## Capchave 2006 20-22 October 2006 Kim Stanley Robinson

Fan Guest of Honor:

Tom Whitmore

Capclave 2006 7113 Wayne Drive Annandale, VA 22003-1734 www.capclave.org • info@capclave.org Livejournal Community: capclave MEMBERSHIPS \$40 from 1 June 2006 through 30 September 2006 \$50 at the door Hilton Washington/Silver Spring 8727 Colesville Road Silver Spring, Maryland

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> \$119 (single/double) \$129 (triple/quad) \$159 One King Bed Suite (plus 12% room taxes)

Capclave — the science fiction convention where reading is not extinct — is hosted by the Washington Science Fiction Association (www.wsfa.org) KIM STANLEY ROBINSON is widely regarded as one of the finest science fiction writers alive today. He has been writing since 1975 but is best known for his 'Mars Trilogy' that started with **Red Mars** published in 1992, which won the 1993 Nebula award for best novel, continued with Green Mars (1993), which won the 1994 Hugo Award for best novel and concluded with Blue Mars (1995) that also won the Hugo Award for best novel in 1996. He is also well known for his 'Orange Country Trilogy' (also known as Three California's) which comprises of The Wild Shore (1984), The Gold Coast (1988) and Pacific Edge (1990) with Pacific Edge winning the Campbell Memorial Award. Antarctica (1998) dealt with many of the ecological issues surrounding Antarctica. The Years of Rice and Salt (2002) was an ambitious epic imagining a world where the Plague wiped out 95% of the population of Europe, leaving the East to become the dominant force in the world. His latest book, Fifty Degrees Below (2005) is the second part of a trio of books under the title 'The Capital Code.' which tackle the issues of global warning, science and politics. He also has a story in the Washingron Science Fiction Association's new anthology, Future Washington (2004). (from KimStanleyRobinson.net)

Iom WHITMORE has been a bookseller for over thirty years and a partner in a bookstore for twenty-nine; The Other Change of Hobbit in Berkeley, California (otherchangeofhobbit.com). He's been co-chair of a Worldcon (ConJosé in 2002), and implemented the first example of Elevator Party Hosts. He's been a reviewer for *LOCUS*, and once made Gene Wolfe jealous by telling him how much writing reviews for computer magazines paid. He's a massage therapist and a student of Hakomi. He was on the founding board of the Cohousing Association in the US, and lived for several years in Puget Ridge Cohousing. He collected art at cons before discovering that his grand-mother had been a print dealer for most of her life. And he lived in the DC area twice — once while working in a clerical job at the Library of Congress in the period of Nixon's impeachment, and once while working for the Office of Energy Information Validation in the Department of Energy. For stories of his connection with Aleister Crowley and his peculiar ability to find books, you'll have to ask in person.

## Confirmed Program Participants

Ed Carmien, Brenda Clough, Michael Dirda, Peter Heck, John G. Hemry, Jane Jewell, Mindy Klasky, Yoji Kondo, L. Jagi Lamplighter, Nancy Jane Moore, Michael D. Pederson, Benjamin Rosenbaum, Darrell Schweitzer, Anne Sheldon, Jeri Smith-Ready, Maria V. Synder, Michail Velichansky, Lawrence Watt-Evans, Bud Webster, Allen Wold, John C. Wright

> (Please visit our web site for addition information on our Guests of Honor and program participants)

## What is CAPCLAVE?

Capclave is a small relaxed literary convention with a program that focuses on the short fiction form. Our Guests of Honor and other notable authors, editors, artists, and fans of the short fiction form will explore the creation and enjoyment of short fantasy and science fiction genre stories.

Ihis year Capclave returns to the Silver Spring Hilton, which was the home for Capclaves 2002, 2003, and 2005. Silver Spring is located in Montgomery County, just north of the District of Columbia border, approximately six miles from the center of Washington, DC. Our hotel is located about ten city blocks (one-half mile) from the Silver Spring Metrorail station on the WMAIA Metro Red Line. The Hilton is located at 8727 Colesville Road (US Route 29), just south of the intersection with Spring Street. It's easy to reach by car from Exit 30B (US-29 South toward Silver Spring) of the Capital Beltway (Interstate Route 495). There is a public parking garage directly across Colesville Road from the hotel with an entrance on Spring Street (free parking on weekends). Valet parking is also available at the hotel.

CAPCLAVE 2006 COMMITTEE CONTACT INFORMATION

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