

The Noreascon 3 Daily
 Newsletter
 Issue 1
 Thursday, 2pm

Welcome to Noreascon 3 and the first issue of Through the Looking Glass. I am your intrepid newsletter editor, The Bread-and-Butter Fly. I will be flitting about the convention, looking for interesting news and cheap, sleazy rumors. You can help me out with both by dropping juicy tidbits in the box at the Information Desk in the Hynes ConCourse (Hall C). I expect you folks to be creative or I will be forced to write the rumors myself. Look for me all about, or follow the trail of crumbs, grease spots and broken reputations.

THOSE MYSTERIOUS CODES IN THE DAILY PROGRAM SHEETS ARE:

- R stands for Room change
- N is for New item
- T is for different day/Time
- C if the program item is Cancelled
- P is for a Panelist change
- M is for Multiple changes

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The voting booth is in the ConCourse (Hynes Hall C) near the entrance from the Sheraton.

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This is Boston, not Chicago. Please do vote early but not often.

Magicon/Orlando in '92 Presupporters Party Thursday, 9 pm, Sheraton North 1031. Door prize drawing at midnight.

The **ASFA meeting** (formerly Sunday noon) has been rescheduled to 9:30 am Sunday (room 301 Hynes).

There will be a **meeting of the WSFS Mark and Registration Committee** at the 50th Anniversary Party Thursday night at 9 pm.

Extra ice for use in the Sheraton will be distributed from the South Tower loading dock starting at 6 pm. For more detailed instructions check with Convention Information or at the bulk supply distribution in Fairfax Room.

The **Ballantines' GoH Speech** will be at 11 am on Saturday in Hynes Ballroom B, not at 2 pm as stated on page 39 of the Program Book.

The **Massachusetts sales tax** is 5%, not 5.7% as stated in the Restaurant and Services Guide on page 58 of the Program Booklet.

Romance of the Desert: Yes, fen from LA are roaming the halls in "converted" sheets, blankets and pillowcases as members of the "Bed"owin tribes as their tribute to **Rudolph Valentino**. Look for West Coast favorites such as Sheik Yourbootie, harem girls Oily-To-Bed and Oily-To-Rise, and Lawrence the Wonder Camel. (The Bread-and-Butter Fly would like to point out that it doesn't write some of these, it just types them as it sees them.)

WSFS Business Meeting -- The first session of the World Science Fiction Society Business Meeting will be held at 9:30 am Friday in Hynes 311. Copies of the Constitution and Rules will be available, so you don't need to bring your Souvenir Books. Business for the meeting must be submitted to the convention office (Sheraton Jefferson/Kent) no later than 3:30 pm Thursday; see Standing Rule 5 for the procedure.

A registration badge is required for admission to the convention. You must wear your badge visibly when attending Noreascon 3 events. A lost badge may be replaced, but it will take time and require payment of a significant fee. Please guard your badge carefully.

The Masquerade Video listed on page 24 and 31 of the Program Booklet as being at 2 pm on Monday in Club SF will actually be at 1 pm.

The Hynes checkroom will be open the following hours:

Wednesday	4 pm - 12 midnight
Thurs - Sunday	8 am - 4 am
Monday	8 am - 12 midnight

The charge is \$1 per item.

Official Press requesting interviews with Con Guests, please leave a message in the convention's Green Room. Ask Press Relations for location.

Ushers!! There will be no advanced meeting. Register with the People Mover or Staff ID and tell them you are or want to be an usher. Report a half hour before any activity, except for Friday, Saturday, or Sunday evening major events. For those, report one hour before starting time.

Film Projectionists!! Meeting at 10 am in Room 202 of the Hynes. Contact Andy Cowan through People Mover to volunteer and to find out what day the meeting is.

PARTY HOSTS: If your social do is in the Sheraton, please tell us which tower!!!

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Please be aware that Massachusetts law prohibits the consumption or carrying of opened alcoholic beverages on buses. Smoking on buses is also prohibited. (The drivers have been *warned* to expect filking...)

Each bus holds a maximum of 60 people. At certain rush times it's inevitable that there may be some crowding and/or delays. If you don't wish to wait for a later bus, there are many alternate ways of getting around the con. Hotel information sheets (available in each hotel, or at Convention Information) give details (including times) for using the "T".

Taxis are also available: a group of people splitting a fare plus tip should find it quite reasonable. (Taxi fares go up September 1, so don't be surprised by an increase of about 20% between Thursday and Friday.) Many of the hotels are within walking distance. As in any large city, we suggest that you not walk alone late at night. You might want to look around near the "Noreascon Three Bus Stop" signs to find other people to walk with.

Registration reports that 1825 pre-registered members had checked in by the close of registration on Wednesday, and 115 new memberships had been sold.

The Thursday and Friday issues of Through The Looking Glass are being produced on a Gestetner 5170 Digital Copier, on loan from the company. See us operate it in the corridor outside the Hucksters Room.

First comment: "If wishes were Gestetners there would be one in my living room right now!"



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 Issue 2: Party Time
 Thursday, 8pm

The Bread-And-Butter Fly is truly amazed at the volume of information that has poured in since this morning. However, we do need more of those cheap, sleazy rumors.

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The Bread-and-Butter Fly has been informed that Boston originated voting early and often. Then again, they vote for the Kennedy of their choice.

Contest: Hey, all you Conspiracy theory fans! Inquiring minds want to know! Who knows the **real** story behind Disney buying the rights to the Muppets? Bonus points if you can tie in the Noreascon Committee to the plot. Drop off your explanations at the Looking Glass box at the Information Desk.
 The prize: it's secret..

Banquet ticket sales will be open at Information until we've sold about 1200. At 4 pm Thursday we had sold just over 1000, so buy soon.

The current speakers list is: Isaac Asimov, Forry Ackerman, Ian & Betty Ballantine, Greg Benford, Emma Bull, Pat Cadigan, Hal Clement, Chip Delany, Dave Kyle, Erik Pohl, Richard Powers, Terry Pratchett, Anita Haj, Mike Resnick, Takumi Shibano, Kees van Toorn, Michael Whelan, Art Widner, Jack Williamson, Betsy Wollheim, Jane Yolen.

REAL News (not cheap rumor!): **Bjo Trimble** really is at the con and is lurking in the BIX booth, Hynes Hall C - she'd like to see you - come talk Trek!

Video fandom Come and learn about ApaVCR, trading videotapes and more. Friday 2 pm Room 223 S-Dalton Sheraton.

The **Holography Exhibit** will be open after Noon Friday - 2nd floor Hynes Concourse.

Sunday night - after the Masquerade. **Video Fandom/ApaVCR Party** - Room 1702 North Tower Sheraton. All videophiles welcome.

Extra ice for use in the Sheraton will be distributed from the South Tower loading dock starting at 6 pm. For more detailed instructions check with Convention Information or at the bulk supply distribution in Fairfax Room.

Sales to members - program book correction Convention Sales is located in Hall A at the exit from the Convention Registration. On Monday it will be in the Concourse.

The Concourse ARA Concession Stand must close at 1.30 am because of the type of license they have from the City of Boston.

The Tarot Forum at 12.30 pm on Saturday will be held in three rooms - S-Dalton, S-Beacon-A and S-Beacon-F. Because of this we need volunteer teachers and their subjects. Anyone wishing to lead a section, please meet with Jacqueline Lichtenberg at 5 pm on Friday, by the Autographing area in the Concourse so your subject and location can be announced in The Looking Glass on Saturday morning.

The Sheraton is extending the hours of breakfast at the Boylston Park Cafe to 12.30 pm in consideration of our difficult hours.

Crime of Fashion A new original alternative Hard Rock band is making its INTERGALACTIC PREMIER at this convention. Friday: Tokyo Room, Louis Wu's Birthday Saturday: Club SF before the Hugos and in Hyde Park after the Hugos.

Film at 11: For all those who have tried to attend the Film Program today, our apologies for the late start. It's hard to begin a program at noon when the projectors arrive a day late and don't get in place until 2. Consider this afternoon to have been debugging. *Willow* will be rescheduled for 11:15 pm on Friday. *7 Faces of Dr. Lao* and *The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari* will be shown on Monday, schedule to follow. *Faeries* and *The Little Mermaid* were already scheduled for repeats.

Now for the good news: *Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade* will be shown at the end of Frank Marshall's program on Amblin Studios on Saturday at 3pm. *Batman* will follow the Hugo winner late Saturday night/Sunday morning. And, *Moon Trap*, an almost-World Premiere which went straight from shooting to video, will be shown after *Willow* at about 1am Saturday morning. More to follow, and thanks for your patience.

The **Porno Patrol** wishes to thank everyone who attended our Black Tie, Lingerie, and Toga party at NolaCon II. We promised the best 4 hours at the Con. Everyone we've talked to said they had a great time! Many thanks! *The Porno Patrol N.O.L.A.*

Some hucksters are organizing **signing sessions** at their tables. Check there for more information.

We're off to see the WIZARD! The Nickleodeon Theatre at 34 Cummington is showing *The Wizard of Speed and Time* at midnight on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights - ask at Information for directions.

WOOF - The Worldcon APA Anyone wishing to submit items to WOOF must drop copies or at least a note of page count and name by Saturday at 5 pm at Information in the Concourse.

Films - The showings of *The Little Mermaid* and *Faeries* have been bumped to the end of the schedule due to technical problems and will be shown among the last movies on Monday.

Chicon V and Confiction are accepting memberships and giving information in the ConCourse from 12 to 4 every day. We're back with the bid tables. Come on by!

Dana Siegel's Official Party List for Thursday Night (accept no substitutes):

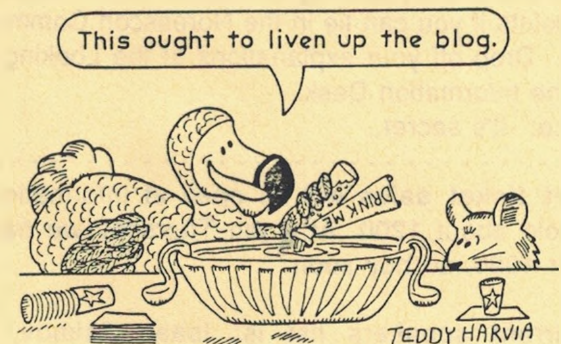
Place	Time	Party
Sheraton South 2066	22:58	Nashville in '94
Sheraton North 1731	10:00	Not Dundalk in '92
1705	10 - 12	Icon
1531	8 - 1	Gay Fandom
1031	9	Magicon/Orlando in '92 very last bid party
936	9 - 12	Mensa Hospitality
Sheraton 3rd Floor - Beacon B & C	9	Phoenix in '93

Hynes Auditorium Registration Information Booth
Rec. Arts. Comics
Dinner

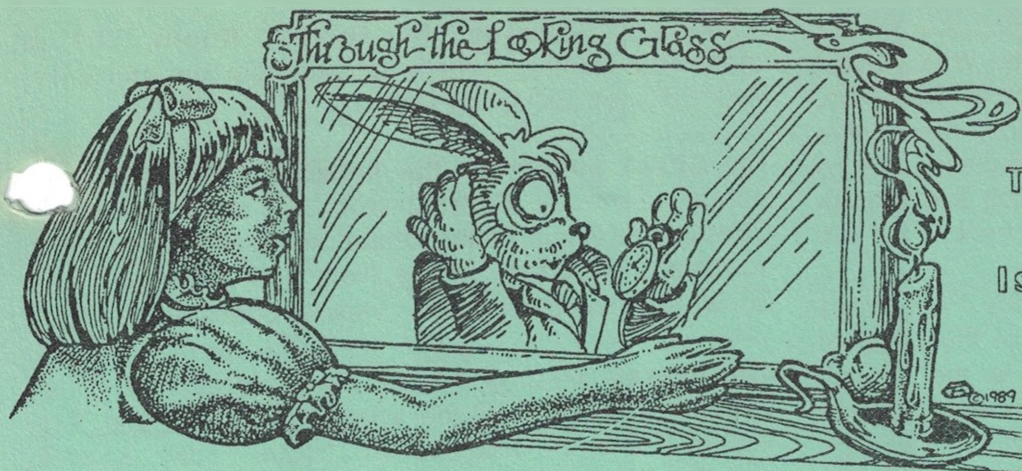
ConCourse 9am - 3am (Con Suite)

Hynes Auditorium 8:30-11:45
Ballentine
Anniversary Party

Make sure to get out to the parties tonight! We want to get the partying off to a good start. We also want the parties to get in the swing of things. Tomorrow night the First Annual Worldcon Party Award will be given out to the best party of Friday night, and another award will be given out to the best Saturday and Sunday night parties. On Monday the Best of Noreascon 3 Party Award will be given to THE PARTY of the convention. Parties will be judged on atmosphere (3 points), food (3 points), accessibility (2 points), and general fun times (2 points). **Dana Siegel**



Thanks to Teddy Harvia for his fillo. Bread-And-Butter Fly would like him to know that his cartoon creatures were NOT traced.



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 Issue 3: A Fannish Dawn
 Friday, 1 pm

The Bread-and-Butter Fly (Your Intrepid Newsletter Editor) certainly hopes you behaved yourselves last night. There ARE four nights left for that sort of behavior, you know. A wise fan learns to pace itself. As an aid to getting you through this alive, we present **Con Survival Tips #1: Pavlac's First Law of Con Attending:** All attendees should get a minimum of 5 hours of sleep and two meals/day. Please do not get these numbers confused; 2 hours of sleep and 5 meals/day will not give optimum results.

The **Scavenger Hunt** judging will take place Sunday at 4p.m. in Hyde Park.

Please don't strip the Sheraton ice machines. We have 12,000 pounds of ice in a refrigerated truck at the South Tower loading dock and we can get more. It's available from 6 pm to 10 pm. Go to Information for a map to the South Tower Loading dock.

To reduce congestion, we plan to have an **express elevator** running from 10 pm to 2 am Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights. We plan to have it stop on floors 2, 3, 22, and probably one more intermediate floor such as 14.

Louis Wu Party/Retinue Meeting

Friday 2 pm, Salon B, Hilton 2nd floor. Coordination and makeup planning session. Members and new people, please contact Jim Anderson or Jim Whalen in the Hilton (236-1100) Room 1401, or Ann Norton.

Voyager II Video and Slide Shows....Fans at Noreascon 3 have a wonderful chance to review Voyager II's remarkable career. Hynes 207 features three continuous-loop **videos on the recent Neptune fly-by.** A second-floor room, Hynes 207, is located directly across from the ConCourse. (Information, exhibits, autographs and club tables.) For a slide show **respective on Voyager,** visit the WorldWide Fandom Area in the Hynes ConCourse. The WorldWide Fandom Area also features scenes from fandom around the world. Open Thursday-Sunday 9 am-3 am and Monday from 9 am-3 pm.

The Archaeologist-mercenaries of Sales to Members have declared their motto to be: "What are we going to do? **SELL OUT!** When are we going to do it? **REAL SOON!**" They also report that they still have three grails left, and the ark is still under construction.

Spike Parsons became the first victim of the fan Baby Boom at the con -- her ankle was bashed by a stroller. Which brings up our curiosity on yet another topic: who is the youngest child in attendance at Noreascon 3? We have verified that Connor William O'Niell Foss is here at age 11 weeks; anyone younger than that here?

Robin Johnson took one look at the Hynes and declared it to bear an uncanny resemblance to the Moscow Subway system, which he had recently visited.

We have been getting complaints of poor shuttle service and waits up to 45 minutes. If you experience this, please register your complaints with the Information Desk, and provide exact times and locations so we can properly kick the shuttle bus company.

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The **Logical Language Groups** Lojban presentations will be:

- Fri. 2p.m. General information.
- Sat. 3p.m. International aspects of Lojban.
- Sun. 11a.m. Lojban & computer applications.
- Sun. 2p.m. Introductory mini-lesson.

(These are all listed as "Lojban" in the program book.)

Aaces Restaurant Report: The Avenging Aardvark's Chowder Eating Society (also known as the **Wild Aards**) reports good breakfast deals to be had at Au Bon Pain, just outside the Sheraton. Quick service, reasonable prices, good croissants and coffee. Not the place for a full breakfast, but if you just need a caffeine jolt and a quick croissant or two to get going, head for here. Try the fresh-squeezed juice.

Aaces visited **Legal Seafoods** (at the Park Plaza hotel, location M on the map on pg. 57 of the program booklet). The most fannish appetizer is the Shrimp Nachos, but the appetizer best suited for groups is the pot of mussels. Elst Weinstein, arch-foe of crustaceans, gave lobster-eating lessons. The Sam Adams bheer is great stuff. Their soft-shell crabs provide your minimum daily requirement of chitin. Cajun dishes are close enough to authentic Cajun not to raise gripes. The fried squid appetizer was good, even if it did trigger Rick Foss' story of the squid burritos. All of **Aaces'** food was excellent, though one other fan group complained some of their dishes were overcooked. Later on, Stu Shiffman was kind enough to explain the origins of the name Legal Seafoods while Gary Farber acted out the story in interpretive dance -- clearly one of the most moving parts of the con so far. Anyway, Legal Seafoods has no specific dress code; no reservations -- be prepared to wait for an hour at peak periods. Service is, ahem, leisurely, so appetizers may be in order. If your group goes all the way, including appetizers and alcohol, the total tab is at the high end of medium -- circa \$30/person. Overall, very good.



THURSDAY REGISTRATION NUMBERS

2560 preregs and transfers arrived Thursday along with 294 full memberships and child registrations and 55 Thursday one-day registrations. Including Wednesday's arrivals, Thursday's attendance was estimated at 5000.

Attention Ladies! Louis Wu needs you! We are in need of more people for an extravaganza event. If you would be interested in being part of a parade and party and can show up in a suitable Evil or Good costume, please contact Jim Anderson or Jim Whalen in the Hilton, room 1401 (236-1100) or Ann Norton.

NOREASCON AT NIGHT: This is a new area, adjacent to Babysitting, for kids from 6-10. Between 7pm and midnight we need **ENERGETIC** helpers to run games and videos for the kids. Please apply to PeopleMover.

Hologram Viewing In Hynes Room 209 or continuing display, directly across from the Hucksters Room (Hynes Exhibition Hall D).

The **SFWA** auction for the benefit of Robert Adams will be Saturday Sept. 2 from 11 am-3 pm in the Constitution Room of the Sheraton. MasterCard & Visa accepted. Courtesy of the New York Science Fiction Society-The Lunarians, Inc. Viewing opens 8 am.

JittLovers! Wizard Fans! Don't forget the three special showings of the Wizard of Speed and Time feature film at the Nickelodeon Theatre Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Midnight! Visit our exhibit for more information.

Is it true that one's cholesterol level drops one point for each hour worked at a convention? Maybe not, but your blood pressure sure goes up.

Stanley the Camel from Miami Vice would very much like to meet Lawrence the Wonder Camel for amicable discussion of the camel's place in SF Fandom over long draughts of water. "Voodoo" him c/o Ms. Atlas

Hexacon 12 will take place Jan. 5-7, 1990 at the Bird in Hand Motor Inn outside Lancaster, Pa. Guest of Honor is Roger MacBride Allen and Artist Guest of Honor is Dan Mattingly. Info to Bruce Newrock: Kingwood-Locktown Road, Flemington, N.J. 08822.

Fans of Brian Boitano

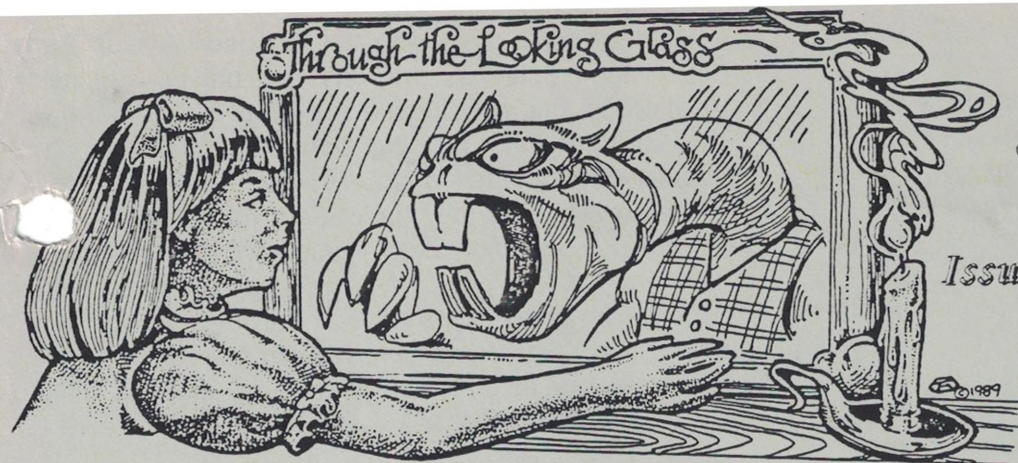
There will be an informal meeting Saturday, 4 pm in Room 1938, Sheraton. This is a very fannish fandom (composed of general skating fans), organizing itself. Come if you want to learn more.

Films II: The Saga Continues

Thanks for your forbearance with our equipment problems, some of which are fixed. At the moment we have 16mm running in Ballroom C and 35mm in Ballroom B. Therefore, on the 35mm side, *Willow* will be in Ballroom B at 5 pm, replacing *Baron Munchausen*. The "film to be determined" at 11:15 will be *Company of Wolves*, and the 1 am late night will be *Moon Trap*. Over in 16mm, *Baron Munchausen* moves to later in the convention, and the Ballroom C schedule should run as planned. More later, no doubt, and thanks again.

Noreascon 3 would like to thank WSFA (Washington Science Fiction Association) for donating the cake for last night's 50th Anniversary Party.

The B-&B Fly wonders: Now that we have discovered a blue moon in our system, what happens to all those events that are supposed to happen "Once in a" ?



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*Issue 4: Red Eyes in the Sunset
Friday, 7 pm*

Preliminary WSFS Business Meeting: The usual gang of suspects was there, along with the usual litany of proposed mangling, er, changes to the Hugo categories and Worldcon Administration. Don Eastlake III presided, but was temporarily replaced by Bruce Pelz when a computer emergency occurred. Most of the business transacted was the setting of time limits for the actual debates tomorrow.

An Editorial Committee was named to work on producing a Worldcon Runner's Guide: Ross Pavlac, Robert Sacks, Kees Van Toorn, Mike Glycer (chairman), and Jim Gilpatrick if he accepts. They are interested in talking to people who want to be on subcommittees for specific topic areas: see Glycer, Pavlac or Sacks if you're interested.

Hugo Trophy Preservation Study Committee was formed, chaired by Bruce Pelz (temporarily chairing the business meeting has its privileges). If you want to know why such a thing is needed, Bruce is conducting demonstrations at the History of Worldcons exhibit.

The hottest topics of the mostly humdrum discussion were the motions having to do with changing the Worldcon rate structure and with extending the lead time for Worldcons to 4 years. Look for an interesting set of colorful debates on these topics tomorrow.

For perhaps the first time, the Business Meeting has a **real** Sergeant-at-arms. Theresa Renner, in full uniform, is a sergeant with the Marine Corps (she's librarian for the Marine Corps Band). Though slight of build, she is armed with mace (ask to see it!).

Best quote: "The business meeting aficionados tend to get carried away from time to time, and some of them should be." -- Bruce Pelz. Ross Pavlac

Gritty Business Meeting Details

Business defeated for Consideration:

- New Hugo Category (Ineligible Materials)
- Advanced Program Participant Requirement
- Split Hugo Award for Best Novel (1 SF, 1 Fantasy)
- Establishing a split Commonwealth zone in the Rotation

Business adopted (and reports read without action):

The Report of the Mark Registration and Protection Committee was read without action.

On the recommendation of the ad hoc Committee on Solving the Problem, an Editorial Committee was appointed to produce a Worldcon Runners Guide. A second recommendation to appoint a series of study committees on various topics was made to the Editorial Committee, which will meet 9 a.m. Saturday in H311.

The MCFI Financial Report is available on request: the ConFiction Financial Report will be presented as part of their Sunday report.

The Hugo Preservation Study Committee was authorized. The Committee consists of Bruce Pelz as Chair, 4 members to be appointed by him, and one member from each of the 1989-1992 Worldcons.

The Deputy Chairman (Bruce Pelz) was commended for his performance.

Business to be considered 9:30 am Saturday morning in H311:

- The Financial Report of the Mark Registration and Protection Committee.
- The election of three members to the Mark Registration and Protection Committee. Nominee are: Bruce Farr, Martin Hoare, Tim Illingworth, Craig Miller, Bruce Pelz, Fran Skene. The last 3 are standing for re-election; all the nominees are from the Western zone except for Mr Hoare and Mr Illingworth (from the U.K.).
- The Report of the Special Committee to Codify Business Meeting Resolutions.
- Financial Reports from Conspiracy, Nolacon II, and Chicon V.
- Ratification of an amendment extending non-voting WSFS membership to members of past Worldcons.
- Ratification of an amendment banning double skipping of regions in North America. (VERY CONTROVERSIAL)
- Ratification of an amendment clarifying the term of office of members of the Mark Registration and Protection Committee.

- An amendment to establish a Hugo for Outstanding Service. (Mildly controversial)
- An amendment providing for the eventual separation of the NASFiC from the WSFS Constitution. (CONTROVERSIAL)
- An amendment to require additional financial reports from organizations holding the principal proceeds from past Worldcons.
- An amendment restricting the right to nominate for Hugos to members as of December 31. (CONTROVERSIAL)
- An amendment adding books about Science or Natural Philosophy to the Non-Fiction Hugo. (CONTROVERSIAL)
- An amendment splitting the Best Professional Artist Hugo into 3 awards. (Mildly controversial)
- An amendment lengthening the lead time for Worldcon selection to 4 years, and allowing None of the Above to win for the NASFiC. Chicon V would administer both the 1994 and 1995 Worldcon site selections. (Mildly controversial)
- An amendment lowering the default voting fee from \$20 to \$15, and raising the maximum conversion fee from the voting fee to 3 times the voting fee. (CONTROVERSIAL)
- An amendment lowering supporting membership to the voting fee. (Mildly controversial)

Robert Sacks

Aaces Restaurant Report: the Avenging Aardvark's Chowder-Eating Society (aka the Wild Aards) hit Boylston Street today. Richard Russell, the king of the junk food junkies, recommends Burger King as the best cheap eats nearby.

Consumer Warning: Pizzeria Uno attempts to masquerade as "Chicago Style Deep Dish Pizza." Argh! Accept no substitutes, this local rendition is awful. If you want Chicago-style pizza you can get it at Chicon V in 1991. Aaces will be recommending a New York style pizza soon. Stay tuned.

Thursday Night Party Reports

The highlight of the parties last night was a little publicised gem which I discovered entirely by chance while looking for another party. This was the New York in '95 party hidden in rooms 1745-1749. It was a little too quiet to be a great party but the food and atmosphere were excellent and the people running it were very congenial. Keep up the good work folks, and I hope more people go to their parties tonight and tomorrow night. You guys certainly have an inside track on tonight's best party.

The Nashville in '94 was also very good. I've always loved their swill, and make a point of stopping by their party whenever I get thirsty during a long night of heavy partying.

The Phoenix in '93 party was also a good party - but I have a real bias against parties held in hotel meeting rooms. But otherwise it was a nice party.

We do have a gripe with the Orlando/Magicon Party last night. Billed as the very last bid party it turns out to be the penultimate bid party since there will be another very last bid party tonight - they lied! And I have another gripe with these people - why is it that every time they have a drawing for a prize the same person wins? Even worse - it's never me!

Dana Siegel

Con Survival Tips #2: Farber's Foot Saver Principle: "Sit down whenever you have the chance." Submit your favorite con survival tip to Ross Pavlac c/o The Looking Glass.

Friday Night Party List

Sheraton North

2431-33	8 — 13	ST Bash '90
2309	10	W'Con Masquerade Ideas
1842	9:30	DEC
1802	9	British Interplanetary Soc.
1702	10	Beauty & Beast
1745-49	10	New York in '95
1531	7:30 — 12	Steve Jackson Games
1509	8 — 13	Gay Fandom
1438	10 — 14	Texan/Norewegian
1108-9	7	UMass SF Soc 25th Anniv.
1038	9 — 13	Winnipeg in '94
1031	7	Orlando really last bid party
809	9 — 13	San Diego in '90 NASFiC

Sheraton South

2159	8	Boston NSS/Voyager FlyE
2066	10	'Terminus in '90' (Atlanta)

Meeting Rooms

Beacon B&C 8	Phoenix in '93
Beacon G&H 4:30 — 14	Sam Francisco in '93

Other Hotels

Back Bay Hilton	9 —	Louis Wu's 200 th Birthday Party
57 Park Plaza	8 — 10	Silver Dragon

Hynes ConCourse

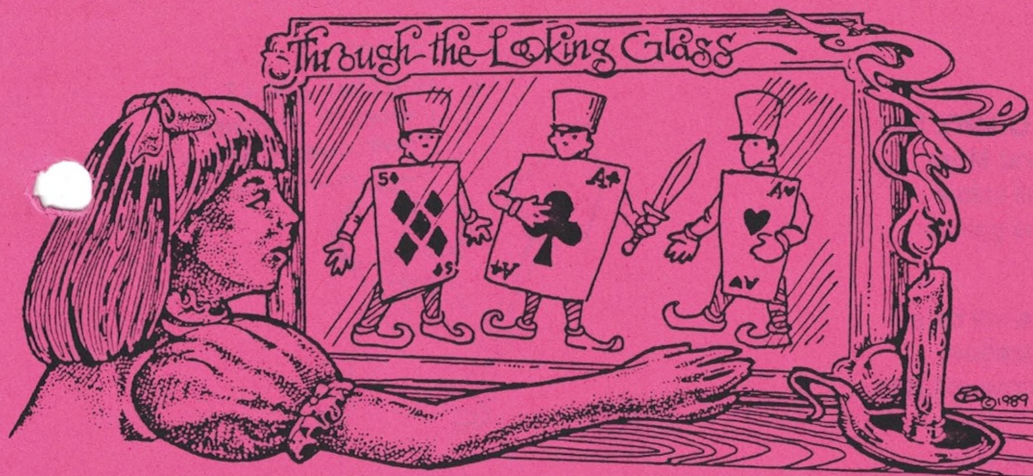
Jekyl Park 7	Pern Folk
Saturn Rocket 9	Wash. State SF Assoc.

Art Show delays are due to changes in the city fire code re. light bulbs and shades. Please be patient while this is corrected.

Babysitting needs more parents to volunteer! Come to Liberty G to help.

Neofen who are confused (and rightly so!) about Worldcon Site Selection voting should go to the bid parties (see party list above) and/or the bid tables (in Hynes ConCourse) and ask questions. Everyone will be happy to make you even more confused.

Hogu and Blackhole Ranquet Ceremony will be held at the Burger King on Boylston at 11 am on Saturday.



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 Barsoom Floor
 Friday, 10 pm

 THIS IS A TEST OF THE EMERGENCY HOAX
 BROADCASTING SYSTEM

You Call This a Consuite?

Well, yes. The ConCourse is a place for people to hang out, take a rest, and socialize. No place in the hotels was big enough to provide a mixing place for a projected attendance of 7000. The drawback is the contract between the Hynes and ARA Concession Services bars us from providing food and soda. As I look around the ConCourse I see hundreds of people having a good time. I hope you are one of them. I wish we could have given you goodies and a place to hang out, but every choice has its drawbacks. I wish you fun and a fine convention.....Jane Hawkins

Attention, Cultoids! The Seance will be held in Sheraton South 860 Saturday, Midnight. The usual refreshments will be on hand. Be there or risk getting the Vorz! (Sponsored by kT FitzSimmons, Candidate for OA)

1989 Hogu and Blackhole Ranquet

What: Parody Awards Ceremony
 Lotsa fun, humor and hoaxing
 Who: Lawrence Watt-Evans - Guest of Honor
 Elliot "Elst" Weinstein and
 Mike "Fan Jiant" Glycer as MC's
 When: Saturday, September 2, 1989 at 11 am
 Where: Burger King on Boyleston
 (1 1/2 blocks from Hynes)

 By order of Zaphod Beeblebrox, President of the Galaxy, Saturday has been designated **Magicon T-shirt day**. All possessors of Magicon/Orlando in T-shirts are directed (or at least begged) to wear them on Saturday. Non-possessors may purchase T-shirts at the Magicon table in the ConCourse (Hynes Hall C).

Friends of Bill W. and Dr. Bob will have meetings every night from 7 to 8:30 in Beacon A & F starting Friday.

Film Schedule Update

Willow has been postponed yet again! *Moontrap* will not be shown since we were not sent the entire film (reel #2 of 5 is on its way!) and may be rescheduled at a later date. *Company of Wolves* will be shown at 11:15 pm Fri night in Ballroom B.

There will be a 12 Step Meeting on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday from 7 to 8:30 pm in Beacon F of the Sheraton.

Good Food Notice! *Supreme Pizza and Subs*, listed in the Program on Page 61, is a hungry fan's delight. Their service is friendly, the prices are reasonable, and the food is wonderful! Must try! [Monice Stevens *guarantees* all of this. She'll wash everyone's cars if she's wrong...awfully nice of her, I must say.]

The Pour House, across the street from the Hynes entrance, has great cheap food (burgers, nachos, and chili) for lunch and supper.

Myrrh Mist of the Bryn Galad is here to discuss Real Time Interactive Fantasy and SF Role Play Gaming (by computer) internationally at the BIX booth, Hynes Hall C.

 More REAL news (not *cheap rumour*, as opposed to everything else we print): **Richard Pini** will be in the BIX booth, Hynes Hall C, on Saturday, to talk about upcoming Elfquest projects.

Pomme de Terre restaurant closed August 29 to move across the street - not reopened yet.

 A note from the Head Archeologist Mercenary: **Artifacts** will be open from 11 am to 5 pm, Saturday, Sept 2, down in the bowels of Hall A. We have unboxed books, tote bags, mugs, and tee shirts left; and a few #3 pins left.

PASSING FANCIES

Tonight in (you guessed it) Hyde Park **Orion's Belt** will be playing at 10 pm (a filk group) and **More Difficulties** (yup, another filk group) will follow at 10:45 pm. In Jekyll Park there will be games throughout the evening.

Tomorrow afternoon in Hyde Park there will be a **Belly Dancing performance/demonstration**. After the Hugos, the filk group Windbourne will also be in Hyde Park.

STFNAL PURSUIT, the trivia game from Hell*, will be making its Worldcon debut in Jekyll Park, on the Concourse, at 1 pm Saturday. There will be a grudge match, errr, - I mean another game at 1 pm Sunday. Picture, if you will, a Trivial Pursuit game from another dimension. A dimension not only of Science and Nature, but of Sports and Leisure...a game in which all the questions are related to science fiction or fantasy. Teams or lone daredevils may apply at Jekyll Park at the times stated.

*somewhere in West Texas

Tom Dowd and Bob Charrette, creators of Shadowrun, are here. See them at the FASA Gaming Room.

Free food! The Church of Pan-Ethnic Cuisine will be having a drawing for three prizes: dinner for two at Bangkok Cuisine and Ten Huntington Bar & Grill, and a \$50 certificate for St. Botolph's Restaurant (99 St. Botolph Street). Fill out a card with name and hotel/room (or local address/phone) at the MagiCon table in the ConCourse or at the Discon 3 Thank-You Party Saturday night. (One entry per person, please!) Drawing at midnight at the Discon 3 party. The Church wishes to thank the three restaurants for their generous donations.

Helpful Hint. Locks on Sheraton hotel room doors sometimes jam and give a yellow light instead of a green light. To get it to open, hit it sharply on the side, then put your key in again. It may take two or three blows, but it does work. [No, don't use your vorpil blade to hit the lock.]

MUNDANE NEWS SPECIAL REPORT:

(and this is no joke!) A. Bartlett Giamatti, Commissioner of Baseball, died of a heart attack at his Martha's Vineyard vacation home on Friday afternoon. Doctors reported him dead at 4:32 pm. He collapsed at his home at around 3 pm and was rushed to the nearest hospital. Eight days ago, Giamatti issued a statement/agreement in which Pete Rose was banned from baseball for life.



Con Survival Tips, #3. Murphy's Corollary #636-2 states that the Shuttle will only run on time when you're not in a hurry. Be forewarned.

--Ross Pavlac

Jeffrey A. Carver autographing has been added at Sunday, 12:30 pm.

Rumour. The tech term for a second take in a porno movie is Come Again. [Funny, but nothing worth getting a rise over.]

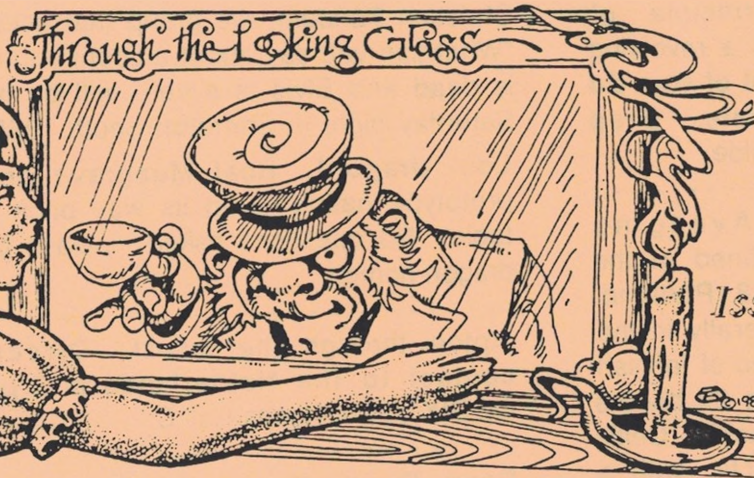
Interested in hearing how the world's first **FREE Public Electronic Network** is doing? Jon Stevens will be describing his experiences with interactive democracy and unlimited access to local government in Santa Monica, California. Meeting will be at 2 pm Sunday in Beacon E.

Additions to the Saturday Costume Judging Panel: Ann Chancellor and D. Jeannette Holloman.

Jacqueline Lichtenberg will discuss the gradual emergence of a new genre within the SF/F field during her Q & A session at 12 noon on Sunday. She will discuss her works in progress at the Special Interest Group Meeting Sunday 3 pm, Dalton Room at the Sheraton.

News Flash! The Nickelodeon will be running (only *some* pun intended) **The Wizard of Speed and Time** until Thursday. Fantastic display of stop motion animation by Mike Jittlov.

THIS HAS BEEN A TEST OF THE EMERGENCY HOAX BROADCASTING SYSTEM. IT IS ONLY A TEST. HAD THERE BEEN A REAL HOAX, A LOT FEWER OF THESE FACTS WOULD HAVE BEEN TRUE.



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 Issue 6: Awake and Semi-Alive
 Saturday, 1 pm

The Bread-And-Butter Fly got quite a jolt this morning. For one wild moment it thought that it had overdone it last night and landed in the hospital. But no, the blue band was only from the Louis Wu party.

Convention Registration Figures as of Friday night:

- 625 Full at-the-doors
- 195 Friday one-days
- 5050 Pre-Reg now here
- 5870 Attending

Film III: The Last Crusade

Our thanks to Frank Marshall of Amblin Studios and Larry Shaw of Boston Light and Sound for the professional 35mm equipment that we'll be using in the Auditorium today, starting at 1 pm. Given what you've seen so far, you'll be amazed.

Please come to Frank Marshall's Amblin Studios program item at 3. You'll see material on several new films, the blooper reels from the 3 *Indiana Jones* movies, some surprises, and -- at the end -- a brand new print of *Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade*. We also highly recommend the Warner presentation at 1, with *The Making of Batman*, and the 20th Century Fox presentation at 2. All these are in the Auditorium.

The 16mm room, Ballroom C, will be running today with the low-power, small projectors that everybody loved last night. They're giving us better picture and sound than the much fancier ones we rented for big bucks, so we'll keep using them. Today's schedule should (we hope) run fine. See tomorrow's pink sheet for the revised Sunday/Monday schedule.

Tonight we have something special. After the Hugo ceremony, we will be showing the Hugo-winning film followed by another studio-provided brand new Batman.

It's taken a couple of days, but we really think that today we'll give you the film program you want to see, and we've wanted to provide. Thanks for your patience.

Site selection balloting for the 1992 World Science Fiction Convention closes at 7 pm on Saturday. All members of Noreascon 3 are eligible to vote. The voting fee is \$20.00. Voters may purchase attending membership in the 1992 Worldcon by paying an additional \$20.00 conversion fee. The site selection ballot box is located in the ConCourse near the exit to the Sheraton.

The Last Hurrah of the Boxboro Horde: Friday night, the "in" place to be was Louis Wu's 200th birthday party. In 24 years of fandom, this was by far the most elaborate party I've ever been to at a con! More than eight rooms were jammed with just about everything ever seen at an SF party, including (but not limited to): videos, videogames, rock bands, dancing, masks, fog, lasers, bars, slide shows, croquet (we think this is a con first!), alien food, Terran munchies, and of course Louis' birthday cake.

Due to the Hilton's concern about fire codes, only 500 people were allowed in the party at a time. This caused lines of up to 220 people and waiting times of half an hour during peak periods. Once in, though, the dazzling array of rooms made even the most jaded fans feel like gosh-wow neos. If the Ringworld Map Room or the Kzinti Embassy did not impress, then Edgar Winter (yes, the real one!) on guitar did.

This party, which is the last large open Boxboro party before they go on sabbatical, took five years of planning, with more than 100 fans assisting the core Boxboro group of five fans, \$17,000+ in costs, four months of planning with the Hilton staff, and an estimated attendance of 1400+. Mr. Wu was gracious enough to grant a rare interview, in which he enthusiastically summed up the party with, "I had a great time and I hope everyone else did, too!" When asked if he plans one for #250, he hesitated and muttered, "I think I'm supposed to get hooked on droud in the next few years, so I'm not sure if I'll be around. You'll have to check with Mr. Niven on that.....*Ross Pavlac*

(The B-&-B Fly hopes that Pamela Britt recovers quickly from the shock last night of not only being the 10,000th Boxboro guest but receiving the bill as well. Boxboro will accept a check.)

Con Survival Tips #4: Spike's Principle of Recursive Closure: When approaching a revolving door which has an open segment in front of you, **do not stop abruptly and do not hesitate.** Step inside or run the risk of being stuffed inside.

Aaces Restaurant Report: The Avenging Aardvark's Chowder Eating Society dined at the Commonwealth Brewing Company, 138 Portland. For only a \$6 cab ride you can dine literally in the middle of a brewery! Is that not some kind of fannish nirvana or what? On tap are more than 20 beers brewed on the spot, with names like Snakebite, Celtic Ale, Black Velvet, et al. Menu is eclectic, with a number of types of dishes. The Carribean hot honey steak is an acceptable cajun-type preparation. Monica Stephens, our Texas chili expert, ruled that although their 3-alarm chili violated Texas standards (it contained beans), it was a full 2 1/2 alarms by Texas standards -- high praise indeed. Since it is a short cab ride away, it was very spacious and uncrowded... Including appetizers, alcohol, and tip, you can get away for \$20/person.

Steve's Ice Cream (95 Mass. Ave., program booklet map reference 2), while not offering the bizarre flavors of Ben & Jerry's, does serve gourmet ice cream with appropriate carcinogenic levels of butterfat. Good stuff.

Newbury's Steak House (94 Mass Ave., map reference 2) is OK for steak and such, but don't expect anything exotic. As advertised, but little more.

Peking on Prudential Center (903 Boylston) is surprisingly good Chinese. Service seemed shorthanded but the meal was worth the wait.

Correction! 12 Step Meeting, reported in Newsletter #3 as Beacon F, is actually Hynes 204 for Saturday and Sunday from 7 to 8:30 pm.

Facilities Operations is looking for a few good fen! If you have a few hours to volunteer between the hours of 9 pm to 3 am, we need you for the exciting and rewarding job of **Elevator Party Host!** Do you enjoy pushing other peoples' buttons? Do you like standing in small rooms with total strangers?? If so, you're just the person we're looking for. Come to the People Mover and volunteer. Remember, it's not just a job, it an adventure!!!

"**Fandom at the Opera**", presented by Cheap Treks, is the hit of Shore Leave XI. Room 953 at the Sheraton, South Tower, Saturday at noon and 4 pm, Sunday at 5:30 pm.

Most autographing sessions last 1/2 hour; if you want someone's autograph, DON'T BE LATE!

Christian Fandom, the group that asks the question, "What can you say about a country that believes God is dead and Elvis is alive?" will be holding a party Saturday night in Sheraton South 1865, 10 pm.

Lost dragon! Real Musgrave dragon figurine prototype hasn't found its way back to his dealer's table. No questions asked - please bring this small dragon home!!

Tiptoe through the tulips! **Direct computer contact to the Netherlands** at 3 pm Saturday in the BIX booth, Hynes Hall C.

Read Russian? Bjo Trimble needs translator for fairy tale illos bought at ASFA auction - see her in the BIX booth, Hynes Hall C.

The Kate Bush Society will be holding a traditional Swiss chocolate ceremony Sunday 1 pm in Beacon D. Please bring a bar of your favorite candy.

Lawrence the Wonder Camel was seen riding the Green Line wearing a propeller beanie. The sight was too strange for many a mundane. All messages to Lawrence should be directed to Costumers Guild West, via Janet Anderson. She is also answering questions about Costume Con 8.

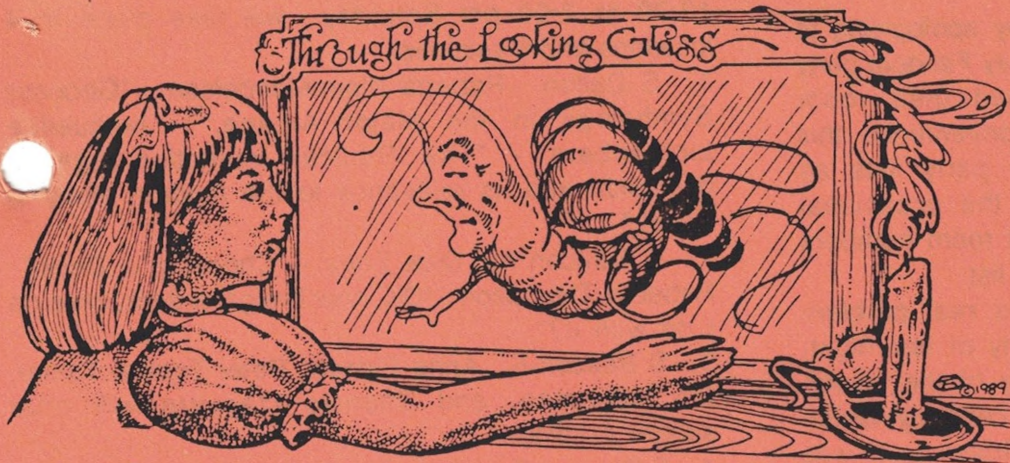
ALL HUGO NOMINEES THIS YEAR - please to Program Ops (Hynes 308) to receive your nominations pin. Thank you.

The Prometheus Awards will be held Saturday at 3 pm in Sheraton Beacon F.

Rev. Jay Hove 4X4 and Rev. Brian Damaged present "Fanatical Attack on Fanaticism" (**introduction to the Church of the Subgenius**) from 5 pm to 6 pm in Beacon E, 3rd. Floor of the Sheraton on Saturday.

Baltimore Horror and Fantasy Film Society announces **Fanex 3**, September 9-10, 1989. Jeff Morrow, Zita Johann, Forry Ackerman, Linnea Quigly and more. Also, just announced is **Fanex 4**, August 11-12, 1990 with Ray Harryhausen. More info: stop by table in 2nd Floor Hallway nears Hucksters Room or write: PO Box 6220, Baltimore, MD 21206.

The Art Show would like to thank all of the people who showed up for hangings setup, moving from hours behind schedule to hours ahead in a single day. We'd also like to thank all the people who came back to help bring in and install complete replacement lighting (to satisfy new Fire Marshall regulations) so the rest of the convention could see the art.



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 Dhead
 Saturday, 8pm

The Bread-and-Butter Fly would like to apologize for reversing the room numbers of the Steve Jackson and Gay Fandom parties, but, then again, it's these sorts of little surprises that keep life interesting.

Third Annual Chesley Awards (named for Chesley Bonestell, the astronomical artist) awarded by the Association of Science Fiction and Fantasy Artists (ASFA)...

Award for Contribution to ASFA:

David Cherry for fighting the uniform capitalization law, and for work on ASFA by-laws.

Best Three Dimensional Art:

John A. Morrison - "Metropolis."

Best Unpublished Monochrome:

Brad Foster - "Night Flyer."

Best Unpublished Color Work:

James Gurney - "The Waterfall City."

Best Interior Illustration:

Alan Lee - Merlin Dreams (Peter Dickinson, author - Gollancz, publisher).

Best Magazine Cover Illustration:

Bob Eggleton - (IASFM - July 1988).

Best Paperback Book Cover Illustration:

Jody Lee - The Oathbound (Mercedes Larkey, author - DAW, publisher).

Best Hardback Book Cover Illustration:

Don Maitz - Cyteen (C.J. Cherryh, author - Warner, publisher).

Award for Artistic Achievement:

Don Maitz - First Maitz.

You've probably figured out how Hyde Park and Jekyll Park (on the ConCourse) got their names. Less obvious is **Strauss Park**, named for Erwin (Filthy Pierre) Strauss, who suggested the name ConCourse for the mixing area.- Richard S. Russell

The **Chairman's Special Committee on Fannish Etiquette** recommends spinning your propeller instead of tipping your beanie.

Can you spot all of the chairs of past, present and future WorldConsat N3? If you guess correctly, you win the right not to ever chair a WorldCon (again).

SATURDAY NIGHT PARTY LIST

Sheraton North Tower:

Room	Time	Party
2431/3	8pm-1am	Boston Star Trek-Bash 90
2309	10pm	Video WorldCon Masquerade Winners
1942	midnite	ConFiction-Britain in 97
1809	after Hugos	Generic Fandom/Strange Plasma/Chocolate Party
1731	10:30pm	95 in 95
1745/9	9:30pm	New York in 95
1746/8	10pm	Phily in 86 (the obvious choice for 95)
1706	9pm	Myth Party
1542	9:30pm	Compuserve
1531	8pm-1am	Gay Fandom
1109	10pm-2am	ARISIA
1038	9pm-1am	Winnepeg in 94 - Toronto
809	9pm-1am	Con Diego 1990 Nastic
Sheraton South Tower:		
2066	10pm	Terminus in 95 / Atlanta
1865	10pm	Christian Fandom
1150	9pm	Tapadance 11th Birthbay
858	6-8pm	Harrison Ford Chat Session
764	8-11pm	Anime Hashhin (Fans of Japanese Animation)

Sheraton Meeting Rooms (3rd Floor):

Beacon E	5pm	"Bob" Rank
Beacon B/C	8pm	Phoenix in 93
Beacon D/E	11pm	Discon III, DC in 92 thank you
Beacon G/H	4:30pm	San Francisco in 93
Dalton	5-7pm	New England Roleplayers
Gardner	8pm	ASFA / Dragon Con
Hynes Civic Center:		
210	11pm	Dance
Park Plaza Hotel:		
518	3-7pm	Maddox 01 Showing

Discon III / DC in 92 Thank you party tonight in Beacon FED (Be Fed by Feds). Drawing at midnight for restaurant prizes from the Church of Panethic Cuisine. "We're from the Government - We're here to feed you"

FRIDAY NIGHT PARTY REPORT

I would like to start out this report by apologizing to both Steve Jackson Games and the Gay Fandom party people. I inadvertently exchanged their room numbers. I am sorry for the inconvenience this caused. While I try to make my party lists as accurate as possible (except for the occasional outrageous lie), this transposition of room numbers slipped by when I recopied the party list.

On the subject of parties, I have a real problem giving out an award to the best party of last night. There really wasn't any party worthy of the award. The Louis Wu Birthday Party was certainly lavish but it lacked warmth and friendliness. I was intimidated by the massive crowds and they ran out of sushi just before I got there (in fact, sushi makes a great bribe for me - hint, hint). The effort was spectacular, and the jazz was exceptional. Why can't the Con Suite be more like it?

If I had to give out an award, I would give it to both Orlando's truly last bid party and the Friendly Texan/Norwegian party. Orlando's party had great strawberry punch and chocolate nibbles. They unfortunately were hampered by the layout of the Sheraton Hotel itself; the suites are too small and very poorly laid out for large crowds of people. The Texan/Norwegian party had the best ambiance and munchies but was in a very small room. I hope tonight's parties are more successful.

Tonight - if you can only make it to one party - make it the Phily in 86 party. The organizers have promised a bash to make the New York in 95 party (coincidentally across the hall) look cheap and tacky. I plan to spend a good part of my night shuttling between these two good parties. Do check them out.

MAGICON in 92 SUPPORTERS - Thank you for wearing your T-shirts today! Will all of you wearing them meet for photos outside the Auditorium in the Hynes at 8:00 pm just before the start of the HUGO Awards. Interested photographers please note.

Helpful Hint Part II - The locks in the Back Bay Hilton also give a yellow light - i.e. the card is demagnetized, i.e. don't put the card next to your Visa or MasterCard or Amex, or the lock battery is too weak, or whatever excuse the hotel security wishes to give you at the time.

Kaffeeklatsches - Ronnie Seagren has been added to the Monday morning Kaffeeklatches (11:30 - 1:00 pm). Sign up at Information.

NAME THE STREET CONTEST RESULTS

A Warp Drive	D Glory Road
B Street of Dreams	E Alice Avenue
C Moebius Strip	F Milky Way

TAROT FORUM

12:30 to 2:00 pm Saturday will take place in 4 locations and 6 sections.

1. S Dalton: Roberta Klein-Mendelson - "Goddess Symbology in the Major Arcana." Jacqueline Lichtenberg - "The Biblical injunction against divination and its relevance to the modern study of Tarot."

2. S Beacon-A: Dick Eney - "Choosing a Deck." Rebecca Thompson - "OK, now I've got a deck, what do I do with it?"

3. S Beacon-F: Anne Pinzow, Peter Topkis, Tamar, Bill Hegeman, and Thomas Izaguirre will offer sample readings.

4. S Beacon-G and H: Mary Mason - "How to begin reading for other people; a hands-on workshop."

Please go directly to the section of your choice. The sections may change location at the whim of the *Powers that Be*.

THE TROLLOGY CAST

The cast for The Trollogy was inadvertently omitted from the Program Book. They are Steven Fetheroff, Candy Gresham, Keith Marshall, Joe Mayhew, Walter Miles, Judy Newton, Jul Owings, Mark Owings, Tom Schaad, Beth Zipser, and Mike Zipser.

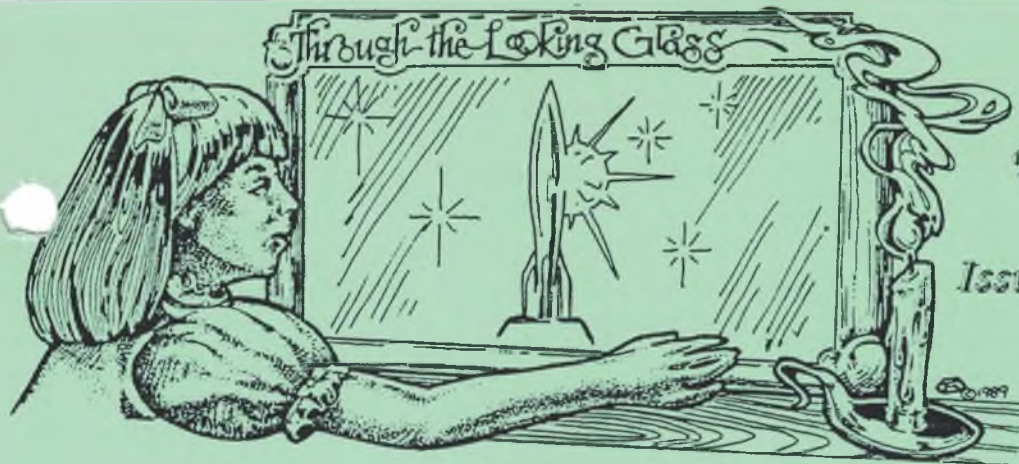
Baby Boom Update - Sydnie Krause of Evanston IL is 10 weeks old. DeLean Vengronskie of Silver Springs MD is 5 weeks old.

Academic Program Participants and Friends Social gathering in the Green Room 1 pm Sunday.

To the **person who returned my gold stickpin:** Thanks. It had real sentimental value.- J. E. Mason

There will be a **guided, tactile viewing of The History of Costuming Exhibit** for fans who have partial vision or who are blind. Experienced costumers Gary and Janet Wilson Anderson will describe details of the costumes on Sunday between 2 pm and 3 pm. Participants should register at the Handicapped Services desk to be among the fifteen who can participate in the tour. A **Kurzweil reading machine** is available in Hynes Room 205 between noon and 4 pm. This reader converts printed matter to audio output through a voice synthesizer. Convention Souvenir Book in braille, large print or ASCII will be mailed to those who requested them.

Gaming in the Back Bay Hilton on the third floor on Saturday - Monday from 10 am to 10 pm will occupy both second and third floors. Come and play! Board games and fantasy role-playing games. (The B&B Fly has some fantasies it would like to play out. If interested please apply at Newsletter Office.)



*The Noreascon 3 Daily
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Issue 8: Singing and Dancing
Saturday, 10 pm*

The Bread-And-Butter Fly would like to extend its heartfelt thanks to Todd Cameron Hamilton for the wonderful logos he designed for Through the Looking Glass. Your talent and help are deeply appreciated.

Monkey Business Meeting: The usual bloodletting and mayhem took place. The tensest moment of the meeting was the vote over extending the Worldcon site selection lead time to four years. Impassioned speeches by both sides (revolving around the issue of lead time to book hotels versus concom half-life) resulted in a squeaker 65-63 defeat for the motion. So selection stays at three years for the nonce.

NASFI, the controversy that will not die, inflamed everyone. If any of the physics PhD's out there invent a time machine, the business meeting would greatly appreciate your doing us the favor of inventing a U.S. National Convention circa, say, 1936.

Of course, the ever-favorite Hugo award tinkering continued. Them that wants to expand the number of categories still disagree with them that wants to contract the number of categories. Yawn.

Nolacon (1988 Worldcon) presented a financial report with the happy news that not only did they break even, reimbursements were being sent out.

2nd best quote: "The actual set of standing rules for the business meeting is a combination of Miss Manners and Code Duello." -- Lew Wolkoff

Best quote: "The ballot (for 1993 Worldcon site selection) is fixed." -- Donald E. Eastlake III.

Tomorrow: find out who won the 1992 Site Selection! Rumor has it that certain parties intend to leak the winner sometime this evening.

-- Ross Pavlac

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IMPORTANT IMPORTANT IMPORTANT

Due to a complete lack of passengers after 3:30 am the buses will stop running by 4 am Saturday and Sunday.

Passing Fancies Schedule

(See the Hyde Park tree for details.)

Saturday Afternoon

Hyde Park --

Belly Dancing performance & demonstration

Filk performances

Speakers corner

Jekyll Park --

Fannish trivial pursuit

Tinker toys, Legos, and games

Other Areas --

Giant coloring book

Hopscotch and jumprope

Back by popular demand: David Durlack's

Electric Disco Haystacks

Saturday Evening

Hyde Park --

Windbourne

More Difficulties

Other Filk performances

Jekyll Park --

Origami After Midnight

And still more toys

Sunday Afternoon

Hyde Park --

Gilbert and Sullivan Singalong

Filk Singing

Speakers Corner

Jekyll Park

Fannish Trivial Pursuit

Even more toys

Other Areas

Scavenger Hunt Judging

Trivia Bee





GRITTY BUSINESS MEETING DETAILS

BUSINESS DEFEATED:

- Ratification of amendment extending non-voting WSFS membership to members of past Worldcons.
- Amendment lengthening the lead time for Worldcon selection to 4 years.
- Ratification of amendment banning double skipping of regions in North America.
- Amendment to establish a Hugo for Outstanding Service.
- Amendment providing for the eventual separation of the NASFiC from the WSFS Constitution.
- Amendment adding books about Science or Natural Philosophy to the Non-Fiction Hugo,

BUSINESS ADOPTED, ELECTIONS, REPORTS

- Amendment allowing None of the Above to win for the NASFiC. {to be ratified at ConFiction}
- Ratification of amendment clarifying the term of office of members of the Mark Registration and Protection Committee.
- Bruce Pelz (Western), Fran Skene (Western), and Tim Illingworth (non-North America) were elected to the Mark Registration and Protection Committee for terms expiring in 1992. The other members are expiring 1990: Liz Gross (Central), Bob Hillis (Central), Leslie Turek (Eastern), a representative to be appointed by Nolacon II; expiring 1991: Kees van Toorn (non-North America), Scott Dennis (Central), Don Eastlake III (Eastern), Ben Yalow (Noreascon 3); expiring 1992:) Morris Keesan (ConFiction), Sean McCoy (ConDiego, non-voting); expiring 1993: Ross Pavlac (Chicon V); expiring 1994: representative to be named by Magicon.
- Report and continuation of the Special Committee to Codify Business Meeting Resolutions.
- Financial Report from Nolacon II.
- Amendment restricting the right to nominate for Hugos to members as of December 31. {to be ratified at ConFiction}

BUSINESS TO BE CONSIDERED 9:30 am SUNDAY MORNING IN H311:

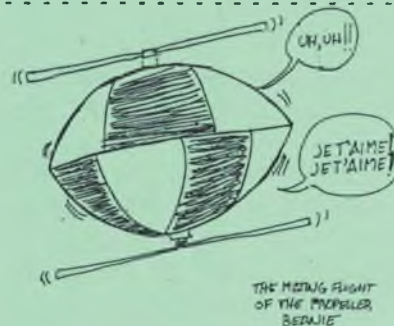
- Site Selection Reports and Presentations, Question Period, Financial Reports of the Mark Registration and Protection Committee, ConSpiracy, & Chicon V.
- Amendment changing the Best Professional Artist Hugo to the Best Professional Artwork Hugo.
- Amendment lowering the default voting fee from \$20 to \$15, and raising the maximum conversion fee from the voting fee to 3 times the voting fee.

- Amendment lowering supporting membership to the voting fee.
- An attempt to adjourn sine die before the following joke motion is considered.
- Motion to create a Parliamentary Procedure Study Committee.

The Editorial Committee for the Worldcon Runners' Guide will meet 9:15 a.m. to complete the roster of study committees.

The Mark Registration and Protection Committee usually meets on the final adjournment of the Business Meeting.

- Robert Sacks



Moshe Feder invites past & present members of FAPA - Fandom's oldest apa - to attend a party on Sunday from 5:15 - 7:30 pm. Sheraton 1641 (North Tower)

Thor Records Filk Listening Party
Lincoln Room - Hilton Hotel 9-11 pm

STFNAL PURSUIT UPDATE: The dynamic duo of Jerry Corrigan and Leo Doroschenko trounced their rivals to win the first Noreascon round of our killer trivia game. They plan to return as defending champions, so anyone wanting to take them on can check in at Jekyll Park at 1 pm Sunday.

The Bread-And-Butter Fly will not add unborn children to the "youngest child" competition because that number is certain to change by the end of the convention.

THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE WILL NOT BE AT THE CON:

ALAN DEAN FOSTER

John-Henri Holmberg	Lauren Mills
Dennis Nolan	Gary Lippincott
Richard Dutcher	Matt Costello

Pagans, Wiccans & Sympathizers! Schmoozing will be in Liberty C, Sunday at 8 pm. Guaranteed not to be as crowded as the Masquerade. A little fresh air figuratively and metaphorically... Leigh Ann Hussey

Christian Fandom, the group that asks the question, "What can you say about a country that believes God is dead and Elvis is alive?" will be holding a party Saturday night in Sheraton South 1865, 10 pm.

Through the Looking Glass

Special Issue

Saturday evening, Sept. 2, 1989

HUGO WINNERS --- Here are the Hugo winners, as announced at tonight's award ceremony, along with the other nominees in each category in order of finish:

BEST NOVEL: #1, **C.J. Cherryh**, *Cyteen*; #2, Orson Scott Card, *Red Prophet*; #3, Lois McMaster Bujold, *Falling Free*; #4, Bruce Sterling, *Islands in the Net*; #5, William Gibson, *Mona Lisa Overdrive*; #6, No Award.

BEST NOVELLA: #1, **Connie Willis**, "The Last of the Winnebagos"; #2, Lucius Shepard, "The Scalehunter's Beautiful Daughter"; #3, Norman Spinrad, "Journals of the Plague Years"; #4, Bradley Denton, "The Calvin Coolidge Home for Dead Comedians"; #5, Walter Jon Williams, "Surfacing"; #6, No Award.

BEST NOVELETTE: #1, **George Alec Effinger**, "Schrödinger's Kitten"; #2, Steven Gould, "Peaches for Mad Molly"; #3, Howard Waldrop, "Do Ya, Do Ya, Wanna Dance"; #4, Harlan Ellison, "The Function of Dream Sleep"; #5, Neal Barrett, Jr., "Ginny Sweethips' Flying Circus"; #6, No Award.

BEST SHORT STORY: #1, **Mike Resnick**, "Kirinyaga"; #2, David Brin, "The Giving Plague"; #3, Geoffrey A. Landis, "Ripples in the Dirac Sea"; #4, Bruce Sterling, "Our Neural Chernobyl"; #5, Eileen Gunn, "Stable Strategies for Middle Management"; #6, Jack McDevitt, "The Fort Moxie Branch"; #7, No Award.

BEST NON-FICTION BOOK: #1, **Samuel R. Delany**, *The Motion of Light in Water*; #2, Don Maitz, *First Maitz*; #3, James Gunn, ed., *The New Encyclopedia of Science Fiction*; #4, Robert Weinberg, *A Biographical Dictionary of Science Fiction and Fantasy Artists*; #5, Charles N. Brown and William G. Contento, *Science Fiction, Fantasy, and Horror: 1987*; #6, No Award.

BEST DRAMATIC PRESENTATION: #1, *Who Framed Roger Rabbit*; #2, *Beetlejuice*; #3, *Big*; #4, *Willow*; #5, *Alien Nation*; #6, No Award.

BEST PROFESSIONAL EDITOR: #1, **Gardner Dozois**; #2, David G. Hartwell; #3, Edward L. Ferman; #4, Stanley Schmidt; #5, Charles C. Ryan; #6, No Award.

BEST PROFESSIONAL ARTIST: #1, **Michael Whelan**; #2, Don Maitz; #3, David Cherry; #4, Bob Eggleton; #5, Thomas Canty; #6, No Award.

BEST SEMIPROZINE: #1, *Locus* (ed. Charles N. Brown); #2, *Science Fiction Chronicle*; #3, *The New York Review of Science Fiction*; #4, *Interzone*; #5, *Thrust*; #6, No Award.

BEST FANZINE: #1, *File 770* (ed. Mike Glycer); #2, *Lan's Lantern*; #3, *Niekas*; #4, *FOSFAX*; #5, *Other Realms*; #6, No Award.

BEST FAN WRITER: #1, **Dave Langford**; #2, Mike Glycer; #3, Arthur D. Hlavaty; #4, Avedon Carol; #5, Chuq Von Rospach; #6, No Award; #7, Guy H. Lillian, III.

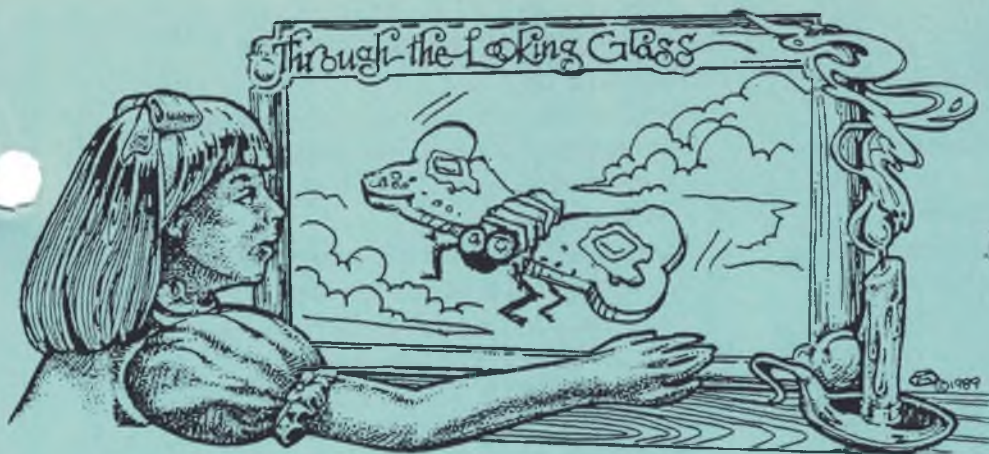
BEST FAN ARTIST: #1, **Brad W. Foster** and **Diana Gallagher Wu** (tie); #3, Stu Shiffman; #4, Teddy Harvia; #5, Taral Wayne; #6, Merle Insinga; #7, No Award.

JOHN W. CAMPBELL AWARD for best new writer of 1987-88 [not a Hugo; sponsored by Davis Publications]: #1, **Michaela Roessner**; #2, Delia Sherman; #3, Christopher Hinz; #4, Kristine Kathryn Rusch; #5, Melanie Rawn; #6, P.J. Beese and Todd Cameron Hamilton; #7, William Sanders; #8, No Award.

Noreascon Three received 539 valid Hugo nomination ballots and 980 valid final ballots. (This is the lowest number of final ballots since 1977, and perhaps the lowest ever relative to convention membership: the fraction of members voting on the Hugos has been declining steadily for at least 20 years.)

A reminder: All members of Noreascon Three are entitled to make nominations for *next* year's Hugos, whether or not you are a member of ConFiction. (However, you may have to ask ConFiction for a ballot, and you'll need to be a ConFiction member to vote on the *final* ballot.)

This special issue was prepared in advance of the convention by the Hugo Administrator, so don't blame the regular newsletter staff for the way it looks.



*The Noreascon 3 Daily
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Issue A: The Lost and the
Lurking
Sunday, 1 pm*

1992 Site Selection Scandal! Massive Bloc Voting Alleged! The WSFS Business meeting wound up with the usual gaiety, though it started off with a somber moment. There was not a dry eye in the house as Kent Bloom sadly announced that DC in 1992 "would like to formally tender our surrender." An American flag (unburned) was handed over as part of the surrender terms. Mike Wallis tried to encourage Joe Siclari to make DC kneel and surrender their swords, but Joe allowed DC to capitulate with dignity. Joe immediately announced that he would place the flag in a position of honor in his traveling Worldcon Bid exhibit.

Chicon V presented its financial report in its Progress Report 2, recently mailed to fandom. The bottom line according to Chairman Kathleen Meyer: "We're solvent!"

Bob Hillis created Gerbil Fandom.

The WSFS Trademark and Registration committee held a meeting for the purpose of not having a meeting. Don't ask.

The biggest controversy was over voting and membership fees for the Worldcon. See Sacks' grueling detail for final results.

The most amusing item was the creation of a Study Committee on strange Parliamentary devices, the creation of which was opposed by people using strange Parliamentary devices. Hey, that's how business meeting folks get their kicks.

Terry Gish, in her speech for Phoenix in 1993, announced that the city is terraforming the Anvil of God. (Anyone who has been to a Phoenix con does not need this item explained further.) For those wishing to purchase wedding gifts, she has registered with Dick Spelman.

Notable quotes:

"Boston can always turn a profit." -- Robert Sacks.

"I'm 1/3 of the chair so I can't stand up for very long." -- Terry Gish

"The elevators are running and the doors are open. What more could a Hynes liaison ask for?" -- Joe Rico.

(Re a pending item): "This will use the same confusing language, which we really ought to perfect some time." -- Mark Olson.

-- Ross Pavlac

The Bread-And-Butter Fly denies reports that the newsletter logo actually says "Through the Looking Grass". Fire codes do not allow smoking in the Hynes, no matter what the editorial content may look like.

Facilities Operations is looking for a few good fen! If you have a few hours to volunteer between the hours of 9 pm to 3 am, we need you for the exciting and rewarding job of **Elevator Party Host!** Do you enjoy pushing other people's buttons? Do you like standing in small rooms with total strangers?? If so, you're just the person we're looking for. Come to the People Mover and volunteer (or if you have already signed your release, drop by the Jefferson/Kent room & sign up). **Remember, it's not just a job, it's an adventure!**

Aaces Restaurant Report: the Avenging Aardvark's Chowder Eating Society (the **Wild Aards**) walked the Freedom Trail today. The Freedom Trail is a walking tour of Boston's major historic sites, starting from Boston Commons, about an eight block walk from the Sheraton. You can pick up free maps at the Sheraton concierge desk or at the tourist kiosk where the trail starts. From there, you follow the red line (just like in **OZ!**) for more than three miles, through churches and cemeteries and old buildings of all kinds.

At various points along the trail, Park Service guides give lectures and keep you from feeding the bears. You will learn fascinating historical facts, such as that John Hancock, the financier of the American Revolution, provided free beer at the meetings of the Sons of Liberty. You will learn the secret of why the statue of Paul Revere faces away from the Old North Church, rather than towards it, and whether the famous signal was one or two lamps in the Old North Church. At one point, you can even photograph a statue of a hooker or view the Vinegar Bible. Yet another trivia quiz: who was the first American prisoner of war in the Revolutionary War?

The entire walk will take virtually an afternoon, depending on how many historical buildings and lectures you stop for (some of the buildings are free, some charge \$1-2). Warning: the U.S.S. Constitution (near the endpoint of the tour) closes at

3:50 p.m., so time yourself accordingly! Figure on taking a taxi back to your hotel, as your feet will be pretty tired by then.

Those wishing a concentrated, abbreviated tour should stop at Faneuil Hall, eat, and go on to Revere House, Old North Church, and the Constitution.

If Food in Boston has a name, it's Faneuil Hall. Must-eats include the Durgin Park outlet's baked beans and Indian pudding. Also available are Cajun foods, clams, zillions of seafoods, pizza, cookies, Greek food, gelato, Revelation root beer, ice cream.....*burp* If you can't find something you like here, you are not a carbon-based life form.

Con Survival Tips #5: Never eat in an Asian cuisine restaurant where none of the staff is Asian.
-- Terilee Edwards-Hewitt

Scum More Degenerate Than Us Dept: There was at least one **purse snatching** Saturday night. If you are walking between hotels or in the Boston downtown area, be advised.

In opening ceremonies remarkably reminiscent of the knighting ceremony in *The Court Jester*, the **Hugo Awards** got off only somewhat late last night. The nominees in each category were preceded into the auditorium by prominent members of the fannish community carrying the Hugo Awards. The Bread-And-Butter Fly found this quite moving for the cheering, applause, and shouting strongly affected several of those honored by our nominations. Fred Pohl was his usual suave, urbane, witty, interesting, well-dressed, friendly, loquacious self, conducting the goings-on with a remarkable ability to keep an ordinarily bumptious crowd quiet. The right people won, and the runners-up were encouraged. We all kissed and hugged, and went off to party.

Special Awards Presented at Hugo Ceremonies:

from the Noreascon 3 committee:

Alex Schomberg for the SF Lover's Digest

Big Heart Award

Art Widner, Jr.

First Fandom Awards

L. Sprague DeCamp

Don Grant

Fredrik Pohl

Japanese National SF Awards (Sei-un Awards)

Foreign Novel: *Footfall* (Niven & Pournelle)

Foreign Short Story: *Eye for Eye* (Card)

Gryphon Award

Elizabeth Waters

Lee Barwick (Honor Book)

Congratulations to all!

**GRITTY BUSINESS MEETING DETAILS
BUSINESS DEFEATED**

- Amendment to lower the voting fee to \$15.
- Amendment to lower the maximum supporting membership from 125% of the voting fee to the voting fee.
- A motion to suspend the rules to allow the introduction of a new amendment to create a new Hugo Award in experimental categories as decided by each year's Business Meeting.

BUSINESS ADOPTED AND REPORTS

- Orlando won the worldcon for 1992; Pelz, Skene, and Illingworth won seats on the WSFS Mark Registration and Protection Committee.
- ConFiction presented a written report, and the Question Period was held.
- The Best Professional Artwork Hugo was made a recommendation to the next three Worldcons.
- Amendment to raise the maximum conversion fee to twice the voting fee. {to be ratified at ConFiction}
- A study committee on strange parliamentary devices was appointed: Feldbaum, Ruh, Dazzo, Hellinger, Miller, Olson, Turek, and Sacks.
- San Francisco and Phoenix made presentations. {Zagreb had already left.} San Francisco is bidding the Moscone Center Extension (under construction) and the Marriott. Phoenix is bidding their experience (all 3 co-chairs have Worldcon level experience and in the last 8 years that have conducted 2 Westercons, 1 World fantasy Con, and 1 NASFiC) and the Phoenix Civic Plaza, Hyatt, Sheraton, and possibly the (under construction) Marriott. The terraforming of the Anvil of God should be completed next year.
- The meeting adjourned sine die. **There will be no Monday meeting.**

The WSFS Mark Registration and Protection Committee met on the adjournment of the Business Meeting. Fran Skene, assisted by Scott Dennis, was authorized to file in Canada. The officers (Hillis as Chair, Dennis as Treasurer, Eastlake as Secretary) were continued for the next year. Hillis will contact the other publisher of "Hugo Winners" to assure that the marks are acknowledged. Cathy FitzSimmons is sitting in as Ross Pavlac's alternate from Chicon V.

- Robert E. Sacks

Nancy Atherton really put the History of Fanzines exhibit together and **Mike Glycer** didn't really mean to sound like he was claiming credit for it during his Hugo acceptance speech last night, claiming it was the excitement of the moment. He put together the fanzine display and sales table. Next time he promises to write a speech in advance, to be delivered whether he wins or not.



The Noreascon 3 Daily
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Issue B: Bewitched and
Bewildered
Sunday, 6 pm

OOPS! The correct recipients of the special Noreascon 3 awards were:

Alex Schomberg
SF Lover's Digest

That's two awards, not one.

Move Out Volunteers Needed to help with moveout on Monday night, Tuesday & Wednesday. We especially need drivers & people with strong backs to move lots of stuff out of the con. You can still earn a gopher Tshirt (while they last). You are also eligible for membership reimbursement if your total number of hours worked exceeds 16.

"va" orange will be banned for color use by Art. Now entrants for one year starting NOW according to an unreliable source.

Yard Sale: Yes, there will be a yard sale in the ConCourse beginning Monday at 4 pm. We'll be selling some of the park benches, the white plastic chairs, lava rock wall, a 7 foot space ship & many other goodies. Stop on by! (And yes, we need gophers to help between 2 & 5.)

Wayne Rash, columnist for Byte Magazine and BIX Writer's Exchange Editor is ready to discuss writing in the BIX booth in the ConCourse

Fellow Fen, Where were you all last night? I guess only New Yorkers know how to find their way around.....U. B. Hadh, Chairman, New York in '95
PS: See you tonight!!

Dana Siegel's Broom was seen parked in the air at about the 17th Floor level for much of last night, so now we know how she gets to those parties without being seen in the elevators...

DON'T Go to see the Wizard!

The Sunday midnight show of Wizard is CANCELLED. Buttons and T's at 10 pm show. Meet at 9.

Aaces Restaurant Report: The **Aaces** (Avenging Aardvark's Chowder Eating Society) finally met its match. The No Name Restaurant at 15 1/2 Fish Pier offered seafood in such quantities that we couldn't see straight when we were done eating, for roughly \$20/person including drinks, appetizers, dessert, and tip.

The adventure began with a daring daylight kidnapping of Becky Thompson (1992 Worldcon Co-chair) from the Information Desk. In order to insure her presence, Dr. Elst Weinstein surgically removed her beeper and disabled it ("It's all right, I can do this. I'm a doctor!"). A \$7 cab ride took us to the restaurant, where we started out with some wonderful seafood chowder. A whole lobster was \$15.95, including cole slaw, bread, a chunk of corn on the cob, and a saucer of fried shrimp and scallops.

The broiled mussels were the best we've had in ages, and the scrod is pretty nifty, too. Everyone was in such a good mood that Elst told the "La Paloma" story while Mike Glycer was sitting across from him, and Glycer didn't even try to kill him. Seating is very quick if you arrive early (6-6:30), and the service was extremely prompt, if a bit harried.

For dessert, we had their legendary Grape Nuts pudding (no, this is not a joke!), though fruit pies are available, too. Everyone was so stuffed that Tom Veal and others agreed that Bruce Pelz's Hugo Preservation committee ought to consider hiring a taxidermist to stuff the Hugo winners as well as preserve the physical trophies.

The Bread-And-Butter Fly says, "If I can't read it, I can't publish it." (Including Eric Van)

Be sure to see the **History of Costuming Exhibit**, surely one of the best the B&B has seen. All the costumers deserve our applause for their efforts, and I for one am glad that fen get a second chance to see these pieces up close. The workmanship is inspiring. Janet and Gary Anderson get our thanks for their job, and they send their thanks to Denise & Steve Carter for shipping & schlepping. Kudos to all.

Passing Fancies Sunday Afternoon

- Strauss Park Scavenger Hunt Judging
Trivia Bee (4 pm)
- Hyde Park - Broadway Meets Mobius Strip
(Sing along with Broadway and
Gilbert & Sullivan tunes, led by
Cynthia Kiley)
- Near Hyde Park - Filk Dancing with Richard
Stahlman
- Jekyll Park - More Trivial Pursuit
Demos
- Various Places Hopscotch
Tinkertoys
Twister

Passing Fancies Sunday Evening

- Strauss Park Filk with Barry and Lee Gold
- Hyde Park The Android Sisters
- The ConCourse Masquerade costume parade along
the boulevards

More Art Show Awards

Popular Choice:

- Best Artist Professional - Michael Whelan
- Honorable Mention - James Gurney
- Best Artist Amateur - Nevenah Smith
- Honorable Mention - Omar Rayyan

Chairman's Choice:

- Michael Whelan "Passage: The Red Step"
- Hon. Mention: Tom Kidd "Winsor McCay City"

Director's Choice:

- C. Anderson: Paul Chadwick "Storming Heaven"
- D. Anderson: Bob Eggleton "Horsehead Nebula"

Art Show Staff Choice:

- Bonnie Atwood "Water Dance"
- David A. Cherry "A Stitch in Time"
- Ruth Sanderson "A Tale of Two Cities"
- Hon. Mentions: Barclay Shaw "Euridice"
- Arlin Robins "Sea Dreams (Study)"
- Vincent DiFate "Popular Science (Sketch - Voyager and Saturn)"

PicoCon 8 will take place the first Saturday in March. This is a one-day minicon run by the Imperial College Science Fiction Society, which takes place in South Kensington, London. It's an ideal introduction to UK fandom!

Information from: Amanda Baker c/o ICSF, Imperial College, Prince Consort Road, South Kensington, London SW7, ENGLAND.

WARNING! CREDIT CARD SCAM!

Some invertebrate life form has been phoning Hilton rooms in the small hours, claiming to be the desk and asking for your credit card number. **THIS IS A SCAM!** The correct answer is to say "I'll call you right back, hang up, and ring the desk. If it's really them, they'll still be there. If not, well....."

LOST MEDICATION! Cloth purse containing important medication. It is 12 x 18. Lost at Au Bon Pain. If found contact George RR Martin via Ops or Sheraton Security. The medication is for Ms. Parris.

LAST SHUTTLE BUS leaves the Hynes on Monday at 2:30 am, also known as Tuesday morning.

Program Additions

The SF Poetry Association Recital Sunday 5 pm in Liberty C.

Fandom at the Opera: A Cheap Treks Production Sunday 5:30 pm in Sheraton South Tower 953.

The MIT Science Fiction Society (MITSFS) holds its 40th Anniversary meeting Sunday 6 pm in Hynes 301.

Beauty and the Beast - Fan Talk - Sunday 7 pm until 9 pm in Hynes 303.

Meet the Paleontologists from the dinosaur panel at the "Friends of the Dinosaur" meeting Sunday 7 pm in the Dalton Room.

Star Trek - The Pepsi Generation - acclaimed humorous short by Ryan K. Johnson will be shown Sunday night continuously after the Masquerade in Sheraton North Tower 1701 as part of Video fandom's APA-VCR party in 1702.

Last Shuttle Bus leaves the Hynes on Sunday at 4 am on Monday morning.

Human / Dolphin Interaction - Slide Show by Debra Spencer and Stan Butler Monday 11 am in Hynes 305.

REPORT ON SITE-SELECTION VOTING

The following are the results of the voting for the site of the 1992 Worldcon:

	Mail	At-Con	Total
Orlando	355	1030	1385
D.C.	37	75	112
No Preference	29	71	100
None of the Above	6	10	16
Write-ins:	(9)	(14)	(23)
Not Dundalk	1	3	4
SS Norway/Bermuda Triangle	1	2	3
Hoboken, NJ	1	1	2
Tallinn, Estonia	0	2	2
"anywhere near DC"	1	0	1
Cardiff, Wales	1	0	1
Discon II (as write-in)	1	1	1
Highmore, SD	0	1	1
Hoaxcon/Seth Breidbart	0	1	1
Hold Over Funds	0	1	1
Minneapolis in '73	0	1	1
Rottnest Island, W.A.	1	0	1
Spuzzum, B.C.	0	1	1
Van Demon's Land (sic)	1	0	1
(blank)	1	1	2
Total	436	1200	1636
Invalid ballots:	21	7	28
(mail ballots with no money; at-con with no name or address)			

Orlando is therefore declared the *Yiff* winner. The following tellers are thanked for their assistance in counting the ballots: Covert Beach, Judy Bemis, Dan Hoey, David Ratti, Tom Veal, and Steve Whitmore.

--George Flynn, Site-Selection Admin.



*The Noreascon 3 Daily
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Issue D: Do Not Forsake Me,
O My Darling
Monday, 10 am*

Closed Letter to Spike (all other Noreascon attendees: please do not read this): You underestimate yourself, Spike. Of course you're qualified to be an Ace: you eat food rather than photosynthesize, don't you? (Don't you?) The fact that you may not be familiar with some of the cuisines we Aces are bold enough to try in the line of duty is a wonderful qualification -- such is the case with most of the fans here at the con. Don't you see, you are one of the Aces representing the Common Fan! People such as you are needed to balance the opinions from the jaded palates of some of the other grizzled veteran gourmets. As to how an Ohio boy like me learned how to deal with crustaceans -- why, the same way that you are. Just as with running worldcons, you should learn by doing, by apprenticing under people familiar with exotic restaurant combat conditions. So join us, be welcome, and respond honestly -- that's what I like most about you. I'll bring the clams, you bring the butter. -- Ross.

Aces Restaurant Report: The Avenging Aardvark's Chowder Eating Society visited the Imperial Tea House on Beach St. in Boston's Chinatown for Dim Sum. This Chinese smorgasbord had the usual rolling carts with tons of alien foodstuffs on board. Service was erratic and it was quite crowded. Food quality: OK by normal Dim Sum standards, but it wouldn't cut it in San Francisco.

Con Survival Tips #6: Eagles may soar, but a weasel will never get caught in a jet engine. -- Janice Gelb.

Most bizarre T-shirt seen at Noreascon: a shirt with a large happy face wearing a Batman cowl.

Aces Restaurant Report: The Avenging Aardvark's Chowder Eating Society Thai'd one on at Room Thai, (reference 6 on the program booklet map). From the chicken coconut soup (delicious) through the shrimp baby corn, slam duck, beef broccoli, and other viands, we were generally impressed by the quality. Spicy items are marked as such on the menu, and the non-spicy ones were so surprisingly mild that for a minute we thought we

were in a Cantonese restaurant. For those who order without noting the spice level, we offer Elst's Okra Principle: Thai food has no okra. If you see anything that looks like an okra, it's really a death pepper. Total was \$15/person, a bit pricey but not outrageous.

MASQUERADE WORKMANSHIP AWARD WINNERS

Novice

"Scraps, the Patchwork Girl from Oz" Deidre M. Rittenhouse -- Best Patchwork

"Azhriaz, Night's Daughter" Penny Hipman -- Best Decoration

"The Gravity Research Institute" Duncan McCulloch, Gavin McCulloch, Walter Ginoza -- Best High Tech

"Mock Taa Dragon" Diane L. VanHekken -- Best Novice

Journeyman

"The Art Show" Roberta Rogow -- Best Embroidery

"The Matching" Capucine Plourde -- Best Beading

"The Sacrifice" Heidi Hooper with Debbie & Craig Walton & Mike Ventrella -- Best Metal Work

"The Dragon Lord's Daughter and Her Handmaiden" Cary Conder -- Best Journeyman

Master

"Tribute" Animal X -- Best Fabric Painting

"Dread Warrior" Deborah K. Jones -- Best Structure

"Music Box" Wendy Ross -- Best Master

The Masquerade Judges were:

Ann Chancellor

Janet Wilson Anderson

Patti Gill

D. Jeannette Holloman

Michael Symes

Costume APA Originality Judge:

Ron Robinson

Workmanship Judge:

Peggy Kennedy

Judges' Clerk:

Susan de Guardiola

Special thanks to J. G. Huckenpohler, our calligrapher, and Terry Fong, our Guard/Gopher.

MASQUERADE AWARD WINNERS

Novice

Hon. for Excellence for Wings -- "First Flight" Ann Livermore, Mary Robinson, John Cryan

Hon. for Excellence -- "Scraps, the Patchwork Girl of Oz" Deirdre M. Rittenhouse

Most Elegant -- "Azhriaz, Night's Daughter" Penny Lipman

Most Humorous Re-Creation -- "Darth Vader's Nemesis" Rene Whitney-Simonson, Season Irwin, Joe DePaula

Most Beautiful -- "Poseidon & His Bride Madame Tsunami, Creator of the Waves" Nancy Lee Rogers, William Rogers

Best Re-Creation -- "Taarna" Shane Russell, Leslie Culton

Judges' Choice -- "Tackyana, the Costumer from Hell" Susan Lynn Toker

Best in Class -- "Mock Taa Dragon" Diane & Clark Van Hekken

Journeyman

Hon. for Excellence in Re-Creation -- "Soror Marium" Barbara Lynn Higging

Hon. for Excellence -- "The Sacrifice" Heidi Hooper, Mike Ventrella, Debbie Walton, Craig Walton

Most Exquisite Detail -- "The Dragon Lord's Daughter and Her Hand-Maiden" Cary A. Conder, Maria Bycar

Most Original -- "The Lamentable Tale of Prince Samisen & Lady Ritsuneko" Fiona K. Leonard, Phil Gilliam, David Cook

Best Performance -- "Beauty and the Beast: the Final Chapter" Selina & Mark Harju, Scott Rivard, Marita Acker, Kathleen Gibson, Thomas Atkinson

Most Beautiful Presentation -- "2010" Geraldine Sylvester, David Gordon

Best in Class -- "Theatre of the Vampires" Anya Martin, Cynthia Linaweaver, Shawn Carter, Ginger Bickett, John Baker, Paul Marshall

Master

Hon. for Excellence -- "Music Box" Wendy Ross

Hon. for Excellence -- "Tribute" Animal X, Dorsey Flynn, Delian, Cobra, Suzanne Tees, Carol Salemi

Best Re-Creation -- "Beneath the Opera House" Julie Zetterberg, Gregory Sardo, and a helper

Best in Class -- "The Court of the Peacock King" Kathy & Drew Sanders, Caroline Julian, Barb Schofield, Martin Miller, David Graham, Reg Schofield

Best in Show -- "Dread Warrior" Deborah Jones

FILM CORRECTION! Last film will be at 7 pm, not 9 pm as listed in the program book. The film will be Baron Munchausen, whether it's spelled correctly or not. This will be the last NoReason 3 program item in the Hynie.

Worldcon moving to Holland; everything here must go! No reasonable offer will be refused! Chairs and park benches, slightly used; card tables, book cases, pillars, and industrial piping; '89 rocket ship in great condition, only driven by a little old man from Ann Arbor; trees, banner racks, and a lawn trellis, plexiglas and other building materials; all the kids' toys will be sold; and plenty of other neat stuff. Sale starts Monday at 5 pm, and will keep going 'til everything's gone (or we get bored).

The Jittlov exhibit Folk would like to thank the Bread-And-Butter Fly in advance of closing for its gracious enclosure of the "Wizard" items run in "Looking Glass" and for not getting greasy crumbs on our flyers.

Boxboro Fandom wishes to thank the 925+ fans who attended our wake... "Death of a Fandom". We also want to thank everyone for attending our decade of parties ... all 11000(!) of you!! Special thanks to Hoboken Fandom. We enjoyed it bye!

The Avenging Aardvark's Chowder Eating Society would like to extend its thanks to George Alec Effinger, for providing a role model for how Worldcon restaurant reviews should be done. George, Aces will thank you properly with Chicago Stuffed Pizza and Mongolian Barbeque at Windy

The Bread-And-Butter Fly would like to thank all the people without whom this rag would not have been possible: Bruce Farr, John Dittmann, Barbara Bernadewski, Dana Siegel, Eve Ackerman, Elst Weinstein, Mike Glycer, David Iannaccone, Carol Shetler, Caroline Mullens, A. Gilliland, Teddy Harvia, 4 artists whose work was not signed and whose work we recieved from the Artists' Jam, Robert Sacks, Ross Pavlac, Tom Veal, Stu Shiffman, Allen Sperling, kT FitzSimmons, and everyone else who I may have inadvertently forgotten. (It's been a LONG con!) A special thanks to Todd Cameron Hamilton for the logos. An extra super duper special thanks to my husband, Kirby Bartlett-Sloan, for incredible amounts of work and patience. He will be rewarded with sexual favors. The rest of you are out of luck. **See you next year in Holland!**

ConFiction Needs You! No, not you. You over there, third from the left. All volunteers are needed to make Holland in '90 a success. Would people willing to work on Operations please volunteer to Tim Illingworth in the Staff Lounge or in writing to him at 63 Drake Road, Chessington, Surrey, KT9 1LQ, UK.



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 Issue E: The Long and
 Winding Road
 Monday, 3 pm

Monday Night Party List

MITSFS 40th Anniversary	6pm	Hynes 301
LA in '96	9pm	Beacon Room
Gay Fandom	8 - 1	Sheraton 1531
Winnepeg Dead Dog	8	Sheraton 2309

Sunday Night Party Report:

The best of last night's vast array of parties was the great bash thrown by the Nashville in '94 group. I've always loved their swill and though their recipe seems to have changed since I last tasted it, it's still one of the tastiest drinks to be found at a con. Besides, I've never been able to resist the sight of a cute guy in short cutoffs making drinks and serving all the women personally. The munchies also were tasty (even if they actually were paid for by the members of Noreascon3).

I was very disappointed by the Armadillocon / Minneapolis in '73 party last night. I wonder if they decided since the New York in '95 and Philly in '86 parties (both noted for food, drink and merriment) were on the same floor, they figured that people would be satiated by the time they staggered into their room and require neither food or drink. Yes, they still had good conversation and a man sucking wall, but the refreshments were really meager!! What happened to those great spreads at Nolacon? Honorable mention goes to Magicon who made up in enthusiasm what they lacked in room space in refreshments. The winner of their drawing for a free room at the Peabody was Brendan Lonehawk. The Bridge party also deserves a bit of egoboo just for the vast array of food and drink. But I actually went to meet Edgar Winter and he was nowhere to be seen during my short stay there.

Noreascon III Party Wrapup

Well, folks, I must say I've been very disappointed with the overall quality of the parties at this con. Many of the factors involved were out of the party throwers control, however. The small suite size was a real drawback, and the meeting rooms used for bid parties were even worse. When the concom was renting all the couches and chairs, why couldn't they put a bunch in the meeting rooms that were designated for party use? The ASFA suite and SFWA suites had all the warmth of a Greyhound Bus Station,

and the Beacon meeting rooms strongly resembled the Northwest Airlines waiting area at Logan Airport. In theory, it made a lot of sense to put these large parties in easily accessible spaces (? the SFWA suite was only easily accessible when I used my broom stick) but come on guys -- if they're party rooms, furnish them like party rooms rather than like an ARA cafeteria.

And an even worse complaint is the terrible arrangement made to provide refreshments to the parties. I don't drink beer but \$30 for a case of beer is not what even I would consider a reasonable price. And the munchies were dull, unappetizing and very monotonous since everyone had to buy them from the same place and off the same list. One of the few ways for party throwers to personalize their parties (besides decorations, which ConFiction used to great effect) is through the use of innovative drink & munchies. The way this con was run, you couldn't tell the difference between any of the parties except by looking at the number on the room door. Making all these faults seem even worse is the fact that last year's worlcon -- while pretty abysmal in most ways, had very good parties. The suites were large and the refreshments varied. Hints to ConFiction & Chicon include making sure the largest bids get the largest suites to insure the most space for the open parties, and instead of giving an allowance for people to buy bad food at horribly inflated prices, to give out money for people to spend as they see fit. The people throwing parties need to be able to individualize their parties instead of throwing party clones.



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party but was the most individualized, well situated, spacious and friendly party. Congratulations.
 Dave Sizer

Now that I've gotten that off my chest, I'd like to award the Noreascon 3 party prize to the Generic party. It sounded like it would be like every other