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Calendar
- Sat, Sept 2, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting cancelled due to lack of host.
- Sun, Sept 10, 2-5PM. Ladies Sewing Circle. Linda Lounsbury's, 4125 Dupont Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6336
- Sat, Sept 16, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting & Anniversary Party. Wit's End (home of Kevin G. Austin & Laurel Krahm); 4316 Bryant Ave S, Mpls. cats, not childproof, no smoking indoors, will available. FFI: 612-822-0205, laurel@tvpicks.net
- Tues, Sept 26, 6:30PM. Speculations Reading Series (SASE & The Write Place) sponsors Eric Heideman Tales of the Unanticipated 20th Anniversary Reading. Dreamhaven, 912 W Lake St, Mpls. FFI: 612-721-5959, eheideman@dhzone.com
- Tues, Sept 26, 8:15PM. After-reading gathering. Dulono's Pizza, 607 W Lake St, FFI: 612-827-1726
- Sun, Sept 24, 12N. Twin Cities Speculative Fiction Writers Network September Meetup and Group Reading from Works in Progress. FFI: http://scifiwriting.meetup.com/2/
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- Thurs, Sept 28, 11:59PM. Einblatt! Deadline

Advance Warning
Minn-StF Meeting: Oct 7, Irene & Scott Raun's. Convivial (Minn-StF FallCon): Oct 20-22.

Birthdays:

Announcements:
The server that has hosted mnstf.org for many years experienced a crash back in July and we lost the list of subscribers for all our email lists; if you were on any Minn-StF or Minicon related email lists, you'll need to rejoin them. To sign up for nafter or events or the Einblatt email list, please visit www.mnstf.org. A new Minicon committee list is in the works; if you're on the concom, you should hear about it soon. A mutual decision was made to move mnstf.org from DDB's server (which he retired) to Laurel Krahn's web hosting plan with a web hosting provider. Laurel has taken over the Minn-StF sysadmin duties from DDB. Thanks to David Dyer-Bennet for hosting Minn-StF and Minicon websites and email for so many years!

South Minneapolis Clutterers Anonymous is taking a break – there will be no meetings in September. Watch for meetings in October.

The old Minn-StF Directory is being tossed out. You should have received an opt-in announcement in your mailbox. There will NOT be electronic submission of the opt-in form - see the instructions on the form. The form is available at mnstf.org/einblatt/2006_directory_form.pdf

Publishing News
Tales of the Unanticipated #27 (Autumn 2006), special "Monsters" issue, contains work by following people with MN connections: stories from Ellen Kuhfeld, Brandon Sigrist, Laurel Winter and Bryan Thao Worra; poetry from Winter, Worra, and John Calvin Rezmerski; miscellaneous prose from Eric M. Heideman and Rebecca Marjesdatter; and art from Laramie Sasseville.

Alan De Niro's collection Skinny Dipping in the Lake of the Dead is now out in tp from Small Beer Press.

Honorable Mentions in Year's Best Science Fiction: 23rd Annual (ed. Dozois) includes "Sunbird" by Neil Gaiman; "Back to Moab" and "Invasion of the Axbeaks" by Phillip C. Jennings; and "The Pitiless Stars" by Jim Young, along with three stories from Tales of the Unanticipated #26 ("Boywave" by Judy Klass; "A Book is a Journey" by David D. Levine; and "Piper" by Paul E. Martens.

Honorable Mentions in Year's Best Fantasy and Horror: 19th Annual (ed. Datlow, Link and Grant) includes "Sunbird" by Neil Gaiman; "Rocket Falls"

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by David Prill; and "Cruel Sisters" by Patricia C. Wrede, along with "The Sky Green Box" by ex-local Rudi Dornemann (published locally in Rabid Transit: Menagerie); two stories and one poem from Tales of the Unanticipated #26: "The Captive Pleading with the Memory Carver" by Mike Allen (poem); "See How She Dances" by Martha A. Hood; and "Redemption" by Patricia Russo; and six stories from the Fedogan & Brenner anthology Weird Shadows Over Innsmouth (those by Kiernan, Lumley, Lundberg, McAuley, Newman, and Smith).

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

Conventions
Sept 1-3. SF3 - MN Multi Media Festival. CANCELLED. www.sf-3.com
Oct 20-22 Convivial, Minneapolis, MN (Pre-registration deadlines: April 17/August 27) http://mnstf.org/convivial/
Nov 10-12 WindyCon 33, Rosemont, IL GoH: Jack McDevitt, Stephan Martiniere, Jacob Weisman, Seth Shostak, Mark & Priscilla Olson. (Pre-registration deadline: October 13) http://www.windycon.org/


**Ongoing Information**

| Board of Directors: Lisa Freitag, Dean Gahlon, Carol Kennedy, Laurel Krahn and Rachel Kronick. Email board@mnstf.org. Mn-StF meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Saturday every month, Board meetings are typically the 1st Friday of the month. Mn-StF web site at: [www.mnstf.org/](http://www.mnstf.org/). Minicon web site at: [www.mnstf.org/minicon/](http://www.mnstf.org/minicon/). Gameaday Players: Board & card gaming almost every Friday evening. FFI: Richard Tatge at 612-827-3228. Flik Circle: open to all who like to participate in music with f/sf lyrics. 4th Saturday at 5pm. FFI: Rich Brown, 651-646-2159, rab@freemars.com 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. Einblatt is posted on Usenet groups rec.arts.sf.fandom, rec.arts.sf.announce and mn.sf// Einblatt from July 95 to date is on the web at [www.mnstf.org/einblatt/](http://www.mnstf.org/einblatt/). Einblatt is distributed via e-mailing-list – sign up here or send e-mail to einblatt-list-request@mnstf.org with the subject ‘subscribe’. This Einblatt was edited by Scott Raun with the assistance of Denny Lien (publishing news) and Mike Pins (conventions). Einblatt is a monthly publication of the Minnesota Science Fiction Society, devoted to news of the local SF community. E-mail same to einblatt@mnstf.org, or send to Scott Raun, 3928 11th Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN 55407; or call him at 612-822-0451. Email submissions most preferred, no phone calls after 10pm. // Next Einblatt! Deadline: 11:59PM Sept 28th, 2006 sharp! |

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**Dreamhaven's October Events**

**Thursday, October 5th, 7:00pm:** Neil Gaiman - this event will be held at the Riverview Theater, and there will be an admission charge. More info in the October Einblatt - we are still finalizing details.

**Friday, October 13th, 6:30pm:** Kelly McCullough will be reading and signing.

**Saturday, October 14th, 3:00pm:** Lois McMaster Bujold will be talking and signing.

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