

Einblatt!

Calendar

- ☛ Sat, Jun 5. E. E. Knight & Lyda Morehouse sign at Uncle Hugo's, 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347
- ☛ Sat, Jun 5, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting, Irene & Scott Raun's, 3928 11th Ave S, Mpls. Dogs, smoking outside. FFI: 612-822-0451
- ☛ Mon, Jun 7, 7:30-9:00PM. Minn-StF Board Meeting. Dreampark. FFI: Any Board Member
- ☛ Sat, Jun 12, 1PM. Clutterers Anonymous South Minneapolis Meeting, Pillsbury House, 3501 Chicago Ave S, Mpls.
- ☛ Sun, Jun 13, 2-5PM. Ladies Sewing Circle & Terrorist Society. Margo Bratton's, 4736 Pleasant Ave S, Mpls. Cats. FFI: 612-825-6549
- ☛ Sun, Jun 13, 5:00PM. Minicon 40 Organizational Meeting. DreamHaven, 912 W Lake St, Mpls. FFI: Greg Ketter, 612-823-6161
- ☛ Sat, Jun 19, 1-3PM. Joel Rosenberg signs *Family Matters*, his second Sparky Hemingway book, at Once Upon a Crime, 604 W 26th St, Mpls. FFI: 612-870-3785
- ☛ Sat, Jun 19, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting, Location: TBA. FFI: www.mnstf.org
- ☛ Thurs, Jun 24, 11:59PM. Einblatt Deadline!

Advance Warning

July 3: Garey/Lien Anniversary Party;
July 10 & 17: Minn-StF Meetings

Birthdays:

4: Timothy Julin, Jeri Pope; 5: Erik Elmshausen; 6: Jeff Peasley; 11: David Lenander; 12: Joyce Scrivner; 13: Brian Leslie, Sybil Smith; 14: Patricia Ward; 16: David Stever, Roscoe Bendtsen; 19: Lori Chu; 20: Val Lies; 23: Donna Lang; 25: Rick Gellman, Eric Heideman; 26: Erin McKee; 28: Deborah Halpern; 29: Monica Jennie, Steve Perry; 30: Erin Lorenz

Announcements:

CoA: Geri Sullivan, 37 Monson Road, Wales, MA 01081-9743, Home: 413-245-0325, Cell: 612-964-3558, email: gfs@toad-hall.com

Publishing News

Neil Gaiman's *Coraline* was the Nebula winner in the novella category.

Hugo nominees include *Paladin Of Souls* by Lois McMaster Bujold (novel) and "A Study in Emerald" by Neil Gaiman (short story)

Cathy Tacinelli has a poem, "The Rape of the Toyota," in the July 04 *Asimov's*

Finalists for the 2004 Mythopoeic Award (Adult Literature category) include *Paladin Of Souls* by Lois McMaster Bujold and *Fudoki* by ex-local Kij Johnson.

Tiptree Award "short list" (e.g. honorable mentions) this year includes *Fudoki* by Kij Johnson and "Lady of the Ice Garden" (from *Firebirds*) by another ex-local, Kara Dalkey.

Lois McMaster Bujold's *The Spirit Ring* is being adapted for radio in Japan (source *Locus*)

Adam Stemple has a short story, "A Piece of Flesh," in *Faerie Tales* (ed. MH Greenberg and R Davis), a 2004 DAW pb anthology.

Lois McMaster Bujold's *Ethan of Athos* nominated for the Japanese Seiun Award for 2004.

pb=mass market paperback.
hc=hardcover. tp=trade paperback
nf=nonfiction. coll=collection.
anth=anthology. r=reissue

Conventions

June 4-6, Duckon 13, Chicago, IL. GOHs: Eric Flint, Butch Honeck, Steve MacDonald, Mitch Burnside-Clapp, "Admiral" Be'Jen Zantai-Min-Hor, Roxanne Meida King, J.D. "Illiad" Frazer, Nick Pollotta. <http://www.duckon.org>

June 24-27, Midwestcon 55 (The Relaxacon), Sharonville, OH. <http://cfg.org/midwestcon>

July 2-5, ConKopelli (the 57th Westercon), Litchfield Park, AZ. GOHs: C.J. Cherryh, David Cherry, Diana Gabaldon, Heather Alexander, John Hertz. <http://www.conkopelli.org>

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July 2-4, Convergence 2004, Bloomington, MN. GOHs: Larry Niven, David Gerrold, Denise Garner, Vincent Truitner. <http://www.convergence-con.org>

Jul 30–Aug 2, Mythcon 35, Ann Arbor, MI. University of Michigan. GoHs: Neil Gaiman, Charles A. Huttar. FFI: www.mythsoc.org

Aug 13-15, Diversicon 12, Bloomington, MN. GoHs: S.P. Somtow, Mark Rich. Adult \$30, Child \$25 to 7/4; Adult \$40, Child \$35 ATD. www.diversicon.org

Ongoing Information

Board of Directors: Joe Agee, Lisa Freitag, Dean Gahlon, Sharon Kahn and Scott Raun. Email board@mnstf.org – which also includes Polly Peterson, the Recording Secretary. Mn-STF meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Saturday every month, Board meetings are typically the 4th Wednesday of the month.

Minn-STF web site at: www.mnstf.org/.
Minicon web site at: www.mnstf.org/minicon/.

Gamesday Players: Board & card gaming almost every Friday evening. FFI: Richard Tatge at 612-827-3228.

Filk Circle: open to all who like to participate in music with f/sf lyrics. 4th Saturday at 5pm: 3236 Cedar Ave South; FFI: 612-721-6076. Cats.

Artists and Writers: Get your art and thoughts in print in Stipple-Apa, small-and-cozy general-interest publication. FFI: Jeanne Mealy 651-771-7226

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