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# **COPPERCON 15 NEWS & UPDATES**

Saturday 9-9-95

The information provided here is a supplement and/or correction to the information contained in the CopperCon 15 Program Book. Where the information differs, the information provided here is more current and therefore, more accurate.

Additional panelists scheduled to appear (in alphabetical order): Steven Barnes; Pati Cook; Rick Cook; Marian Crane; Gia DeSimone; Paul Clinco (Edwards); Gary St. Lawrence; Kit Townsend; and Henry Vanderbilt.

#### Errata

In a late-breaking story, our sources report that Buzz Aldrin legally changed his name a few years ago (from Edwin to Buzz). We apologize for any inconvenience, and we promise to call him by his right and proper name — Mr. Aldrin. (For his "Ed"ification!)

#### **NEWS**

CopperCon 15 will be attended by Members of the Press today, due in great part to the presence and participation of Buzz Aldrin. Fen should not be surprised if news people with cameras are roaming about taking pictures. Having major-league media coverage is a Good Thing, and we are counting on everyone to be their natural fannish selves for this. (NOTE: please be in costume if you can.) Thanks!

# SATURDAY Programming Changes

Don't Drop the Ball! - Juggling Session #2
Saturday, 9:00am to 11:00 am, Patio B
Scott Glener, Matthew Ryan, and/or Timmie
Ann Schramm

RESCHEDULE to: Saturday, 8:30am to 10:30am, Patio B (Grassy Knoll).

#### Dyeing Can be Fun!

Hands-on fabric dyeing workshop for advanced costumers Saturday, 11:00 am to 1:00pm, Center Court Frances Burns, moderator; Gail Wolfenden-Steib

RESCHEDULE to: Saturday, 10:00am to Noon, Center Court.

## That's-a One Tiny Meatball

Or: NASA--All Stressed Up (with nowhere to go?) Amid severe budget-cutting and the end of Space Station Freedom, what now? Saturday, 10:00am to 11:30am, Superstition Room

G. Harry Stine, moderator; Buzz Aldrin; Diana Challis; Charles Kuhlman; Keith Wood ADD: Peter Manly

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#### **Personal Protection**

Personal survival tips & mental tactics for the '90s and beyond

Saturday, 11:00am to 12:30pm, Boardroom (Room 108)

Walter Sanville, moderator; Nora Rankin ADD: Paul Clinco (Edwards)

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#### The Young Person's Guide to Science Fiction

Where should young readers begin, and whom should they read?
Saturday, 12:30pm to 2:00pm, Room #124
Maryeileen Flanagan, moderator; Stephen
Burroughs; Jenn Jumper; Don Markstein;
Jean Palmer

ADD: Gia DeSimone

Neurophone Demo with G. Harry Stine Saturday, 12:30pm to 2:00pm, Boardroom SHORTEN to: Saturday, 12:30Pm to 1:00pm, Boardroom

#### One 'Mir' Step for Mankind

The growing potentials of multi-national space missions

Saturday, 1:00pm to 2:30pm, Superstition Room

John Theisen, moderator; Buzz Aldrin; Peter Manly

ADD: Rick Cook, Henry Vandebilt, G. Harry Stine

#### \* NEW PANEL ITEM \*

New Video Releases What's new from Hollywood Saturday, 1:00pm to 2:00pm, Boardroom Barry Bard

#### Cyberbooks

Novels entirely written, edited and/or published on-line Saturday, 5:00pm to 6:30pm, Room #124 Joe Lazzaro, moderator; Ernest Hogan; Wil MacDonald; Stephen Mintz; Bob Mohney; Ken St. Andre

**DELETE: Bob Mohney** 

#### DEBATE: My Art is Better than Your Art

If only one art form could exist in the world, that art form should be:

Each panelist defends their favorite. Saturday, 5:00pm to 7:30pm, Superstition

John Autore, painting; Edward Bryant, literature; Larry DiTillio, film/tv; Maryeileen Flanagan, theatre; Karen Moore, costuming; Peter Williams, music; Sally Williams, dance.

**DELETE: Peter Williams** 

## Character Development & Costume Persona

Creating a personality that fits the costume, and vise versa

Saturday, 6:00pm to 7:00pm, Room #126 Tom Vincent, moderator; Kim Martin; Jean Palmer

ADD: Kit Townsend

# My favorite Mars (and Jupiter, and Alpha Centauri...)

The best worlds in science fiction, and what makes them so

Saturday, 8:30pm to 10:00pm, Supersition

Hilde Hildebrand, moderator; Emily Devenport; Peter Manly; Dennis McCarty;

Hayford Peirce; Ken St. Andre DELETE: Peter Manly