



SUNDAY

Registration

4505 warm bodies as of Saturday evening.

Program Changes

AKA Why a Pen Name? Moved from 3501H to 3501B

To sign up for any remaining Kaffeeklatsches or Literary Beers, please stop by Program Ops in 2212

Starting at 3 p.m., Autographing will be in the Flexible Space Area in the Exhibit Hall next to the children's play area.

AboutSF/Pulse Auction

All items on the silent auction tables with five bids, as well as a few special items will be sold during the live auction to be held Sunday from 11 a.m.—2 p.m. in the Flexible Activities Space in the Convention Center. This will be a fast-paced event that will prove both exciting and fun. Stop in for the fun and perhaps a chance to get your own special piece of fannish history.

Closing Ceremony

We'll all meet up for one last time at the Tucker Stage 3501A at 4 p.m. There are always surprises every year as we turn the gavel over to next year's Worldcon in Helsinki!

Hugo Winners Announced

Hugo newsletter was a little late (sorry about that), but you'll find the gold issue of MAC II News at many newsletter pick-up spots throughout the convention. If you want the gory details of voting, you can look at the Hugo statistics online (or print it out when you get home - it's 27 pages long):

<https://midamericon2.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/2016-Hugo-Final-Results.pdf>

Volunteering

We need help for move-out, this afternoon, this evening and on Monday. If you have any time to spare, please stop up at the Volunteer table in the Exhibit Hall (near the tropical drink stand).

Don't forget to bring your time sheets to Volunteers today! If you don't plan to work Moveout and have a MIMO badge, please bring that to Volunteers.

Art Show

The Art Show will be open for Print Shop sales and auction pickup only from 10:00 a. m.—noon on Sunday. They will not be open for browsing nor will there be post-auction or Sunday sales. Artists may begin packing up and checking out from noon—3:00 p.m.

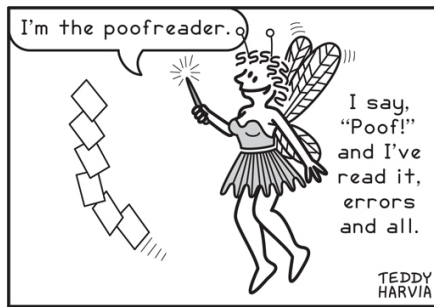
Memories of a First Time Worldcon Attendee

Terri M. LeBlanc wrote a charming piece that we didn't have space to run in the newsletter (sorry, Terri!). But we did add it to the Web at: <https://midamericon2.org/2016/08/21/memories-of-a-first-time-worldcon-attendee/>

1941 Retro Hugo Report

Adrienne Foster reported on the Retro Hugo Ceremony, which we've added to the Web at: <https://midamericon2.org/2016/08/21/1941-retro-hugo-ceremony-report/>

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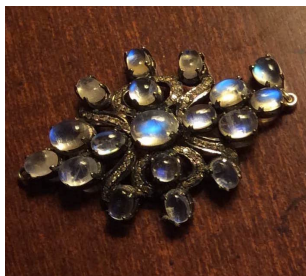


Blood Drive Results

The final results for the blood drive: 150 units of blood collected. A wonderful turnout that will save many lives. Thank you to all who donated, or tried.

Lost Earring

Colin Harris reports: "My partner lost a moonstone cluster earring last night at the Hugos (probably at the reception or backstage). It's vintage and has a lot of sentimental value." If you find it, E-mail palatinate@gmail.com



Photos by Laurie Mann except for the lost earring (unknown) and the Lego Death star trench by Kurt Baty.

Tiptree Auction Results

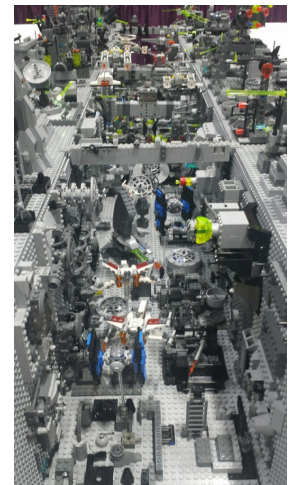
Tiptree Auctioneer, Sumana Harihareswara, entertained the audience of about 50 folks Friday afternoon, and raised \$1,500 for the James Tiptree Award. The auction featured several rare and hotly contested items, including:

A signed first edition of *Kindred*, by Octavia Butler, received the highest bids and sold for \$500, Space Babe Hoodie sweatshirt, *Weird Tales* #2, Winter 1985, *Cooking Out of This World*, edited by Anne McCaffrey, containing recipes from dozens of famous science fiction writers from the 1980s, *Mythologies*, a suite of six miniatures for string quartet, by Chelsea Quinn Yarbro, photocopy of *Exploring the Solar System*, Children's Book by Fabric, a set of the 2015 Tiptree winners: a signed first edition of *Lizard Radio*, by Pat Schmatz and a signed copy of the April-May 2015 *Isaac Asimov's Science Fiction Magazine* containing "The New Mother," by Eugene Fischer, *Her Smoke Rose Up From Supper* cookbook and Space Babe tatoos were sold as direct sale items.

The Tiptree Award encourages the exploration & expansion of gender, and is presented annually to a work of science fiction or fantasy. The Tiptree celebrates its 25th anniversary this year. The winner receives \$1,000, a piece of art created specifically for the Tiptree winner. See the lists of previous winners and honor lists, go to <https://tiptree.org>

Lego Death Star Trench!

Stop by the Exhibit Hall this afternoon to see the Lego Death Star Trench.



Newsletter Editor Thanks

I was very late in getting things organized due to a bad case of life intervening this summer. So I wasn't able to delegate as much of this job as I wanted to. I appreciate the patience of my staff, who were enormously helpful with proofreading, writing and Newsletter distribution. Many thanks to Suzan Spitzberg, Sharon Sbarsky, Katie Daniels, Adrienne Foster, Teddy Harvia and John Hauwiller — I would work with you any time!

