

Corflu Glitter (Corflu 29) Sunset Station Hotel-Casino Las Vegas, NV April 20-22, 2012

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Glitter #22, August 5, 2011, is the newsletter of Corflu Glitter, the 29th edition of what has become the World Trufandom Convention.

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Glitter is available by request, but it may arrive unbidden, like mold on a just-bought loaf of bread.

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

You Can Bid on the Last Rotsler Article

The first item contributed for the Corflu Glitter Auction is sure to get plenty of attention from fanzine editors. It's an unpublished article by Bill Rotsler, believed to be the last one he wrote before he passed on to the Enchanted Convention.

Ken Forman, who donated the piece, indicates that it's an account of one of Rotsler's more colorful adventures in the Naked Lady Business.

Logo Merchandise Is on the Way!

An assortment of clothing and gear with the Corflu Glitter logo will soon be available from the Corflu Glitter committee. The oval Corflu Glitter insignia, designed by Don Miller, will be available on shirts, coffee mugs, caps and other goodies.

Don is checking into sources and prices. We expect to have something in place within the next week or so. All profits from the sale of logo merchandise will go to Corflu Glitter (and get turned into goodies for Corfluvians.)

As previously announced, we'll introduce the Corflu Glitter tee-shirt, featuring a gorgeous Ross Chamberlain illo, at the con.

More about the Corflu Glitter Trivia Open

Fans have responded enthusiastically to Corflu Glitter's decision to give everyone a crack at the trivia contest instead of limiting it to eight-to-12 participants.

Fans have made some cogent comments and suggestions. It's stupid to solicit feedback and then ignore it, so we've made a few adjustments to improve Corflu Glitter Trivia Open.

Several fans predicted that the "open book" format would encourage some fans to prowl the Internet for answers. To help save fans from the temptation to spent Corflu nights playing with their laptops instead of each other, the Corflu Glitter Trivia Open will start on Saturday morning and finish around 6:00 PM.

We still plan to include fans following Corflu Glitter from home, but we've decided to test their fannish knowledge with a separate trivia quiz. The winner of the Trivia Open's Home Division will receive a Duplicate Prize.

It was also suggested that we mention that prize mentioned in the original announcement will have little or no monetary value and even less prestige.

Momentum Builds for Home Run Beanie

Stepping into the batter's box to challenge the Seattle Strongboy (Andy Hooper) and the BArea Basher (Rich Coad) is the Mighty Mainspring, Ken Forman.

When we have six-to-eight potential contestants, we'll approach Big League Dreams about rental cost and availability. There's no sense getting involved at that level unless we are reasonably sure of sufficient interest.

Corflu Glitter Committee

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Arnie Katz The Arnie



In view of Las Vegas Fandom's well-known dedication to rigorous and persistent drug testing, Chairman Joyce Katz has announced that Home Run Beanie participants will not be drug tested. "If Ken, Andy or Rich show up with 340 lbs. of muscles," she observed, "I will be Disappointed."

If you'd like to take part, just send me an email (<u>crossfire4@cox.net</u>) and let me know. Tentatively, we're thinking of having the Home Run Beanie on Friday, with a starting time set for a couple of hours after the Forman Nature Hike.

Help Pick the 2012 Lifetime Achievement Award

All Trufans still have the opportunity to nominate a worthy fan for the 2012 Lifetime Achievement Awards. The LAA Committee must select the recipient from among the fans with the most nominations.

It's easy to make your preference known. Any member of Fanzine Fandom/ Core Fandom/Trufandom can nominate by sending me (<u>crossfire4@cox.net</u>) an email with "LAA" and the name of your nominee in the subject line.

The winner will be announced at the Corflu Glitter banquet.

Our Sincere Condolences

Corflu Glitter and all of Las Vegas Fandom joins to express our sorry and commiseration to Aileen Forman, co-chairman of Corflu Blackjack, on the death of her father as a result of a fall.

Time to Wrap Up Another Issue

If some of the stories hangin' fire materialize, so will another issue of *Glitter* 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:

Pay via PayPal: JoyceWorley1@cox.net Pay via Mail: Joyce Katz, 909 EUGENE CERNAN St., Las Vegas, NV 89145. Make checks payable to "Joyce Katz."

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Room rates:

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

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