

G7 Pop Culture Pulse: 2026-2027 Global Festival Dates, Gaming Innovation, &

Pop Culture · Answer Key · 5 Questions

1. What are the confirmed dates for San Diego Comic-Con 2026, including its Preview Night?

- A) July 24-27, 2026, with Preview Night on July 23
- B) July 23-26, 2026, with Preview Night on July 22**
- C) August 1-4, 2026, with Preview Night on July 31
- D) June 28-July 1, 2026, with Preview Night on June 27

2. Gamescom 2026, held in Cologne, Germany, is globally recognized as the world's largest gaming event. What is the name of the spectacular event that kicks off Gamescom?

- A) Gamescom: Opening Gala
- B) Gamescom: First Look Live
- C) Gamescom: Premiere Night
- D) gamescom: Opening Night Live**

3. Japan Expo Paris 2026 marks a significant milestone. Which anniversary is this premier European festival celebrating, and which legendary manga master is it paying tribute to?

- A) 20th Anniversary, paying tribute to Rumiko Takahashi
- B) 30th Anniversary, paying tribute to Katsuhiro Otomo
- C) 25th Anniversary, paying tribute to Keisuke Itagaki**
- D) 35th Anniversary, paying tribute to Naoko Takeuchi

4. The Tokyo Game Show 2026, Japan's premier video game expo, is scheduled for September 17-21, 2026. Which specific days are designated as public access days for enthusiasts and travelers?

- A) September 17-18
- B) September 17, 19, 21
- C) September 19-21**
- D) September 18-20

5. New York Fashion Week (NYFW) September 2026 will showcase which seasonal collections, and where are the main events primarily expected to take place?

- A) Fall/Winter 2026, at Madison Square Garden
- B) Resort 2027, across various pop-up venues
- C) Spring/Summer 2027, primarily at Spring Studios**
- D) Pre-Fall 2027, at the Javits Center