

Einblatt!

Calendar

- ☛ Sat, Jul 2. Minn-StF Meeting. Moved back to June 25th. Enjoy Convergence or whatever you're doing for the 4th of July weekend!
- ☛ Sat, Jul 2, 2-3PM, Elizabeth Bear signs at Uncle Hugo's Science Fiction Bookstore, 2864 Chicago Ave. S., Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347.
- ☛ Tues, Jul 5, 7PM. North Country Gaylaxians book discussion. Betsy's Back Porch, 5447 Nicollet Ave S, Mpls. FFI: Andrew Bertke, 612-387-8265, drewan@drewan.net
- ☛ Sat, Jul 9, 1-2PM. South Minneapolis Clutterers Anonymous meeting. Pillsbury House, 3501 Chicago Avenue S., Mpls. FFI: Dan G, 612-821-3934, dsgood@iphouse.com
- ☛ Sat, Jul 9, 1-3PM, MaryJanice Davidson signs at Uncle Hugo's Science Fiction Bookstore, 2864 Chicago Ave. S., Mpls. FFI: 612-824-6347.
- ☛ Sat, Jul 16, 2PM. Minn-StF Picnic. Minnehaha Falls Wabun Area C. Parking is \$0.50/hour.
- ☛ Sun, Jul 17, 2-5PM. Ladies Sewing Circle. Irene Raun's, 3928 11th Ave S, Mpls. Dogs, smoking outside. FFI: 612-822-0451, realitychallenged@fireopal.org
- ☛ Sun, Jul 17, 3-7PM. Riverfolk party to celebrate release of their first CD, *Meander*. Molly Quinn's Pub, Lake St & 33rd Ave, Mpls. Riverfolk will be performing along with some special guests including Nate Buckin. No cover, no smoking.
- ☛ Sat, Jul 23, 1-2 PM. South Minneapolis Clutterers Anonymous meeting. Pillsbury House, 3501 Chicago Avenue S., Mpls. FFI: Dan G, 612-821-3934, dsgood@iphouse.com
- ☛ Sat, Jul 23, 1:30PM. Rivendell Meeting. Advance reading of Sharin' Schroeder and David Emerson's papers to be presented at "Tolkein 2005". FFI: David Lenander, dlena@umn.edu, 651-292-8887
- ☛ Sun, Jul 24, 1PM. Minicon 41 Open Meeting. Minicon is run by volunteers and we need your help. Please bring your talent and enthusiasm to the meeting. Location TBA. FFI: Greg,

612-823-6161 (days) or 763-757-7562 (evenings)

- ☛ Tues, Jul 26, 6:30-8:00PM. Speculations Reading Series: Terry Faust. Dreamhaven Books, 912 W Lake St, Mpls. FFI: Eric Heideman, 612-721-5959, heideman@qwest.net
- ☛ Tues, Jul 26, 8PM. Twin Cities Speculative Fiction Writers July Meetup combines with the aftermeeting after the SASE reading at Dreamhaven. Dulono's Pizza, 607 W Lake St, Mpls. FFI: <http://scifiwriting.meetup.com/2/>
- ☛ Thurs, Jul 28, 11:59PM. Einblatt! Deadline!

Advance Warning

Minn-StF Meetings, Aug 6 & 20

Birthdays:

1: Corwin Brust; 2: Neeters Hollister; 3: Jonathan Adams, Dave Crawford; 4: Don Bailey, Kris Spiesz; 5: Laurel Krahn; 7: Krissy; 8: Doug Friauf, Tesla Aldrich; 10: Judy Rosenberg; 14: Lalee Kerr; 15: Kay Roberts; 16: Chuck Holst; 17: Floyd Henderson, Christina Scholl; 18: Eleanor Fregni; 21: Irene Raun, Geri Sullivan; 24: Amber Tatge; 25: Mike Bakula, Ann Totusek; 27: Polly Peterson; 28: John Johnson.

Announcements:

Polly Peterson has an Interaction membership for sale. FFI: pjpete1981@yahoo.com

Peder D. Wagtskjold, age 41, of New Hope, MN, bookseller extraordinaire and avid book collector, died on Monday, June 6, from complications of a short illness. He worked at DreamHaven Books in Minneapolis for nearly 12 years, and more recently ran his own bookselling venture, PDW Books, specializing in ghost stories, weird fiction and Arkham House titles.

CoA: Betsy Lundsten, 987 Edmund Ave, St. Paul, MN 55104

Publishing News

Arnason, Eleanor, *Ordinary People* (Aqueduct tp, 2005)--a collection

Sethra Lavode by Steven Brust is #2 paperback on June LOCUS Bestsellers list.

July 2005

New David Prill story, "Rocket Fall," posted at http://www.scifi.com/scifiction/originals/originals_archive/prill2/

Lois McMaster Bujold's *Borders Of Infinity*, August hc reprint from NESFA Press

MaryJanice Davidson: from Berkley Sensation, new hc novel *Undead and Unreturnable* (November) and pb reprint novel *Undead and Unappreciated* (December); from Kensington Brava, tp collection *Really Unusual Bad Boys* (October)

More Neil Gaiman reprints: hcs of *Mirror Mask* (with Dave McKean, HarperCollins, October) and *Good Omens* (with Terry Pratchett, HarperCollins/Morrow, November) and tps of *The Wolves In The Walls* (with McKean, HarperTrophy, August) and *The Day I Swapped My Dad For Two Goldfish* (with McKean, Bloomsbury in the UK, October)

Pete Hautman, *Hole In The Sky*, November pb reprint from Simon Pulse

Clifford Simak, hc collection *Physician To The Universe*, was on May schedule for Darkside Press (the first of a multivolume complete Simak short stories set)

Tor Starblaze July hc, *Pay the Piper*, by Jane Yolen and Adam Stemple

Harcourt/Magic Carpet doing October tp reprints of *River Rats* by Caroline Stevermer and *Book of Enchantments* by Patricia C. Wrede; Tor doing March 2006 pb reprint of Stevermer's *A Scholar of Magics*

Llewellyn (local publisher) novels: pb *The Seer: Last Dance* by Linda Joy Singleton (June) and tps *Diadem: Worlds Of Magic: Book Of War* by John Peel (May); *Stuck Down* by Eileen Rosenbloom (June); *The Quickening* by Ly de Angeles (August) and *Red Is For Remembrance* by Laurie Faria Stolarz (August), and tp collection *Bonechillers: 13 Twisted Tales Of Terror* by D.W. Cooper (August)

Hanging Out With The Dream King: Interviews With Neil Gaiman And His Collaborators by Joel McCabe is on the International Horror Guild Awards ballot for Nonfiction

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

Conventions

July 1-3, Convergence. Sheraton
Bloomington Hotel, Bloomington.
www.CONvergence-con.org

Aug. 19-21, Diversicon 13. Holiday Inn
Select, Airport--Mall of America,
Bloomington, MN. GoH: Sheree R.
Thomas, Special Guest: Minister Faust.
\$30 till July 14th, \$40 ATD, Student (5-
17) \$20. Eric-612-721-5959,
www.diversicon.org, info@diversicon.org

Oct. 7-9, Arcana 35. Holiday Inn Express,
Bandana Square, St. Paul, MN, GoH:
Stephen Jones. \$25 through Labor Day,
\$35 ATD. Eric-612-721-5959,
<http://pages.prodigy.net/reka/>,
ehaideman@dhzone.com

Oct. 14-16, Consume/Relaxacon 2005.
Holiday Inn Select, Airport-Mall of
America, Bloomington, MN. PGoHs:
Frank Kelly Freas & Andre Norton. \$35
till Oct. 7th, \$45 ATD, Teens (11-16) \$15.
<http://relaxacon.tripod.com>,
consume@visi.com, Rick-651-483-6290.

Apr 14-16, 2005. Minicon 41, Sheraton
Bloomington Hotel, Bloomington, MN.
GoH: Harlan Ellison.
<http://www.mnstf.org/minicon/>

Ongoing Information

Board of Directors: Kevin Austin Lisa
Freitag, Dean Gahlon, Carol Kennedy,
and Scott Raun. Email board@mnstf.org.
Mn-STF meetings are held the 1st and 3rd
Saturday every month, Board meetings
are typically the 1st Thursday of the
month.

Minn-STF web site at: www.mnstf.org/.
Minicon web site at:
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: 651-646-2309,
ksasseville@earthlink.net

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thoughts in print in Stipple-Apa, small-
and-cozy general-interest publication.
FFI: Jeanne Mealy 651-771-7226

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