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Calendar

- **Wed**, Mar 31, 6PM. Minicon Work Party. Jonathan Adams & Carol Kennedy’s, 3328 Colfax Ave S, Mpls. Please let Carol know in advance if you will have work to be done. Party is over when 1st floor lights are out. Cats. FFI: adamskennedy@comcast.net, 612-823-2784.
- **Fri-Sun**, Apr 2-4. Minicon
- **Sat**, Apr 3, 2PM. MIN-StF Meeting postponed to Apr 10
- **Sun**, Apr 4, 2PM. MINspec Writers Workshop. Lunds Community Room, 1450 W Lake St, Mpls. www.meetup.com/MINspec/
- **Fri**, Apr 9, 7pm. MIN-StF Board Meeting. At Richard’s Gaming Party at Dreampark.
- **Sat**, Apr 10, 2PM. Minicon Postmortem. Devonian Ductina & MIN-StF Meeting. Matt+Kelly Strait’s, 1631 Selby Ave #1, St Paul. FFI: 651-644-1812
- **Sat**, Apr 24, 2PM. MIN-StF Meeting. Beth Friedman’s, 6915 10th Ave S, Richfield. Two cats, no smoking indoors. FFI: 612-861-1468
- **Fri**, Apr 30, 6:30-7:30PM. SF MN’s Speculations Reading Series presents David J. Schwartz. Dreamhaven Books, 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: Eric Heideman, 612-721-5959, eheideman@dzhzone.com

Advance Warning
MIN-StF Meetings: May 1, TBD; May 15, Irene & Scott Raun’s.

Announcements


Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Irene & Scott Raun, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Linda Lounsbury, Seven Anderson & Dorf, Dean Gahlon & Laura Krentz, Erin McKee & David Wilford, Blaisdell Polytechnic, Matt+Kelly Strait, Betsy Lundsten.

Subscription expiration dates for the Dead Tree Edition are printed above your name.

Birthdays:

Publishing News:

Eleanor Arnason, Mammoths of the Great Plains, May tp from PM Press

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Ruth Berman, poems “Kitchen Deities” and “Martian Opal,” both in the April/May 2010 Asimov’s

Lois McMaster Bujold, Cryoburn, hc novel due in November from Baen

Mary Janice Davidson, Undead and Unwelcome pb reprint from Jove due May; new novel (with Anthony Alongi), Rise of the Poison Moon, pb from Ace due August


Ex-locals: Steven Brust, Iorich, Tor pb reprint due December; P.C. Hodgell, Seeker’s Bane, Baen pb reprint due September; Will Shetterly, The Gospel of the Knife, Tor tp reprint due July

Local publisher Llewellyn/Flux: ya tp novels My So-Called Death by Stacey Jay (March) and The Sorcerer’s Apprentice by V. Briceland (April)

Latest reprint of Good Omens by Neil Gaiman (and Terry Pratchett) is #8 paperback on March Locus Bestsellers lists and #3 trade pb on the Borders/Walden list in same issue; Steven Brust’s Iorich is #8 hc on the Borders/Walden list and #5 on Barnes & Noble/B. Dalton list.

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Apr 23-25 Gamer's Reunion, Rochester, MN. www.gamersreunion.com


May 27-31 WisCon 34, Madison, WI. GoH: Mary Anne Mohanraj, Nnedi Okorafor. (Pre-reg deadline: April 30) http://www.wiscon.info/


Jun 25-27 Fourth Street Fantasy Convention, Minneapolis, MN. http://www.4thstreetfantasy.com/

July 1-4 CONvergence, Bloomington, MN. GoHs: L. A. Banks, Jeremy Bulloch, Paul Cornell, Bridget Landry, Chuck McCann, Wally Wingert. (Pre-reg deadline: May 15) http://convergence-con.org/

Nov 5-7 Icon 35, Cedar Rapids, IA. http://www.iowa-icon.com/ 


Ongoing Information

Board of Directors: Seven (Jennifer) Anderson, Dean Gahlon, Betsy Lundsten, Scott Raun & Matt Strait - board@mnstf.org. Mn-STF meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Saturday every month, for Board meetings check the minutes that are posted at mnstf.org/records/board-minutes/.


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. 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

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