

Decongestant

October 14-16, 2016



What's this, then?

It's this year's Minnstf fallcon!

You haven't really answered my question...

Oh, sorry, right. Decongestant is a small science fiction and fantasy convention geared primarily, but not exclusively, towards relaxation. There will be good food, music, gaming, an art show, a bit of programming, and whatever else you bring to it. If you've been to a Minn-stf fallcon recently, you can expect something similar.

Where is it?

The Hilton Bloomington, 3900 American Blvd West, Bloomington MN 55437. Rates are \$109/night for a standard king room, or \$119 for a double/double, if booked by Sept 14. Call 844-856-8554 or 414-935-5970 and mention "fallcon", or see mnstf.org/decongestant for how to book online.

What space does the con have?

We have a cluster of small-to-medium-small rooms on the 2nd floor, enough for all of the activities we have currently planned. One is a suite, and the rest are function-space-type rooms. Given sufficient interest, we can probably expand into more space – the hotel currently also has available at least one boardroom and a large ballroom on the first floor. **This is an expandable con. If you want to run a large game, create a new department, or have some other cool idea, let us know.**

How much is it?

Pre-register! It is cheaper, you get a beautiful pre-printed badge, and it really helps us to know how many people are coming. Deadline: Sept 25, 2016. (Mailed registrations must be *postmarked* by then.)

Those 21+ pay \$50. If you are short on cash, you may instead pay \$40 – no questions asked (nor will we publish who paid what). If you're shorter on cash, e-mail decongestant-aid@mnstf.org and let us know your situation.

Those 13-20, *young fans*, pay \$10, and it is free for those under 13, *kids*, as long as they are continuously supervised by an adult. Free rangers under 13 pay the *young fans* rate.

At the door, memberships are \$60, or \$20 for *young fans*, and still free for *kids*. Day memberships are \$40, hour memberships are \$20, minute memberships are \$10 and second memberships are \$5. Partial memberships can only be purchased at the door.

How do I join?

Register online at mnstf.org/decongestant or send this along with a check made to "The Minnesota Science Fiction Society" (not to "Decongestant", please) to Minn-STF, PO Box 8297, Minneapolis MN 55408.

Name you want on your badge: _____

Name the post office understands: _____

Street address: _____

E-mail address: _____ Phone number: _____

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