

BALLOT PAPER

Site Selection for the 60th World Science Fiction Convention

Rules

1. Each voter will become a supporting member of the 60th Worldcon, irrespective of the site that wins the bid.
2. To be eligible to vote you must be a natural person (that is, not a club or society), and must be a supporting or attending member of Aussiecon Three. (Exception: non-natural persons and "Guest of" memberships may be voted if marked "No Preference.")
3. Your ballot must be accompanied by an advance supporting membership fee of USD\$30 or AUD\$50 and EITHER mailed to one of the Australian or US addresses overleaf, OR, handed in at a specially marked table at Aussiecon.
4. Ballots mailed to either the Australian or US addresses below must be received by August 15, 1999 (ballots too late to be posted can be handed in at Aussiecon Three by any attendee). Ballots handed in at Aussiecon Three must be received before 5pm on Saturday, September 4, 1999.
5. All voters must fill in their name, Aussiecon Three membership number and address and sign the second page of this ballot before the vote will be counted. Those details will be separated from this page and passed onto the winning Worldcon committee.
6. This year, only cheques can be allowed as payment with mail-in votes. There is no provision for payment by credit card. You may pay in cash at the voting desk at Aussiecon Three. **DO NOT SEND CASH WITH MAIL-IN VOTES.**
7. This is a preferential ballot. Indicate your preferred site for the 60th Worldcon by writing in your preference, with a "1" by the candidate you like the most, a "2" by your next most favorite, and so forth. If you mark an X with no other marks, that will count as a "1" for that candidate and no other preferences.
8. If you wish to vote but are not already an attending or supporting member of Aussiecon Three, you are welcome to become a member. Once you are a member of Aussiecon Three, you may vote. Contact details for Aussiecon Three are overleaf.
9. After filling out both sides of the ballot, fold the paper so that the bottom edge is in line with the line below, then tape the fold shut, in order to conceal your vote from casual viewing before the count.
10. All ballots must have the voter's name and address. All ballots must be signed.

————— FOLD BOTTOM EDGE UP TO THIS LINE —————

San Jose in 2002 – <http://www.sfsfc.org/worldcon/>

Bid Committee Chair: Kevin Standlee. Operating Committee Chair: Tom Whitmore. Other Bid Committee Members: Gary Alexander, John R. Blaker, David W. Clark, Tony Cratz, James Daugherty, Kathryn Daugherty, Bob Daverin, Brenda Daverin, Greg Dougherty, Crickett Fox, David W. Gallaher, John David Galt, Lynn Gold, Craig K. Howlett, Barbara L. Johnson-Haddad, Mary Kay Kare, Eric Larson, Danny Low, Cheryl Morgan, Pat Ney, Richard Ney, Julie Porter, Jan Price, Shirley Roth, Ed Rush, Ruth Sachter, Teri Sears, Michael Siladi. Site: San Jose, California, USA. Main Facilities: San Jose McEnery Convention Center, Fairmont Hotel, San Jose Hilton, Park Center Plaza, Hyatt Sainte Claire. Dates: Thursday, August 29 through Monday, September 2, 2002.

Roswell in 2002 – <http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Quadrant/7111/>

Bid Committee: Chair: Liz Mortensen. Treasurer: Elayne Pelz. Other Bid Committee Members: Jordan Brown, Kimberlee Brown, Ed Green, Bruce Pelz. Site: Roswell, New Mexico, USA. Main facility: Best Western Sally Port Inn. Dates: Thursday, August 29 through Monday, September 2, 2002.

Write-in: _____

In order to win, a write-in bid must have filed the required paperwork with Aussiecon Three before the close of voting.

None of the Above

Ticking this box means that you are opposed to all the bids. If this selection wins the ballot, the WSFS Business Meeting at Aussiecon Three will select the site of the 2002 Worldcon.

No Preference

Ticking this box means that you do not care which bid wins.

This ballot paper is for selection of the site of the 60th World Science Fiction Convention.
The 60th World Science Fiction Convention is to be held in 2002.

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Voter Identification (please type or print clearly)

Name: _____

Address: _____

street

city/suburb

state/province

post or zip code

country

Eligibility to Vote

To vote, you must be an attending or supporting member of Aussiecon Three. By signing below, you certify that you are an attending or supporting member of Aussiecon Three. Please include your Aussiecon Three membership number if known.

Signature: _____

My Aussiecon Three Membership Number is: _____

Information about Aussiecon Three

Write to Aussiecon Three, GPO Box 1212K, Melbourne VIC 3001, AUSTRALIA. Send an email to info@aussiecon3.worldcon.org. Visit the Aussiecon Three web site at www.aussiecon3.worldcon.org.

Instructions for this Ballot Paper

1. Mark your votes on the other side of this ballot paper (this is a preferential ballot) and fill in this side;
2. If voting by mail, include either a check for USD\$30 or a cheque for AUD\$50; payable to the **60th World Science Fiction Convention**;
3. In order to conceal your vote, fold the bottom edge of the ballot up to the indicated line on the other side of the ballot paper and then tape the fold so that it remains closed;
4. Mail your ballot paper and voting fee to one of the addresses below. Do not mail your vote to any other Aussiecon Three address. If voting by mail, ballot papers must be received by August 15, 1999;
5. Ballots may be handed in at Aussiecon Three until 5pm on Saturday, September 4, 1999.

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Site Selection Voting Procedures

Article IV of the Constitution of the World Science Fiction Society specifies voting procedures for future Worldcon selection. If you have any questions about this ballot or the application of Article IV to the selection of the 60th Worldcon, please contact Mark Lawson at the address above or by email at site@aussiecon3.worldcon.org.