



The Port Authority

News at Interaction

Editorial Team: Yellow Pearls

Dateline: Sunday 18:00

Programme Changes

3200 Monday 11:00 **Subverting the Traditions of Fantasy**

Moved from L(Alsh-1) to L (Carron)

3215 Monday 11:00 **The World We are Making Now: Politics**

Moved from: L(Carron) to L (Alsh-1)

3295 Monday 12:00 **Jim Burns Slideshow** Moved from

L(Carron) to L(Lomond)

40 **Human Psychology and Long Distance Spaceflight**

Time change to Monday 10:00 L (Alsh-1)

New Monday 12:00

Spintronics: A New Spin on Electronics L(Dochart)

Spintronics uses nano-engineered materials to harness the spin of the electron as well as its charge. IBM researcher Kevin Roche explains how it works and where it might be going in terms promised not to make your head spin.

Overheard

"Mummy, I like this place" – Young Adult leaving the YAFA outside event where Vincent Docherty, convention co-chairman, helped explode a plastic bucket, YAFA beret, and other items.

Esther Friesner: I never understood why the knights of the round table went hunting for the Holy Grail. I just thought it was something they had to do.

Justina Robson: Like go to IKEA?

Overheard at the masquerade; Stage crew to Tech, "We need an MP3 stick for the Gnomes."

Frank Wu on Ready Steady Sew, "Happiness is a warm glue gun."

Ribbon Envy

Following a study by the Interaction Study Group, it has been discovered that fans without ribbons feel deprived. To alleviate this situation, all ribbonless fans will be issued special ribbons made out of our revolutionary invisible fabric.

Interaction Merchandise

The Sales To Members table in Hall 2 has T-shirts, bags, pins and much more! Orders are being taken for any out of stock sizes. Note that they are accepting GRT coupons! Stop by to pick up a souvenir with your volunteer money. 30 Limited Edition souvenir books, and regular hardbacks are available. Limited Edition Jim Burns Spaceport prints can be bought from Art Show tomorrow morning.

Have van, will get free?

There is a VAN LOAD of old SF Magazines available in Glasgow looking for a home. The collection will not be split. If you would like a van load of magazines, please put your name on the list with the donation that you would like to make at Electrical Eggs.

The Hugos and the Web

A committee created on Friday will consider changes to the Hugo rules concerning the use of the web for publishing. A mailing list has been set up: hugoweb@yahogroups.com
Contacts: Peter Wilkinson hugoweb@pwilkinson.cix.co.uk
Tim Illingworth tim@smofs.org.

Eye of Argon Reading

Reading will be held in the Fan Lounge at 23:00

Hugo Lottery Winners

The Winners of the Hugo Lottery are: 1st Juan San Miguel, 2nd Sammi Owens, 3rd M L Nuggebbey, 4th Kjeirtfin Arnorsson and 5th Spring Schoenhuth. Please come to the Armadillo @ 19:45 to claim your seating.

Gopher Prize Draws.

The Daily prize draws are now one large draw. Those who have worked between 5 and 15 hours at con, are entitled to one of the book plates, autographed by authors at the con. Those who have worked over 16 hours have a choice of autographed book plate, and will be included in a draw for items in shorter supply. Books, T-shirts, hand towels, DVDs, sets of all 12 GRTs, volunteer only T-shirts, memberships to the 2006 and 2007 Worldcons, 2006 Eastercon and 2005 Novacon. Come to the Gopher hole at 13:00 on Monday to collect your prizes.

Make sure that your hours are registered before 12:00 Monday to qualify for the draw.

Whither GUFF?

After discussions were held by a group of Australian SMOF, the view was that GUFF would do enough to cover Great Britain / Europe to Australia. Australia is likely to have Worldcons once every decade. Northern Europe might have more. The discussion continues. J J Styles

For YAFA Parents

Can parents of YAFA participants please keep their phones on, even on vibrate, so that they can be contacted if necessary?

The European Science Fiction Society has voted on the ESFS awards

Best Publisher: Nature, United Kingdom
Best Writer: Marina and Sergey Dyachenko, Ukraine
Best Artist: Sergey Poyarkov, Ukraine
Best Magazine: Galaktika, Hungary
Best Promoter: Alain Le Bussy, Belgium
Best Translator: Kees van Toorn, Netherlands

Would you trust this man to run a Worldcon?



Chemistry Teacher Stand in
Yafa faced a disaster today upon discovering that they had broken their Chemist by working her into the ground. The Big Bang item this afternoon saw an Emma King stand-in, one Vince Docherty. Some of the young adults who had been with Emma all week viewed this with scepticism. "Are you qualified to do this?" Vince was asked, before going on to explain that he was a trained Chemist and had caused explosions in the past— "Controlled ones" he hastened to add.

Party Supplies

Party Hosts – remember not to dump any unused party supplies, you do not have drag them back with you. Donate them to the Staff party tomorrow. All donations gratefully accepted.

Jane Fletcher Signing

Jane Fletcher will sign copies of her books at the Fantasy (Medway) Ltd stand, shortly after her Monday 12:00 panel.

LOST AND FOUND

Shoes

Last night at the Hilton parties somebody walked off with my size 6 black high heel shoes. Would the finder please return them to Sally Turcato c/o the Gopher Hole.

Lost GRTs

A prominent fan lost 7 GRTs at the Swedish Party last night.

Please deliver the originals or replacements to the Newsletter Office where they will be gratefully received.

Foam Core Prize

Win a prize at the Fan Room for the most entertaining use of the prize.

Results of Runaround.

Sundays Runaround was won by Ivan Sinha. Quizmaster Robert Newman commented "He's played it before; I should have written some new questions!"

Fifth Timer Ribbons

Fifth timers can collect ribbons from the information desk if they didn't get one at the party on Thursday.

Didier Cottier, winner of "The Best in the Art Show, was sponsored for his visit to Worldcon by French Fandom.

Winner of 2007 Eurocon

70 votes in total: Ireland 16, Denmark 51, spoilt votes 3. Eurocon 2007 will be in Copenhagen. Eurocon 2006 is in Kiev, Ukraine: April '06
More info in A1sh 1 at 12:00.

Congratulations! Denmark

The Eurocon 2007 in Ireland bid team extends its warmest congratulations to the Danish bid committee who were ultimately the winners. Eurocon 2007 in Copenhagen promises to be an excellent convention. *David Stewart*

Sweden Linköping SF Group

Meets 1st Tuesdays and 3rd Thursdays each month.

www.lysator.liu.se/lsff

www.lysator.liu.se/confuse

Speaking Double Dutch

All Dutch Speaking Fans who would like to meet up with others, come to the Caffè Ritazza at 11am on Monday. Tot dan!

New ESFS Committee

The ESFS has elected new officers at the Business meeting.

Chair: Dave Lally (Ireland)

Vice-Chair: Roberto Quaglia.

Secretary: Bridget Wilkinson(UK)

Treasurer: Piotr Cholewa (Poland)

Swedish fan meeting

In Gothenburg, Sweden, fans meet every first Tuesday of the month at the Rover, 2:a Langgatan, or the Science Fiction bookstore, Ostor Lamgatan 16. We also have a new multi-genre Science Fiction club called(SF)³ for SF, Fantasy, Horror and Media.

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