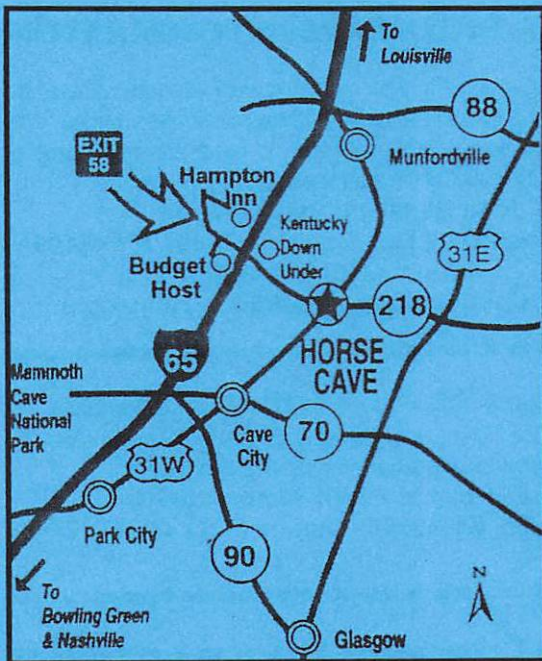


# CONCAVE 24

**February 28-March 2, 2003    Horse Cave, KY**  
**Guest of Honor: To Be Announced**



As yet another example of the human capacity for self-punishment, here we go with 24<sup>th</sup> annual Concave, Kentucky's longest-running science fiction relaxacon. Once again the nice people at the Hampton Inn of Horse Cave have agreed to let us return! That means we once again have the whole hotel for the weekend, including the comfy lobby/consuite, warm indoor pool, even warmer hot tub, exercise room, film room, elevator, full handicapped accessibility, and lots of space for parties, just not much for parking! The hotel is located right off I-65 at Exit 58. Due to the ever-increasing popularity of Concave we must continue the room lottery. See the back of this flier for an entry form. You must send in a lottery form by December 13 to be in the running for accommodations at The Hampton Inn!

In addition to the Hampton Inn, the Exit 58 area includes The Budget Host Inn for overflow hotel accommodations within walking distance of the main hotel, 24-hour restaurants and convenience stores, and a shopping center. We also will repeat the popular Banquet at the Bookstore at Concave 24. Seating is limited to 50, and tickets will only be available at Concave registration. While in downtown Horse Cave, you may also enjoy the American Cave Museum and Hidden River Cave Tour, or you might just want to browse around The Bookstore and the Dollar General Store. This is rural Kentucky living at its finest!

**TO SEND REGISTRATION PAYMENTS OR  
FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Concave c/o Gary Robe  
P. O. Box 3221 – Kingsport, TN 37664  
Phone: (423) 239-3106

E-Mail: [ccaveman@preferred.com](mailto:ccaveman@preferred.com)

**MEMBERSHIP RATES:**

\$20.00 postmarked before 2/15/03  
\$30.00 at the door

**THE HAMPTON INN OF HORSE CAVE**  
750 Flint Ridge Rd – Horse Cave, KY 42749  
Phone: (270) 786-5000

**ROOM RATES: To Be Determined**

**THE HOTEL WILL NOT ACCEPT  
RESERVATIONS UNTIL THE ROOM  
LOTTERY HAS BEEN DRAWN**



### WHAT IS CONCAVE?

Concave is a relaxed weekend of socializing between science fiction fans of all ages. It features a round-the-clock fully stocked consuite, an art show and auction, huxter room, and gaming rooms. Our goal is to continue the fannish traditions of bringing together a diverse group of people, connected through an interest in SF and all its trappings, stand back, and see what happens. We try to introduce new generations to the family of SF fandom while honoring some of the people who have contributed greatly to this lively sub-culture. Concave is not an event to attend for panel discussions, workshops, and meeting SF writers and artists, but it is a great way to meet others who share your interest in the fantastic!

### OVERFLOW ACCOMODATIONS

The Budget Host Inn offers an economical and convenient alternative if your number doesn't come up in the lottery. It is located within easy walking distance to the Hampton Inn, restaurants, and convenience stores.

**ROOM RATES: Not confirmed for 2003, but 2002 rates were**

**Std. Double: \$33.00 + tax, Maximum 4 people**

**King Suite: \$35.00 + tax, Maximum 4 people**

**Mini Suite: \$37.95 + tax, Maximum 6 people**

**Deluxe Suite: \$40-45.00 + tax, Maximum 4 people**

Some of the Mini and Deluxe suites include a full kitchen and cooking utensils. Prices shown are for double occupancy. Rates are higher for extra people. Check I-65 coupon books available at rest stops for specials!

### BUDGET HOST INN MAMMOTH CAVE AREA

Phone: 1-800-888-CAVE for reservations

### ART SHOW INFORMATION

To receive a copy of the Concave Art Show Rules, bid sheets, control sheets, hanging fees, and shipping information contact:

**Pat Molloy and Naomi Fisher**

**P. O. Box 9135 – Huntsville, AL 35812-0135**

**Phone: (256) 830-4471**

Space is limited and the show sells out: make reservations early!

**NOTICE! DO NOT MAIL ANY ARTWORK TO THE KINGSFORT, TN ADDRESS!**

**The Art Show Staff will provide all shipping information!**

### GAMING PROGRAM INFORMATION

The Concave Gaming Program is always very informal. There are usually no sponsored tournaments and no prizes are awarded. We will try to accommodate groups wanting to run a particular game or tournament, but please let the staff know about it in advance

**John Hans and Patty Teague**

**2143-A Rockcreek Dr. - Bowling Green, KY 42101**

**Phone: (270) 843-1607**

**E-Mail: ConCave-GameStaff@AngelFire.com**

### Huxter Room Information

The Concave Huxter Room is sold out, but dealers may send payments or request information by contacting:

**Steve Francis – 5503 Matterhorn Dr.**

**Louisville, KY 40216 – Phone (502) 448-6562**

### Return of The Revenge of The Son Of the Concave Room Lottery

Cut off this section and mail to P.O. Box 3221 – Kingsport, TN 37664 by no later than December 13, 2002

Name: _____	Room Type Preference:	2 Double Beds	<input type="checkbox"/>
Address: _____		1 King Bed	<input type="checkbox"/>
City: _____	State: _____	Smoking	<input type="checkbox"/>
Phone: _____	E-mail: _____	Nonsmoking	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sharing With:		Connecting	<input type="checkbox"/>
1. _____		Quiet Area	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____		Party Area	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. _____			
Contact for: _____	(Party/club group)	Handicapped Accessible	<input type="checkbox"/>
Special Needs: _____			

Instructions for entering the lottery: Fill out the form completely. Odds increase if you share with up to 3 others – it puts your name in the pot 4 times. Enter only once and pick a contact person for your group! Multiple entries are purged and only serve to annoy us! You don't want to be annoying! If you are throwing a party or have special needs, please let us know the name of your group and what you need. If booking more than one room, indicate in the Special Needs section. Rooms will be allotted in the order of the lottery draw. We cannot guarantee availability of a specific type of room or connection. Winners will be notified by mail about confirmations.