ISSUE 6 EVENING EDITION FRIDAY AUGUST 21, 2015



Friday/Saturday Shuttle Frequency

12pm – 7pm (Fri): About every 15 minutes 7pm – 2am (Fri-Sat): About every 10 minutes 2am – 10am (Sat): About every 45 minutes 10am – Noon (Sat): About every 20 minutes

STOPS:

Red Lion Hotel at the Park - Front entrance Red Lion River Inn - Street side front entrance Davenport Hotel and Tower - Post Street entrance of the Historic East Convention Center/DoubleTree - Left of the DoubleTree, front entrance Spokane Convention Center/Davenport Grand Hotel - On the Convention Center side

Davenport Hotel and Tower - Blue Route **Red Lion Hotels -** Red **All Stops -** Purple

For accessibility vehicle requests, please call 509 466 2701

The WSFS Business Meetings are in Room 300B of the Convention Center daily at 10AM

One Personal Item, No Carry-Ons

All large bags **must** be checked before entering the theater at the INB Performing Arts Center, both for the Masquerade which starts at 8PM this evening (Friday) and for the Hugo Awards Ceremony which starts at 8PM tomorrow evening (Saturday). There will be a FREE bag check in the downstairs lobby of the INB.

SHHHHHH!

The Historic Davenport has been getting noise complaints. as it appears that they did not separate Meet And Greets from quiet rooms. When you are in the hallways between Meet And Greet rooms, please keep your voices down. If you want to have a conversation, please step into one of the Meet And Greet rooms.

Meet And Greets

Dublin in 2019 Bid: Punch, Irish Stew (hopefully not in the Tom Lehrer style: Ed.), and other surprises. Musicians invited to join our Irish jam session. Friday at 8:30PM in Historic Davenport 1105.

San Jose in 2018 Bid: Will feature Northern California wine, beer, cider, and other spirits, as well as thoughtful and not so thoughtful conversation at 9PM in Historic Daveport 1119

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The following occurred at Friday's WSFS meeting:

- 1) Both *I Remember the Future* and *Predestination* had their Hugo eligibility extended to next year.
- 2) Anonymized nomination data from this year's Hugos will be provided on request after the Hugos are awarded.
- 3) For the 4 And 6 proposal, actual numbers will be filled in Sunday by vote.
- 4) The proposal to add a third step of Popular Ratification by all Worldcon members to ratifying proposals failed.
- 5) Also failing was the proposal to require software used by a Worldcon

have its source code be openly available.

- 6) Donald Eastlake, Steven Baucher, Bruce Farr were elected to the Mark Protection Committee.
- 7) Saturday morning's meeting will begin with the announcement of the winner of the 2017 Worldcon Site Selection.

Newsletter submission deadlines: 7am and 2pm

Total Members: 11,283 | Warm Bodies on Site: 4,648 | Weather: L 52F, H 78F, Cloudy | Email: newsletter@sasquan.org | Web: www.sasquan.org/newsletter | #sasquan #hugoawards #WSFSBM

Programming Changes

<u>Autographs:</u> Karl Schroeder at 2:00PM on Saturday. He will not be autographing on Sunday.

<u>Updates:</u> Add Martha Wells to Young Adults in Adult Fiction (Sunday 1:00PM).

<u>Updates:</u> Drop Ken Burnside from Honoring Great Games (Friday at 4).

Meet And Greets

8:00PM

Archivist Book Release

Historic Davenport 805

Fairwood Press Book Release

Historic Davenport 1416

Heinlein Society,

Historic Davenport 1410

Sime-Gen ZEOR Day

Historic Davenport 933

Meet Fan Fund Delegates

Historic Davenport 819

8:30PM

Dublin 2019,

Historic Davenport 1105

9:00PM

New Orleans 2018

Historic Davenport 1219

San Jose 2018

Historic Davenport 1119

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Historic Davenport 1205

Golden Ducks Amuck

The 2015 Golden Duck Awards for Children's and Young Adult books copyright 2014 were chosen by an informal jury of parents, teachers, and librarians.

The **Picture Book Award** went to *Max Goes to the Space Station: A Science Adventure with Max the Dog*, by Jeffrey Bennett, illustrated by Michael Carroll.

The Eleanor Cameron Award for Middle Grades went to *Ambassador* by William Alexander. The Hal Clement Award for Young Adult went to *Expiration Day* by William Campbell Powell.

Weather Alerts

(from Weather.gov)

Red Flag Warning until August 21, 11:00 PM PDT Blowing Dust Advisory in effect from August 21, 11:00 AM PDT until August 21, 11:00 PM PDT

Air Quality Alert

Hazardous Weather Alert for gusty winds.

Listen Up!

We've been asked by the city of Spokane to correct the incorrect pronunciation guide provided to Sasquan. Spokane is actually pronounced

Spork-CAN or Quark-CAN

because of its all-utility friendliness. OK, it's really pronounced

Spoh-CAN

Sasq-Watch Credits

Sasq-Watch has been brought to you by:

Area Head: Cherise Kelley

Deputy Area Head: Tom Galloway

and in alphabetical order:

Heidi Garrett

Judith Herman

Bonnie Packert

Ruth Pitt

Cathy Thornbrugh

Kaye Thornbrugh

Kelly Thornbrugh

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