

TUS-CON 24

POCKET PROGRAM

November 7-9, 1997

Notes: An "Hour with" a guest can include any combination of reading, discussion, presentation and signings the guest wishes.

"RT" items are informal roundtable discussions.

FRIDAY (November 7, 1997)

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| 2:00pm | - Videos begin and continue until 7pm | 202 |
| 3:00pm | - The mythical "12 basic plots" -- what are they? (with: Ed Bryant, Simon Hawke, Kathryn Lance, Hayford Peirce) | Dipl A |
| | - Dealers room opens and continues until 9pm | Dipl B |
| | - Art Show opens and continues until 7pm | Westwood |
| | - Children's programming begins and continues until 10pm | 110 |
| 4:00pm | - Babylon 5 vs. Star Trek vs. Star Wars -- How are they similar and different? Is one vision the "best"? (with: John Vornholt, Annita Harlan, Thomas Harlan, Katherine Lawrence, Daryl Mallett, Earl Billick) | Dipl A |
| | - Japanimation begins and continues until 10pm | 107 |
| | - ConSuite opens and continues until 7pm | 115 |
| | - Gaming Room opens and continues until Sunday at 4pm | 116 |
| 5:00pm | - Evolution/de-evolution of language -- effects of mass media, politics, technology, literature, subcultures, etc. (with: Ed Bryant, Liz Danforth, Kathryn Lance) | Dipl A |
| | - Hour with Daryl Mallett | 109 |
| 6:30pm | - Belly Dancing presentation | Patio |
| 7:00pm | - Meet-the-Guests Party (with cash bar) (2 hours) | Patio |
| 8:00pm | - Videos resume and continue past midnight | 202 |

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| 9:00pm | - Artist Guest of Honor presentation and slide show (with: Alan Gutierrez) (2 hours) | Dipl A |
| | - Art Show reopens and continues past midnight | Westwood |
| | - ConSuite reopens and continues past midnight | 115 |
| 10:00pm | - Children's programming closes | 110 |
| 11:00pm | - Hour with Ed Bryant | Dipl A |
| | - Hour with John Theisen | 109 |
| Midnite | - Hour with Wolf Forrest | Dipl A |
| | - Hour with Kate Daniel | 109 |
| SATURDAY (November 8) | | |
| 8:00am | - Japanimation begins and continues until 10pm | 107 |
| | - Gaming Room continues until Sunday at 4pm | 116 |
| 10:00am | - Science Fiction Guest of Honor presentation (with: John Vornholt) | Dipl A |
| | - Dealers room opens and continues until 8pm | Dipl B |
| | - Art Show opens and continues until 6pm | Westwood |
| | - Children's programming opens and continues until 10pm | 110 |
| | - ConSuite opens and continues until 8pm | 115 |
| 11:00am | - How can you get paid to an artist? Inside the biz. (with: Alan Gutierrez, Liz Danforth, Larry Vela, Charles Heath) | Dipl A |
| | - RT: Adult Masquerades - Why S&M?, Rotsler's Rules, etc. (with: Gannd, Henry Beck, Martha Beck, Monique Berry) | 111 |
| | - Hour with Hayford Peirce | 109 |
| | - Belly Dancing practice - everyone invited | Patio |
| Noon | - Why do you use the art media that you use? Is it habit, style, effect, durability, colors, ease of use, etc.? (with: Alan Gutierrez, Liz Danforth, Leslie Hill, Hillary Miller, Larry Vela, Earl Billick) | Dipl A |
| | - RT: What subjects go over the best in the YA market? (with: John Vornholt, Simon Hawke, Kathryn Lance, Janni Lee Simner) | 111 |
| | - In costuming, it's all in the detail(ing)! | 109 |
| | (with: Gannd, Marji Kosky, Rich Meagher) | |
| | - Live steel demo by the ECS | Patio |
| | - DEADLINE to register for TusCon and Adult Masquerades! | Lobby |
| 1:00pm | - Special presentation -- Artists in their natural habitat! A slide show of the studios of famous SF/F artists. (with: Leslie Hill) | Dipl A |
| | - Audience disbelief -- suspended or hanged until dead? (with: Dennis McKiernan, Hayford Peirce, Kate Daniel, Steven McDonald) | 109 |
| 2:00pm | - Books and movies that warped my childhood! (Section A) (with: Melanie Rawn, Ed Bryant, Thomas Harlan, Hillary Miller) | Dipl A |
| | - Hour with Joanna Russ | 109 |

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| 3:00pm | - Grab Bag panel -- three items chosen at random! (with: John Vornholt, B.D. Arthurs, Larry Hammer, Judith Tarr, John Theisen) | Dipl A |
| | - Hour with Dennis McKiernan | 109 |
| | - Regency Dancing practice - everyone invited | Patio |
| 4:00pm | - "Good" bad guys -- misunderstood, nasty or over-the-top? What elements make up a "good" villain? (with: Annita Harlan, Katherine Lawrence, Mike Stackpole, Judith Tarr, Catherine Wells, Steven McDonald) | Dipl A |
| | - Hour with Janni Lee Simner | 109 |
| | - Belly Dancing practice - everyone invited | Patio |
| 5:00pm | - Fan Guest of Honor presentation (with: Dave (Gannd) Foster) | Dipl A |
| | - Hour with Catherine Wells | 109 |
| 6:00pm | - Special: the Vampire in film - old and new favorites Why certain Vampire films continue to work for us. (with: Monica Schwab and Hillary Miller) (2 hours) | 202 |
| 7:00pm | - Art Show closes for one hour | Westwood |
| 8:00pm | - TusCon Masquerade (with Marji Kosky) | Patio |
| | - Videos resume and continue past midnight | 202 |
| | - Art Show reopens and continues until 11pm | Westwood |
| | - ConSuite closes for one hour | 115 |
| 9:00pm | - Hour with Simon Hawke | 109 |
| | - Belly and Regency Dancing - everyone invited | Patio |
| | - ConSuite reopens and continues past midnight | 115 |
| 10:00pm | - Hour with B.D. Arthurs | 109 |
| | - Contemporary Dancing (2 hours) | Patio |
| | - Japanimation closes | 107 |
| | - Children's programming closes | 110 |
| 11:00pm | - Hour with Monica Schwab | 109 |
| Midnite | - Adult Masquerade (with Yvette Tang) (EVERYONE carded!) | Dipl A |
| SUNDAY (November 9) | | |
| 8:00am | - Japanimation resumes and continues until 6pm | 107 |
| | - Gaming room continues until 4pm | 116 |
| 10:00am | - Religion in SF/F -- more than just saying "Crom!" How do you weave in religion without it taking over? (with: Kevin Birnbaum, Larry Hammer, Mike Stackpole, Judith Tarr, Kate Daniel) | Dipl A |
| | - Dealers room opens and continues until 3pm | Dipl B |
| | - Children's programming opens and continues until 6pm | 110 |
| | - ConSuite opens and continues until the Con is dead! | 115 |
| 11:00am | - Fantasy Guest of Honor presentation (with: Melanie Rawn) | Dipl A |
| | - Art Show opens for one hour only | Westwood |

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| Noon | - How to keep your protagonist compelling when villains are usually much more interesting! (with: Melanie Rawn, Loren Coleman, Simon Hawke, Katherine Lawrence, Dennis McKiernan) | Dipl A |
| | - RT: The "Yugo" awards -- the worst movies, etc. of 1997! (with: Wolf Forrest, Hillary Miller, Monica Schwab, Larry Vela, Daryl Mallett) | 111 |
| | - Hour with Mike Stackpole | 109 |
| 1:00pm | - TusCon Art Auction (with pro auctioneer) (2 hours) | Patio |
| | - Videos close for two hours | 202 |
| 3:00pm | - The partially-silvered glass of writing - reprise Writing as a window to other worlds, mirror to this world. (with: Melanie Rawn, Simon Hawke, Janni Simner) | Dipl A |
| | - RT: Early fandom -- did they realize where it would lead? (with: Henry Beck, Martha Beck, Wolf Forrest, Pete Manly) | 111 |
| | - Hour with Loren Coleman | 109 |
| | - Videos resume and continue until at least 6pm | 202 |
| | - Dealers room closes | Dipl B |
| 3:30pm | - Art Show - time to pick up the artwork you bought! | Westwood |
| 4:00pm | - Books and movies that warped my childhood! (Section B) (with: John Vornholt, Gannd, Kevin Birnbaum, Wolf Forrest, Annita Harlan, Janni Simner) | Dipl A |
| | - RT: Fan run Cons: sacred cows or endangered species? (with: Henry Beck, Martha Beck, John Theisen, Rich Meagher) | 111 |
| 5:00pm | - Keeping your technology and supernatural believable. Have them add to the story, not detract from it. (with: Gannd, Thomas Harlan, Pete Manly, Catherine Wells) | Dipl A |
| 6:00pm | - Japanimation closes | 107 |
| | - Children's programming closes | 110 |
| | - ConSuite Dead Dog Party continues until dead! | 115 |

THAT'S ALL FOLKS!

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR FOR OUR

25TH ANNIVERSARY TUS-CON!!