MIDAMERICON II

Progress Report 4 — August 1, 2016

We have no Saucy Barbecue Tales for this report; just an online-only Progress Report 4 to help get you organized, get you to the MidAmeriCon II hotels and get you registered. Once you've registered, you'll get a printed Pocket Program with extensive detail about the convention and its schedule.

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Message from the Chair

On behalf of all the Committee and all the other volunteers who have been working together on MidAmeriCon II, we are very much looking forward to seeing you in Kansas City! It is hard to believe that the Worldcon is just a couple of weeks away and as you can imagine, things are pretty busy here. By the time you read this, Hugo voting will have closed and the ballots will be in the process of being tallied, and all sorts of shipments of interesting items will be converging on our city destined for the convention center. We eagerly await your arrival also.

This is the last of the MidAmeriCon II progress reports you will receive before MidAmeriCon II begins, and it is focused on being a guide to help orient you on what to expect once you arrive in Kansas City. The hours of the major events, functions, and a taste of what will be happening are all included here. I also hope you have built in some extra time during your stay to visit some of the many attractions that the city has to offer.

If you arrive early and wish to help with move-in, or are leaving later and like tearing things down, we are also delighted to have your help! Hours for MIMO are included in this Report. We'll see you very soon!

Ruth Lichtwardt, MidAmeriCon II Chair



Is This Your First Worldcon?

Welcome! We hope you have a great time. There will be lots to see, things to do, people to meet. We will have First Worldcon ribbons available for people attending their first Worldcon; ask about the "First Worldcon" ribbon when you register.

Be sure to read the website article, <u>First Worldcon? What to Expect at the Con from the Perspective of a Con Novice</u> There's a lot of other useful information on the website. For example, did you know we have both a <u>Code of Conduct and an Incident Response</u>
Team?

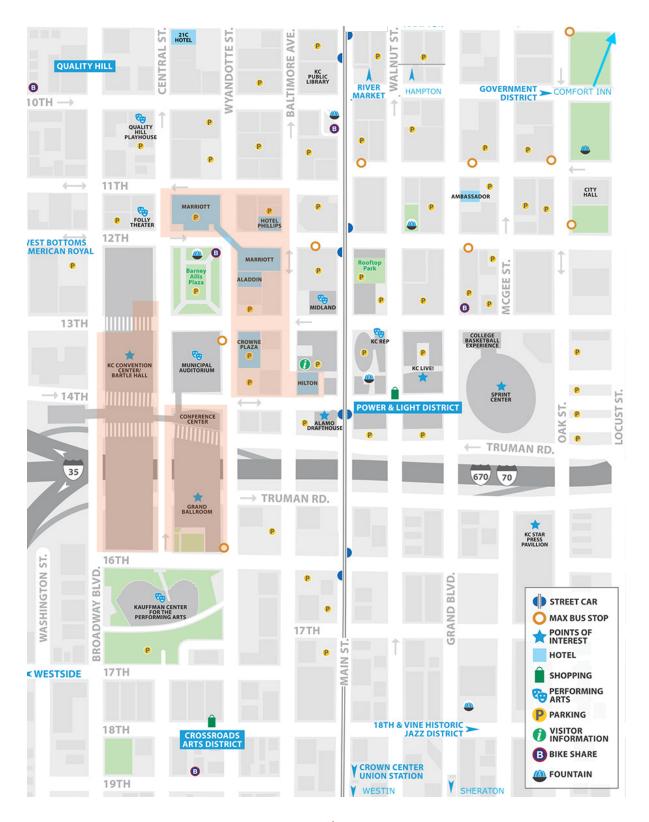
This Progress Report will help you to get to the convention and get registered. Once you've registered, you can pick up a Pocket Program that contains maps, discusses areas at the convention and includes a complete convention schedule. If you have any questions about the goings-on, stop by the Information Desk in the Exhibit Hall.

If you're attending the con on Wednesday, go to the "How to Enjoy Your First Convention" panel. Check the Pocket Program for time and place. Plan to stop by the Fan Lounge in the Exhibit Hall to find out about the history of science fiction fandom. If you're attending the con on Thursday, take a whole convention tour specially targeted to new Worldcon attendees: "Worldcon Tours: Your First Time." Check the Pocket Program for the time and place. And be sure to stop by the parties in the Fan Fair in the Exhibit Hall - open to all members, running every evening (and sometimes during the day).

Enjoy!

Downtown Kansas City - Convention Center, Hotels & Parking

The Kansas City Convention Center and most of our hotels appear on this map of downtown.



Note: The Courtyard/Residence Inn has let us know that their construction has run over schedule and they will not be open in time for MidAmeriCon II. We have been working with their staff and Passkey to contact those displaced to advise them of the situation and to find our members a hotel room with one of our other contracted properties. Affected members will be contacted by the hotel with information about where they have been relocated and provided with new confirmations. Send booking questions to hotel@midamericon2.org.

- Kansas City Convention Center, 301 W 13th St., Kansas City, MO 64105 (816) 513-5000. Parking: Kansas City Auditorium
 Plaza Garage (Barney Allis Garage) Rate: first 15 minutes free, US\$1/15 minutes to a maximum of US\$12 daily.
- <u>Kansas City Marriott Downtown</u>, 200 W 12th St., Kansas City, MO 64105 (816) 421-6800. Parking: US\$3 hourly, US\$18 nightly. Valet parking: US\$24 nightly. Onsite parking garage height clearance 6 feet. Offsite garage 8 feet 9 inches. Oversized vehicle valet parking: US\$30 nightly.
- · Hotel Phillips Kansas City, 106 W 12th St., Kansas City, MO 64105 (816) 221-7000. Parking: Valet US\$24 nightly.
- Holiday Inn Kansas City-Aladdin, 1215 Wyandotte St., Kansas City, MO 64105 (816) 421-8888. Parking: Valet US\$18 nightly.
- <u>Crowne Plaza Kansas City Downtown</u>, 1301 Wyandotte St., Kansas City MO 64105 (816) 474-6664. Parking: Valet US\$20 nightly.
- Hilton President, 1329 Baltimore Ave., Kansas City, MO 64105 (816) 221-9490. Parking: Valet US\$24 nightly, self-parking US\$20 nightly.

Two of our hotels, the Westin and the Sheraton, are slightly south of this map in Crown Center. Both are accessible to the Kansas City Convention Center area using the free trolley on Main Street.

- Westin Kansas City at Crown Center, 1 East Pershing Rd., Kansas City, MO 64108 (816) 474-440. Parking: Valet US\$24 nightly, self-parking US\$17 nightly.
- Sheraton Kansas City Hotel at Crown Center 2345 McGee St. Kansas City MO 64108 (816) 841-1000. Parking: Valet US\$24 nightly, self-parking US\$17 nightly.

Be sure to review your hotel confirmation to ensure that your reservation matches your travel plans and that you have only one reservation. If you get to the hotel and your confirmation does not match the accommodation the hotel has gives you, contact hotel@midamericon2.org

Due to the unavailability of the Residence Inn/Courtyard, some attendees are now staying at the following hotels:

- <u>Ambassador Kansas City</u>, 1111 Grand Boulevard, Kansas City, MO 64106, (816) 298-7700. Parking: Valet US\$20 nightly, self-parking US\$18 nightly (5 blocks due east of the Marriott).
- <u>Hampton Inn Kansas City/Downtown Financial District</u>, 801 Walnut Street, Kansas City, MO 64106 (816) 474-9200. Parking: Valet only: US\$16 nightly (6 blocks northeast of the Marriott).
- Comfort Inn & Suites, 770 Admiral Boulevard, Kansas City, MO 64106 (816) 472-8808. Parking: outdoors, free (1 mile northeast of the Marriott; take the 24 bus towards downtown to get within 2 blocks of the Convention Center).

If you need a hotel reservation, you can check hotels.com for possible late deals in downtown Kansas City, MO, for Worldcon.

For other parking options, see <u>SP+Parking</u> for downtown Kansas City, MO and <u>VisitKC's Downtown Parking Map</u>.

Traveling from the Airport



While none of the downtown hotels has free shuttle service from the airport (except for the <u>Ambassador</u>), there are a number of <u>paid shuttle services</u> including SuperShuttle (US\$30 round trip with your <u>MidAmeriCon II discount</u>. Make reservations online or call (800) BLUE VAN ((800) 258-3826) to book reservations — the MidAmeriCon II discount code is BUZX5. There is a

\$3 service fee for making a reservation with an agent over the phone. You can also request an accessible van.

The Metro bus Route 129 goes directly from the <u>airport to 11th Street</u> about a block away from the Marriott for US\$1.50. Please check the schedule as the bus only runs once an hour (usually around 20 past the hour but this varies). It takes about an hour to take the bus from the airport to downtown. You can also buy <u>day or multi-day passes</u> on the Metro.

A number of <u>limo services</u> run between the airport & downtown. If you can get a group of three people to reserve a limo, it can often be cheaper than a cab or van services.

Courtesy phones for taxi service are located at each bag claim area and other locations. You can call (816) 243-2345. The fare rate from the airport to downtown runs between US\$50 and US\$60 depending on traffic. <u>Uber</u> rates from the airport can vary dramatically from US\$25 to US\$80 depending on the time of day and the type of car. Note that Lyft ceased operation in Kansas City in 2015.

You can always rent a car at the airport.

Traveling from the Train Station

The train station is only 1.3 miles from the Convention Center area near Crown Center. Kansas City's streetcar stops across the street from the train station and will take you straight up Main Street, leaving you within two short blocks of many of the hotels for free. Both the Westin and the Sheraton are across the street from the train station so you don't need to take the streetcar.

Traveling from the Bus Station

The Greyhound bus station is just about a mile away from the Convention Center area at 1101 Troost St. You can walk, take the 12 bus, or take a cab to the hotels. If you're staying at the Sheraton or the Westin, walk to the streetcar on Main St. and take it south to Crown Center.

Finding ATMs, Groceries, Booze...

• ATM?

Most hotels have an ATM in their lobbies. There is also a Bank of America Financial Center at 12th & Main.

· A grocery store?

<u>Cosentino's</u> 13th & Main: Wide range of groceries, liquor store, coffee bar, large salad and hot food bar, sandwich shop, and deli open for breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

A liquor store?

Cellar Rat Wine Merchants 17th & Baltimore: Wine, beer and spirits.

• A pharmacy?

CVS 921 Main St.

• A laundromat?

Gates Plaza Ultra Wash 1200 Brooklyn Ave. (1.6 miles down 12th St. from the Marriott)

· A hospital?

Truman Medical Center 2301 Holmes St. (on Hospital Hill near the Crown Center area)

Finding Restaurants

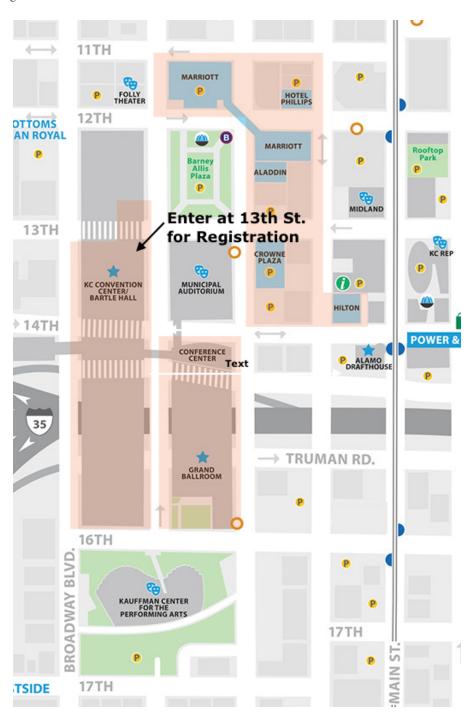
- VisitKC's Discounts for Restaurants and Businesses (show your badge to get the discount; one-sheet PDF version)
- Recommended Restaurants: Dining Out by Mike Williams
- Visit KC Restaurant Guide
- KC Restaurant Guide
- TripAdvisor's Best Restaurants in Kansas City
- The Pitch Dining (alternative dining ideas)

Registering for MidAmeriCon II

The Kansas City Convention Center is a long building extending several blocks between 12th St. and 16th St. We're using the portion of the complex that's to the south of 13th St., a block south of the Marriott & Phillips.

Registration will be in the 2300 Lobby of the Convention Center. Follow the signs to the 2300 Lobby!

Everyone must pick up their own badge! Bring an ID with you, such as a passport, driver's license, or state ID card. The hours for Registration are:



 $\begin{array}{lll} Monday: \ 5 \ p.m. - 7 \ p.m. \\ (preregistered members only) \\ Tuesday: 10 \ a.m. - 7 \ p.m. \\ (preregistered members only) \\ Wednesday: 9 \ a.m. - 7 \ p.m. \\ Thursday: 9 \ a.m. - 7 \ p.m. \\ Friday: 9 \ a.m. - 7 \ p.m. \\ Saturday: 9 \ a.m. - 7 \ p.m. \\ Sunday: 9 \ a.m. - 1 \ p.m. \\ \end{array}$

You can <u>preregister online</u> until August 5.

Preregistered program participants should pick up their badges at Registration and then pick up their participant materials at Program Participant Check-In. It will run on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 10 a.m.—6 p.m. in the 2300 Lobby. On Friday and Saturday check-in will be in the Program Operations office in room 2212 from 10 a.m.—6 p.m.

Accessibility

If you have any questions about Accessibility at MidAmeriCon II, please email access@midamericon2.org. The accessibility guide is up and linked to website.

We will be publishing a last-minute "sidewalk condition report" on Monday night before the convention, noting construction sites around the convention center and particularly those that may impact travel to and from the hotels.

Accessible PDF copies of the Souvenir book will be available, with described images, on request.

Scooter Pickups

We will have scooter pickups in the Kansas City Convention Center, and in the hotels. If you are unsure of where you should pick up your scooter, please contact access@midamericon2.org

While scooter reservations were due by July 15, it may be possible to arrange for a late scooter rental. E-mail access@midamericon2.org as soon as you can to see if one may be available for rental.

Childcare

Note that Childcare does not open until Wednesday at 1 p.m in the Marriott.

Volunteering - Help MidAmeriCon II Happen!

All science fiction conventions, but especially Worldcons, depend on volunteers to make them run and let everyone have an enjoyable experience. If you have some free time during the convention and are willing to help, stop by the Volunteer Desk. After you complete a short form, we might need you to fill an immediate need, or so we might contact you for something at a later time. You will need to keep a timesheet throughout the convention so you can record the hours you work—there will be rewards for volunteers who work a certain number of hours.

Although you are not required to commit to any specific amount of time, we would appreciate it if you could plan to work at least an hour at a time. Sign-up sheets will be set up by area, so that if you want to work in a specific area such as Registration, we can let you know what times still need volunteers. You don't have to agree to work every day, or at the same time or in the same area. However, we cannot guarantee that there will be a need for your help at the specific time you are willing to participate.

If you do volunteer, please make sure that the Division Head or Assistant DH signs off on your timesheet, so you can qualify for the rewards for volunteers who work a certain number of hours. There is also the potential for reimbursement of membership costs if the con ends up with a sufficient surplus. Only those volunteers who turn in a signed timesheet will be eligible for possible reimbursement after the con. If you work during Move-in/Move-out (MIMO), you will "earn" two hours of credit for one hour of work.

If you arrive on Sunday evening, the Volunteer check-in desk will be in the lobby of the Marriott between 4 and 8 p.m. If you're able to help out with MIMO on Monday or Tuesday, you'll get a MIMO badge that will give you access to the Convention Center.

On Monday and Tuesday, the Volunteer check-in desk will be at the foot of the escalator in Lobby 2300 of the Kansas City Convention Center (same location as convention Registration) and it should be open just after 8 a.m and be open until 7 p.m.

Once the con begins, the Volunteer Desk will be located in the northeast section of the Exhibit Hall (Bartle Hall), adjacent to Fan Tables and Literary Beers. The Gopher Hole is next door if you've volunteered and are willing to be on call in case something comes up.

Excursions

We are planning on having two different off-site excursions for our members — a trip to the <u>Negro Leagues Baseball Museum</u> and to the <u>American Jazz Museum</u> on Wednesday, and a trip to a distillery for a tour (<u>Tom's Town Distilling Company</u>) on Saturday. For both of these trips, we need a "cat-herder" who will help keep the group together. People will be responsible for their own transportation to these places (they are fairly close, and some people will probably walk, some can take a short cab ride), so we want to make sure the group is all together at the location when we start.

If you are interested on going on one of these excursions, please email excursions@midamericon2org. Let us also know if you'd be interested in being a cat-herder.

The NLBM and Jazz Museum trip is planned for Wednesday, leaving the CC at 1:30 p.m. and getting back in time for Opening Ceremonies at 5 p.m.. The ticket for the museums is \$15 (\$9 if we get over 25 people attending).

The distillery tour is planned for Saturday, at Tom's Town, at 2:30 p.m. The tour costs \$10, and will last about 30 minutes.

Exhibits

Bartle Hall will be full of activities and exhibits, from the Art Show and Dealers Room, to parties, a Photo Booth, the Fan Lounge, a stadium, a craft area and even a volcano!

Displays

We will have about 30 displays throughout the six display areas in the Exhibit Hall as well as in the Art Show. These will range from GOH displays (including mockups of Michael Swanwick's van and Tamara Pierce's living room) to Charles Lippincott's Star Wars display. The Star Wars display will feature a recreation of the display from the first MidAmeriCon and other added material. The Cosmosphere is presenting items from their collection of over 13,000 Spaceflight artifacts and NASA is loaning a 1/15 scale model of the Space Shuttle Stack. Plus the IronThrone is returning!

Crafters and More!

What makes Worldcon special are the contributions we all make. Come and experience special things that others have created, create something yourself, and create something together with us! We'll start with the beginning of the convention, early afternoon on Wednesday! Bring your crafting, sewing, and small building supplies for a swap that could be out of this world. Leftovers from your projects might be just the thing needed to complete a project for someone else. Come with your things and possibly leave with someone else's things! We'll have spots for general crafters, makers, needle workers, quilters and scrapbookers.

We're looking for donations of cloth, bits for crafting and costumes, puzzles and board games. Bring crafting items to the Makers/Crafting area in the Exhibit Hall. Bring games and puzzles to the Gaming area in the Exhibit Hall.

During the course of the convention we will be making a one-of-a-kind quilt to be auctioned off at the <u>AboutSF/Pulse benefit auction</u> on Sunday. Please bring interesting fabrics for us to incorporate, preferably 100% cotton prints that are printed with small or medium-sized patterns depicting different parts of the world, fantasy and/or science fiction themes; TV, movie, and comics characters; and stars (the planetary ones) of all kinds. (Size should be at least 11" x 11", please.)

These donations will be used as the background for the signature pieces and will be quilted-as-you-go and added to a special MidAmeriCon II central block.

We're also looking for loans of small tools, glue guns and sewing machines. If you're able to loan these larger items to MidAmeriCon II, write to jill.eastlake@gmail.com.

Fandom Rocks



What's a river without rocks beside it? When you're packing your bags for MidAmeriCon II, please tuck in a rock or two to put alongside the river in the Exhibit Hall. We already have rocks from the Ozark's, Lake Michigan, Toronto, London, South America, and the pathway to the Tower of Trufandom, but that's just a start. We need a rock from you, too! Add any rock you can carry, from thumb-size to head-size.

Note: Bring only rocks you're happy to give to your fellow fans. You probably won't get your rock back

Geological Times and Places

• If you arrive by Wednesday, August 17: Bring your rock to the bridge by the volcano in the Exhibit Hall from noon to 2 pm and we'll help you place it in the Fandom Rocks! exhibit.

(Yes, there's a volcano in the Exhibit Hall! It will erupt daily when the Dealers Room closes, spouting candy as the river turns from water to lava.)

- If you arrive after 2 pm on Wednesday: Bring your rock to the Fan Lounge, which opens daily at noon, and share the story of where your rock came from. We'll have markers for labeling rocks, rock graffiti, and other amusements. At least once a day, we'll take the rocks over to the river and add them to the Fandom Rocks! exhibit.
- Sunday, August 21: Help re-spread the rocks around the world by taking a rock you like...or two...or more...home with you. They all have to go: the rocks must roll!

Att'n geologists and rockhounds: write to fan-lounge@midamericon2.org if you'd like to lead a Fandom Rocks Docent Tour.

First Night

We're kicking off MidAmeriCon II at our First Night celebration on Wednesday afternoon and evening. It officially starts in the main Exhibit Hall at 6 p.m. following opening ceremonies. Just a few of the festivities include performances by local artists and musicians, two rounds of Lightning Talks to engage your mind, and local drummers to help set the tempo for the evening, inviting you to dance and create rhythms with them. You can also take in a Quidditch game at our indoor sports stadium, stop by our Maker Space to engage with local creative people, or just relax along the riverside. See you there for an evening of fun and festivities, with something for everyone!

Parties

Parties will run every night in the Exhibit Hall. If you're planning to run an open party, be sure to check the website and follow the instructions.

Events

- Wednesday: Opening Ceremony and First Night
- Thursday: Paul and Storm Concert and Retro Hugo Awards Ceremony
- Friday: Star Wars Day and the Masquerade
 - Nearly 40 years after they teased MidAmeriCon audiences in 1976 with tales of Star Wars, Charles Lippincott and Gary
 Kurtz will lead a day full of special Star Wars events, programming, and exhibits. They will be joined by author Alan Dean
 Foster and it will be a fantastic day full of fun Star Wars surprises, history, and information. Dress appropriately!
 - If you want to participate in the <u>Masquerade</u>, we encourage you to <u>register for it in advance</u>.
- Saturday: Hugo Awards Ceremony
- Sunday: Closing Ceremony

Dances

The following dances are tentatively planned for MidAmeriCon II:

- · Wednesday evening: Steampunk
- Thursday evening: Retro Hugo Awards with Swing Dance
- Friday evening: Star Wars
- Saturday morning: Regency

Promenades, Stroll with the Stars & Docent Tours

No sign-ups are necessary for these three kinds of walks. Just meet up and join in. Confirm the time & place in the Pocket Program.

Promenades are "themed" walks; we encourage fans of a particular area (costumes optional) to take a walk together. Our scheduled Promenades leave from the Main Stage (Pat Cadigan Theater) at the south end of the convention center:

- Wednesday afternoon: StarTrek
- · Thursday afternoon: Steampunk, Ghostbusters
- Friday afternoon: Star Wars
- Saturday afternoon: Doctor Who

Stroll with the Stars are morning walks with your favorite writers, editors and artists. They typically leave at 8:30 a.m. from the Marriott Lobby.

Docent Tours are walks through the convention with a person who really knows the Art Show, the Exhibit Hall and the Fandom Rocks! exhibit. Some of the planned Docent Tours include:

- Wednesday evening: Fandom Rocks! Introduction and Docent Tour
- Thursday morning: Art Show Docent Tour with John Hertz
- Thursday afternoon: Worldcon Tours: Your First Time
- Friday morning: Digital Art and Physical Art in the Art Show
- Friday morning: Art Docent Tour with Ctein and Teresa Nielsen Hayden

Program

The MidAmeriCon II program will consist of fans, authors, scholars, scientists, editors, publishers, critics, musicians, artists and filmmakers giving solo presentations, having discussions, being interviewed, giving readings, performing varied music and much more besides. Program areas include Literature, Media, Science, Comics, Games, Fandom, Art, Costuming/Cosplay, Young Adult, Filk, Academic, Children's Program, and Film Screenings. Some of the exciting sessions to look out for include:

- · Cats!
- The Shipping Forecast
- Grimdark and Perilous Adventure
- Go For the Eyes, Boo!
- Ellie's Last Line: Scriptwriting and Narrative for Videogames
- Afrofuturism
- "The One True Love" Narrative Trap in YA and How to Smash It.
- · Queering Heroic Fantasy
- Ready. Steady, Flash!
- Your Character Ate What?!!!
- Kindness in SF/F Literature
- Giving Constructive Criticism
- How to Handle Rejection
- The Mathematics of Origami
- · Video Archeology recordings from MAC I
- · Medical Myths and Errors in SF

Most items are open to everyone, but a few, Kaffeeklatsches & Literary Beers, are limited to only nine attendees per session and require sign-up in advance. Sign-up sheets for Kaffeeklatsches, Literary Beers, and the like will be available at the Information Booth in the Exhibit Hall. Check the website for information on signup. You can also set up a Discussion Group or a Special Interest Group at the con; see the Pocket Program for more information.

Check https://midamericon2.org/online-program-schedule/ for more information in a few days including a link to the online schedule for which will be updated frequently throughout the convention.

Award Ceremonies

Check the Pocket Program for locations and additional information about these special award ceremonies:

- Thursday, 3 p.m.: Seiuns (Japanese SF)
- Thursday, 4 p.m.: Golden Duck Awards (Children's literature)
- Thursday, 6 p.m.: Chesley Awards (Art)
- Thursday, 7 p.m.: Campbell & Sturgeon Awards (Campbell Best Novel, Sturgeon Best Short Story)
- Thursday, 8 p.m.: Retro-Hugo Awards (Science fiction achievement awards for 1941)
- Saturday, 1 p.m.: Twentieth Anniversary Sidewise Awards (Alternate history)
- Saturday, 2 p.m.: Prometheus Awards (Libertarian science fiction)
- Saturday, 8 p.m.: Hugo Awards (Science fiction achievement awards for 2015)



Book Clubs

Book clubs provide an opportunity to talk about a book we have all read. Here is the list of Book Clubs we'll have at the con. Read a book (or all five) and check the Pocket Program for the time and place:

- •Thursday afternoon: Robert A. Heinlein's Between Planets.
- •Thursday afternoon: Francis Hardinge's The Lie Tree.
- •Friday morning: Lois McMaster Bujold's Gentleman Jole and the Red Queen.
- •Friday afternoon: Robert Louis Stevenson's novella "Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde."
- •Friday afternoon: Frank Herbert's Dune.

For Teen Writers and Fans of YA Fiction!

The Young Writers Workshop for 13-19 year old convention members has extended the application deadline to August 7th! Get your short story reviewed by published authors and teachers of speculative fiction! The three-hour workshop on Saturday, August 20 includes an exclusive one-hour session with MidAmeriCon II Guest of Honor Tamora Piece, and a two-hour session on crafting better fiction and learning to critique each other's stories. The workshop is free, but you must apply and submit a short story by August 7.

Visit https://midamericon2.org/home/whats-happening/programming/young-writers/ to apply!

For those who don't have a story ready, check out the Open YA Writers Studios that will be happening on Friday and Sunday. These drop-in sessions do not require a pre-submission. Meet other writers and fans of Young Adult fiction of all ages. Topics will range from world building, to plot structure, to character development and more. Open studio is exactly that, open to all ages and come and go as you please. So bring questions, get resources, make new friends, and help one another craft better fiction.

Questions about the Workshop or Open YA Writers Studios, email young-writers-workshop@midamericon2.org

Benefit Auctions

Tiptree Award Charity Auction

The <u>Tiptree Award Charity Auction</u> will run on Friday from noon—1 p.m. Auctioneer extraordinaire Sumana Harihareswara will be there to persuade you to open your wallet.

Fan Fund Auction - TAFF/DUFF

A fan fund auction to benefit both the Trans Atlantic Fan Fund (<u>TAFF</u>) and the Down Under Fan Fund (<u>DUFF</u>) will be held on Saturday from 11 a.m. — 12:30 p.m. Please consider donating items for this auction: weird and unusual fannish stuff, artwork, interesting books or anything with a fannish connection, *pulp magazines* — the older the better, fannish t-shirts, crocheted Chuluthu hats, what-have-you! All donations gratefully accepted, and they'll benefit two wonderful causes.

Please send all items as soon as possible to the following postal address (or, better yet, bring them in person to the fan fund auction): Curt Phillips, 19310 Pleasant View Drive, Abingdon, VA 24211 absarka_prime@comcast.net.

AboutSF/Pulse Benefit Auction

There will be a charity auction to benefit two organizations: <u>AboutSF</u>, an education project of the Gunn Center for the Study of Science Fiction at the University of Kansas, and the <u>Orlando Pulse Victims Fund</u>, coordinated by <u>Equality Florida Action</u>. Auction items will be on display near the Art Show in the Exhibit Hall for a silent auction from Wednesday through Saturday. Items with four or fewer bids by the end of Saturday will be sold to the last bidder. Items with more than four bids, plus a few special items, will be featured in a live auction on Sunday.

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 fast-paced event should be both exciting and fun. Stop in for the fun and perhaps a chance to get your own special piece of fannish history.

We're asking everyone, all con attendees, special guests, artists, dealers, other conventions to consider donating items. All donations are tax deductible. We welcome items connected to fandom plus jewelry, costumes, books, gift certificates... anything except items banned by the convention (such as weapons). You can help make this benefit auction a greater success by helping to solicit donations from local stores, writing and sending donation request letters, or volunteering to help staff the auction tables or help at the live auction. For more information about the auction or how you can help, write to benefitauction@midamericon2.org.

Heinlein Society Blood Drives

After last year's successful blood drive at Sasquan (67 pints collected in two drives), the Heinlein Society has arranged for three days of blood drives in the convention center - Thursday, Friday & Saturday from 10 a.m. —4 p.m in the 2300 Lobby (where Registration will be). The blood drives are managed locally by the Kansas City Community Blood Center. If you haven't donated blood before, here are the blood donation eligibility requirements. Note that 16 years olds can donate with parental consent, and people over 76 can donate with a doctor's letter. Select this link to schedule an appointment to donate blood at MidAmeriCon II. You may also be able to stop by the blood drive check-in desk at the con to make a reservation for a time slot.

Voting for the 2018 World Science Fiction Convention

All members of MidAmeriCon II can vote for the location of the 2018 Worldcon. <u>Site Selection</u> is open until Friday at 6 p.m. in the Exhibit Hall. Site selection for the 2017 NASFiC will be run at the same time.

WSFS Business Meeting

As a member of MidAmeriCon II you can attend and participate in the World Science Fiction Society Business Meeting. They will be held on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and possibly on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Convention Center 2104AB. You have until August 3 to submit new business. Note that this is the one area of the Kansas City Convention Center MidAmeriCon II is using that is north of 13th St. You need to exit the building on the south side of 13th St. and re-enter it on the north side of 13th St. — follow the signs to 2104AB.

Off-Site SF Happenings

Tuesday: MidAmeriCon II Guest of Honor Tamora Pierce and fantasy writer Brian McClellan will be at the Kansas City Library (14 West 10th St., KC, 64105) at 6:30 p.m. to <u>discuss fantasy</u>. The library is about two blocks northeast of the Marriott; this event is free.

Guest of Honor Michael Swanwick will have a signing of his new book "Not So Much," Said the Cat on Tuesday, 7 p.m. at Rainy Day Books (Fairway Shops, 2706 W. 53rd St. Fairway, KC, 66205–6 miles SW of the convention center). Visit the Rainy Day Books website to buy a ticket to attend the signing; the ticket price includes a copy of the book.

Friday: Rainy Day Books is hosting George R. R. Martin and Melinda Snodgrass to celebrate the publication of *High Stakes: A Wild Cards Novel* at the Marriott on Friday beginning at 5 p.m. Expected to attend are David Anthony Durham, Stephen Leigh, John Jos. Miller, Caroline Spector, Saladin Ahmed, Parris, Pat Cadigan, Marko Kloos, Gail Gerstner Miller, Mary Anne Mohanraj, Kevin Andrew Murphy, Diana Rowland, Walton (Bud) Simons, Bob Wayne, Walter Jon Williams and Michael Cassutt. Visit the Rainy Day Books website to buy a ticket to attend the signing; the ticket price includes a copy of the book.

Keeping up with News at the Convention

There are several ways to keep up with news and schedule changes at the con:

- Print: The printed newsletter, MAC II News, will generally be published twice a day, in the late morning and late afternoon. There will also be special editions for the Masquerade results and the Hugo Award results. You'll find newsletters distributed at various locations throughout the convention, and PDF and HTML versions will be available on the website.
- Online: Follow @MidAmeriCon2 on Twitter or the MidAmeriCon II Facebook group We will be posting some schedule changes, party information, and will even live-tweet the Business Meeting. In addition to the printed copy of the Pocket Program that you will get when you register, we'll also have an online program schedule guide with a frequently updated schedule and all the other information from the Pocket Program.

The online guide will be updated daily with all of the latest program schedule changes. We suggest you take a minute every morning to update the schedule on your phone or tablet before you leave for the convention so you can check for changes before you even get to the con. Schedule changes made after the Pocket Program goes to press will also be available in printed form and in the Newsletter.

If you have news for social media and for MAC II News, send it to news@midamericon2.org. The Newsletter office will be in Bartle Hall, just across from the Information Booth.

Code of Conduct

MidAmeriCon II exists for the enjoyment and enrichment of the fannish community. Although we believe our members and attendees as a whole are rational and responsible adults, this Code of Conduct seeks to ensure that the behavior of any person or group does not disturb the membership as a whole or detract from the relaxed and comfortable atmosphere of our events.

It is important that you read and understand this Code. Anyone who attends MidAmeriCon II is expected to follow this Code for the entire duration of the event.

MidAmeriCon II is prepared to deal with any issues related to the Code in as rapid and efficient a manner as possible should they occur. We thank our members and attendees for their assistance in making MidAmeriCon II events enjoyable experiences for everyone. Have fun — just please remember to be courteous to those around you while doing so!

MidAmeriCon II values free expression of opinions and open discourse; this policy is not established to limit those. Please note that we have further policies regarding parties, weapons and privacy.

Behavior Policy

All MidAmeriCon II events should be an experience where everyone feels welcomed and comfortable. Discrimination (based on, but not limited to, gender, race, ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, or physical/mental disability) is not tolerated. Harassment of any kind is not tolerated. If someone tells you "no" or asks you to leave them alone, your business with them is done.

If you feel that you are being discriminated against or harassed, or if you notice someone behaving inappropriately (such as violating hotel or convention policies), we respectfully suggest the following:

- 1. If you feel comfortable doing so, point out the inappropriate behavior to the person(s) involved. Often this will solve the problem immediately.
- 2. If you do not feel comfortable talking with the person(s) involved or if talking to them does not resolve the issue, please report the situation immediately. Try to provide a name, badge name/number and/or physical description of the person(s) involved. Note that we need to know during the event about any incidents in order to take action.

Upon receipt of a complaint, the Incident Response Team (IRT) will develop a full report of the incident, including talking to those involved and any witnesses, and work with the Chairs of the convention to decide on appropriate action. MidAmeriCon II will keep private the identities of persons involved as much as possible, restricting the identities to those parties with a genuine need to know in order to perform their duties. Disclosure of any identifying information of those involved in a complaint, or details about the complaint, by any staff of MidAmeriCon II, beyond that described above, without the consent of those involved may be viewed as harassment and responded to accordingly. MidAmeriCon II will be happy to help attendees contact hotel/venue security or local law enforcement, provide escorts, or otherwise assist members to feel safe for the duration of the convention.

Privacy, Photographs, and Recording Electronic Information

Photography and video and/or audio recordings are frequently made by MidAmeriCon II during events. The likenesses of event attendees and members may appear in those recordings. Attendees and members agree to assign without compensation the use of their likeness in promotional material.

Personal Photography / Recordings

Please be polite and ask before taking photographs or recordings of attendees and members whenever possible. Remember that just because someone is in costume does not mean that they are automatically granting permission to be photographed. Video and audio recording and photography for personal archival use only is generally acceptable unless individuals make it clear that they do not want to be photographed or recorded. In that case, any photographing or recording them is expressly forbidden.

Revocation of Membership

MidAmeriCon II reserves the right to revoke membership from and eject anyone at any time from a MidAmeriCon II event without a refund. Failure to adhere to any of these policies may result in possible consequences that include but are not limited to:

- · Talking with all parties involved and attempting to mediate a solution
- Issuing verbal warnings
- Revoking memberships and requesting that the person(s) leave the event
- · Involving hotel or facility staff or security
- Contacting local law enforcement
- · Banning of attendance at and membership in MidAmeriCon II, including any post-MidAmeriCon II events.

Interpretation

MidAmeriCon II reserves the right to amend these rules at any time without prior or posted notice and reserves the sole right of interpretation. Please keep in mind that these rules involve, of course, "worst-case" scenarios and are put in place to ensure the safety and comfort of our members. They are not all-inclusive; in all cases, the singular rule that supersedes all others is, "Any action or behavior that is illegal or causes significant interference with event operations, excessive discomfort to other attendees, or adversely affects MidAmeriCon II's relationship with its guests, its venue, or the public is strictly forbidden and may result in revocation of membership privileges."

Weapons Policy

- 1. No real or dangerous weapon, or any item that can be mistaken for one, may be carried at any time in the Kansas City Convention Center or within other hotel areas under the control of MidAmeriCon II. A "dangerous weapon" is defined as "any weapon that is readily capable of lethal use."
- 2. The Convention Center will have a security station in the main lobby to inspect prop weapons for compliance with the center's policy. A prop weapon that is realistic in appearance must be inspected and tagged by the Convention Center's inspection check station in the main lobby. Any prop weapon that is carried in the Convention Center must be submitted for inspection; any person carrying a prop weapon that has not been inspected will be directed to the lobby or asked to remove the prop weapon from the center.
- 3. All realistic weapons must be brought to Convention Headquarters (ConHQ) located in the exhibit hall (there will be signs) to be peace-bonded. If you are unsure whether your weapon might be considered realistic, you must present it to ConHQ, which is the final arbiter of which weapons require peace-bonding.
- 4. No functional projectile weapons, props, or toys are permitted anywhere in the Convention Center or other MidAmeriCon II convention space, regardless of whether they are peace bonded.
- 5. Any prop or realistic weapon purchased in the Dealers' Room, or any item purchased that could be mistaken for one, must be wrapped and immediately transported out of the Convention Center, and may not be carried in the center unless it is first inspected as specified in items 2 and 3.
- 6. If you are competing in the Masquerade and you have concerns about whether a prop or realistic weapon that you intend to use as part of your presentation will be permitted into the Convention Center, you must contact the Masquerade director as early as possible.
- 7. Any person who displays or brandishes a prop, real, or realistic weapon, or any item that can be mistaken for one, in a threatening or harmful manner may have their MidAmeriCon II membership revoked without refund, be expelled from the Convention Center, and could be subject to arrest.

MidAmeriCon II believes that if you follow the above rules, you should not have a problem with the Convention Center policy. However, if you are told that your weapon is not allowed, by the Convention Center or MidAmeriCon II staff, you will need to immediately return it to your hotel room or car. Any item which is prohibited by governing law is prohibited under this policy.

Membership Refund & Transfer Policy

Although memberships are not refundable, you can transfer your membership to someone else. You can initiate a membership transfer by writing a letter including the member's postal mailing address and the name, email address and postal address of the person to whom you are transferring the membership. The person receiving the transfer should bring a copy of the transfer letter to Registration.

Privacy Policy

MidAmeriCon II will never sell any information that we gather to anyone for any reason.

We never keep any credit card information. We use Mijireh to securely process your credit card information and that information resides on their secure PCI compliant server.

We will retain your name, home address, and email address to process your membership request and enable you to participate as a member of MidAmeriCon II. This includes passing the information to the 2017 Worldcon to enable you to exercise your Hugo Award nomination rights.

Incident Response Team (IRT)

The Incident Response Team (IRT) at MidAmeriCon II is the department responsible for responding to incidents and situations at the convention that involve member behavior, especially in relation to violations of the convention's code of conduct policy. Prior to the convention, you can contact us with your questions or to make a report at incident-reports@midamericon2.org. During the convention, you can find us in ConHQ, which is located along the west wall of the exhibit hall or by calling or texting 816-800-2550. We will also be checking email regularly.

MidAmeriCon II Incident Report Process For all MidAmeriCon II Members

So you have a problem at the convention, what should you do?

If you're having an issue, come to Con HQ, flag down one of our rovers, or call HQ (number will be provided before the convention) and we will be happy to help!

If your issue is with another member of the convention, you will be assisted by our Incident Response Team, to discuss your experience and decide if you would like to make a report. You may also contact the Incident Response Team directly by calling or texting 816-800-2550. If your issue is with someone on the incident response team we have solutions in place to handle that as well.

We will make a written report, and ask you for the details needed to understand and resolve the problem or prevent further harm. If you give us your name and contact information, we will follow up with you as needed, but we also will accept anonymous reports.

We will tell you what our next steps will be and further action(s) to be taken, if any. If you request, we will follow up with you and let you know the outcome of our actions.

If other people are named in the complaint, they will be told that there is a complaint against them, but if the reporter wishes to remain anonymous, the identity of the person making the report will not be named.

Membership Update

New MidAmeriCon II memberships purchased between April 7-July 6

S60141 Mary Abbott S59201 Suzanne Abram A5290 Bill Adams S66531 Gordon Adams S65781 Marissa Adams A57261 Jason Ahlquist S61131 Peter Ahlstrom S4529 John Aiello S5079 Marianne Aldrich A66381 Charlie Jane Anders S5306 Jan Andersen A5561 Carl Anderson A65951 Paul Anderson F66011 Ignacio Andrade S5045 Lise Andreasen S62221 Brad Andrews A4587 Elena Andrews A175 Scott Andrews S5529 Linnea Anglemark S57791 Michael Antoniewicz S5602 Steven Apergis SAT4694 Acsa Aramini SAT4693 Marc Aramini S4684 Charles Ardai S59881 Frank Armstrong S60791 Inanna Arthen A6019 Kevin Asher A5437 Carole Ashmore A4561 Dyrk Ashton A5667 Stacy Ashton A58981 Jean Asselin S5414 Timothy Atkinson A58031 Margot Atwell S5374 Victoria Atwood A4980 Aaron Autry S5310 Mary Avinger S66201 Ben Babcock S58041 Alan Badger S4614 Megan Bailey S5109 Alison Baker A63202 Debra Fran Baker A6007 Jeff Baker A63201 Jonathan Baker S60091 Asha Bardon YA65401 Helen Barford A5400 Cooper Barham S59371 Anthony Barkauskas S5462 Don Barkauskas S62111 Liz Barr S59801 Matthew Barr S60171 Mark Bartlett S5154 Igor Bass A63261 Elizabeth Batty

A5119 Paul Bauch A6012 Robin Baylor S5287 Jonathan Beall S62902 Susan Bedry A2041 Thaddeus Bejnar A6003 David P. Bellamy A5261 Laura Bellrose A59161 Jan Bender A4623 Ron Bender YA63361 Samantha Bennett S5495 Todd Bennett S5229 Jeffrey Bennion A61511 Emily Bergslien A58841 Marianne Berkey S4643 Ruth Berman A6006 Marty Berngard A5313 John D. Berry A6016 Mary Bertelson S5152 Frederick Best S61621 Tonya Bezpalko S59071 Robert Bigelow S5686 Brian Billings S5522 Elizabeth Birdsall S57821 William Bishop A5620 Bruce Blackistone S58422 Tracy Blackstone S5243 Elaine Blank S65121 Bob Blough S62191 A.J. Bobo S58591 William Bodden A61231 Janice Bogstad S5161 Jurica Bogunovic S5520 Oliver Bolz S5664 Andrew Bome S58351 Elizabeth Bonesteel W66511 Danielle Bopp S61003 Chris Borst A4598 Dominic Bosco S5546 Kirk Boston S59861 Mike Bouffler A62721 Jim Bracher A4590 Richard Bradford A5549 Curtiss Brandt A4664 Gerald Brandt C4675 Jared Brandt C4676 Ryan Brandt A59841 Joseph Brassey YA5173 Christopher Brathwaite S5417 David Bratman S57841 Anja Braun S5576 Susan Braviak

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S59381 Annalies Lockwood

A62251 Krystyna Lopez

S5614 Rex Loftin

S57962 Emma Lord

A5195 David Love

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