



Sunday 5 Sept am: Number Seven

# The Monotreme

Aussiecon Three Newsletter

## Other Awards

The Ditmars (given by the Australian National Convention):

William Atheling Jr Award for Criticism or Review: Paul Collins, MUP Encyclopedia of Australian SF

Professional Artwork: Nick Stathopoulos, covers of "The Man who Melted"/"Dreaming Down-Under". (The winner then awarded it instead to Shaun Tam, for "The Rabbits".)

Fan Artist: Ian Gunn

Australian Fanzine: Bruce Gillespie (Fan Guest of Honour), "Metaphysical Review"

Australian Magazine or Anthology: "Dreaming Down-Under", edited by Jack Dann & Janeen Webb

Australian Short Fiction: "The Truth About Weena", David Lake

Australian Long Fiction: "The Resurrected Man", Sean Williams

(The Committee wishes to thank Lewis Morley for the design of these awards.)

Given by the Australian Science Fiction Foundation:

The Chandler Award for Contribution to Australian SF: Graham Stone

Story Competition: 1st-Richard Womack, 2nd-Dave Lockett, 3rd-David Eggrins

Sidewise Award for Alternate History Long Form: Stephen Fry, "Making History"

Short Form: Ian MacLeod, "The Summer Isles"

E. Everett Evans Big Heart Award (given by Forrie Ackerman)

Peter Hassall of New Zealand  
Chris Collier of Australia (Anyone with information about Chris Collier should contact the committee.)

The Golden Duck Awards:

Picture Book: "Noah and the Space Ark", illustrated by Emma Chichester Clark

Middle Grades: The Series "Star Wars: @ Young Jedi Knights", Kevin J Amderson & Rebecca Moesta

Special Contribution: Garth Nix, promoting excellence in Australian children's Science Fiction Literature

Hal Clement Award for Young Adult Book: "Alien Dreams", Larry Segreff

Seiun Awards (given by the Japanese National Convention):

1998 Novel: "Fallen Angels", Niven, Pournelle, & Flynn

1998 Short Story: "The Death of Captain Future", Allen Steele

1999 Novel: "The Time Ships", Steven Baxter and "Red Mars", Kim Stanley Robinson

1999 Short Story: "This year's last class picture", Dan Simmons

*Robt Sacks*

## CON JOSE WINS!

Con Jose, the 2002 Worldcon, will be selling memberships (and conversions from voting, pre-supporting etc.) from noon on Sunday, (You Yangs Hall)

Guests of Honor for Con Jose are:

Vernor Vinge

David Cherry

Bjo & John Trimble

Ferdinand Feghoot

Toastmaster is Tad Williams

*Kevin Standlee*

### Special Rate

Join the British Science Fiction Association and the Science Fiction Association at a special reduced rate of 15 months for the price of 12. Leaflets and further information are available around the convention and from Andrew M Butler. (email [ambutler@enterprise.net](mailto:ambutler@enterprise.net) after 21 September 1999)

### Costume Parade Entrants

REMINDER! You need to report to the Green Room by 7:30pm today

### Continuation of Fan Fund Auction:

Howqua 4, 1-3pm -Terry Frost

## Site Selection Report: 2002 Worldcon

There were 820 valid votes cast, 796 with preferences. The quota for selection was thus 399 votes.

Filed bids	San Jose	666
	Roswell	120
Write-ins	Minn. in '73	3
	San Francisco	2
	Rottnest Is.	1
	"No Dams"	1
	None of the Above	3
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		796
	No Preference	24
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		820

San Jose won 81% vote, Roswell 15%. San Jose had a clear majority of the mail vote and of each days vote.

There were 307 mail votes, 513 on-sites. The on-site category includes approximately 125 votes hand-carried by others. Saturday saw the fewest votes tallied of any day. but there was a fairly even distribution. Counting took 41 minutes.

Mark Linneman  
Site Selection  
Administrator

## Magic the Gathering

A booster draft tournament will be held today at 1.00pm in the YouYangs Hall. Format will be Urza's Cycle, each player will receive a booster of saga, detsiny and legacy. Admission is free - limited to 32 players. Please register at the Magic stand in the You Yangs Hall beofr 1.00pm