Einblatt! March 2012

Calendar

Sat, Mar 3, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting & 2nd Board Nominations. Blaisdell Polytechnic, 3721 Blaisdell Ave S, Mpls. Front rooms cat free, but not guaranteed cat dander free, smoking outside only. FFI: Lydia Nickerson, 612-827-6521.

Sun, Mar 4, 4PM. Minicon Open Meeting. Emily Stewart & Aaron Vander Giessen’s, 2829 Alabama Ave S, St. Louis Park.

Sun, Mar 11, 1-2PM. Will Alexander signs. Uncle Hugo’s, 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347

Sun, Mar 11, 3:30PM. Retrofits Critique Meetup. Lunds, 1450 W Lake St, Mpls. FFI: http://www.meetup.com/MinnSpec


Wed, Mar 14, 6:30-7:30PM. Catherine Lundoff reads. Speculations Reading Series. Dreamhaven Books, 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: Eric Heideman, eheideman@dhzone.com

Sat, Mar 17, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting & Board Elections. Dreampark, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge’s, 4002 Pillsbury Ave S, Mpls. No smoking. FFI: 612-827-3228.


Sun, Mar 18, 2-5PM. Volunteer Fair. GPS hosted for many groups. Rm 135, 1121 Jackson St NE. FFI: volunteers@geekpartnership.org, 612-424-2477

Sun, Mar 18, 4PM. Minicon Open Meeting. Joel Phillips’, 6323 Excelsior Blvd, St. Louis Park.

Thurs, Mar 29, 11:59PM. Einblatt! Deadline.

Advance Warning
Minn-StF Meetings: Apr 7: cancelled in favor of Minicon; Apr 21: TBA

Announcements
Uncle Hugo’s & Uncle Edgar’s Anniversary Sale – Friday, March 2nd – Sunday, March 11th.

GPS Team Trivia: sometime in April
Minn-StF Picnic, July 14th.

Birthdays:

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Publishing News:
Two of the Nebula "Best Novella" nominations are by former locals: "The Ice Owl" by Carolyn Ives Gilman and "The Man Who Bridged the Mist" by Kij Johnson

Conventions


Apr 13-15. Constellation, Lincoln, NE. GoH: Elizabeth Bear, W.J. Hodgson, Ron Vick. (Pre-reg Deadline 3/1)
http://constellationne.net/

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

May 4-6. DemiCon, Des Moines, IA. GoH: Patricia Briggs, Allen Williams, Ange & Brian Anderson (Pre-reg Deadline 4/1.
http://www.demicon.org/

May 25-27. ConQuestT, Kansas City, MO. GoH: Steve Miller & Sharon Lee, Gardner Dozois, Ursula Vernon, Tim Miller. (Pre-registration Deadline 2/28)
http://www.conquestkc.org/

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

Ongoing Information
Board of Directors: Kevin Austin, Eric Forste, Dean Gahlon, Scott Raun, and Emily Stewart - 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

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