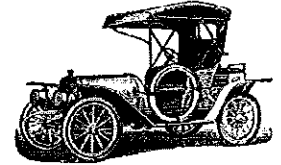


The Newsletter of Detcon1

# INTERNAL CONBUSTION



The Eleventh Occasional NASFiC

Saturday July 19, 2014  
Evening Edition

## PARTIES

- 6801 – Great Lakes  
Gaylaxians
- 6805 - NOLA in 2018  
Bid
- 6806 – Confusion  
Detroit Convention
- 6808 – Liaden  
Universe
- 6812 – Penguicon  
Detroit Convention
- 6816 – GT – General  
Technics
- 6821 – Barfleet
  
- 6903 – Minicon  
50/Minneapolis in  
2073 party in the  
Slan Shack
- 6910 – DC in 2017 Bid
- 6914 – Conclave  
Detroit Convention
- 6918 – Consuite  
Hosted by Kansas  
City in 2016 Bid
- 6922 – Beer and Books  
Party hosted by  
Rook Creek Books
- 6923 – Marcon and  
Context

## DETCON1 T-SHIRTS

Still available at Off-  
World Design.

## RIDE SHARE

Info desk has posted sheets for people to sign up and contact each other for ride shares to share cabs or get drop offs at the airport. If you need to get to your flight after Detcon1 ends tomorrow, check out the sheets to help defray the cost and maybe be a little more environmentally conscious on your way out of town.

## MASQUERADE ON-SITE MADE AWARDS

If you've built your wonderful Masquerade entry on-site, you'll be eligible for a special award, whatever else you win or don't win.

Some Masquerade entries take years to build. Some take minutes. As Bill Rotsler said, "Quantity of labor has nothing to do with art."

Go for it.

## STOP PEOPLE FROM STARING AT YOUR BELLY

Your badge is not a ticket. Yes, you need to show it for admission to most con functions, but its most important role is to introduce you to your fellow fans. So please make sure your name faces front.

To help keep your badge from flipping and flopping around, tie a knot in the lanyard at the back of your neck to shorten the cord so the badge rests against your upper chest.

## STRANGE ENCOUNTERS

Meeting at Detcon for the first time in 37 years...three members of the Oak Park (Mich.) Science Fiction Club and the staff of its fanzine, The Omekronicle: Sandy Schreiber Bratzel, Steve Gutterman, and Leah Zeldes Smith. They're all wondering whatever happened to Perry Beider.

## STFNAL???

Time for a NASFiC in stfnal\* towers of a Detroit Renaissance.

\*stfnal (pronounced STEF-nal) is our old adjective from Hugo Gernsback's "scientification"

*"World Science Fiction Society", "WSFS", "World Science Fiction Convention", "Worldcon", "NASFiC" and "Hugo Award" are service marks of the World Science Fiction Society, an unincorporated literary society.*

## ELEVATOR PRAYER

To be said in the Low Rise Elevators:

Please Ghu,

As I slide my room key into the slot allow me to press the button for my own floor, lest I have to walk the stairs from another floor.

## 42 NORTH

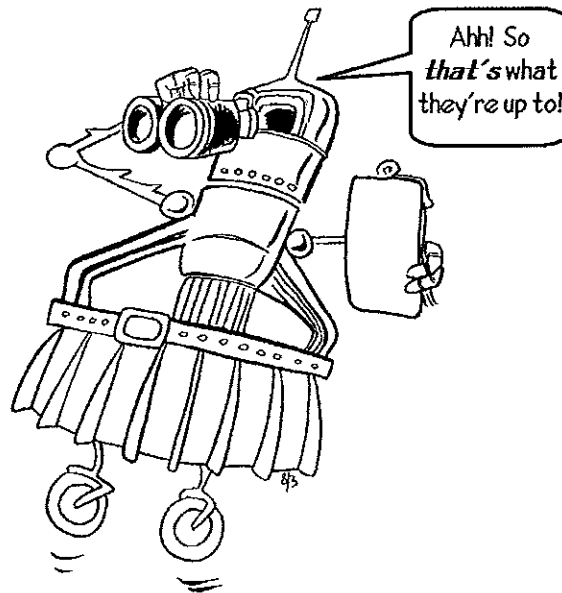
People have been asking how to get to 42 North, the location for the Birds of a Feather discussions and *Kaffeeklatsches*. While you might expect it to be on the 42<sup>nd</sup> floor, it is actually on the third floor. Walk to the Marriott Lobby, go past the elevators and stay to the left. You'll see a sign that says 42 North and keep going.

Chad Childers will be hosting a discussion on the Science Fiction Oral History Association in 42 North at 11:00 on Sunday.

Staff:  
Steven H Silver (ed), Peggy Rae Sapienza, Judith E. Kindell, fillos by Kurt Erichsen.

## BE KIND TO HOTEL STAFF

While you're out having fun, the hotel staff is cleaning your room. Please remember to tip your hotel staff. \$2/person/night is typical (more if extra work is needed) and we recommend leaving a tip each day since housekeepers may differ from day to day.



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### The Spy Droid

(Apparently the people at Netroots Nation are wondering what our con is all about)

## PARTIES

Please enjoy the parties on 68 and 69 this evening, and party responsibly. And support the Worldcon bid(s) of your choice.

## DEALERS ROOM

Support your local (and not-so-local) dealers, spend time (and money) in the Dealers Room.

## LOOKING FOR CONTENT

You can submit photos, news, restaurant reviews, and other announcements to *Internal ConBustion* by dropping it off at the Submissions Box at the Info Desk or by e-mailing it to [newsletter@detcon1.org](mailto:newsletter@detcon1.org). The more items you submit, the less the editorial staff has to make up.

## VOLUNTEER PRIZES

The following volunteers won prizes for their work of Friday. Please pick up your prizes at the Volunteer Desk during Exhibit Hours.

Hank Griffin  
Sarah Jean  
Patrick Tucker  
Anna Savvides  
Jackee Snedden  
Frankie Lynn  
Caroline W.  
Sabina Fecteau

Thank you to Instant Attitudes, Grand Rapids ComicCon, Basement Books, Starcat Designs, and Diana Harlan Stein for their generous donations of prizes for the volunteers. If you would also like to make a donation, stop by the volunteer desk during Exhibit Hall hours.

Urgent needs for volunteers:  
Early morning ConSuite and ops ConSuite all day Sunday  
Tear down (double time): starts at 2:30 Sunday afternoon, goal for exhibit hall is to be done by 6:00pm

## CODE OF CONDUCT

All members are encouraged to read the Code of Conduct located in the Souvenir Book and online at <http://detcon1.org/code-of-conduct/>

Concerns about harassment or other activities which break the code of conduct can be reported to Ops in the Champlain Room, across from the Ontario Exhibit Hall, or by phone at 651-560-0338.