

CORFLU 28

THE ANCIENT SACRED ORDER OF E CORFLU VITUS



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There are plans afoot to make sure that if you can't make it, you'll likely be able to view via the internet! More soon...

SO, for the first time, CorFlu comes to the Silicon Valley and Sunnyvale, perhaps the most Silicon Valley of all Silicon Valley cities! The Domaine Hotel sits comfortably on the El Camino Real, the central path from San Jose to San Francisco if you don't mind thousands of stop lights. It's a great hotel, in the middle of an area with food options ranging from Afganhi to fried chicken, Denny's to delectably fresh seafood.

While many might expect mass hysteria in an event that Chris Garcia might be putting together, the traditions of CorFlu have been preserved. There's the FAAn Awards and the Banquet that'll dominate Sunday. There's going to be a ConSuite for the ages which will be open for long hours and provide a site for awesome conversation and drinking. There'll be panels and discussions and auction and presentations and that'll be both entertaining and informative! It's going to be a weekend a lot like other CorFlus, only with a minor difference, as this year, we're the Ancient Sacred Order of E CorFlu Vitus: The Fannish History and Drinkink Society! Founded to preserve the history of fandom via the art of havering and partying! Founded in the dark misty age when there was only one con a year and you could count the number of zines in the world on one ink-stained hand, E CorFlu Vitus gahters rarely to celebrate both the history of our hobby and enjoy some boozin' and brezzin' at CorFlouts*.

As a part of the festivities, there's going to be a Fan History event that's half traditional panel and half event like The Moth that's so popular in New York City. This will be recorded as a part of preserving Our shared fannish history.

Hotel nights are only 89 dollars a night, and the rooms are spacious and lovely enough to be worth twice that. The Room Rate is good from the February 10th to 15th, but you gotta hurry and get your room now!

So, we hope you'll join us and our friends from around the world and enjoy our gathering of E CorFlu Vitus

* - not affiliated with E Clampus Vitus. In fact, never heard of them!

2011 FAAn Awards Ballot

Print → Fill out → Send via Real Mail

Announcement of winners. The 2011 Fan Activity Achievement (FAAn) Awards will be announced on Sunday February 13, 2011 at CorFlu 28 (www.corflu.org).

Deadline for voting is 08:00 PST (8 a.m. in California) on Friday February 4th 2011 – no voting during Corflu this year.

Submitting your ballot. You may submit your vote in either of two ways:

- send email to: Egoboo28@corflu.org. *You are not required to submit the ballot, only your choices;*
- by real mail: Spike, #110, 530 Showers Dr Suite 7, Mountain View, CA 94040 USA

Voting. You are voting on work made public in 2010. You may make between zero and five choices in each category. Votes for yourself will not be counted. Each first-place vote scores five points, each second-place vote four points, and so on.

Eligibility. You do not have to be a member of CorFlu 28 in order to vote. Anyone with the necessary knowledge of the people and their work is eligible. If you think you may be unknown to the Administrator (Spike), please cite a fan (include contact details, e.g. email address) who can confirm your credentials.

Fan contact: _____

Best Fan Writer

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

Best Fan Artist

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

Best Fanzine (state fanzine title and editor(s))

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

Harry Warner Jr Memorial Award for Best Fan Correspondent

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

Best Fan Website

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

Your name, contact info (required):

PROGRAMMING

Programming concepts are forming and reforming and there are a few things nailed down. There's going to be a panel on Zine Archives and how our community can interact with them and even get a look at the Stuff that came before us. There's going to be a look at BArea faanish history and the Little Men, the most important fannish group in our history.

The most differentish thing that we'll be trying is FanMOTH. MOTH, as some of the East Coast Hipsters among us might know, is sort of what would happen if a bunch of drinking storytellers were to somehow end up at a poetry slam. It's storytelling at its best. We'll have an audio device to record stories of Fannish History from various people in the audience. Anyone can participate and tell a story that's lesss than ten minutes long. We'll be recording them and getting them out to the world on the Web and as a part of the Electronic CorFleedings.

There's the Tradional Friday night event where we'll be announcing our Guest of Honor (picked form a hat, though you can buy your way out of it!) and talking about what we'll be doing all weekend. We'll also be talking the Oath of E CorFlu Vitus...

Saturday is panels in the day, at night, it's the Evening Extravaganza that will feature talks with our CorFlu 50 Recipient, Dave Hicks, a Pub Quiz and more.

Sunday? Banquet, the announcement of the Past President of the Fan Writers of America, the presentation of the FAAn Awards, th eGoH Speech and Food! That'll start at 11:30.

AUCTIONS!

As always, CorFlu will be holding an auction to support our various Fannish causes. TAFF, DUFF, GUFF and CorFlu.org will have objects, zines, and other available for auction. if you've got a Fannish Cause that you'd like to have be a part of the auction, send a note to CorFlu28@GMail.com and let us know. We're heavy on TAFF items so far, so whatever you've got for any of the other causes would help!

The Auction will take place in our programming room on Saturday about 4pm, though that's subject to slight alteration!



MEMBERS

1. Claire Brialey , 2. Mark Plummer , 3. Ian Sorensen , 4. James Bacon , 5. Art Widner , 6. Frank Lunney , 7. Earl Kemp , 8. Pat Charnock , 9. Ted White , 10. Spike , 11. Tom Becker , 12. Ian Stockdale , 13. Ruth Leibig , 14. Janice Morningstar , 15. Chip Morningstar , 16. Randy Smith , 17. Marty Cantor , 18. Pat Meara , 19. Mike Meara , 20. Rob Jackson , 21. Chris Garcia , 22. Graham Charnock , 23. Jeanne Bowman , 24. Alan Rosenthal , 25. Murray Moore , 26. Mary Ellen Moore , 27. Jack Calvert , 28. Randy Byers , 29. Robert Lichtman , 30. Heath Rowe (supporting) , 31. Rich Coad , 32. Stacy Scott , 33. Milt Stevens , 34. Linda Wenzelburger , 35. Lloyd Penney (Supporting) , 36. Dave Rike , 37. Dave Hicks , 38. Peter Sullivan (supporting) , 39. Mike Deckinger , 40. Jerry Kaufman (Supporting) , 41. Suzle (Supporting) , 42. John Berry , 43. Lisa Deutsch-Harrigan , 44. Harold Harrigan , 45. Jay Kinney , 46. Dixie Tracy-Kinney , 47. Michael Ward , 48. Karen Schaffer , 49. Gary Farber (supporting) , 50. Greg Trend , 51. Audrey Trend , 52. Sandra Bond , 53. R-Lauraine Tutihasi (supporting) , 54. Kim Huett (Supporting) ,

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**FEBRUARY 11-13, 2011
THE DOMAIN HOTEL
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The 2011 edition of CorFlu, the World's Leading Convention for Fanzine Fans and the like, comes to you live and in public from the beautiful Domain Hotel in Sunnyvale, California on February 11th through the 13th. You are happily invited for a weekend of conversation, programming, minty-fresh entertainment and just plain fun.

We'll be randomly selecting the Guest of Honor on Friday night, holding the traditional banquet on Sunday morning, have a swingin' ConSuite, be awarding the FAAn Awards and so much more. It'll be a great time and I hope y'all'll join us for it.

Hotel Nights: 89.00

Reservations can be made at https://reservations.ihotelier.com/crs/g_reservation.cfm?groupID=468624&hotelID=14931 until Jan. 18th!



Memberships are 60.00 US Dollars until February 2nd, 2011 Checks made out to **CORFLU 28**
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or PayPal to garcia@computerhistory.org

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