

Daily newzine of the 1986 Westercon. Editor - Mike Glycer. FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1986
News and party listings should be left at the mighty Information Desk, or in the Program Room with some responsible-looking person -- or perhaps abandoned on a corner table.

COMETARY OBSERVATIONS BY THE CHAIR

(1) As you may have suspected, the Site Selection Voting Booth schedule generously supplied in your Pocket Program is *ahem* off. The real schedule is this: FRIDAY 10 am to 9 pm., and SATURDAY 10 am to Midnight. Voting closes at Midnight, and the winner (?) has to run the 1988 Westercon. *ho ho*

(2) Hotel Stuff. Don't put anything on the wallpapered walls. On other walls, please post materials using the double-sided tape that is available from the Info Desk. This tape has been blessed by the Church of Herbangelism.

The hotel pool officially closes at 10 PM, but Security has said "as long as you're not rowdy" we can swim later. Glubbity-glub.

PROGRAM & SIGNING CHANGES

First of all, we have x-acto knifed out the signing schedule for Friday. There will be a moment of silence for this gap in the layout.

SATURDAY SIGNINGS -

- 12:00 R.V. Salsitz, A. Budrys, S. Finch
- 1:00 J. Rosenberg, J. DeCles
- 2:00 j.l. finder, R. Feist, S. Sucharitkul
- 3:00 V. Vinge, M. Gilden, J. Roberson
- 4:00 R.F. Nelson, J. Shirley, R. Silverberg
- 5:00 D. Brin, G. Benford

SUNDAY SIGNINGS -

- 12:00 E. Bryant, D. Paxson
- 1:00 S. Cooper, R. Purtill
- 2:00 G. Bear, J. Richards

The following speakers have cancelled and will not be appearing: Lynn Barker, Christopher Claremont, Fran Evans, David Craig Lubkin, John Silbersack, Jean Teresa Sumner, and Jffer-son P. Swycaffer.

Art by: BARD

PARTY TONIGHT? SUBMIT! A LISTING FOR TONIGHT'S NEWZINE EDITION...



ATTENTION BABY BOOMERS: If you intentionally avoided the draft during Vietnam, please contact Sherry Gottlieb, Rm. 3452.

PROGRAM CHANGES: 4:30 Sampo Awards cancelled. 2:30 Senate Room "Is It Terrifying?" Add Michael Reeves. 6:00 Cabinet Room "High Tech Props for Costuming" Add Brent Turner, Pete Miller, Fred Oppenheimer, Eddie Teller. 4:40 "Fuzzy Animal Fandom" Add Steve Gallacci

YES IT'S TRUE: Glenn Glazer is masquerading at the con as that comic solider, Betelgeuse Bailey.

Going under an assumed name, this is still the convention's daily newzine edited by Mike Glycer. Information and party listings can be dropped off at the box at the Information Desk, or on the appropriately labeled table in the Programming Room (2nd fl. Con Ctr)

PARTY LISTING: FRIDAY, JULY 4

3145-46	Phoenix in '88 (Westercon bid)	8:00
3212-14	Portland in '88 (West'con bid)	8:30
3216	Boston in '89 (Worldcon bid)	9:00
3304	New Orleans in '88 (World'n)	9:00
3500-02	Los Angeles in '89 (Westercon)	9:00

HOW MANY ARE THERE? Seth Breidbart thought that the daily newzine ought to print some actual news, and pinned the editor down to ask what registration was at this point. Gail Hanrahan, interviewed in the registration area, affirmed Westercon attendance was between 1700-1800. One of her journalistic-minded assistants said, "Add a two-digit prime number to 1700 and it will sound authentic." So, Seth, just for you, attendance to date is 1753.

HELLO STEPHEN KING? The persistent rumor that Stephen King checked into the hotel, and was here to attend the MAXIMUM OVERDRIVE promo, is unconfirmed at this writing, but it is driving King hyperfan Anne Hansen to distraction. If you're here, Steve, would you please leave an autograph for Anne (rm. 3520)? Thanks. Oh, and one more, for Robin Doig at con Programming. Thanks again.

PROGRAM UPDATES - SATURDAY

(1) "Sexism in Fantasy" (12:00, Cabinet) add Margo Skinner. (2) "Women Warriors" (11:30, Chamber) add Leonard Carpenter. (3) "Nightmares and Phobics" (1:00, Senate) add Richard Englehart, Aric Leavitt. (4) "Artificial Intelligence" (12:00, Del Mar) add Tom Galloway. (5) "Challenger Disaster" (12:00, Town & Country) add Rick Cook. (6) "Computer Networks & Fanac" (3:30, Council) add Rick Cook. (7) "Appropriate Tech for Fan Publishing" (Sunday 10:00 Senate) add Rick Cook. (8) "Poetry in Mid-Novel" (3:30, Forum) add Margo Skinner. (9) "Decline & Fall of Hard SF" (2:30, Chamber) add Tappan King. (10) Kandy Fong's Media SF Slide Show (5:00, Council Room -- not the room listed in the index.)



(11) "Censorship" (2:30, Senate) add Aric Leavitt. (12) "Does Cover Art Sell Books?" (2:30, Chamber) add Brent Anderson. (13) *NEW PANEL* "It Was Funny When It Left Here -- Writing for TV Animation" (9:00, Cabinet), Mel Gilden, Michael Reeves, Brynne Stephens, Gerry Conway, Carla Conway. (14) *NEW PANEL* "Family Synergy" based on the concepts on the family from the writings of Robert Heinlein. (10:30, Del Mar) Hopwood, Sensemen, M&J Horge. (15) Slide Show, artist Garret Moore (11:00, Esquire) Also, Space News Wkly

The International Penguin Conspiracy is holding the daily newzine for ransom. Send more krill! Editor - MIKE GLYER. Art Director - BARD. Morning edition, July 5.

BOOGIE TIL VICTORIA: One hundred forty terminally whimsical people joined the Regency Dance last night, according to master of the trots John Hertz.

PROGRAM IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT: Saturday. "SF Comedy Slide Shows" plus Slides From Star Trek IV. (5:00, Council Rm). Sunday. "Hard Magic" (1:30, Town & Country) add Brynne Stephens. "Libertarianism in Science Fiction" (10:00, Chamber Room) add David Ross, Aric Leavett. "Militaristic Science Fiction" (12:30, Forum) subtract Leonard Carpenter. "Modern Miskatronics" (2:30, Senate) subtract Leonard Carpenter.

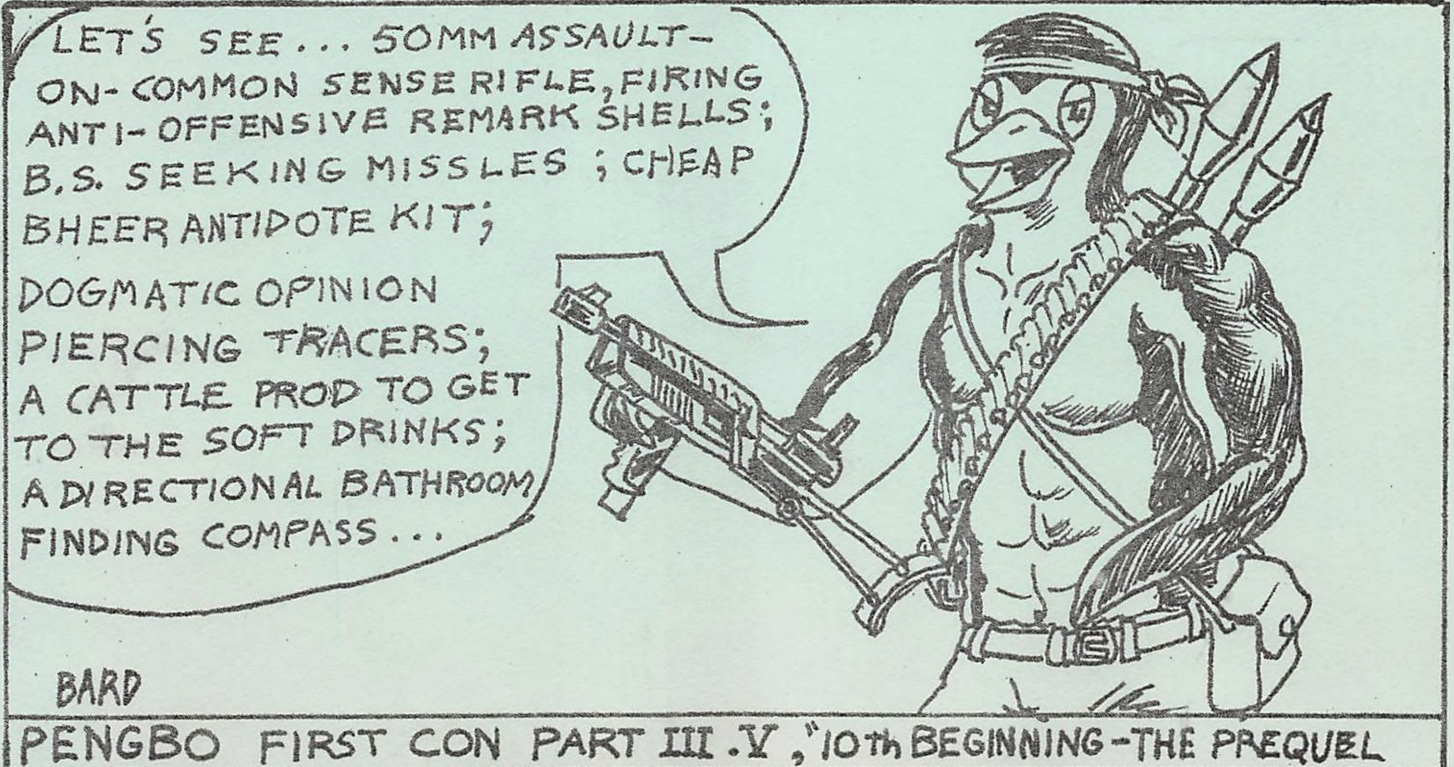
BLATANT SELF-SERVING PLUG: Mike Glycer, your daily newzine editor, will present a program at 5:30 in the Chamber Room. You know those pro readings they always have at cons? How come they never have a fan reading huh? Well, now they do! Great Minutes from the LASFS. The Fake Fan's Trivia Quiz. Jerry Pournelle meets D&D. Be there

"Shut up, Sean!" (overheard in con committee area. Every five minutes.)

NAWLINS REQUESTS THE PLEASURE: The New Orleans in '88 worldcon bid roving host Michael Sinclair will be in California hosting a couple of parties. He'll be in Hollywood's Chateau Marmont July 8 and 9, parties beginning at 8PM. The address: 8221 Sunset Blvd. Sinclair will then head up to the Berkeley Marina (200 Marina Blvd.) and welcome BArea fans on July 12 and 13, beginning at 8PM. Sinclair, master of the Hurricane, hopes fandom will avail themselves of his hospitality.

INTERNATIONAL PENGUIN CONSPIRACY: Now in the Council Room at 2PM.

ALAS, POOR YORICKSAURUS: Look what I found inside junior's head! Yes, you can get ahead by visiting the exhibit of John R. Kingsbury's sculpted skulls in the Dealer's Room. Agents John Olsen and Brian Lane have one of the more interesting combinations of merchandise. Skulls, and hats: sort of a complete set. John embroiders captions of his own design on the hats, such as *MERC*for hire.



LUCY IN DISGUISE #4

the post-masquerade party edition of the Westercon 39 Daily Newzine, edited by Mike Glycer. Arted by the BARD. Evening multi-star final, July 5, 1986.

SATURDAY PARTIES

1210-11	Cincinnati '88 (Wldcon)	10:00
2118	Space News	9:00
3145-46	Phoenix in '88 (Wstrcn)	8:00
3147-50	Con Suite	--
3203	S.T.A.R. San Diego	****
3204-05	L5	****
3206-07	St. Louis in '88 (Wrldcn)	****
3212-14	Portland in '88 (Wstrcon)	8:30
3300	Westercon XXXX	9:00
3304	New Orleans '88 (Wrldcon)	9:00
3500	Loscon the 13th	10:00
3642	Delineator Party	****

**** = After Masquerade

SUNDAY PARTY PREVIEW

1128	San Diego Comicon	11 AM
	Irish coffee, champagne, caviar etc.	
3212-14	Portland in '88 (Westrcn)	8:30



PROGRAM CHANGES: Barbara Hambly's reading will be on Sunday, 11 AM, in the

Towne Room (not 3PM in the Cabinet Room as previously listed. (2) "Animation Sampler" with Fred Patten and Mark Kausler (11:30, Senate Room). (3) Slide Show of GARRET MOORE'S WORKS (1:00, Esquire Rm - in the Commons)

SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIALS!!!!

(1) MORE MATCHES from yesterday's Mixer will be available at the Match Service Table after the first run-through of the Masquerade

(2) DANCE - Chamber Room 10PM-1AM

ENGAGEMENT: In a tribute to pre-computerized matchmaking, Ed Allen and Maureen Wilson, who met at last year's Westercon in Sacramento, last night announced their engagement.

PRESSURE GETS TO PROGRAMMING STAFF: Robin Doig asked the fellow who had just sauntered in to Programming: "Aren't you supposed to be in the Art Show?" The fellow replied nonchalantly, "I have a flunky over there handling it all." Robin's friend Cathy breathlessly dashed in, "I'll have to talk to you later, Robin. I have to get some swords out of the Art Show!" As she left, the fellow said, "Hm, it may have gotten violent since I left..."

SAN DIEGO FANS, UNITE! And attend a party thrown by one of the local clubs, S.T.A.R. San Diego, in room 3203 tonight after the Masquerade. Yes, there are other fans in San Diego. Or had you already figured that out by standing in the masquerade line?

The final installment of the Westercon 39 daily newzine, paying tribute to the tomb of the unknown masquerade winners. Editor - MIKE GLYER Artiste - BARD. July 6, 1986

SUNDAY PARTY PREVIEW

3500	LA in '90 (Worldcon bid)	7:00
3147	Con Suite (Halleycon 2 bid)	D.Dog
3212	Portland Party?	8:30

WESTERCON BROADCAST: Watch channel 39 tonight at 5PM -- your con will be on TV.

PHOENIX WINS '88: The vote tally for Westercon's 1988 site selection is as follows:

Phoenix	311
Portland	209
No Preference	15
None of the Above	4
Write-ins	3
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LOSCON 13 memberships are on sale Sunday from noon til 6PM in the foyer, for \$15. After the con, prices go up to \$17.50.

LIBERTARIANS IRATE: So Sam Konkin tells me. Sam, staring sadly at his cold pipe, protested the repression of freedom craving tobacco burners everywhere. Having been told that smoking was only allowed in a closed party, Sam's FreFan Party militated against the ruling by decreeing "This is an open but officially CLOSED party!"

Write-in site suggested were South Gate, Spuzzum BC, and Catalina. The Phoenix committee announced that its Pro GoH is Robert Silverberg and its Fan GoH is Craig Miller. Those who held voting memberships now have full attending memberships in the '88 con. Others may join for \$20 through 7/7/86, \$25 through 12/31/86, and Even More Later. For more info, write to PO Box 26665, Tempe AZ 85282.

WESTERCON 39 RECORD ATTENDANCE: None of us had our Encyclopedia Westerconicas handy, but the 1986 Westercon drew 2710 people through presstime. We figure that's a lot of people. Maybe the most ever at a Westercon. We also figure that if we're wrong, Seth will tell us. Won't you, Seth? Only kidding. ~~TEXT WILL BE DELETED~~

STEPHEN KING DEPARTMENT CONTINUED: Sports expert Don Ayres explains why Stephen King was in Maine on July 4. King and the local sports editor had a bet whether the Red Sox would be out of the pennant race by July 4. The loser would provide a chicken dinner which the winner would eat, on the front lawn of the paper's office, donned only in his underwear. Presumably King was at home, seeing that the bet was paid.



PROVING THERE ARE TWO SIDES TO ANY ISSUE, OR AT LEAST THIS ONE: I've always wanted to yell "Stop the presses!" but I haven't particularly wanted to be running the press when someone else ran in to yell it! Well, tough. Now, for your reading edification, the better-late-than-never Masquerade Winners list as creatively reconstructed from eyewitness testimony and relevant documents.

MASTER DIVISION

BEST IN SHOW: Alison Dayne Frankel, "Little Mehitabel Jane" (2)

JUDGES CHOICE: David Joiner, "Warrior of the Dream Plane"

BEST MASTER: Jennifer Tifft, Dana MacDermott, Tracy Blackstone, Beatrice MacDermott, "The Cubling Pageant"

MOST BEAUTIFUL: David Meyers, Mary Ann Meyers, "Lord and Lady Valcour" (10)

HONORED FOR EXCELLENCE: Ben Camacho, "Dav Lin-Tau" (9)

JOURNEYMAN DIVISION

BEST JOURNEYMAN: Robin Schindler, "Foolish Heart" (3)

MOST BEAUTIFUL: Diane Granander, Robin Doig, Debbie Keais, Jim Keais, Nathalaia Quirk, Albert Lafreniere, Colleen Burks, Susan Lanoue, Jim Hay, Karyn Lowe, Victor O'Rear, Heather Wood, Kathy Moody - "The Greek Gods" (11)

MOST HUMOROUS PRESENTATION: Brad Upton, Terry Duquette - "Luke Skywalker & Han Solo"

HONORABLE MENTION - HUMOR: Joyce Best, "Dead Meat"

HONORED FOR EXCELLENCE: Aimee Hartlove, "Lilith" (7)

BEST FANTASY: Marilyn White, "The Goddess Demiade" (4) (8)

NOVICE DIVISION

BEST ORIGINAL: Kathy Prokop-Quinn, "Metamorphosis" (5)

HONORED FOR EXCELLENCE IN PRESENTATION: De-Vera Joe, "Deia Blackstar"

BEST RE-CREATION: Bryan Ambacher, Shawn Marshall, "Ghostbusters" (1)

HONORABLE MENTION: Cardie Parker, Beverly Shoemaker, Jo Ann Abbott, "Three Faces of Water"

YOUNG FAN

BEST FANTASY: Emily Bratman, "Elf"

MOST HUMOROUS: Chet Cady, "Executioner's Apprentice"

BEST SF: Heather Waters, "Antarean Egg"

BEST RE-CREATION: Emily Testa, "A Preserver"

HONORABLE MENTION: Steven Hopwood, Jaime K. , "Ondata the Alien and Friend"

WORKMANSHIP

BEST NOVICE: (1)

HONORABLE MENTION: (2)

EXCELLENCE IN HANDWORK: (3)

BEST JOURNEYMAN: (4)

HONORABLE MENTION, BEST TRICK COSTUME: (5)

HONORABLE MENTION: (6) Bob Sontag, "Zone Trooper"

FABRIC HANDLING/CONSTRUCTION: (7)

BEST JOURNEYMAN: (8)

FABRIC: (9)

HONORABLE MENTION, MECHANICS: (10)

FABRIC HANDLING/CONSTRUCTION: (11), also: Kevin Roche, "Mandala"

QUOTABLE QUOTES: Robin Doig reportedly said, "I got my name in two issues!" Wrong.