

## SOLAR ECLIPSE

Well, here is some info about eclipse that we arranged to happen on Wednesday, August 11, 1999, the day we plan to open WorldCon if we win it. We did arrange a total one, but had to pay 2.5% as taxes and therefore we will have "only" 97.5% eclipse. It means that only a tiny crescent of the Sun will be left uncovered. The first contact, or the time when the Moon will first touch the Sun, will be at 10:27AM CET (our local time). At 11:53 AM birds will stop singing, crickets will stop making noise and all the other animals will think that the night has fallen since it will be the time of the eclipse's maximum. The final contact, when the Moon leaves the Sun, will occur at 1:19 PM.

On the other hand, some countries do not exert taxes on eclipses. Therefore you will be able to see even those #%&\*\$! 2.5% from southern UK, northern France, southern Germany, Austria, southern Hungary and Romania, southern parts of the Black Sea and following that path all the way to northern India. Lucky bastards.

That's about it. The data was provided by the Zagreb Observatory and if there's anything else you'd like to know, feel free to ask our Stargazer directly at [bzauner@jagor.srce.hr](mailto:bzauner@jagor.srce.hr). I'll be glad to help you.

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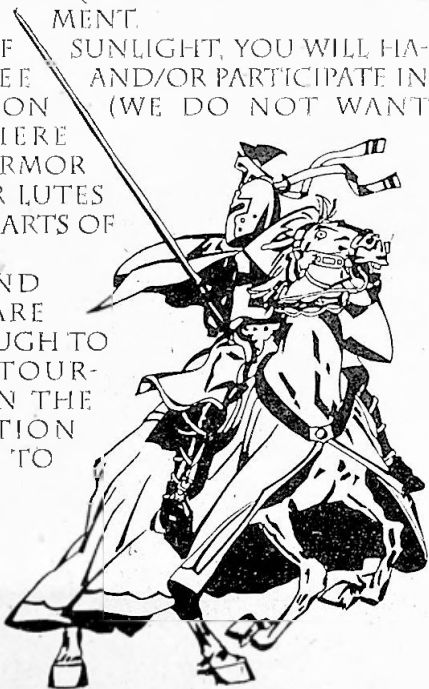


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ON THE DAY BEFORE THE GRAND OPENING, AUGUST 11, 1999, ZAGREB WILL BE HAVING THE UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY TO COMBINE THE MAGNIFICENT NATURAL PHENOMENON WITH AN ADEQUATE HAPPENING—THE MEDIAEVAL TOURNAMENT.

UNDER THE 2.5% OF SUNLIGHT, YOU WILL HAVE A CHANCE TO SEE AND/OR PARTICIPATE IN A FRIENDLY COMPETITION (WE DO NOT WANT ANY CASUALTIES) WHERE ATHLETES IN SHINING ARMOR AND POETS WITH THEIR LUTES WILL TRY TO WIN THE HEARTS OF THEIR CHOSEN ONES.

TO KNOW WHO, AND HOW MANY OF YOU ARE REALLY INTERESTED ENOUGH TO TAKE PART IN THE TOURNAMENT, PLEASE FILL IN THE FOLLOWING APPLICATION FORM, AND RETURN IT TO OUR DESK.



## THE MEDIAEVAL TOURNAMENT APPLICATION FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ SEX: M F

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTRY: \_\_\_\_\_

MEDIAEVAL COMBAT SKILLS MASTERED: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

I, THE ABOVE-SIGNED, WILL NOT HOLD WORLDCON IN ZAGREB 1999 COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY POSSIBLE INJURY WHILE TAKING PART IN, OR ONLY WATCHING, THE MEDIAEVAL TOURNAMENT

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