

The 2nd World
Fantasy Convention

Oct. 29 - 31, 1976

Halloween Weekend

PROGRAM

Saturday, October 30, 1976

- 12:00N Theodore Sturgeon
1:00PM Sword & Sorcery Panel
Panelists: Roland Green, Michael Moorcock,
Andrew J. Offutt, Christopher Stasheff,
Karl Edward Wagner
Moderator: Lin Carter
2:00PM Guest of Honor speech by C.L. Moore
Collaborations with Henry Kuttner
3:00PM Andrew J. Offutt - Reading
The Black Sorcerer Of The Black Castle
3:30PM L. Sprague de Camp
Unwritten Classics
4:30PM Fritz Leiber - Reading
5:00PM Editors' Panel
Panelists: Betty Ballantine, Ian Ballantine,
Lester del Rey, Vic Ghidalia, Don Wollheim
Moderator: David Hartwell

Sunday, October 31, 1976

- 11:00AM Radu Florescu
Frankenstein: Fantasy Or Historical Fiction
12:00N Contemporary Horror Panel
Panelists: Ramsey Campbell, Fritz Leiber,
Ted Sturgeon, Gahan Wilson
Moderator: Charles Grant
1:00PM Guest of Honor speech by Michael Moorcock
The Comic Spirit in Fantasy Fiction
2:00PM Harlan Ellison - Reading a new fantasy story
2:30PM Old Masters Panel
Panelists: Fritz Leiber, Frank Belknap Long,
C.L. Moore, H. Warner Munn, Manly Wade
Wellman
Moderator: L. Sprague de Camp
3:30PM Dialogue - Harlan Ellison & Gahan Wilson
4:00PM Fantasy in Other Media Panel
Panelists: Chris Steinbrunner (films & TV),
Roy Torgeson (records), Gahan Wilson
(artist & animator)
Moderator: Jim Freund (radio)
5:00 Convention Closes

REGISTRATION

Penntop Foyer: Friday 3 PM - 9 PM
Saturday 10 AM - 6 PM
Sunday 10 AM - 3 PM

DEALERS' ROOM/ART EXHIBIT

Penntop Room: Friday 6 PM - 10 PM
Saturday 10 AM - 7 PM
Sunday 10 AM - 4 PM

FILM PROGRAM

Skytop Room: Saturday 9 AM - 12 N
Sunday 9 AM - 11 AM

THE MAIN PROGRAM WILL OCCUR IN THE SKYTOP ROOM
DIRECTLY AFTER THE FILM PROGRAM.



EVENING ENTERTAINMENT

In keeping with the tradition established at the First World Fantasy Convention, the publishers below have graciously agreed to host parties open to all registered attendees.

On Friday Evening in the Skytop Room
Ballantine Books 6:30PM to 8:00PM
Zebra Books 8:30PM to 10:00PM
Gahan Wilson 10:30PM to 12 Midnight

On Saturday Evening before the Awards Buffet
DAW Books will host a cocktail reception
for Michael Moorcock (5:30PM to 7:00PM;
~~location to be announced~~)

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On Saturday Evening after the Awards Presentaiton
Dell Books 10:00PM to 11:30PM (Skytop)

COCKTAIL BUFFET/AWARDS PRESENTATION

On Saturday Evening, the 30 of October, 1976, The Second World Fantasy Convention will be pleased to announce the winners of the HOWARD AWARDS for excellence in Fantasy writing in 1975. The Awards are named jointly for Howard P. Lovecraft and Robert E. Howard, and are depicted in a stylized bust of Lovecraft by Gahan Wilson. In conjunction with the Awards presentation, the Convention will host a Cocktail Buffet/Meet the Authors Party in the Skytop Room starting at 7:30PM, and Awards being presented at 8:30PM. Tickets for the Buffet will be available until 4:00PM on Saturday, and cost \$8.50. Information may be obtained at the registration desk in the Penntop Foyer.

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COMMITTEE

THOM ANDERSON	Magister
CLAIRE EDDY	Registration Buffet Tickets
CHARLES GRANT	SFWA Liaison
DAVE HARTWELL	Awards
KIRBY McCAULEY	Parties Publisher Liaison
PATRICK O'NEILL	Assistant Magister Security
TED PAULS	Dealers' Room
CHRIS STEINBRUNNER	Films
GAHAN WILSON	Toastmaster