

Corflu Glitter

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Glitter #50, February 17, 2012, is the fanzine of Corflu, the 29th edition of what has become the World Trufan Reunion.

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Glitter is available by request, but it may arrive unbidden, like a thundering hangover after emptying that bottle of rum last night.

Glitter is also available as a free download at: www.Corflu.org

Logo merchandise is available at www.cafepress.com/CorfluGlitter

Dan & Lynn Steffan have reaffirmed their desire to put on Corflu 30 in Portland, OR, in 2013. In strict adherence with time-honored Corflu practice, the popular fan couple will describe their plans at the Corflu Glitter banquet. As in the past, fans will

Many Corflu traditions grew out of the desire to replace some aspects of contem-

A prime example is site selection. There is no bidding competition as with, for example, the World Science Fiction Convention or the Westercon. A group announces its desire to put on Corflu and asks for fans' approval at the Corflu prior to the one they wish to host. If more than one group expresses an interest, they work it out between them so that only one group makes a presentation.

Corflu Glitter has not altered this process, just made it more open and fair. Previously, it was unclear when to announce and many fans didn't know how to make their desire to host known.

Glitter carried two announcements of the Steffans' wish to host in 2013 and, each time, called for any group with similar desires to contact Dan to work out things.

Since no other group has come forward, the Steffans will now be able to hunt for a hotel, put together their detailed proposal and ask for approval at the Corflu Glitter banquet. Glitter will have some comments from Dan and Lynn in the next few weeks.

A Further Note on Room Prices

Corflu Glitter Chairman Joyce Katz did a little more research after the story in Glitter #49 and discovered something that merits a postscript. A non-refundable room reservation secured through a Well-Known Discount Site for Thursday through Sunday nights is actually \$16 more expensive than the same room booked through the con.

The \$15 per day "amenities fee" makes the difference.

Corflu Glitter Countdown

With Corflu Glitter now nine weeks away, we're coming to a decision point

about the two proposed athletic events. Home Run Beanie and Fan Bowl I.

Each needs to reserve facilities and we can't negotiate space until we have minimum participation.

Fan Bowl I needs two more bowlers to give us fan teams. If you'd like to join Ken Forman and Art Widner, write to Arnie (crossfire4@cox.net)

If you'd like to join Fandom's Home Run sluggers, write to Andy Hooper (fanmailaph@aol.com).



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Bangkok 9 Thai-Chinese Restaurant

Near Sunset Station (Sunset & Stephanie) Hours: 7 days a week, 11:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Dine in or Take Out Price: \$7-\$25

Service: Friendly and Efficient

Don't let the simple, unassuming exterior fool you. Tucked between Hobby Lobby and Ross Dress for Less, Bangkok 9 is one of the Las Vegas area's best restaurants.

Thai Iced Tea and satay, salads and/or soup to start. Hot pots are about \$9. Your choice of meats for the entrees: beef, chicken, pork, tofu, shrimp or squid. They encourage the five fundamental flavors, hot/spicy, sour, sweet, salty and bitter. There are five different curries, including panang and marsaman.

Compliment your meal with wine, beer or saki, and finish with fried bananas for dessert. (BD)

For more info on Las Vegas restaurants, visit www.NoshVegas.com

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Space Is Not Infinite!

The many theories about the extent of the universe conflict, but there's no doubt that space in *Glitter* is all too finite. Lots to tell you, but that will have to wait for next Friday.

Meanwhile, keep fanning!

— Arnie

Vital Information

Membership:

North American membership: Attending: \$60 (until 4/1/12)

Supporting: \$10.

UK membership: £40 (attending); £10 (supporting), payable to Claire Brialey

Payment:

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89145. Make checks payable to "Joyce Katz."

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Room rates:

\$55/night, Sunday-Thursday \$85/night, Friday & Saturday

Prices are double occupancy. \$15 per extra person per night.

Reservations:

Toll-free reservations number: 888-786-7389.

Online reservations:

https://rooms.stationcasinos.com/cgi-bin/LANSAWEB? procfun+rn+Resnet+sun+funcparms+UP(A2560):;SCICORF;?/

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