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Calendar

Friday, Jun 4, 6:30-7:30PM. SF MN’s Speculations Reading Series presents Lydia Morehouse. Dreamhaven Books, 2301 E. 38th St, Mpls. FFI: Eric Heideman, eheideman@dhzone.com, 612-721-5959.

Friday, Jun 4, 7PM. Minn-STF Board Meeting. Dreampark’s Front Porch, 4002 Pillsbury Ave S, Mpls. FFI: Any board member.


Saturday, Jun 5, 1-2PM. Kelly McCullough signs SpellCrash. Uncle Hugo’s, 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347.

Saturday, Jun 5, 2PM. Minn-STF Meeting. Matt+Kelly Strait’s, 1631 Selby Ave #1, St Paul. FFI: 651-644-1812.

Tuesday, Jun 8, 7PM. ESP MnSpec meeting. Topic: Writing Short-Short Fiction for Fun and Profit. Davannis, 310 White Bear Ave, St Paul. FFI: http://www.mnsp.org/.


Saturday, Jun 12, 12N-1PM. David Housewright autographs. Uncle Edgar’s, 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-9984.


Thursday, Jun 17, 7PM. Retrofits Writers Group. Lunds Community Room, 1450 W Lake St, Mpls. FFI: http://www.mnsp.org/.

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Neil Gaiman’s American Gods was #4 trade pb on the May Locus bestseller list; lorich by ex-local Steven Brust tied for #5 hc. Gaiman’s American Gods and Good Omens (the latter with Terry Pratchett) were #2 and #4 tp on the Borders/Waldenbooks list in the same issue.

“Spar” by Kij Johnson won the Nebula for Best Short Story of 2009. Also, it was nominated for a Theodore Sturgeon Memorial Award, but as she is an award juror she removed it from consideration.

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

Conventions


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


Oct 15-17 Conjecture (AKA Minn-STF Fall-Con), Bloomington, MN. http://www.4thstreetfantasy.com/


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


Aug 17-21, 2011. Renovation (69th WorldCon). Reno, NV. GoHs: Tim

Birthdays:


Publishing News:

Kij Johnson’s “26 Monkeys, Also the Abyss” has been reprinted in the May/June 2010 issue of World Literature Today.

Michael Merriam sold a reprint of his short story “Jenny’s Magic” to Hazard Cat.

Announcements


Former pulp and pb artist Ernest Chiriacka, who split his retirement years between Minneapolis and New York, died on April 27th. See http://www.pulpartists.com/Chiriacka.html.

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Kat & Ralph Krantz, Beth Friedman, Matt+Kelly Strait, Irene & Scott Raun, Linda Lounsbury, Seven Anderson & Dorf, Dean Gahlon & Laura Krentz.

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Advance Warning


http://www.meetup.com/MNspec/
Ongoing Information

Board of Directors: Seven (Jennifer) Anderson, Dean Gahlon, Betsy Lundsten, Scott Raun & Matt Straît - 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/.

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