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JULY 1-4, 1978

L.A. MARRIOTT HOTEL



The Los Angeles Marriott Hotel, located at 5855 West Century Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90045, encompasses 1020 guest rooms and a convention facility well suited to a Westercon.

Room rates are as follows:

SINGLE: \$24	ROLLAWAY: \$4
DOUBLE: \$28	PARLOR: \$28
TRIPLE: \$30	PARLOR & ONE BEDROOM: \$60
QUAD: \$32	PARLOR & TWO BEDROOMS: \$90
	ONE BEDROOM SUITE: \$75
	TWO BEDROOM SUITE: \$110

Reservation cards will be distributed with a progress report in 1978.

MEMBERSHIP RATES

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to DECEMBER 31, 1976 -- \$5.00
to JUNE 1, 1978 -- \$7.00
thereafter -- \$10.00

In short, from the beginning of next year until the month before the convention, memberships will sell for \$7. After that and at the door they'll cost the full \$10.

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Pro Guest of Honor

Poul ANDERSON

Fan Guest of Honor

Don C. THOMPSON

Toastmaster

Jerry POURNELLE

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Mike Glycer & Ed Finkelstein
Marty Massoglia
Craig Miller
Linda Miller
Allan Rothstein
Larry Rothstein
Bill Warren
Bill Welden

SUGGESTIONS SOLICITED

Since time immemorial convention committees have solicited suggestions for programs and prospective items in the film program from their membership. The response is forever light, often nonexistent. We are almost tempted to break with tradition -- to DEFY you to send us a program suggestion, to DARE you to come up with the title of some favorite film and presume to ask us to show it. We have five days to work with. We are projecting a film budget four times as big as the 1976 Westercon's. And we aren't going to just kill time with any old cliched topic -- do any of you have the temerity to invent an exciting new program subject? A likely story...

FOOTNOTES

As it says in the contract, "The hotel will provide a sandwich bar with sandwiches and soft drinks on the Ballroom Level from 11pm - 7am."
This is footnote #1 in a series. Collect 'em and trade 'em.

MEMBERS OF WESTERCON XXXI

Poul Anderson
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Don C. Thompson
Carolyn Thompson
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Candy Bratmon
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Bill Broxon
Bubbles Broxon



Some scholar who neglected to copyright the comment said that part of what is called progress in intellectual history is what we learn to ignore. Of the several uses membership numbers might have, we find them of no use for our own purposes, and at odds with the purposes fans might have in using this membership list. For easier accessibility we are presenting the membership in alphabetical order, and in the future will interfile new members. The first three progress reports are scheduled at large enough intervals to make complete relisting worthwhile.

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R. Geoffrey Kidd
Terry King
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Robert Konigsberg
Lynn Kuehl
Tim Kyser

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Adrian Landres
James Langdell
Dee Dee Lavender
Roy Lavender
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Linda Lewis
Paula Lieberman

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Tom Locke
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Marty Massoglia
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Jeff Pimper
Ken Porter
Gene Poschman
Mary Lou Poschman
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- 2 AD RECEIPT DEADLINE: May 15, 1977
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- 3 AD RECEIPT DEADLINE: December 15, 1977
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- 4 AD RECEIPT DEADLINE: April 10, 1978
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