

SYRACUSE IN 1966!

In 1964 the Syracuse bid for the world con was organized. Foremost it was to be an earnest effort to put some life and excitement into withering con bidding and to destroy the apathy which threatens the future of the conventions themselves.

MAKE A CHOICE BASED ON MERIT NOT DEFAULT!

After much discussion in fan circles, it's recognized that the Rotation Plan provides for the Syracuse bid which is "out of turn." The controversy raised by those opposing the Syracuse bid has become concerned with whether or not "it's a good idea" to "violate" the "principle" of the Plan. Those favoring Syracuse point out that the Syracuse bid has accomplished its basic purpose, that of revitalizing the con bidding, and has drawn attention to the stifling effect of the Rotation Plan. Now, we say, let's judge the two competitive bids between "Syrakon" and "Tricon" (the new joint bid representing the Mid-West) and decide on the basis of merit.

SYRACUSE WON'T BE JUST ANOTHER REPEAT-CON!

What about Syracuse, the place? It's in the eastern part of the U. S., along with opposing Cleveland-Detroit-Cincinnati. We all share Eastern Standard Time and are metropolitan areas. Syracuse has an area population of 500,000. Two interstate superhighways intersect here and a large jet airport is 20 minutes from the con hotel, with a new bus terminal being built two blocks away. We have the finest, most modern, fully air-conditioned hotel in Syracuse. We'll be the only convention in the hotel! We have 350 rooms guaranteed, plus 250 more available -- so everyone can stay in the hotel. Hotel restaurants and bars are opened until one a.m., with all-night eating places nearby. The entire BLOCK LONG tenth floor con area will be exclusively ours! ...including a giant auditorium of 1100 capacity and suites of rooms for fandom's exclusive use.

GET ON THE BANDWAGON! JOIN THE SYRACON BANDWAGON CLUB!

Your support is welcomed now. A nominal 50¢ enrolls you and brings a membership card, to apply toward Syracon con dues.

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SUPPORT COMPETITION IN BIDDING! SUPPORT SYRACON!

The Syracon remains locally sponsored by a committee in Central New York. Official posts for help will be designated for non-committeemen as needed and as actively employed -- not for the effect of adding Big Names to our roster.

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