**Einblatt!**

**Calendar**

- **Sat, Sept 3, 3PM.** Minn-StF Fall Pool Party. Doubletree by Hilton Hotel Bloomington (AKA Sheraton Bloomington, Radisson South, or Radish). Hosted by Kevin Austin & Laurel Krahn. FFI: kaustin@sffan.net, laurel@typicks.net
- **Sat, Sept 3, 8PM-12M.** The Wayniacs (David Emerson, Wayne Bailey, Alan Lifson, with Jeff Schalles) perform. $5 cover. Minneapolis Eagles Club 34, 2507 E 25th St, Mpls.
- **Sun, Sept 11, 2-5PM.** Ladies Sewing Circle. Margo Bratton’s. 4736 Pleasant Ave S, Mpls.
- **Sun, Sept 11, 4-6PM.** Minicon 47 ConCom Meeting. Joel Phillips’, 6323 Excelsior Blvd., St Louis Park. FFI: optymystyc1@gmail.com
- **Sat, Sept 17, 2PM.** Minn-StF Meeting. Linda Lounsbury’s. 4125 Dupont Ave S, Mpls. Cat, no smoking. FFI: 612-824-6336
- **Thurs, Sept 22, 11:59PM.** Einblatt! Deadline

**Advance Warning**

Minn-StF Meeting – Oct 1, Irene & Scott Raun’s; Oct 29, Minn-StF Halloween, Dreampark.

Conjecture, Minn-StF Falcon, Oct 14-16. Register Early & Often!

**Announcements**

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Dean Gahlon & Laura Krentz, Irene & Scott Raun, Bill Christ, Beth Friedman, Erin McKee & David Wilford, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Lydia Nickerson, David & Pamela Dyer-Bennet, Linda Lounsbury, Lisa Sanders, Carol Vandal, Doug Wickstrom, Marian Turner, Kat & Ralph Krantz, Hershey Lima & Rachel Kronick.

**Birthdays:**


**Publishing News:**


Honorable Mentions in the Dozois *Year’s Best 28* by locals and ex-locals include Arnason’s “Tomb of the Fathers;” Neil Gaiman’s “The Thing About Cassandra” and “The Truth is a Cave in the Black Mountains;” and Kij Johnson’s “Ponies” and “Names for Water”

Alan DeNiro, "Walking Stick Fires," short story in June 2011 *Asimov’s*

Neil Gaiman, American Gods and *Anansi Boys* released as two-novel hc omnibus by Barnes & Noble (2011); also a solo version of *American Gods* was #9 hc bestseller for Barnes and Noble/B. Dalton per list in August 2011

Naomi Kritzer, "Isabella’s Garden," *Realms Of Fantasy* for August 2011

Michael Levy reviews books by both Lyda Morehouse and "Tate Hallaway" (e.g. *Morehouse*) in the July 2011 *New York Review of Science Fiction*

**September 2011 Conventions**


**Ongoing Information**

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Minicon web site: [www.mnstf.org/minicon/](http://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@fremars.com

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