

# PROGRAM ADDITIONS AND ERRATA

## Added:

Sat 10:00 AM (1hr) Thomas Paine AB: Robo Rally - table top game

## Participant Changes:

Sat 9 AM Beading Workshop changed to Sat 11:00 AM

Sat 10 AM Like Oil and Water: Add Gordon Linzner

Sat 11 AM The Editor/Writer Relationship: add Joy Marchand

Sat 11 AM Exploring the Truly Alien: remove Thomas Easton

Sat 11 AM Non-Feudal Political Systems in Fantasy: add Phoebe Wray

Sat 11 AM Where Wild Things Are: Add Dr. Chris

Sat 12 PM The Undefined Borders of SF: add Mary Catelli; remove Peter Prellwitz

Sat 1 PM Fannish Disaster Preparedness: remove T. Christopher Davis

Sat 3 PM Women Writers in Horror: add Joy Marchand; remove Sarah Smith

Sat 3 PM Ask a Geek: Sociology, Language, & Culture: Add Steven Balzac and Suzanne

Reynolds-Alpert

Sat 3 PM SMOF 101: How to Start a Con remove T. Christopher Davis

Sat 4 PM Interstitial Fiction - Dancing Between Genres: add Rachel Silber; remove Andrea Hairston

Sat 5 PM Destination Moon at 60: Add Ian Schleifer.

Sat 6 PM Disability and Fandom: Remove Amy Chused

Sat 7 PM Machines Augmenting Mankind - Our Cyborg Future: add James L. Cambias

Sat 7 PM Must-Read Stories: add Lauren Grover; remove Michael McAfee

Sat 9 PM Resisting Social Networking: Add Arnis Kletnieks

Sat 9 PM Religion and Kink: remove Sarah Sloane

Sat 11 PM BDSM 201: Hurting the Ones You Love: remove Sarah Sloane

Sat 11 PM Horror in Anime: remove Timothy J. Tero

## Participant Cancellations:

Steve Sawicki

Peter Prellwitz

Steven Hammond

Steven Popkes

T. Christopher Davis

David Sklar

T. Christopher Davis

Phoebe Wray

## DEALERS ROW

## New dealers:

Emrys Handcrafted Fynery

#346 - Vintage and fantasy-inspired pictorial pendants, jewelry and accessories

HennaDancer

#317 - Traditional Henna and glitter body art.

Mechanimation

#346 - Jewelry and accessories made from recycled circuit boards.

The correct room number for "The Slutty Mermaid" is #348.

## LOST & FOUND

LOST: Two rolls of blue painters tape with "CAPYBARON" written on inner surface. Please return of them to Sign Shop.

LOST: Coat check tag 137. Please return it to Coat Check!

## SECURITY CORNER

A reminder to all attendees: any & all weaponry, costume or otherwise, **MUST** be brought to security for inspection and peace bonding.

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# Clear Ether



Art Graciously Provided by: Sarah Clemens

## DONATIONS & GIVING

Do you have glasses to donate? Drop your donations off at the Info Desk and all glasses will be given to OneSight.org.

The fan guests of honor would like Arisians to know that any proceeds from sales of Kevin's Corvidian Aeroscaph prints go to the SFWA emergency medical fund.

Lie down and share your bodily fluids with one of the naughty nurses of Arisia. Give blood. It only takes about ten minutes -- ten minutes -- and you'll do somebody a world of good. The Heinlein Blood Drive at Arisia runs 9:30 to 4 PM today and Sunday. Make your appointment now at their table in the hotel lobby.

Spit and save a life. It only takes a few minutes to sign up for the Caitlin Raymond International Marrow Donor Registry. Just answer a few questions and swab the inside of your cheek. If you do match, donation often only involves harvesting stem cells by blood donation. Only one in 30,000

## VOLUNTEERS

We now have **Exciting Prizes** for Volunteering! In addition to be able to get exclusive volunteer shirts for working 8 hours, or a free convention in 2011 for working 12 hours, you can also win lots of cool prizes!

Every 6 hours you spend volunteering makes you eligible to join the raffle for tons exciting prizes, everything from movie posters to t-shirts to movie souvenirs to anime DVDs! Come up to 205 and see what you can win!

## SETTING UP



Picture by : Steve Huff

The next two Newsletter submission deadlines are 5PM Saturday & 11AM Sunday. Drop off in Volunteers Room 205 or online at: <http://tinyurl.com/ycbnq49>

can match -- better odds than the lottery, and the prize is you get to save somebody's life. You must be 16-60 and live in the New England area to participate in this registry. There are similar registries elsewhere in the U.S.

Katarina Whimsy is trying to raise money for the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation. She participates in the annual walk-a-thon with her mother, who has MS, and in other fundraising activities during the year. Her method here at Arisia is different and seems to be working. Look for her around the con and take her up on her offer to let you stuff dollar bills in her... badge.

### **Arisia Bids for Haiti**

A number of dealers have set aside an item or two in their shop for Arisia members to bid on. All money made on these items will be sent to an organization, agreed on by the dealer and the purchaser.

Please look for and bid on these items as you visit our generous dealers. If nothing catches your fancy, please consider sending some money to these organizations yourself.

## EXPLORERS

Friday evening's expedition up Mt. Arisia was a huge success, with 91 climbers who summited 114 times. Join us Saturday at 2:30pm at the end of the Programming Hallway for the second attempt. Wear your ribbon with pride!

## OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

The entirety of Presidents (ABC and D) will be opened for Masquerade seating, and there should be plenty of space.

Teen Lounge! Room 212 is right next to the Con Suite!

Come by say hi!

The Ducks Are Loose! The Arisia rubber ducks have escaped again. Over 200 of them are hiding around the hotel. If you find an Arisia rubber duck, bring it to the Volunteer Lounge to see if you have won a prize.