#### **Einblatt!**

#### Calendar

- Sat, Sept 3, 3PM. Minn-StF Fall Pool Party. Doubletree by Hilton Hotel Bloomington (AKA Sheraton Bloomington, Radisson South, or Radish). Hosted by Kevin Austin & Laurel Krahn. FFI: kaustin@sffan.net, laurel@tvpicks.net
- Sat, Sept 3, 8PM-12M. The Wayniacs (David Emerson, Wayne Bailey, Alan Lifson, with Jeff Schalles) perform. \$5 cover. Minneapolis Eagles Club 34, 2507 E 25th St, Mpls.
- Sun, Sept 11, 2-5PM. Ladies Sewing Circle. Margo Bratton's. 4736 Pleasant Ave S, Mpls. Cats. FFI: 612-825-6549
- Sun, Sept 11, 4-6PM. Minicon 47 ConCom Meeting. Joel Phillips', 6323 Excelsior Blvd., St Louis Park. FFI: optymystyc1@gmail.com
- Sat, Sept 17, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting. Linda Lounsbury's. 4125 Dupont Ave S, Mpls. Cat, no smoking. FFI: 612-824-6336
- Thurs, Sept 22, 11:59PM. Einblatt! Deadline

#### Advance Warning

Minn-StF Meeting – Oct 1, Irene & Scott Raun's; Oct 29, Minn-StF Halloween, Dreampark.

Conjecture, Minn-StF Fallcon, Oct 14-16. Register Early & Often!

## **Announcements**

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Dean Gahlon & Laura Krentz, Irene & Scott Raun, Bill Christ, Beth Friedman, Erin McKee & David Wilford, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Lydia Nickerson, David & Pamela Dyer-Bennet, Linda Lounsbury, Lisa Sanders, Carol Vandal, Doug Wickstrom, Marian Turner, Kat & Ralph

Krantz, Hershey Lima & Rachel Kronick.

## Birthdays:

4: Kevin Austin; 5: Sharon Kahn; 8: Louie Bucklin; 12: Jean Mornard; 17: Kathy Routliffe; 19: Laramie Sasseville; 20: David Schroth; 21: David Dyer-Bennet; 23: Matthew B. Tepper; 25: T.J. Neumiller; 26: Denny Lien, Mark Richards; 27: Jeanne Mealy; 29: Eileen Lufkin; 30: Jon Singer

## **Publishing News:**

Eleanor Arnason, "Mammoths of the Great Plains," reprinted in Year's Best Science Fiction: 28<sup>th</sup> Annual (ed GDozois)

Honorable Mentions in the Dozois *Year's Best 28<sup>th</sup>* by locals and exlocals include Arnason's "Tomb of the Fathers;" Neil Gaiman's "The Thing About Cassandra" and "The Truth is a Cave in the Black Mountains;" and Kij Johnson's "Ponies" and "Names for Water"

Alan DeNiro, "Walking Stick Fires," short story in June 2011 Asimov's

Neil Gaiman, American Gods and Anansi Boys released as two-novel hc omnibus by Barnes & Noble (2011); also a solo version of American Gods was #9 hc bestseller for Barnes and Noble/B. Dalton per list in August 2011 Locus

Naomi Kritzer, "Isabella's Garden," Realms Of Fantasy for August 2011

Michael Levy reviews books by both Lyda Morehouse and "Tate Hallaway" (e.g. Morehouse) in the July 2011 New York Review of Science Fiction

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

# September 2011

#### **Conventions**

Oct 14-16. Conjecture 2. Bloomington, MN. Pre-reg: \$40. http://www.mnstf.org/conjecture/

Oct 28-30. ICON, Cedar Rapids, IA. <a href="http://www.iowa-icon.com/">http://www.iowa-icon.com/</a>

Oct 27-30. World Fantasy Convention, San Diego, CA. GoH: Neil Gaiman, Graeme Base, Parke Godwin, Shawna McCarthy. http://www.wfc2011.org/

Nov 11-13. WindyCon, Lombard, IL. GoH: Catherine Asaro, Mike Brotherton, Joe Bergeron, Frank Hayes, Hugh Daniel. <a href="http://www.windycon.org/windy38/">http://www.windycon.org/windy38/</a>

Nov 11-13. OmegaCon, Siren, WI. <a href="http://www.omegacon.org/">http://www.omegacon.org/</a>

Jun 22-24, 2012. 4<sup>th</sup> Street Fantasy Convention. St. Louis Park, MN FFI:

www.4thstreetfantasy.com/2012/

Aug 30 – Sept 3, 2012. Chicon7. Chicago, IL. FFI: <a href="https://www.chicon.org/">www.chicon.org/</a>

Aug 29-Sept 2, 2013. LoneStarCon3. San Antonio, TX. FFI: http://www.lonestarcon3.org/

#### Ongoing Information

Board of Directors: Kevin Austin, Eric Forste, Dean Gahlon, Scott Raun, and Emily Stewart - <a href="mailto:board@mnstf.org">board@mnstf.org</a>. Mn-STF meetings are held the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday every month, for Board meetings check the minutes that are posted at <a href="mailto:mnstf.org/records/board-minutes/">mnstf.org/records/board-minutes/</a>.

Minn-STF web site: <a href="www.mnstf.org/">www.mnstf.org/</a>. Minicon web site: <a href="www.mnstf.org/minicon/">www.mnstf.org/minicon/</a>.

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

**PRINT FANDOM LIVES!** Stipple-Apa is a healthy general-interest

publication with members in five countries. Local collations are every six weeks. Chat with fellow fans the classic way. FFI: Jeanne Mealy, 651-771-7226

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