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Calendar

♀ Wed, Sept 3, 12N-5:00PM. Dreamhaven Open. 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: http://dreamhavenbooks.com
♀ Sat, Sept 6, 12N-5:00PM. Dreamhaven Open. 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: http://dreamhavenbooks.com
♀ Tues, Sept 9, 7:00-9:30PM. East St Paul (ESP) Speculative Fiction Writers Meetup. Topic: Writing Dialogue that Informs the Reader. Davannis, 310 White Bear Ave, St Paul. FFI: www.meetup.com/MinnSpec/
♀ Wed, Sept 10, 12N-5:00PM. Dreamhaven Open. 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: http://dreamhavenbooks.com
♀ Fri, Sept 12, 7:00PM. GPS Read the Book/See the Movie. Movie based on Murder on the Orient Express by Agatha Christie. FFI: http://geekpartnership.org/read-the-book-see-the-movie/
♀ Tues, Sept 16, 7PM. GPS Haunted House Open Meeting. FFI: geekpartnership.org/haunted-house/
♀ Wed, Sept 17, 12N-5:00PM. Dreamhaven Open. 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: http://dreamhavenbooks.com
♀ Sat, Sept 20, GPS Great Geek Garage Sale. FFI: http://geekpartnership.org
♀ Sat, Sept 20, 12N-5:00PM. Dreamhaven Open. 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: http://dreamhavenbooks.com
♀ Sat, Sept 20, #. Minn-SIF Meeting. Emily Stewart & Aaron Vander Giessen's, 2829 Alabama Ave S, St Louis Park. There will be a grill & home brewed beer. Cats, smoking outdoors, no pets or guns. FFI: mle292@yahoo.com
♀ Sun, Sept 21, 12N-1:45PM. MinnSpec Meeting. KoffeeKlatch w/ Scott Lynch. Followed by a writing workshop. Lund's Community Room, 1450 W Lake St, Mpls. FFI: www.meetup.com/MinnSpec/
♀ Wed, Sept 24, 12N-5:00PM. Dreamhaven Open. 2301 E 38th St, Mpls. FFI: http://dreamhavenbooks.com
♀ Thurs, Sept 25, 11:59PM. Einblatt! Deadline

Advance Warning
Minn-SIF Meeting: Oct 4, Irene & Scott Raun's; Oct 18, cancelled in favor of METHODCon unless someone really wants to host it.

Announcements
Ellen Kuhfeld reports I'm not dead yet. Actually, I'm doing quite well. It was a strenuous surgery. First time I've ever been stapled back together - I hope the collating party assembled everything in the right order. I spent about a month in hospital and rehab, but I've been home for some time now. I feel quite back to normal, though I do still have to recover some energy.

MN Book Awards is accepting applications for judges through 12 Sept. See http://thefriends.org/events/mnba/

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ominations-applications/judge-application/ for more info.

The GPS Great Geek Garage Sale will be Sept 20. Watch http://geekpartnership.org for donation drop-off times.

Our new president is Peer Dudda. He set up an e-mail address specifically for his duties - MNstf_Prez@comcast.net.

The Minn-SIF Board has been informed that Joel and Matt have no interest in running Minicon 51. As such, we are soliciting bids to run Minicon 51. Bids should include enough budget to allow for rates to be set so as to allow for memberships to be purchased at Minicon 50, a timeline of events for the year, and qualifications of the Chair / Co-Chairs and any other currently known committee members.

# - Minn-SIF Meetings start at 2pm, but there are rarely a lot of people showing up before 4pm. The business meeting will typically be between 5-6pm.

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Liz Fish, Irene & Scott Raun, Bill Christ, Kelly James, Polly Peterson, Rachel Kronick & Eric Forste, Erin McKee & David Wilford, Blaisdell Polytechnic, Mark Richards & Peer Dudda, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Josh More, Shaun Kelly, Clay Harris, Ann Totusek, Jonathan Adams & Carol Kennedy, Corwin & Dee Brust, Linda Lounsbury, Dean Gahlon & Laura Krentz, Beth Friedman, Emily Stewart & Aaron Vander Giessen.

Birthdays:
Jeanne Mealy; 29: Eileen Lufkin; 30: Jon Singer

**Publishing News**

Ruth Berman, poem "Science fiction (with apologies to Marianne Moore's 'Poetry')", Dreams and Nightmares, May 2014.

Eleanor Arnason's "Knapsack Poem," was reprinted in the hardcopy version of Lightspeed #49 (the "Women Destroy Science Fiction" issue)

Emma Bull's "De La Tierra" was reprinted in Lightspeed #50

Terry Garey's poems "Elephants in the Alley" and "Cave Discovery" appeared in the July 2014 issue of The Cascadia Subduction Zone, along with a long article by Mark Rich: "Imaginary Junctions: On Terry A. Garey and Speculative Poetry"

Lois McMaster Bujold's Falling Free was this year's Prometheus Award (Libertarian Futurist Society) "Hall of Fame" winner

Clif ford Simak's "Rule 18" was the Winner of the 1939 Retro Hugo for Best Novelette

Neil Gaiman's The Ocean at the End of the Lane was #3 trade pb on the Barnes and Noble/B. Dalton bestsellers list, as reported in the August Locus.

**Conventions**


**Ongoing Information**

Board of Directors: Beth Friedman, Dean Gahlon, Lydia Nickerson, Scott Raun & Matt Strait - board@mnsf.org.

Mn-STF meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Saturday every month, for Board meetings check the minutes that are posted at mnsf.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.

Filk Circle: open to all who like to participate in music with f/sf lyrics. 4th Sunday at 5pm. FFI: Rich Brown, 651-646-2159, rab@freemars.org

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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Next Einblatt! Deadline: 11:59PM September 25th, 2014