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Calendar

Sat, Feb 2, 1-2PM. Tate Hallaway (aka Lyda Morehouse) signs. Uncle Hugo’s, 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347, unclehugo@aol.com

Sat, Feb 4, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting. Linda Lounsbury’s. 4125 Dupont Ave S, Mpls. Cat, no smoking. FFI: 612-824-6336


Wed, Feb 15, 6:30-7:30PM. S.N Arly reads. Speculations Reading Series. Dreamhaven Books. 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: Eric Heideman, eheideman@dhzone.com

Sat, Feb 18, 2PM. Minn-StF Pool Party & 1st Board Nominations. Bloomington Doubletree (AKA The RadishTree). Hosted by Josh More and Bonnie Somdahl.

Sun, Feb 19, 2-5PM. Ladies Sewing Circle. Margo Bratton’s, 4736 Pleasant Ave S, Mpls. Cat, no smoking. FFI: 612-825-6549


Advance Warning

Minn-StF Meetings: Mar 3rd, 2nd Nominations, Blaisdell Poly; Mar 17th, Board Elections, TBA.

Announcements

Rusty Hevelin died Dec 28th.

Minn-StF Picnic, July 14th.

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Sharon Kahn & Richard Tagte, Clay Harris, Jonathan Adams & Carol Kennedy, Irene & Scott Raun, Dean Gahlon & Laura Kentz, Kevin Austin & Laurel Krahn, Linda Lounsbury, Bill Christ, Beth Friedman, Erin McKee & David Wilford, Lydia Nickerson, David & Pamela Dyer-Bennet.

Birthdays:


Publishing News:

Andrea R. Cramer, Bloodrose: A Nightshade Novel (Philomel hc, 2012)

Catherine Lundoff, A Day At The Inn, A Night At The Palace And Other Stories (Lethe Press tp, 2011)

Recent interviews were published with Lois McMaster Bujold in the January 2012 Locus and with Andrea Cremer in the January 4, 2012 Star Tribune.

Local publishers: Sirenz by Charlotte Bennardo and Natalie Zaman (Llewellyn/Flux tp); Deadly Treats: Halloween Tales of Mystery, Magic and Mayhem ed. Anne Frazier (Nodin Press tp); Journey To Virginland, Epistle 1 by Arman Melikian

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(Two Harbors Press hc); and (associational) a new tp edition of Styrbiorn The Strong by E.R. Eddison (University of Minnesota Press).

Cryoburn by Lois McMaster Bujold was #6 on the January Paperbacks bestseller list and The Graveyard Book by Neil Gaiman was #5 on the Barnes and Noble/B. Dalton tp list in the same issue.

Neil Gaiman’s "The Case of Death and Honey" from A Study In Sherlock is a Best Short Story nominee for the Edgar Awards. His "How to Talk to Girls at Parties" was reprinted in Alien Contact, ed. Marty Halpern (Night Shade tp).

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

Conventions


Apr 20-22. Odyssey Con, Madison, WI GoH: Larry Niven, Steven Barnes, Kenneth Hite. (Pre-reg Deadline 4/7) www.oddccon.com/


Nov 9-11. OmegaCon, Siren, WI. http://www.omegacon.org/


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