

FRIDAY

3:00 pm

Future of the Space Program

Jordin Kare, Pat Scaramuzza, Rick Wren, Bill Higgins
Moon base? Mars missions? Death of the Hubbell? (*Avenue 5*)

Language of Fantasy

Jo Walton[m], Sarah Monette, Pamela Dean, Jan Bogstad
Does fantasy require a special kind of style? (*Avenue 4*)

Reading: Sandra Lindow (*Avenue 3*)

4:00 pm

Selling Your Collection

Carol Kennedy[m], Joyce Scrivner, Greg Ketter, Sharon Kahn
Tips on how to get the best prices for your whatnot. (*Avenue 4*)

Comics in Movies: the Year of the Jackpot

Eric M. Heideman, Richard Tatge, David Goldfarb, Jeremy Stomberg
An idea whose time has come or curse of our time? (*Avenue 5*)

Reading: Pamela Dean (*Avenue 3*)

5:00 pm

Computers and Magick

Martin Summerton, Lyda Morehouse, Ken Martinez, Marissa Gritter
Do computers intersect the magical or spiritual? (*Avenue 4*)

Good TV Shows You May Have Overlooked

Laurel Krahn[m], Joan Verba, Kevin Austin
Not obviously sci-fi, but still the things fans like. (*Avenue 5*)

Reading: Sara Monette (*Avenue 3*)

6:00 pm

Finnish Family Gathering

Peter Hentges[m], Jim Young
Stories and songs, food and drink. (*Singularity*)

Wisdom of the Market—Myth or Menace?

Bruce Schneier[m], Mike Benveniste, David Wilford, Harry LeBlanc
Can a futures market in terrorist acts predict them? (*Avenue 4*)

Reading: Walter Jon Williams (*Avenue 3*)

7:00 pm

Dystopias in YA Fiction

Mike Levy[m], Lisa Freitag, Laura Krentz, David Lenander.
Is this a growing trend, and if so, why? (*Avenue 4*)

8:00 pm

Opening Ceremonies

Dave Romm[m], Deb Geisler, Walter Jon Williams, Sharyn November
Let's get things started! (*Loring Ballroom*)

9:00 pm

Ask Dr. Mike

John M. Ford
Explaining the inexplicable. (*Loring Ballroom*)

Music: Adam Stemple (*Satellite*)

10:00 pm

Geek Gourmet

Mary Kay Kare[m], Deb Geisler, Walter Jon Williams, Sharyn November
Our GoHs get together and talk about food. (*Loring Ballroom*)

Massage Workshop

Becca Allen, Dave Romm
Bring clean feet and a partner. (*Middle Earth*)

SATURDAY

10:00 am

Sweet Rolls for Confidence: a different sort of kaffeeklatch

Deb Geisler
Our Fan GoH makes her world-renowned sweet rolls. (*Singularity*)

SF on DVD

Joan Marie Verba, Mike Lee, Mike Schneider
How to make the most of your video rental. (*Avenue 4*)

Reading: Naomi Kritzer (*Avenue 3*)

11:00 am

Year in Science Fiction

Mike Levy[m], Russ Letson, Greg Johnson
Panelists fill you in on the latest and greatest. (*Avenue 5*)

The Family Business

Adam Stemple, Heidi Stemple (*Avenue 4*)

Reading: S.N. Arly (*Avenue 3*)

12:00 pm

Collage Art Therapy

Karen Cooper[m]
Explore your subconscious through collage. (*Middle Earth*)

Why You Don't Want to Own a Bookstore

Greg Ketter, Alice Bentley, Ken Fletcher
Answers from those who know better. (*Avenue 5*)

Children of the Atom

Sharon Kahn, Nate Bucklin, David Schroth, Jim Young, Beth Friedman
Explore the idea of brilliant children in a hostile society. (*Avenue 4*)

1:00 pm

Call of Cthulhu Role-Playing for Teens

John Wrathall, Goran Gustav (*Park Avenue*)

Autism, Asperger's and Fandom

Laura Jean Fish[m], Lisa Freitag, Barb Jensen, Mike Schneider
The sleeper hit of last year—on purpose this time. (*Avenue 4*)

Living in Space

Jordin Kare[m], Bill Higgins, Lois Bujold, Walter Jon Williams
How living in space might shape humanity. (*Avenue 5*)

Geek Tour—local bookstores

Jeremy Stomberg
Guided tour of local SF and used bookstores. (*Registration*)

Reading: Laurel Winter (*Avenue 3*)

2:00 pm

Poetry of Tolkien

Mary Kay Kare[m] Ruth Berman, Peg Kerr, David Lenander,
Pamela Dean, Sarah Monette

A giant of the fantasy world and a darn good poet. (*Avenue 4*)

Just Us Kids—editors roundtable

Sharyn November[m], Sasha Walton, Rachel Adams, Laura Krentz,
William Ketter, Mikaela Gibbons

Editor GoH chairs a chat focusing on YA literature. (*Avenue 5*)

Finnish Eye for the Mundane Guy

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Cooper, Becca Allen

Change your look, change your life! (*Loring Ballroom*)

Reading: Lyda Morehouse (*Avenue 3*)

MORE SATURDAY

3:00 pm

Artist Jam

Bonnie Somdahl [m], Erin McKee, Ken Fletcher, Nate Bucklin,
Chas Somdahl

Artists and musicians creating together. (*Middle Earth*)

How (not) to Form a Writers Group

Katya Reiman, Peg Kerr, S.N. Arly, Steven Brust
How do you assemble the "right" writers group? (*Avenue 5*)

Reading: Lois Bujold (*Avenue 3*)

Discussion: Wheel of Time (*Singularity*)

4:00 pm

End of Angel

Laurel Krahn, Christine Bounty, David Goldfarb, Richard Tatge
Fans mourn the end and predict the last episodes. (*Avenue 5*)

Class in Science Fiction

Barb Jensen[m], Eleanor Arnason, Harry LeBlanc, Steven Brust,
Emily Stewart

How is the working class portrayed in SF? (*Avenue 4*)

Taking Things Apart

Marian Turner (*Consuite Dome*)

Reading: John M. Ford (*Avenue 3*)

Music: Nate and Louie Bucklin (*Satellite*)

5:00 pm

How to Talk to Pros Without Coming Off As a Clueless Fanboy or a Stalker

Karen Cooper[m], Peg Kerr, Steven Brust, Sharyn November
What every pro wishes that every fan knew. (*Avenue 5*)

Rolling across Mars: NASA's New Rovers

Bill Higgins
What have "robot field geologists" learned? (*Avenue 4*)

Jewelry Jam

Elise Matthesen[m], Mary Cooper, Laramie Sasseville, Deb Geisler
Talented jewelry makers demonstrate techniques. (*Middle Earth*)

Reading: Jim Young (*Avenue 3*)

Music: Three Pints Gone (*Satellite*)

6:00 pm

Taking Your Writing to the Next Level

Naomi Kritzer[m], Kelly McCullough, Peg Kerr, David Levine,
Lyda Morehouse

Writers discuss writing, especially moments of insight. (*Avenue 5*)

Introductory Digital Darkroom

Ctein, David Dyer-Bennet
Techniques for improving your digital pictures. (*Avenue 4*)

Six O'Clock. In the Bar.

Deb Geisler
Weary concom let off steam and swap stories. (*Hotel Bar*)

Reading: Katya Reimann (*Avenue 3*)

STILL MORE SATURDAY

7:00 pm

Depression and Art

Barb Jensen[m], Adam Stemple, Nate Bucklin, Floyd Henderson,
Erin McKee

Can you still create if you get cured? (*Avenue 4*)

Earth—God's First Novel?

Lisa Freitag, Naomi Kritzer, Lyda Morehouse, David Levine,
Steven Brust

Is reality ... poorly written? (*Avenue 5*)

Lady Poetesses from Hell

Terry Garey, Laurel Winter, John Rezmerski, Rebecca
Marjesdatter, Cathy Taccinelli, Ruth Berman, Jane Hansen
One poetry reading you don't want to miss! (*Loring Ballroom*)

8:00 pm

Writing for a Young Audience

Sharyn November[m], Laurel Winter, Pamela Dean, Pat Wrede
How is it different from writing for adults? (*Avenue 5*)

Music: Howard Harrison (*Satellite*)

9:00 pm

Getting Started as a Writer—getting published

Eric M. Heideman[m], Melinda Kimberly, Anna Waltz, Kathryn
Sullivan, S.N. Arly, Harry LeBlanc

What to write, how to sell it, and other tips. (*Avenue 5*)

Martial Arts and SF

Dave Romm (m), Walter Jon Williams
How passion for *kenpo* has affected GoH's work. (*Middle Earth*)

Reading: Adam Stemple, Trevor Hartman (*Avenue 3*)

Music: Riverfolk (*Satellite*)

10:00 pm

Friends Don't Let Friends Run Worldcons

Geri Sullivan, Elaine Brennan, Mark Olson, Cindy Scott, Deb Geisler
Frightening, funny tales about the perils of SMOFing. (*Avenue 5*)

Art Auction (*Middle Earth*)

11:00 pm

Knights of the Dinner Table readings

Richard Tatge[m], David Goldfarb, David Levine, Steven Brust
Group readings from Jolly Blackburn's hilarious comic. (*Avenue 5*)

