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Sat, Dec 1, 1:00-2:00PM. Kelly Barnhill and Kelly McCullough autographing at Uncle Hugo’s. 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347, unclehugo@aol.com

Sat, Dec 1, 2PM. Minn-STF Meeting. Biaisdell Polytechnic. Biaisdell Polytechnic, 3721 Biaisdell Ave S, Mpls. Front rooms cat free, but not guaranteed cat dander free, new kittens in the media room, smoking outside only. FFI: Lydia Nickerson, 612-827-6521.

Wed, Dec 5, 6:30-7:30PM. Speculations Reading Series. Lois McMaster Bujold reads. Dreamhaven Books, 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: 612-721-5959, eheideman@dhzone.com

Thurs, Dec 13, 10PM. MN Tolkien Society is convening a Line Party for the opening of The Hobbit at the Southdale theater. FFI: Mikeal W. Smith via TheOneRing.net

Sat, Dec 15, 2PM. Minn-STF Meeting & Scott’s Birthday Party. There will be cake. And maybe pie. Irene & Scott Raun’s, 3928 11th Ave S, Mpls. Dogs, smoking outside. FFI: 612-822-0451, sraun@fireopal.org, realitychallenged@fireopal.org

Sat, Dec 15, 2PM. Minn-STF Board Meeting at the Minn-STF Meeting. FFI: any board member.


Mon, Dec 31, 6PM. Minn-STF New Year’s Eve. Dreampark, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge’s, 4002 Pillsbury Ave S, Mpls. No smoking. FFI: 612-827-3228.,

Advance Warning

Minn-STF Meetings: Minn-STF Meetings: Jan 5: maybe?; Jan 19: TBD

Announcements

LoneStarCon3 is selling Attending Memberships for $170 through 12M on December 2nd.

Uncle Edgar’s & Uncle Hugo’s. Anniversary Sale – Fri, Nov 30 – Sun, Dec 9, 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347, unclehugo@aol.com

Uncle Edgar’s & Uncle Hugo’s. Inventory Reduction Sale – Wed, Dec 26 – Mon, Dec 31 2864 Chicago Ave S, Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347, unclehugo@aol.com

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Beth Friedman, Irene & Scott Raun, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Linda Lounsbury, Dean Gahlon & Laura Krentz, Bill Christ, Carole Vandal, Hershey Lima, & Patricia Zetelumen. Corwin & Dee Brust, Becca & Graham Leathers, Emily Stewart & Aaron Vander Giessen, Lydia Nickerson, David & Pamela Dyer-Bennet, Josh More & Bonnie Somdahl, Clay Harris.

Birthdays:


Publishing News:

Eleanor Arnason, article “Me and Science Fiction” online at 19 Nov. Strange Horizons: http://tinyurl.com/ckrulvx


Former local Kij Johnson: story “Mantis Wives” in the August Clarkesworld; reprint of “26 Monkeys, Also the Abyss” in Circus: Fantasy Under the Big Top (Prime tp, ed. Ekaterina Sedia)


Good Omens by Neil Gaiman and Terry Pratchett was #4 audiobook

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bestseller as listed in the November Locus


William Alexander’s Goblin Secrets won the 2012 National Book Award in the “Young People’s Literature” category

Conventions


Ongoing Information

Board of Directors: Beth Friedman, Dean Gahlon, Hershey Lima, 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/.


Gaming almost every Friday evening. FFI: Richard Tatge at 612-827-3228.

Filk Circle: open to all who like to participate in music with t/sf lyrics. 4th Saturday at 5pm. FFI: Rich
PRINT FANDOM LIVES! Stipple-Apa is a healthy general-interest publication with members in six countries. Local collations are every six weeks. Chat with fellow fans the classic way. FFI: Jeanne Mealy, 651-771-7226

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