

Einblatt!

Calendar

- ☛ Sat, Nov 9, 4PM. Minn-StF Meeting. Emily Stewart & Aaron vander Giessen's. 2829 Alabama Ave S, St Louis Park. Bringing food or beverage to share encouraged. Cats, no guns, smoking outside. Please do not bring other animals. Nearest Bus: 17C/D @ Blackstone & Minnetonka Blvd. FFI: 612-747-5990, mle292@gmail.com
- ☛ Thurs, Nov 14. Minn-StF is an available charity for Give To The Max Day. FFI: <https://www.givemn.org/giving-events/gtmd19/home>
- 🌐 Tues, Nov 12, 7-9PM. North Country Gaylaxians discusses *Love – Beyond Body, Space & Time*, ed. By Hope Nicholson. Quatrefoil Library 1220 E Lake St. FFI: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/NorthCountryGaylaxians/>
- 🌐 Thurs, Nov 14, 6PM-12M. WizardFest. Fine Line 318 1st Ave N, Mpls. FFI: <https://www.facebook.com/events/438113603629612/>
- ☛ Sat, Nov 16, 1:30PM. Rivendell discusses Tolkien's 2019 bio film. Rondo Community Outreach Library, 461 Dale St N, St Paul. FFI: dlena@umn.edu, <https://rivendellergroup.com/>
- 🌐 Thurs, Nov 21, 7:00PM. Sci-Fi Night with Sue Burke, Naomi Kritzer, and Marissa Lingen. Magers & Quinn, 3038 Hennepin, Mpls. FFI: <https://www.magersandquinn.com/event>
- 🌐 Sat, Nov 23, 1:30PM. Rivendell discusses the recent Tolkien bio-pic. Rondo Community Outreach Library, 461 Dale St N, St Paul. FFI: dlena@umn.edu

- ☛ Sat, Nov 23, 3PM. Minicon Meeting. GPS Event Horizon, Waterbury Building, 1121 NE Jackson St, Mpls.
- ☛ Sat, Nov 23, 4PM. Minn-StF Meeting. GPS Event Horizon, Waterbury Building, 1121 NE Jackson St, Mpls.
- ☛ Thurs, Nov 28, 11:59PM. Einblatt! Deadline

Advance Warning

Minn-StF: Dec 7: Brian Lundgren & Susan Philbrook; Dec 21, Irene & Scott Raun; Dec 31: New Year's Eve, Jonathan Adams & Carol Kennedy.

Announcements

Terry A. Garey is having medical issues. FFI: <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/terrygarey>

GPS 2020 Space Camp Scholarship Applications open Oct 20 - <https://geekpartnership.org/programs/spacecamp/>

Minn-StF Logo clothing and bags are available at <https://business.landsend.com/store/mnstf/>

Minn-StF is an available charity for Amazon Smile. Search for "The Minnesota Science Fiction Society, Inc."

The Minn-StF President is Sharon Kahn. She can be reached at president@mnstf.org.

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Irene & Scott Raun, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Liz Fish & Richard Beaver, David Dyer-Bennet, Brian Lundgren & Susan Philbrook, Laramie Sasseville, Bill Christ, Clay & Hershey Harris, Erin McKee & David Wilford, Aaron Vander Giessen & Emily Stewart, Linda Lounsbury, Ann Totusek & Lisa Sanders, Joel Phillips & Christine, Robin Severson, Mark

November 2019

Richards, Blaisdell Polytechnic, Jonathan Adams & Carol Kennedy.

Birthdays:

1: Jane Freitag; 2: Don Fitch; 4: Kara Dalkey; 6: Jack Targonski; 11: Marty Helgesen; 23: Steven Brust

Publishing News

Naomi Kritzer, "Prophet of the Roads," reprinted in *Forever Magazine* #57 (October 2019)

Marissa Lingen, "Purposeful" in *Daily Science Fiction* for October 9, 2019; "Filaments of Hope" in the November/December *Analog*; and "Beware the Lifeboat" (an article) in *Uncanny Magazine* #29 (July/August)

Good Omens by Terry Pratchett & (former sort-of local) Neil Gaiman was #1 pb and tp on the *Locus* bestseller lists in both the October and November issues, and #1 pb and #2 tp on the Barnes & Noble list in the November issue (Denny replaced his October notes but will catch them up next month). Audiobook of Gaiman's *Neverwhere* was also #3 Fantasy on the audible.com list in the November issue.

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

Conventions

Jan 17-19, 2020. CONsole Room 2020. Hilton Minneapolis St. Paul Airport. FFI: <http://console-room.com/>

Jan 31 – Feb 2, 2020. SuperCon 2020. Hastings Country Inn, Hastings, MN. FFI: <http://supercon.info/>

Feb 14-16, 2020. Con of the North. Crowne Plaza Minneapolis West, Plymouth, MN. FFI: <http://conofthenorth.org/>

Feb 28-Mar 1, 2020. MarsCon 2020. Hilton Minneapolis/St. Paul Airport Mall of America. FFI: <http://marscon.org/2020/>

Apr 10-12, 2020. Minicon 55. DoubleTree Park Place, St Louis Park. GoHs: Jo Walton, Elise Matthesen. Adults \$45, student \$20, kid \$10, supporting \$15. FFI: <http://mnstf.org/minicon55/>

Jul 29 – 2 Aug, 2020. CoNZealand. 78th WorldCon. FFI: <https://conzealand.nz/>

Ongoing Information

Board of Directors: Eric Forste, Clay Harris, Scott Raun, Matt Strait & Aaron Vander Giessen - board@mnstf.org. Mn-STF meetings are generally held the 1st and 3rd Saturday every month, for Board meetings check the minutes that are posted at mnstf.org/records/.

Minn-STF web site: www.mnstf.org/. Minicon web site: www.mnstf.org/minicon/.

RUNE is Minn-stf's clubzine. It has a sporadic schedule (but *has* had issues this decade!). See <http://mnstf.org/Rune> or rune@mnstf.org

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. Usually 4th Sunday at 5pm. FFI: Rich Brown, 612-999-9033, rab@freemars.org

PRINT FANDOM LIVES! Stipple-Apa is a healthy general-interest publication with members in three countries. Local collations are every six weeks. Chat with fellow fans the classic way. FFI: Jeanne Mealy, 651-771-7226

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