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### Gillespie Astonished!

"Bruce Gillespie is astonished to find himself made George Turner's literary executor. Among other things, he has to find out what a literary executor actually does. As soon as practicable, he will appeal for George Turner original manuscripts and correspondence for photocopying and archiving. Various projects to honour George's life and work will follow." brg

### Bullsheets Media Watch

Rob Gerrard appeared, in his professional role, representing the ANZ Bank, on the Channel 9 News 13/6/97.

*The Herald/Sun* 18/7/97 features a piece about four minutes of bits snipped from Dr Who being found in Australia. It mentions Ellen Parry a postgrad at Brisbane University who is studying sf film and books and Sydney's Damian Shanahan who is writing a history of Dr Who censorship in Australia. The BBC has asked for the cuttings to be used in a forthcoming Dr Who special. And who said that censorship was a bad thing?

*The Saturday Age* 21/6/97 suffered an outbreak of science fiction and sf fans. Jack Daan's[sic] *Memory Cathedral* was number 8 on their fiction Best Seller list. Jenny Pausacker reviews Andrew Lansdown's *Dragonfox* and Lucy Sussex gets almost half a sheet to review Anita Brookner's *Visitors*.

*The Sunday Age* 22/6/97 devoted almost half a page to SF, Horror & Crime fanzines in its Agenda section. The photo featured *Aurealis*, *Bloodsongs* and *Mean Streets*. Quoted are Bruce Gillespie and Dirk Strasser, though Dirk doesn't seem to enjoy having *Aurealis* described as a fanzine. Bruce laments not having enough money to publish *SF Commentary*. *Thyme* and *Eidolon* get a guernsey. It's not too bad an article, as far as media coverage of fanzines goes, and is reasonably accurate, except that it gives Bruce's defunct GPO Box as his address.

### In Print

Richard Harland, author of *The Vicar of Morbing Vyle*, mentions that his new book *The Dark Edge* - science fantasy with thriller elements, being brought out by Pan Macmillan this August.

### Fan Stuff

Cheryl Morgan has had no luck finding further

work in Australia and is heading US wards at the end of the month. She is maintaining some Australian ties; as she will remain in ANZAPA and is threatening to return for Basicon 2 and Aussiecon Three.

Joyce Scrivner notes that Harlan Ellison listed some of his favourite non-US authors of late, and the following Australian authors were on the list. Feel free to pick your own favourite spelling error (attributed to the newsgroup poster, not to Harlan)

Terry Dowling *Blue Tyson*; Lucy Sussex; Sean (Shawn ?) McMullen; Peter Carey *War Crimes, Bliss*; Russell Blackburn; Greg Egan; LeAnn Fromm

Gerald Smith reports on goings on from Sydney "We attended the wedding of Warren Nicholls and Christine Smith (one half of the once infamous Smith twins) on Saturday 21 June. Held at the Hydro Majestic Hotel in Medlow Bath (once the site of the legendary Medventions) the wedding attracted a wide selection of fans and past fans including many not seen in years. Even Robin and Alycia Johnson took time off in their jetsetting lifestyle to join the party.

One unfortunate piece of news learnt at the wedding was that William Good, once well known in Sydney fandom and intended best man for Warren, was in hospital following an altercation with a taxi. The news is that he is doing fine but won't be mobile for a little while yet.

A small group of die hard fans still also meets on Thursday nights at the Elysee Coffee Lounge (corner Pitt and Bathurst Streets - the cafe down the road from where Galaxy Bookshop used to be) before going out to dinner somewhere. Any fans visiting Sydney are welcome to join us."

### Aussiecon Three

Nothing new to report

### Up coming Conventions

**Holodiction "Mini Convention" June 29** Rene Ouberjonois and Robert Picardo in Sydney. Phone 02 9311-3841  
**Event Horizon I I July 18-20 1997** Mercure Hotel, Brisbane  
 GoH Michael O'Hare (Commander Sinclair, Babylon 5) full membership \$105 until May 31 supporting \$30 776 Cavendish Rd Holland Park 4121 Qld  
<http://www.dcc.net.au/eh2>  
 Email E.Parry@hum.gu.edu.au  
**LoneStarCon2** 55th World Science Fiction Convention **August 28-September 1 1997** Henry B. Gonzales Convention Center San Antonio, Texas GsoH Algis Budrys, Michael Moorcock, Don Maitz and Roy Tackett  
 Attending \$135 Supporting \$25, Children, 3-12 \$40 (Rates apply until July 31, 1997) LoneStarCon2, PO Box 27277, Austin, TX 78755-2277 E-mail: lsc2@io.com URL:

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<http://www.io.com/~lsc2>

BasiCon 2 September 27-28 1997 Media & Mainstream  
NatCon YWCA Cato Conference Centre Melbourne \$20  
attending membership (\$100 at the door). P.O. Box 567  
Blackburn 3130.

<http://www.vicnet.net.au/~sf0z/basicon.htm>

Conquest 97 The Tonight Show October 10 - 12 1997  
Mecure Hotel, North Quay, Qld GoH Richard Arnold GPO  
Box 1376 Brisbane Qld 4001 (07) 3266-3103

Timestorm November 21-23 1997 Australia's 14th National  
Doctor Who Convention Guest of Honor (subject to work  
commitments): Sophie Aldred (Ace) Edmund Barton  
Convention Centre, South Road, Moorabbin. \$85 until 18  
July, \$95 until 19 September, \$110 until 18 November, \$130  
at door GPO Box 4782UU Melbourne Vic 3001

<http://www.ipax.com.au/~dave/timestorm.html>

[dave@ipax.com.au](mailto:dave@ipax.com.au) [kevgulen@onaustralia.com.au](mailto:kevgulen@onaustralia.com.au)  
Multiverse 3 February 13-15 1998 Edmund Barton Centre  
488 South Road Moorabbin Victoria GoH Rob Grant P.O.  
Box 355 World Trade Centre Melbourne, Victoria 3005  
Australia <http://www.vicnet.net.au/~multiver>

Construction (New Zealand NatCon) Queen's Birthday  
Long Weekend 1998 West Plaza Hotel Wellington GoH  
Neil Gaiman P.O. Box 11559 Manners St Wellington New  
Zealand

CSO (Dr Who NatCon) April 17-19 1998 Brisbane  
Travelodge Roma Street Station GsoH Caroline John &  
Geoffrey Beevers ph Trevor Gensch (07) 5499 0265  
Swancon Twenty Three 24th-27th April, 1998 (Anzac Day  
long weekend ) Orchard Hotel, 707 Wellington St, Perth.  
GoH: Lois McMaster Bujold Guests: Tess Williams, Grant  
Stone.

Dead GoH: Jules Verne Fan Guest: Gina Goddard.  
Membership \$60.00 until 31st August GPO Box 429 Perth  
WA 6841

<http://www.gu.uwa.edu.au/swancon>

E-mail: [swancon23@ucc.gu.uwa.edu.au](mailto:swancon23@ucc.gu.uwa.edu.au)

Aussiecon Three 1999 World Science Fiction Convention.  
September 2-6 1999 World Congress Centre, Melbourne  
GsoH George Turner, Greg Benford and Bruce Gillespie.  
Aussiecon Three, GPO Box 1212K, Melbourne, 3001,  
Australia

<http://www.maths.uts.edu.au/staff/eric/ain99>

email [julian@aussiecon3.worldcon.org](mailto:julian@aussiecon3.worldcon.org)

GoH = Guest of Honour

O.C.P. = Other Commitments Permitting

tba= to be announced.

## Other Events

A.C.T.

Canberra S FS ph (06) 288 6391 (ah) PO Box 47, Civic  
Square ACT 2608

11.07.97

Terry Pratchett Signing July 7 11.30 - 1.30 Dymock's  
Bookshop

Terry Pratchett Signing July 10 6.00pm Galaxy Bookshop

Southern Science Fiction Group July 19 2.00pm Soup and  
video Contact 15 Shade Place Lugarno (02) 534-3595.

Sydney Skyforce August 30 1-5pm Sydney University  
Contact Hector - 0411 363 5021 PO Box 804 Kensington  
NSW 2033 Email [hbofaz@mail.usyd.edu.au](mailto:hbofaz@mail.usyd.edu.au)

Australian SF Association GPO Box 4440 Sydney 2000  
Babylon 5 OZ Fan Club PO Box 161 Adamstown NSW  
2289. Fanzines The Babble-on Babylon 5 and Gold Channel  
e-mail [shadow@scorch.hna.com.au](mailto:shadow@scorch.hna.com.au)

Dr Who Fan Club of Australia PO Box 4 Epping NSW  
2121 email: [neelix@eagle.asstdc.com.au](mailto:neelix@eagle.asstdc.com.au) \$9 per year  
Futurian Society of Sydney Room 1615 University of  
Technology Broadway

<http://tanelorn.socs.uts.edu.au/~iwoolf/writings.html>  
Friends of Science Fiction Star Trek, The X-Files, Babylon  
5, Doctor Who P O Box 797 Fairfield NSW 2165 Email  
[fsf@nlc.net.au](mailto:fsf@nlc.net.au) <http://www.nlc.net.au/~fsf/> Fanzine  
*Friends of Science Fiction Newsletter*

Lost in Space Australia P.O. Box N9 Petersham North  
NSW 2049

NSW Uni SF Club zine Sub Space Relay (02) 481-9419  
Newcastle Science-Fiction Club First Sunday of every  
month, Alice Ferguson Community Hall 30 Caldwell St,  
Merewether. Call Craig 049 871413 for more details.  
Newcastle Doctor Who Science Fiction Club 3rd Sunday  
of the month, Alice Ferguson Community Centre, 30  
Caldwell St Merewether P.O. Box 140, Kotara Fair 2289, ph  
(049) 543 603 (049) 43 2666 e-mail

[shadow@scorch.hna.com.au](mailto:shadow@scorch.hna.com.au)

Parramatta SF Discussion Group 1st Thursday of the  
month 7pm Infinitas Bookshop, 5/1 Horwood Place,  
Parramatta. (02 633 5682) [ianm@mpx.com.au](mailto:ianm@mpx.com.au)

Penrith SF Group (047) 322-179 or (047) 301-073

Skyforce Sydney The Faculty of Nursing, 88 Mallet Street  
Camperdown

Sydney DW SF Fan Club Anglican Church Hall 2  
Rochford St Erskineville GPO Box 2870 Sydney 2001  
[neelix@eagle.asstdc.com.au](mailto:neelix@eagle.asstdc.com.au)

Tavern Monthly booze-up for Doctor Who fans in Sydney.  
First Friday of month, 6 pm. Museum Hotel.

The Thursday Night Group Informal eating and nattering.  
5-7pm Thursday Nights. Murphy's Bar.

The Other Thursday Night Group The Elysee Coffee  
Lounge (corner Pitt and Bathurst Streets) followed by  
dinner.

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Hyperion July 12 5.30 pm - 10 pm Metro Arts 109 Edward  
St Brisbane (07) 3341 0307

Queensland Star Trekkers (Quest) July 13 12.00 to 4.00 pm  
Metro Arts 109 Edward St Brisbane GPO Box 2084 Brisbane  
4001

Highlander July 20 10 am to 4.00 pm Metro Arts 109  
Edward St Brisbane Newsletter *The Buzz*

Vortex July 23 QUT (ITE Building Room 303) G.P.O. Box  
2084 Brisbane 4001

Conquest August 3 Metro Arts 109 Edward St Brisbane  
GPO Box 13676 Brisbane Qld 4001

Babylon 5 Series 4 Screening August 10 11.00am to

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5.00pm.QRI (Queensland Railway Institute) Conference Room, next to Central Railway Station in the city.  
<http://www.cth.com.au/usr/timelord/images/maps.jpg>  
RSVP to [timelord@mail.cth.com.au](mailto:timelord@mail.cth.com.au)

New Alliance August 17 P.O. Box 7446 East Brisbane QLD 4169

Brisbane Dr Who Fan Club August 17 Queensland Rail Institute Center, Brisbane Central Station PO Box 10308, Adelaide Street, Brisbane QLD 4000. email [timelord@closer.brisnet.org.au](mailto:timelord@closer.brisnet.org.au)

Brisbane Skyforce September 13 10am - 6pm University of Queensland Contact Nick - (07) 3369 9744, PO Box 5732 West Hill QLD 4101 Email [water@thehub.com.au](mailto:water@thehub.com.au)  
FSFA C/O Leela Cosgrove 3 Sollis St. Geebung Brisbane Q 4034

The Space Ranger Fan Club Dinners at least once a month 104 Muir Street, Labrador 4215 (07)55322812

Terminal Pyramids The Wide Bay DW and B7 Fan Club 51 Rocky St Maryborough QLD 4650 (071) 215 180 (Daniel Pattell)

Trilogy (Dr Who) PO Box 2459, Southport, QLD, 4215  
David Mark Sasche [sdavid@gc.design.net.au](mailto:sdavid@gc.design.net.au). Fanzine *Entropy* Will meet monthly on the Gold Coast.

UQTrek The University of Queensland's first and only club for the Appreciation of Star Trek contact Perryn Fowler [cs324423@student.uq.edu.au](mailto:cs324423@student.uq.edu.au)

## S.A.

AUSFA, c/- Clubs Association, University of Adelaide, North Terrace, Adelaide SA 5001.

Critical Mass PO Box 3355, Rundle Mall, Adelaide, SA 5000 [dwarman@maths.adelaide.edu.au](mailto:dwarman@maths.adelaide.edu.au)

Sastrek Star Trek™ P.O. Box 369 North Adelaide S.A. 5006 (08 337 8759). [carl@adam.com.au](mailto:carl@adam.com.au)

South Australian Doctor Who Fan Club PO Box 3227, Adelaide, SA, 5000 (08) 294 8337 (Jeremia Boddey, president) Monthly meetings. Fanzine *Chameleon Factor*; newsletter *Wall of Lies*, annual fanzine *Jethryk*

## Victoria

MSFC June 27 Role Playing and other games plus Authors I Hate. July 4 American Night. July 11 Movie Discussion Night July 18 Male Characters in SF on screen. 8.00pm St David's Church Hall 74 Melville Rd West Brunswick P.O. Box 212 World Trade Centre Melbourne 3005

MSFC June 28 Mid-Winter Barbecue. Details tba.

Enterprise June 28 Starfleet Olympics Horticultural Society Hall 31 Victoria St Melbourne Vic P.O. Box 466 World Trade Centre Melbourne 3005 (03) 9583 7404 [enterprise@minerals.csiro.au](mailto:enterprise@minerals.csiro.au)

Australian Costumers Guild June 28 Pre-Costumers' Ball Panic & Costume Slumber Party Telephone (03)9557 7088 P.O. Box 322 Bentleigh Vic 3204 email

[stilskin@netspace.net.au](mailto:stilskin@netspace.net.au)

<http://www.vicnet.net.au/~costume/>

Nova Mob July 2 13 Frederick St Brunswick.

Bendigo P.O. Box 334 Bendigo 3550.

Dandenong Science Fiction Society July 9 Eroticism in SF/Fantasy What Turns us on? Ann McGann P.O. Box 706 Frankston Vic 3199 015 510 159

[luddite@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au](mailto:luddite@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au)

The Second Annual Costumers' Ball July 26th Streeton Room, The Centre Ivanhoe, 275 Upper Heidelberg Rd Ivanhoe. P.O. Box 322 Bentleigh Vic 3204 email [stilskin@netspace.net.au](mailto:stilskin@netspace.net.au)

Skyforce (Star Wars) August 9 Copeland Theatre Economics & Commerce Building Uni of Melbourne 1.00 to 5.00 pm P.O. Box 427 Northcote 3070 Email Address: [darren.maxwell@tmca.com.au](mailto:darren.maxwell@tmca.com.au)

[www.xavier.vic.edu.au/starwalking](http://www.xavier.vic.edu.au/starwalking)

Austrek August 9 Art Show St Mark's Church Hall, cnr Burke and Canterbury Rds, Camberwell. 2-5pm. Traders, displays, games and activities, refreshments available. Further information: Rose Mitchell [mitchell@vicnet.net.au](mailto:mitchell@vicnet.net.au) or Steve Hartshorne 9749 1851 (AH) Traders welcome. To book tables contact Rod Tyrrell 9899 4536 GPO Box 5206AA Melbourne 3001

Fourth Annual Fantasy and Science Fiction Masquerade Ball August 9 7:00pm - 12:00pm Glenferrie Masonic Hall 3 Launder Street Hawthorn Contact Fellowship of Middle Earth c/o the Union Monash University Clayton Victoria 3168 Phone: (03) 95455203

Australian Babylon 5 Fan Club P.O. Box 41 West Brunswick 3055 Fanzine *Babbling On* Email James Allen [Allen@vut.edu.au](mailto:Allen@vut.edu.au) or [bfive@VNET.ibm.com](mailto:bfive@VNET.ibm.com)

Australian Horror Writers P.O. Box 7545 St Kilda Rd Melb. 3004.

Big SF (Star Trek/ general SF) Ballarat P.O. Box 178 Wendouree 3355

The Daemoniacs Club P.O. Box 1528 Collingwood Vic 3066

Doctor Who Club of Victoria\_GPO Box 4782UU Melbourne 3001 email: [borad@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au](mailto:borad@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au)  
Fellowship of Middle Earth Monash University FOME c/o The Union, Monash University, Clayton Victoria 3168 [fome@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au](mailto:fome@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au) or [eleni@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au](mailto:eleni@yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au)

<http://yoyo.cc.monash.edu.au/~fome/>

Friday Night Mob Friday Nights 6-7.30pm. Informal eating and nattering. K&Ms, Myer Arcade Melbourne Gallifrey GPO Box 910G Melbourne 3001 Daniel Klein 0419 379 842, AH:(03) 9850 7275

Goulburn Valley Sci-Fi Club bi monthly 4th Sunday of the month. Willowmere Receptions Kyabram. P.O. Box 186 Kyabram 3620

Phryne Fisher Club P.O. Box 41 West Brunswick 3055

Red Dwarf Fan Club P.O. Box 1044 Bundoora 3083

The X-Files Fan Club of Australia Locked Bag 1013, Flemington, 3031. Fanzine *The Field Journal*.

## W.A.

Swancon 23 Quiz Day June 29 12.30pm Hyde Park Hotel Perth

Time Trekkers July 4 Star Trek Monopoly 46 Sternberg St

The Neutral Zone PO Box 1169, Bibra Lake, WA, 6965..

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Phone (09) 434 4167, email: nzone@iinet.net.au Fanzine  
 The Final Frontier  
 Jump Point Murdoch University Economics, Commerce  
 & Law Building - Lecture Theatre 1 The Babylon 5 club of  
 W.A. Email info@jumppoint.net.au  
<http://www.jumppoint.net.au/>  
 UniSFA - University of W. A. Science Fiction Association.  
 Rebecca Kirkman gidget@tartarus.uwa.edu.au. Box 59 c/o  
 Guild of Undergraduates, University of Western Australia  
 Nedlands 6907.  
 The West Lodge Doctor Who Fan Club. P.O. Box 190 Mt  
 Lawley 6050 E-Mail: null@ucc.gu.uwa.edu.au  
<http://www.ucc.gu.uwa.edu.au/~null/WestLodge/WestLodge.html>  
 Westrek Star Trek Club of Western Australia Inc. Last  
 Friday of month 6:45pm. (except December second Friday)  
 Labour Centre Building, 82 Beaufort Street Perth. Hall .  
 P.O. Box 307 Bentley WA 6102 Phone: (09) 356 1757

## Fanzines Received

*The Sydney Futurian* #27 Ron Clarke P.O. Box K490,  
 Haymarket, NSW 1240. *Watt's Out: Current Book Releases*  
 Ron Clarke P.O. Box K490, Haymarket, NSW 1240. *Ethel*  
*The Aardvark* #73 Ian Gunn for the MSFC P.O. Box 212  
 World Trade Centre Melbourne 3005 Emerald City #22  
 Cheryl Morgan cherylmorgan@compuserve.com or  
<http://www.emcit.com> *Ultrawarp* 25 Simon Mead for  
 Time Trekkers P.O. Box 334 Bendigo Vic 3552

ANZAPA 176 Marc Ortlieb OBE (address as above)  
 154 pages of fanzines from Alan Stewart, Eric Lindsay,  
 Roger Sims, Terry Morris, Bill Wright, Michael O'Brien,  
 Phil Wlodarczyk, Leanne Frahm, Jean Weber, Gerald  
 Smith & Womble, Jeanne Mealy, Terry Frost, Cheryl  
 Morgan, James Allen, Sally Yeoland & Cath Ortlieb. There  
 are six spaces for new members. Why not join us?

## Web Pages

For a full listing,  
<http://www.vicnet.net.au/~sfoz/zines.htm>

## New Listings

George Turner Tribute  
<http://www.vicnet.net.au/~msfc/george.htm>

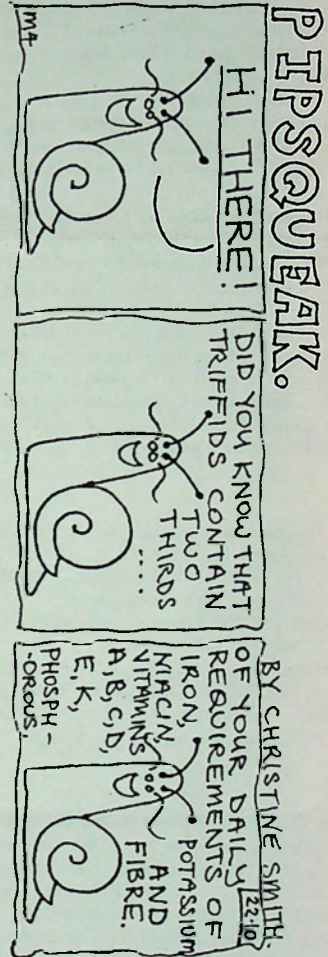
## Deadlines

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|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Austrek Art Show         | July 1 1997           |
| ANZAPA 177               | August 8 1997         |
| Ditmars                  | September 19 1997     |
| ASFMAS (postal)          | September 26 1997     |
| ASFMAS (on site)         | 4pm September 27 1997 |
| SFWoE SF/F Story Contest | 30 October            |
| Altair Competition       | November 1 1997       |

## Sources

Alan Stewart, Warpspeed, Cath Ortlieb, Bruce Gillespie, Cheryl  
 Morgan, Richard Harland, Simon Mead, Gerald Smith

And finally a little Christine Smith art from yonks back.



## Deadline For #80

Tuesday July 15 th.  
 Distribution Friday July 18th.  
 (Three week break for the school holidays)