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Tasemu - May 24, 2012, 10:32 am

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Adult Swim's Toonami Block to Air Casshern Sins, Deadman Wonderland

Adult Swim, the cable and satellite network that is paired with Cartoon Network, is listing on its schedule that it will air the Deadman Wonderland and Casshern Sins television anime series on Sunday, May 27 at 12:30 a.m. and 1:00 a.m., respectively. The schedule lists that both series will then air again at 3:30 a.m. and 4:00 a.m.

Jason DeMarco, former Toonami producer and recently promoted vice president of strategic marketing and promotions for Cartoon Network and Adult Swim, confirmed this schedule on Monday via his Twitter account.

Adult Swim had announced last Wednesday that it would bring back its Toonami programming block starting on Saturday, May 26.

[Via Toonami Podcast]

Update: Adult Swim's entire anime schedule for early morning May 27 is as follows:

12:00 a.m. - Bleach

12:30 a.m. - Deadman Wonderland

1:00 a.m. - Casshern Sins

1:30 a.m. - Fullmetal Alchemist: Brotherhood

2:00 a.m. - Ghost in the Shell: Stand Alone Complex 2nd GIG

2:30 a.m. - Cowboy Bebop

The schedule then repeats between 3:00 a.m. - 6:00 a.m.

DeMarco added that Toonami will not be showing Naruto, Dragon Ball Z, and similar titles since "the rights to those shows are owned by our competition or are out of our price range." He continued, "Something you should know about THIS Toonami: We have very, very little \$\$\$. This experiment will need ratings success to receive more funding for new shows, more [mascot character] Tom animation, etc. I'm thankful for the \$\$\$ we've gotten, but it isn't a lot."

DeMarco also clarified Adult Swim's May 16 press release, which said that the network is developing "new original anime programming" for Toonami's return. Toonami will not have original titles created specifically for the programming block, "just new acquisitions." DeMarco said that he personally "love[s] One Piece and would love to see it on CN again" along with Gundam Wing. Panty & Stocking with Garterbelt, Fairy Tail, and Inuyasha: The Final Act are some of the "many shows we've been looking at" or discussed.

DeMarco confirmed that Steven Blum will reprise his role of Tom, which "will be an updated hi-res version of Tom 3.0" aboard a slightly different but almost identical version of the spaceship Absolution. However, the character Sara will not appear for now ("costs too much to make"), and Peter Cullen will not be the voice of the block's promos due to his busy work schedule. The anime titles will keep their theme songs, and Toonami "will make our own 'pre' intros."

Death Note/Kaiji Composer Taniuchi Arrested on Marijuana Charges

Hideki Taniuchi taken into custody for allegedly possessing cannabis worth US\$110

Police in Kanagawa Prefecture arrested composer Hideki Taniuchi (Death Note, Kaiji, Otogi Zoshi, Aoi Bungaku Series) for possession of dried cannabis on Tuesday. According to the prefectural police, the 39-year-old man asked to speak with a lawyer and has not provided a deposition yet.

Police reported that Taniuchi was taken into custody from his Yokohama home at about 10:45 a.m. on Tuesday. He was allegedly concealing a pipe and 1.5 grams (about 0.053 ounces) of marijuana valued at about 9,000 yen (about US\$110) in his second-floor living room.

Authorities went to Taniuchi's residence after receiving testimony from a Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) employee. Kanagawa Prefectural Police had arrested 36-year-old Miki Teshima on Saturday for marijuana possession. Teshima claimed that she received the marijuana from Taniuchi. According to police, Taniuchi had been giving Teshima marijuana for five or six years.

In addition to composing music for television anime series, Taniuchi performed opening theme songs for Hajime no Ippo (Fighting Spirit) as a guitarist in the rock band Shocking Lemon.

Police in Japan arrested Kamikaze Girls author Novala Takemoto for cannabis possession in 2007. Police also arrested Tsuyoshi Kosuga of cro-magnon, the musical group that co-composed the soundtrack for the Hyouge Mono anime, for similar charges in 2011.

Live-Action GTO Remake Confirmed with EXILE Member Akira

Miori Takimoto co-stars in story of gang member-turned-teacher; Hitomi Kuroki plays principal
The producers of the GTO: Great Teacher Onizuka live-action television series remake confirmed on Wednesday that EXILE band member Akira will star in the series. Akira replaces Takashi Sorimachi as the title character in the remake of the 1998 drama. Both live-action versions are based on Tohru Fujisawa's original school comedy manga about a former gang member who becomes an unorthodox teacher.

20-year-old actress Miori Takimoto (Higanjima) will play the heroine Azusa Fuyutsuki, and 51-year-old Hitomi Kuroki (20th Century Boys, Dark Water) will play Sakurai Ryoko, the principal who believes in Onizuka's teaching abilities. 26-year-old Yuu Shirota (The Prince of Tennis) will play Ryuji Danma, a friend from Onizuka's biker gang days who now lives with him. Students in Onizuka's "Class 2-4" will be played by Haruna Kawaguchi, Sho Takada, Shintaro Morimoto, and Taishi Nakagawa. 24-year-old Yusuke Yamamoto and 60-year-old Ryosei Tayama round out the cast; Yamamoto will play the part of Toshiyuki Saejima, policeman and bad influence on Onizuka, while Tayama will play Hiroshi Uchiyamada, the loud-mouthed vice-principal and Onizuka's nemesis. The series will premiere in July on the Fuji TV network and will run on Tuesdays at 10:00 p.m.

The Nikkan Sports newspaper had reported earlier this month that the 30-year-old Akira would

replace 27-year-old actor/singer Jin Akanishi. Nikkan Sports had noted in April that Akanishi was forced by Johnny & Associates, his talent agency, to leave the remake. Akanishi married the actress/singer Meisa Kuroki (23) on February 2, and he reportedly did not notify Johnny & Associates until after registering his marriage. Kuroki confirmed last month that she is pregnant.

Tokyopop published the original manga in North America. In 2009, Fujisawa returned to the character of Onizuka with the manga Shonan 14 Days. Vertical announced in May that it licensed both GTO: Shonan 14 Days and Shonan Junai-gumi (the predecessor to Great Teacher Onizuka) for North America. Fujisawa just finished Shonan 14 Days last year, but he launched a three-chapter spinoff in November.

Japan's Defence Forces Recruits High Schoolers with Gundam's Zaku

Image promoting JGSDF school conspicuously features mobile suit

A recent image posted on the top page of the official website for the Japan Ground Self-Defense Force (JGSDF) High Technical School conspicuously features the Zaku mobile suit from the Gundam series, with two students looking at a toy of the suit while imagining themselves as one.

The JGSDF High Technical School is a three-year high school that offers specialized technical training as well as officer training to its students, who are assigned as leading privates in the JGSDF upon graduation. A robotics club is recognized by the school as an official school club, while technical training courses at the school also feature robots, using Lego's NXT robotics system and Japan Robotech's RoboDesigner system for educational purposes.

[img]<http://screensnapr.com/e/Qry4So.jpg>[/img]

"My Brothers a NEET and I want him dead!"

So this one moved me a little bit, and as always, being Happeh, I'd thought I'd write about this story and hopefully warn you guys. I've warned you before about NEET's but this one is a little less gruesome and a little less 'touching,' although harsh. A little girl has wrote about her elder brother and told of how she'd rather have him "dead" than being an Anime Otaku and NEET. She's even had to drop out of high school because his medicine and phone bills. He asks for anime BD's often and their mother pays for it all. This also solidifies the point of "Hikimori's, NEETS and Otaku's" being highly disliked in the community of Japan and quite a few agree with this girl. Here is the original story written by the girl:

The Original Story ([Click to View](#)) Little Sister Wrote:I have an elder brother who turns 19 in September.

He was bullied a bit in high school, and took 2 years off. Then he was diagnosed with a social phobia at hospital.

After that he had to change school, and after a day stopped going, and has been off school ever since. I don't know how to deal with him.

I don't care if he doesn't work full time, but I'd like him to work at least a few hours.

He gets and allowance from our mother every month, I honestly wish he'd stop! (I don't get one)

Our mother can't really buy the things she wants, and she pays the phone bills too, quite a bit with

all our calls.

He also wanted our mother to buy him anime BDs, and I told him to make do with novels as they are really expensive, but she's sure to get him them all the same.

He takes \$350 worth of medicine every month, and on top of that he makes her pay for his mobile and give him an allowance. Isn't there something wrong with this picture?

Our household is a single parent family, and there is also my older sister living with us, who is working. I only just graduated middle school, but thanks to my brother I wasn't able to go to high school, I'm having to work part time and study with a friend in the hopes of attending university.

It's hard being at home.

I'm really glad when he does occasionally go out, but mainly I just wish he would not come back.

I wish I could leave, or else that my brother would die. What should I do? I'm going to go crazy if I stay put.

This also links back to a study by Japanese Police, who studies how many young people were killing themselves in 2007 because they had work difficulties. Since then, the statistic has risen by 250% to 159 in 2011. People would rather "die" than become NEET's. So morale of the story guys; watch anime, but be outgoing! Specially if you wish to live in Japan!

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wantei has posted some free tolls to help people interested in learning japanese as a language, check it out here: <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=2521919>

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Jormungand

Genres: Action, Adventure, Seinen

Synopsis

The series follows Koko Hekmatyar, a young arms dealer who sells weapons under HCLI, a weapons corporation.

As one of the company's unofficial weapon sellers, she secretly sells weapons in many countries while avoiding the local authorities and law enforcements as most of her work is actually illegal under international law. Traveling with her is her team of bodyguards who are mostly composed of ex-military veterans.

Her latest addition to her crew is Jonah, a seemingly emotionless child soldier who is skilled in combat yet ironically hates arms dealers. Jonah joins Koko as he wishes to find the arms dealer responsible for his family's death.

What follows is Koko and her crews escapades around the world.

AMV Scope

None this week unfortunately

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Staff:

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Happeh

Hime-Kun (No submission)

•Lawliet• - May 24, 2012, 10:48 am

Woah, I now understand why they disgust about otaku's there, its surely turning something serious.

Nice compilation. Looking forward to GTO remake.

Okazaki - May 24, 2012, 11:26 am

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ven0m - May 24, 2012, 11:27 am

Nice thread tas.Enjoed reading it. ?

SavageBoys - May 24, 2012, 11:34 am

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Thats exactly what i thought, i also thought 1.5 grams?!? shit nigga we smoked literally 10X that last night 0.0

Sorun - May 24, 2012, 11:58 am

Still have no hope for any interesting series on toonami, Panty & stocking is a interesting idea, but I don't see it getting toonami more viewers. Also WTF Onee chan stop making a fuss over me getting my BDs.

Almost - May 24, 2012, 12:14 pm

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You haven't been on in 4 days bro, you gotta be more active!

xInsaneBoyx - May 24, 2012, 12:18 pm

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Tasemu - May 24, 2012, 12:19 pm

(May 24, 2012 12:18 PM)xInsaneBoyx Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) what happened with bleach? will they start making ep's again??

Hopefully not.

Sorun - May 24, 2012, 12:21 pm

(May 24, 2012 12:18 PM)xInsaneBoyx Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) what happened with bleach? will they start making ep's again??

Bleach should die.

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Happeh - May 24, 2012, 12:22 pm

For anyone that might care: Figurine Corner is back next week. :3

Also, glad you liked my report on the whole "NEET" thing. Shameful that her brother is getting all that, and she can't afford to go to High School. I know he may have a phobia, but seriously, think of others.

Prox - May 24, 2012, 12:31 pm

Hm. This is probably the first AA weekly that relates me to me the most... It's pretty sad to be honestly.

But before that, I didnt know Taniuchi lived in Yokohama O.o Ironical, thats where I lived rofl. I wonder how close I was to him.. hm... anyway. Thats pretty messed up he got arrested for that... But I hope he doesnt get too much time for that little amount of weed. On the other hand, he could of just gotten some Spice XD Since its legal in Japan.

About the NEET sotry.. I'm, not trying to make this all about me or anything, but I want to just say how bad it really is sometimes... So i'll post my experiences as an example of how stressful it can get sometimes..

If you care you can click the spoiler. If not, thats fine. :3 Who wants me read my silly who me life story? XD

Spoiler ([Click to View](#))

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ANYWHO. I just wanted to share my story about it because I thought it was just like that sad little girl story D: Makes me sad she has to go thru that. >.< So sad this week, but great :3

btw: Sorry for writing so much .-.

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Ryuku - May 24, 2012, 1:12 pm

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Nah she doesn't want him to die, she's just being kuudere. She'll be on his cock later.

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Yeah :3 I'm glad you liked it >.< Im still glad I got to live there nonetheless (:

Ryuku - May 24, 2012, 1:23 pm

...Oh you.

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TheElo124 - May 24, 2012, 1:31 pm

can someone tell me what channel I can find it on sky?

Ryuku - May 24, 2012, 1:37 pm

It's the same channel as Cartoon Network, 601.

Yui Hirasawa - May 24, 2012, 1:48 pm

Sucks about the guy who got caught with cannabis.
Hope he goes well in courts and such.

As for that Japanese Army thing.
What's that supposed to be promoting?

Looks like they're secretly making epic robot outfits. :P