HELMUTH

Sunday - Only issue

REGISTRATION reports that actual attendance was 2674 when they shut down Saturday night (and about 15 more people were waiting in line at 10 this morning). Total registration including no-shows is less firm, but the figure is somewhere close to 2800. (Last year, you'll recall, we had 2540 registered and 2420 attending.)

STILL MORE ART SHOW AWARDS:

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Popular Choice Award: Professional, Michael Whelan; Amateur, Arthur Everett Moore.

Art Show Staff Awards: First Place, N. Taylor Blanchard, "Cardmistress". Honorable Mentions: Richard Salvucci, "Magician from Manchuria" series; Michael Moyle, "Lost"; Cecilia Cosentini, "Startide"; Sean Spacher, "Following Sea".

Remember that art purchased in the Art Show (or at the auction) must be picked up by 4 PM today. If you have the hugh bid on a piece of art, you've bought it.

FROM LOGISTICS -- A reminder to those open party groups that received soda "seed" from Logistics: Bring back your empty bottles/cans to Logistics (Room 402) to obtain a refund of your deposit. Logistics will be open from 4:30 to 9(?) PM on Sunday.

Boxboro McFandom wants to thank the 386 participants who helped make our party a success. Special thanks to Rick Katze, John Godin, Skip Morris, the Baaad Beatles guitarists, and the celebrities who graced the party.

PERSONAL NOTICES:

EMERGENCY NOTICE for Michael Buckley: Call home immediately. Sunday. Your sister has left home.

B. Stockman and James Hall - Please come to the Art Show Desk.

PROGRAM NOTES -- Nothing new has come in today. See the listing in Helmuth #4. A reminder that Ada Axelrod's exercise program will be repeated in Room 405 at 3 PM today.

NESFA SALES -- Available for the last time at these rates today, at the NESFA table in the Hucksters' Room:

Gene Wolfe, <u>Plan(e)t Engineering</u> \$8.57 (Price will be \$13 after the con. The slipcased edition is already sold out.)

The Boskone XXI T-shirt (\$8.00) was almost sold out by this morning, but back orders will be accepted.

Boskone XXII (Feb. 15-17, 1985) memberships, \$15 (\$17 after this Boskone). Boskone Life Memberships, \$300 (\$340 after the con).

People who have advance orders for books or T-shirts should pick them up at the NESFA table before the Hucksters' Room closes (5 PM today).

THOUGHTS OF CHAIRMAN RICK -- As noted in The Mark of Zorro, "Never let business interfere with drinking." A good quote then, and still relevant. -- Rick

Answers to Crossword #2

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62-Loon,63-Lad,64-Toad,65-Eon,66-Sty Down: 1-Wasp,2-Alto,3-Slew,4-Cow1,5-One,6-Nerves,7-Trantor,8-Hari,9-Eric, 10-W-de,1?-Neutron,15-Pedal,19-Rag,20-Frodo,22-Enter,25-Apart,?6-Hari,9-Eric, 27-NESFA,29-Petri,30-Scrod,31-Urb,34-Tin,36-Meter,37-Tension,38-End of, 21-Bug-eved,43-Tolls,45-Settle,47-Rue,50-Raft,51-Ohio,52-Bova,53-Lion, 41-Bug-eved,43-Tolls,45-Settle,47-Rue,50-Raft,51-Ohio,52-Bova,53-Lion,

Across: 1-%ss,4-Con,7-Them,11-All, 12-None,13-Rera,14-Step,16-Ewer,17-Arid, 18-Powerful,21-Venice,23-Dart,24-Ent,25-Aragorn, 8-Stops,31-Opil,32-Doe, 33-Erect,35-Ret,36-Nonster,39-Tri,40-Bride,42-Fen,43-Tron,44-Touts,46-Android,48-Gee,49-Soul,50-Robert,53-Lifeline,57-Ahoy,58-Trio,60-Sled,61-Five,

Don't forget to come to the gripe session at 4 PM in Clarendon if there's something you want to tell us about what Boskone is doing wrong (or right).

PARTIES -- Boxboro McFandom will be open again tonight in Room 649; don't have a time yet. The only other party we know about so far is the MITSFS party, 8 PM in Room 913. There'll probably be others; check the bulletin boards for later information.

PROGRAM CHANGE -- George Scithers will be (or was, depending on when you see this) on the editors' panel, noon in the Imperial Ballroom.

After People Mover had been open for two hours this morning, they discovered a fan sleeping under one of their tables. We presume he's a volunteer.

Well, that's all the news we have this morning. Remember, check the bulletin boards near Information for later announcements. See you next year.