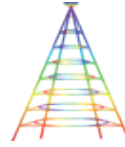


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Program Updates

The Autograph signing with Bogi Takács and Rose Lemberg is now at 5:00 PM in the Autographing area. Christine Doyle has been added to *Wikipedia: What's Notable and What's a Valid Citation?* in 212D at 3:00 PM.

An additional autograph session with Spider Robinson has been scheduled for 12:00 PM on Monday in the Autographing area.

Gaming Sunday

- 10:00 AM IOG*: Learn to Play Magic: the Gathering, Free Play: Cosmic Encounters
- 11:00 AM Splendor
- 12:00 PM IOG: Learn to Play Planet Defenders
Neverwhen (Pathfinder RPG)
- 1:30 PM Werewolf
- 2:00 PM IOG: Learn to Play Mystic Vale
- 3:00 PM Chrononauts, RPG Game
- 4:00 PM IOG: Learn to Play Codenames
Betrayal at the House on Haunted Hill

*Isle of Gamers

Children's Programming

- 10:00 AM Sonic Screwdrivers
- 11:00 AM (Art Show) Kid's Choice Awards
- 1:00 PM Jet Packs
- 2:00 PM Daleks
- 4:00 PM (Dealers Room) Tour
- 5:00 PM Minion Goggles

Kaffeeklatsch Sign Ups

Remember: Kaffeeklatsches are a limited seating event! Make sure to go to the Hub at least half a day in advance to get a ticket to the one you want. Subject to availability.

Submission Deadline (Issue 8):

3:00 PM

Site Selection Results

Results of the voting for the 2020 Worldcon as provided by the Site Selection Administrator, Warren Buff:

Candidate	Votes
New Zealand	643
Xmas in Boston 2020	22
Peggy Rae's House	3
Xerps	3
Minneapolis in '73	2
Olive Country	2
Aotearoa in 2020	1
Bimin Zana, Wakanda	1
El Fabulosa Bungalow	1
Glug's Chalet	1
Grantville, WV	1
John Sapienza's Yard	1
Marsopolis	1
Minneapolis in '74	1
Slab City	1
Tonopah, NV	1
None of the Above	8
Total With Preference	693
Needed to Elect (Majority)	347
No Preference	33
Total Votes Cast	726

New Zealand wins on the first ballot. Results are unofficial until received by the WSFS Business Meeting on Sunday morning at 10 AM in Room 230. The winning Worldcon will begin selling memberships from the Worldcon Site Selection area sometime on Sunday afternoon.

Art Show Awards

- Best in Show, Vandy Hall, "Octohat"
- Judges Choice, Ctein, "Arecibo"
- Judges Choice, Cody Vrosh, "Harbinger of the Listless Drift"
- Judges Choice, Julie Dillon, "Daydreamer"
- Judges Choice, Krista & Daniel Dodson, "Frequency"

Site Selection (NASFiC)

Results of the voting for the 2019 NASFiC as provided by the Site Selection Administrator.

Candidate	Votes
Utah	171
Bristol	1
Minneapolis in '73	1
Olive Country	1
Xmas in Boston 2020	1
None of the Above	7
Total With Preference	182
Needed to Elect (Majority)	92
No Preference	10
Total Votes Cast	192

Utah wins on the first ballot. Results are unofficial until received by the WSFS Business Meeting on Sunday morning at 10:00 AM in Room 230. The winning NASFiC will begin selling memberships from the NASFiC Site Selection area sometime on Sunday afternoon.

Filk Sunday

All Sunday filk events take place in the Willow Glen room in the Marriott.

- 11:00 AM Instrument Petting Zoo
- Noon Panel: "Something in the Way It Moves: The Spiritual and Emotional Effects of Song."
- 1:00 PM Concert: Blind Lemming Chiffon
- 2:00 PM Concert: Nick Smith
- 4:00 PM Concert: Lynn Gold
- 5:00 PM Concert: Lisa Padol and Joshua Kronengold
- 3:00 PM Concert: Gary Ehrlich
- 3:30 PM Concert: Quentin Long
- 4:00 PM Concert: Resounding (Callie Hills and Kris Wildman)
- 4:30 PM Jam Session
- 5:00 PM Dinner Break
- 7:00 PM TBA
- 8:00 PM Open Filking

Pink Drink Commandos

Close to twenty fans, both attendees and staff, attended the latest Pink Drink Commandos meetup yesterday, which began on the Market Terrace and soon adjourned to Callahan's Place for the acquisition of blushing beverages. Participant attire ran the gamut of camouflage patterns from digital to Mossy Oak; auxiliary shades of burgundy and purple were also represented. Debbie

Bretschneider lectured the assembled on the history of the Commandos and how they came to be represented in West Coast Fandom. A number of gifts were shared, including candy, tiaras, and—of course—ribbons.



In Memoriam: Karen Kruse Anderson

Courtesy of Astrid Anderson Bear, the second hour of the program slot for the memorial for her mother, Karen Kruse Anderson, will be opened up for a bardic circle in honor of Karen and Poul. We welcome presentation of their poetry, musical settings of their verse, and pieces that evoke their work. —Facilitated by Diana L. Paxson

SFWA Autographs Sunday

Autographs are in the Exhibit Hall near the main autograph tables.

10:00 AM	Robert Rogow
11:00 AM	Jam Session
Noon	Taiyo Fujii
1:00 PM	T. Eric Bakutis
2:00 PM	Brenda Clough, Mike Shepherd Moscoe
3:00 PM	William Ledbetter

Lost Glasses

Lost on Friday night in one of the parties at the Fairmont. Black, prescription glasses. Please hand in to Fairmont reception if found.

The Tower team:

Chris Castro, Doug Berry, J.C. Arkham, Kate Jonez, Kirsten M. Berry, Lyle Wiedeman, Sue Burke, Stannie Holt, Susie Rodriguez, Suzan Spitzberg, Patricia Leslie

TAFF/DUFF Auction

The Down Under and Trans Atlantic Fan Fund Auction will take place in the Exhibit Hall Flex Space starting at Noon. Funds will be used to get fans to **Dublin 2019: An Irish Worldcon**. Come ready to dig deep!

Free Wi-Fi

Don't forget, the Convention Center has free WiFi for all members! Search for "WickedlyFastWiFi" and connect.

Masquerade Photos

Our official staff photographers took candid and posed photos of the Masquerade participants and their performances. Whether you participated or enjoyed from the audience, you can find all of the photos on the Worldcon 76 website in our photo gallery.

Find the Masquerade photos and more from this weekend at www.worldcon76.org/photography

A Panel in Photos: Apocalypse Tomorrow: The Tumultuous History of Mexican SF/F Literature



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