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WORD FROM THE EDITOR

This was a recovery month. I will work on the Worldcon report next month. This will happen before during and after Spooky Empire and Necronomicon. Till then Hope you enjoy the Hugo Winner and some pictures from Worldcon. More next year.

Events

Star Wars Grand Alliance

October 2

Emerald City Comics and Games

9249 Seminole Blvd. Seminole, FL 33772

Guests: Orli Shoshan (Shaak Ti, Revenge of the Sith)

Robert Hendriksen (Star Wars artist)

Free to the public swgfa.com/topic/1238

ExpCon

October 8-10

St. Johns County Convention Center

500 S. Legacy Trail St. Augustine, FL, 32092

Guests: Vic Mignogna (voice actor)

Christopher Sabat (voice actor)

\$35 for 3 days at the door, \$25 Saturday only,

\$15 for Friday or Sunday

www.expcon.org

Spooky Empire

October 8-10

Wyndham Orlando Resort

8001 International Drive

Orlando, FL 32819

\$30 for Fri/Sun,\$35 for Sat, \$50 for 3 days

Guests: John Carpenter (Director)

Robert Englund (Freddy Krueger) Jason Mewes (Jay, Kevin Smith films)

Elvira (horror film hostess)

www.spookyempire.com

Necronomicon

October 22-24

Hilton Bayfront

333 First Street NE

St. Petersburg,FL 33701

\$50 for 3 days at the door

Guest of Honor: David Gerrold

www.stonehill.org/necro.ht

FAN:dom

October 23-24

University of West Florida Commons

11000 University Parkway

Pensacola, FL 32514

Guests:

Jennie Breeden (webcomic artist)

Carly Dorsey (webcomic artist)

Charity Youngblood (webcomic artist)

Free to public

fandomfl.com

GatorCon2

October 23-24

Comfort Inn West in Gainesville.

3440 SW 40th Blvd

Gainesville, FL

Gaming convention

\$50 for weekend, 28 for Sat, 22 for Sunday

warhorn.net/gatorcon2

Birthdays

Patricia Wheeler—October 25

Michael Pilletere—October 26

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October OASFiS Calendar

OASFIS Meeting

Sunday, October 10, 1:30 PM, Orange Public Library (Downtown Orlando, 101 E. Central Blvd., Orlando, FL 32801,407-835-7323). Come join us as we discuss the works of Stephen King.

SciFi Light

Saturday October 16, 12:30 PM, Sanna Restaurant at Disney Animal Kingdom Villas Kidani Villages (2901 Osceola Parkway Kissimmee, FIL 34747,). Come join us and discuss your favorite horror novel. For more info contact Steve Grant

To contact for more info:

OASFIS Business Meeting 407-823-8715

Award News:

Hugo Awards

These awarded at the 68th World Science Fiction Convention, Aussiecon 4, in Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

- Best Novel: TIE: The City & The City, China Miéville (Del Rey; Macmillan UK); The Windup Girl, Paolo Bacigalupi (Night Shade)
- **Best Novella**: "Palimpsest", Charles Stross (Wireless; Ace, Orbit)
- **Best Novelette**: "The Island", Peter Watts (*The New* Space Opera 2; Eos)
- Best Short Story: "Bridesicle", Will McIntosh (Asimov's 1/09)
- Best Related Book: This is Me, Jack Vance! (Or, More Properly, This is "I"), Jack Vance (Subterranean)
- Best Graphic Story: Girl Genius, Volume 9: Agatha Heterodyne and the Heirs of the Storm Written by Kaja and Phil Foglio; Art by Phil Foglio; Colours by Cheyenne Wright (Airship Entertainment)
- Best Dramatic Presentation, Long Form: Moon Screenplay by Nathan Parker; Story by Duncan Jones; Directed by Duncan Jones (Liberty Films)
- Best Dramatic Presentation, Short Form: Doctor Who: "The Waters of Mars" Written by Russell T Davies & Phil Ford; Directed by Graeme Harper (BBC Wales)
- **Best Editor Long Form**: Patrick Nielsen Hayden

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Any of these people can give readers information about the club and its functions. To be included in the list call Juan.

Best Editor Short Form: Ellen Datlow

Best Professional Artist: Shaun Tan

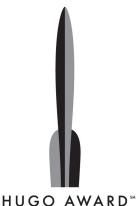
Best Semiprozine: *Clarkesworld* edited by Neil Clarke, Sean Wallace, & Chervl Morgan

Best Fan Writer: Frederik Pohl

Best Fanzine: StarShipSofa edited by Tony C. Smith

Best Fan Artist: Brad W. Foster

And the John W. Campbell Award for Best New Writer (presented by Dell Magazines): Seanan McGuire



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Pictures of Aussiecon 4





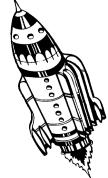
Above: left to right
Robin Johnson (Fan GOH)
Kim Stanley Robinson (Writer GOH)
Perry Middlemiss (Co Con Chair)
Shaun Tan (Artist GOH)

Garth Nix (Hugo Master of Ceremonies)

Left:

Hall Costumer- Captain Ryu Hijikata from *Space Battleship Yamato*

SCIENCE FICTION CONVENTION IN ORLANDO May



Hotel Information

Mention OASIS for rate \$79/night, single-quad through 5/6/11

Sheraton Orlando Downtown 400 West Livingston St Orlando, Florida 32801 1-800-574-3160 407-843-6664

Weekend Memberships: \$35 until 4/30/11, \$30 until 1/1/11, \$40 at the door.

Goldenrod, FL 32733-0323 Make checks payable to: www.oasfis.org More info at PO Box 323 **OASFiS**

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Hammer's Slammers, Lord of the Isles Filk Guest of Honor **Carla Ulbrich** Northworld, Patriots

Writer Guest of Honor

David Drake

Sick Humor, Professional Smart Aleck "Live From Outer Space", Leftovers,

More to be announced

Gaming info will be at www.warhorn.org

Live Music and Comedy, **Costume Contest Author Signings,** Anime and Video Programs, Art Show,

Informative Panel Talks, Artist Demos, Books, **Cool Stuff for Sale, Charity Auction** Fun and Games

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