so very kind [@melvisik](#) is back again with more Cast Cards! Today is "listed as Soldier #2, aka one of the incredible stunt performers"!



Melvisik  
@melvisik

Check out Rob McKenzie of “Avatar: The Way of Water” (stunt performer) and “Power Rangers” (stunt performer) in [#OurFlagMeansDeath](#) ☠️  
[#SaveOFMD](#) [#AdoptOurCrew](#)

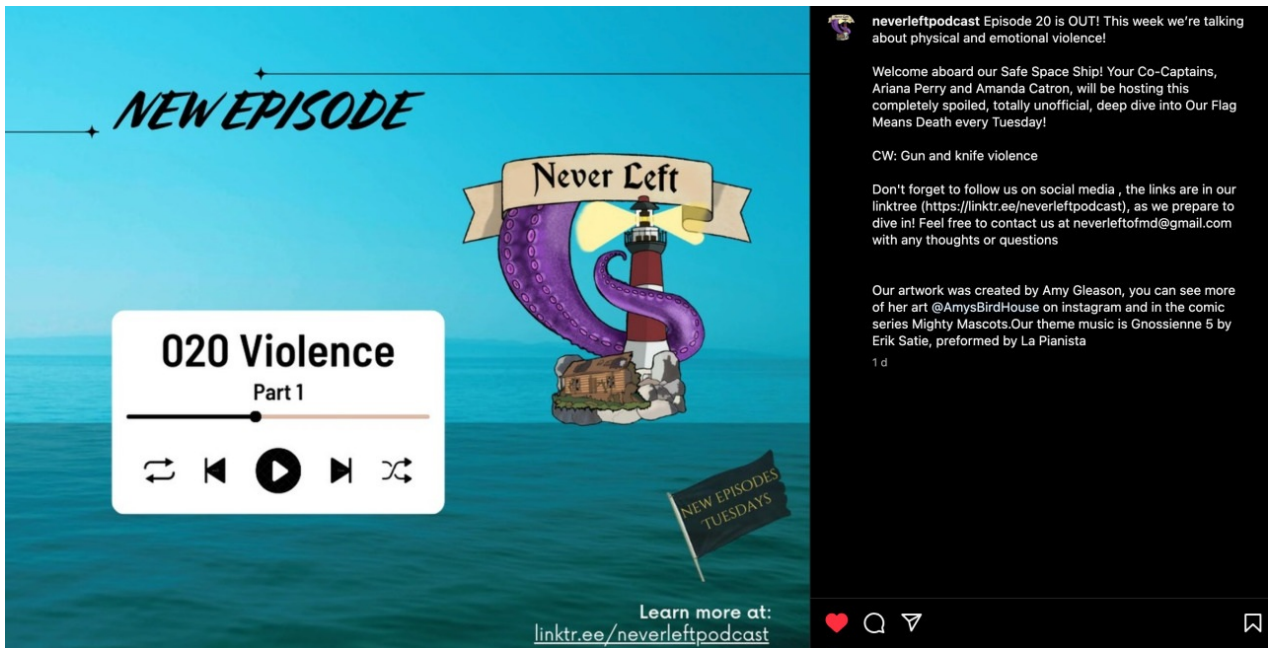


Source: [@melvisik's Twitter](#)

= Never Left Podcast =

New Episode of Never Left! is out on your favorite podcast platforms! Please visit [Never Left Podcast Linktr.ee](#) to listen!





Source: [Never Left Podcast Instagram](#) / Art by [@AmysBirdHouse](#)

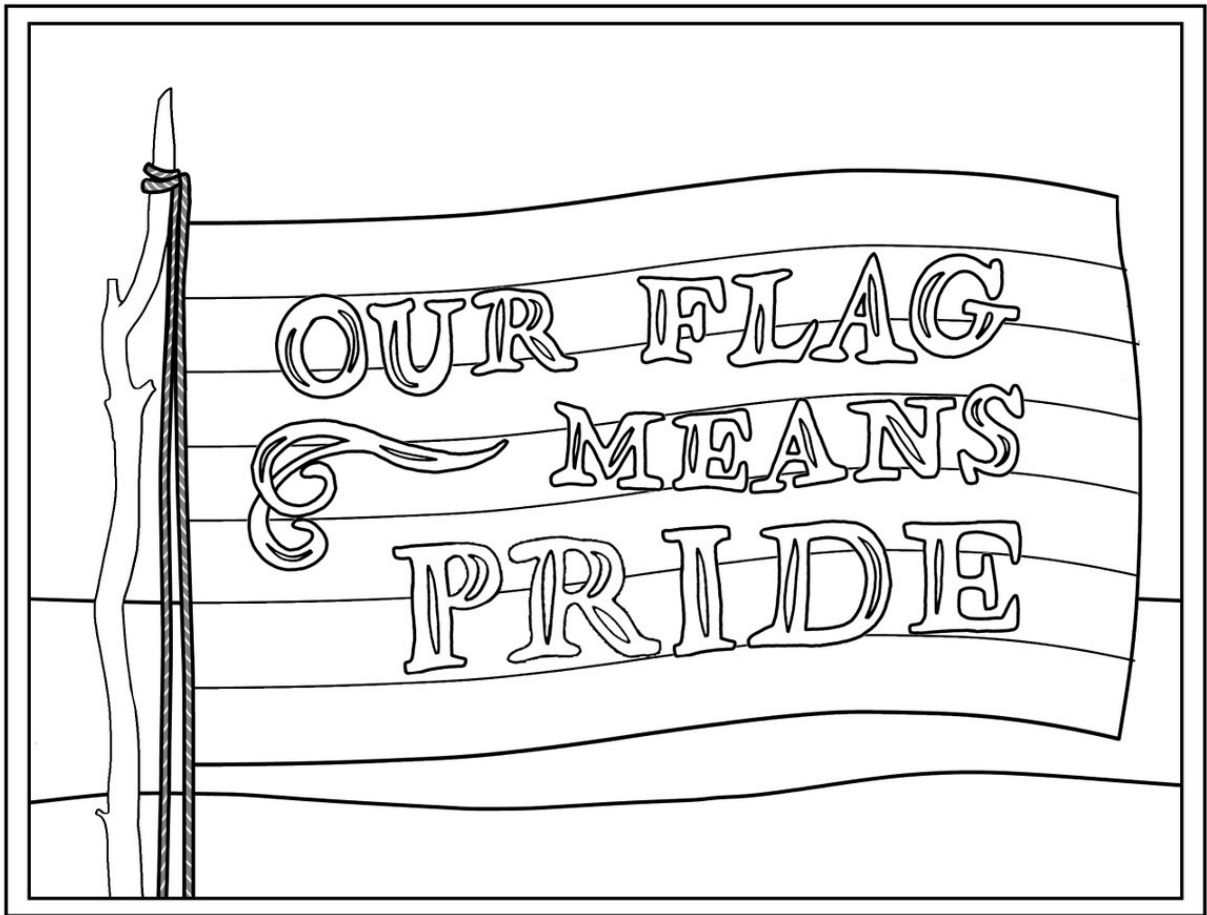
== Pride Month ==

= Colouring Pages =

More colouring pages this month by the lovely [@patchworkpiratebear](#)! The [@adoptourcrew](#) team will be sharing them all month long as they come out and I've been given permission to share them as well! So exciting to color in some Pride Pages! If you do, please be sure to share them with [@adoptourcrew](#) and [@patchworkpiratebear](#)!



Our Flag Means Pride



PATCHWORK PIRATE BEAR

## == Pride Peanuts ==

Another ADORABLE set of Pride Peanuts by the fabulous [@blackbeardskneebrace!](#) I love the little Fang so much 🌍. Please follow them for more awesome art!



Source: [BlackbeardsKneeBrace's Tumblr](#)

## == Love Notes ==

Hey there lovelies. Wow, it's been a busy few days. Pride month is off to a great start.

I will probably be slow/behind the next few days as I've got some stuff going on at home. My girl Zoey, (my kitty) is 16 years old and diabetic, and she's lost a lot of weight recently, and she's been really sick, so I'm spending a lot of time taking care of her, sometimes late at night (and you all know I don't get a lot of sleep as it is).

I don't wanna bum anyone out-- but today I wanted to talk about love. None of us know how long we have. We generally know pets have less time than ourselves, and sometimes unfortunately humans don't have the time we think they will.

No matter who you love-- whether it's an animal, or a human, or a child, or a family member or a friend, I just want to send a reminder that the amount of time we have with them is not predictable. If you can, take that extra few minutes to hold them today. Take those few extra minutes to tell them you love them. Take the few extra minutes to call them up (if they have thumbs) and just tell them you're thinking of them.

Love is one of the greatest and most powerful feelings in the world. It can move mountains for individuals, or groups. It can bring so many people together (like the love we have for ofmd) and it can make the biggest difference in millions of lives.

Don't be afraid to love crew. Sometimes pain comes with loving something, and I know you've had enough of that in your life, but the love is worth it in the long run.

Give love to your fur/scale kids, give love to your human children, give love to your friends, and give love to your family, and most of all, give love freely to yourself. Of all the things in this world that we may regret, love and the enjoying of it in all of its many forms will almost always be worth it. And if it's not-- you can move that love to someone / something more deserving of your gift.

Anyway crew, just remember I love you, and I know so many crew members do too. Remember to love yourself and give love where you can (and don't beat yourself up if you can't).

Hope you have a good rest of the week-- it's Hump Day! Half way there!

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