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DIRECTIONS

The Marriott is just north of New York City and conveniently accessible by car and mass transit. The hotel faces Exit 1 West of the Cross-Westchester Expressway (I-287) and is less than a mile east of the Tappan Zee Bridge off the New York State Thruway (I-87). You can see the hotel from near the intersection of these two roads.

FROM NEW YORK CITY

1. Go north on I-87 to Exit 9 (the sign says "Last Exit before Tappan Zee Bridge"). Turn right on Rtc. 119 and go east 1/2 mile to the hotel.

2. Go north on the Saw Mill River Parkway to the exit marked "Route 119 West

Tarrytown." Go west 1/2 mile on Rte. 119 to the hotel.

3. Take Rtc. 9 North to Rtc. 119 opposite the Tappan Zee Bridge. Turn right on Rtc. 119, and go east 1 mile to the hotel.

FROM THE EAST

All major arteries - I-684, the Merritt Parkway, the Hutchinson River Parkway, and I-95 - intersect with I-287. Go west on I-287 to Exit 1, which faces the hotel.

FROM THE NORTH

Take Rtc. 9 south to Rtc. 119 opposite the Tappan Zee Bridge. All major arteries (except the Sprain Brook Parkway) intersect with I-287.

FROM WEST OF THE HUDSON RIVER

North or south, all major arteries intersect with I-87. Go east on I-87 over the Tappan Zee Bridge to Exit 9 right after the toll booths. Turn right at the traffic light (Rte. 9 North) and go 1/2 mile to the next traffic light (Rte. 119). Turn right and go 1 mile east to the hotel.

VIA MASS TRANSIT

TRAIN - From New York City, take Metro North from Grand Central Station to either the Tarrytown station on the Hudson line or the White Plains station on the Harlem line (Tarrytown is the closer station). From the train station there are several options:

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1. The hotel shuttle van will run between the hotel and the Tarrytown station on the following schedule (look for it):

Friday 6pm - 9pm Saturday 10am - 1pm Sunday 1pm - 4pm

The schedule will be arranged to attempt to meet the trains to/from Grand Central. The van holds a limited number of people and seating will be on a first-come/first-served basis.

2. Westchester bus #13 goes between the Tarrytown station, the hotel, and past the White Plains station. This bus runs along Rte. 119 and passes directly in front of the hotel. Bus fare is currently \$.90. The last bus on Friday leaves Tarrytown at 9:40pm. The bus does run on Sunday. The bus takes about 15 minutes.

3. Take a taxi (\$3.00 - \$4.00) from

the train station to the hotel.

BUS - Buses are available from other points in Westchester and the North Bronx. For further information and the latest schedules, contact the Westchester Department of Transportation at (914) 682-2020.

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PROGRAM

On March 10-12, 1989 you will be presented with a multi-faceted, multi-track program consisting of panels, workshops, demonstrations, readings, discussion groups, media previews and more. You will have many opportunities to see and hear each of our Guests of Honor - Roger Zelazny, Ron Walotsky, Dave Kyle and Dave Hartwell. Confirmed program participants include Hal Clement (the 1991 Worldcon Guest of Honor), Nancy Springer, Jack Chalker, Alexis Gilliland, Joan Vinge, Jim Frenkel, Mark Rogers, Taylor Blanchard, Esther Friesner, Jacqueline Lichtenberg, Julius Schwartz, Roger McBride Allen, John Gregory Betancourt, Sharon Green, Peter Heck and Terry Erdmann. There will be many more. Autograph sessions, art and costume workshops will also be scheduled. Evening filking space will be provided. The pocket program will give you the entire schedule.

One special program will feature our four guests together on one panel. The subject: the works of Roger Zelazny from a variety of points of view. Some of the possible works to be discussed: Nine Princes in Amber, Lord of Light, Blood of Amber, Trumps of Doom, and Jack of Shadows. Check your pocket program for the day and time.

THE highlight of Friday night will be our "Very Merry Unbirthday Party." Come meet our guests and partake of cake, coffee and other drinkables (including a cash bar) - and a few surprises. Since many of our program participants will be there, make sure you have your books for autographs.

We are mulling over many other possible items, but are always looking for more ideas. Send any suggestions you have to Alan Rachlin or Judy Lazar at the PO box.

MASOUERADE

The masquerade has become an integral part of the con after only two years. This year's will be on Saturday night. There will also be related programming during the con. A lighted photo area with neutral grey backdrop will be provided during the masquerade. Contact John Upton for photo information at the PO box or (201) 822-2461. Contact Richard Hill at the PO box regarding masquerade information and registration.

BOOK EXHIBIT

Last year's Book Exhibit and raffle was the most successful we've ever had. This year's will be even better, featuring books by the major authors in the field as well as free magazine subscriptions, games and computer software - all to be divided among the winners of Sunday's raffle. For a great time and a lot of laughs don't miss the raffle drawing (ask someone who was there last year).

DEALERS' ROOM

Books (new, used, et. al.), posters, stationery, jewelry, and other items will comprise this year's Dealers' Room. In addition, there will be a "Dealers' Row" on the second floor opposite the function rooms. Other than these rooms, no dealing will be permitted from hotel rooms. This year's Dealers' Room and "Dealers' Row" are sold out. If you wish to be included on future mailing lists, contact Devra Langsam at the PO box.

ART SHOW

Our Art Show has become one of the best in the country. Our excellently lighted 2300 square foot exhibit room will display the finest works of the best pro and amateur artists. Many will be for sale at the auction on Sunday. Complete bidding rules will be available at the show. There will also be a Print Shop. We will again be accepting both MasterCard and Visa for at-the-con purchases. For a complete set of Art Show rules, hanging fees and registration forms, send a #10 SASE to Mark Richards at the PO box. BECAUSE OF OUR LIMITED SPACE AND GREAT POPULARITY, ALL ART SHOW RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE IN ADVANCE.

JAPANIMATION/FILMS

Japanimation will expand to two rooms this year - one for movies and one for TV programs and discussion groups. There will also be more material in English. A separate program booklet with schedules and short explanations of the videos, as well as narrators, will be provided. Contact Beverley Headley at the PO box for information or to submit requests.

We are planning to provide a varied film program. James LaBarre is looking for

suggestions. Contact him at the PO box.

GAMING

Fantasy and science fiction board games, role-playing games, and computer games will all be played in our two gaming rooms. If you are willing to help as a professional,

gamemaster or player, contact Dave Stern at the PO box.

Double Exposure (a live role-playing game) will also be back. It will have an 80 person limit. For information contact Vincent Salzillo at 2535 Matthews Ave. Bronx, NY 10467, (212) 881-4757.

REGISTRATION

Rates: \$20.00 until February 20, 1989

\$22.00 at the door

Group rates are available. Contact Jonathan Bayer at the PO box.

Please fill out the pre-registration form in this brochure and mail it with your check or money order made payable to LUNACON to Jonathan Bayer at the PO box. DO NOT SEND CASH THROUGH THE MAIL. Your cancelled check is your receipt. We will not mail membership cards in advance and no refunds will be given in the event you cannot attend. We will, however, transfer a membership upon receipt of a written request from the current holder of the membership. Anyone who loses a badge should first check with Member Services. If the badge has not been found, you will have to pay for a replacement since you must wear your badge to all convention activities.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please send us any changes in your address as soon as possible so that you can continue to receive all information on this and future Lunacons.

WEAPONS POLICY/DRINKING

Lunacon's policy is very simple: NO WEAPONS. New York's laws are very strict and very complicated. Therefore, if it looks like a weapon, it is a weapon - and the final decision rests with us. Violators will have their memberships revoked without compensation. The policy regarding weapons in the Masquerade will be covered in the Masquerade rules.

New York's drinking age is 21. The hotel's restaurants will request ID if they think you are underage and will not serve anyone who cannot produce proper ID when

asked.

PARTIES/NEWSLETTER

We will again be seeding open parties. Check with Member Services at the con. Lunacon's policy is that alcohol shall not be served at OPEN parties. Please cooperate

with this policy.

We will list all parties registered with Member Services in our newsletter as well as other information of note. Pick up your copy at Member Services, the Con Suite, the freebie table, and other accessible spots. If you find you have information for the newsletter, leave it at Member Services.

BABYSITTING/MEMBER SERVICES

We are planning on offering a limited PREREGISTERED babysitting service on Saturday (10-6) and Sunday (10-3) for children up to the age of 10. Because of limited space and the need for preplanning as to professional staff, preregistration must be made by February 20, 1989. The charge for this service is \$20.00 per child for the available hours during the convention - and you must provide meals, toys, diapers, etc. for your child (we will provide juice and snacks). This applies to all children, including those who might otherwise be admitted to the convention for free. If you are interested in this service, send a SASE to Bill Morrison at the PO box no later than January 15, 1989. WE CANNOT OFFER THIS SERVICE IF WE DO NOT KNOW HOW MANY PEOPLE WANT TO USE IT. If we do not get any response, we will be forced to cancel these plans. PLEASE NOTE: THIS MUST BE DONE IN ADVANCE. NO BABYSITTING REGISTRATION WILL BE DONE AT THE DOOR.

Any fans with disabilities or special needs please notify us at the PO box. If anyone needs help or information at the con, it will be available at the Member Services desk in the ballroom assembly area. You will also be able to buy your official convention

T-shirt or jersey here.

STAFF

No convention can run without people - and that means YOU. We will need help in most areas of the convention. If you would like to be of assistance, please fill out the volunteer portion of the registration form in this brochure and send it in with your registration. We will forward it to our Staff Director who will contact you. This is not an irreversible commitment, only an expression of your interest. All staff members must purchase memberships to the con. If you work at least 8 hours, you will receive a special convention staff T-shirt. Anyone who works on Thursday evening or Sunday evening will receive additional service time credit.

PROGRAM BOOK ADS

As usual, all attendees will receive a copy of the convention Program Book. This year our book will have a new look. We are expanding to 8 1/2" x 11" and will be experimenting with color. If you are interested in placing an ad in our Program Book, contact Rick Katze for information at PO Box 760; Framingham, MA 01701 or call (508) 879-1624.

HOTEL

The Westchester Marriott, located at 670 White Plains Road (Route 119), in Tarrytown, New York has an indoor atrium pool and two reasonably priced restaurants among its amenities. Supermarkets and other places to eat are located within a few

minutes driving distance of the hotel. A restaurant guide is being prepared.

Room rates are \$77.00/single, \$87.00/double, and \$94.00/triple or quad (not including local taxes). Check-in is 3pm. Check-out is 1pm. Rooms should be paid for at check-in for the entire stay and the first person checking in is responsible for the entire bill. American Express, Visa, MasterCard, and Diners Club are accepted. Reservations are due by February 15, 1989 and should be made by using the hotel form in this brochure. We are going to try to block out smoking, non-smoking, party and non-party areas. Please indicate your preferences on the hotel form. Special requests will be honored to the extent possible. If you desire, you may also make reservations by contacting the hotel at (914) 631-2200. DO NOT USE THE MARRIOTT TOLL-FREE NUMBER. Remember to mention Lunacon when making your reservation.

We have a limited number of suites available. If you are interested in one, contact

Lee Orlando at the PO box for information.