

Lincroft-Holmdel Science Fiction Club
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MEETINGS UPCOMING:

Unless otherwise stated, all meetings are on Wednesdays at noon.

LZ meetings are in LZ 3A-206; MT meetings are in MT 4A-235.

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03/11 LZ: THE DREAMING JEWELS by Ted Sturgeon Children (and Child-raising)

04/01 LZ: FREE LIVE LIVE by Euell Gibbons Survivalist SF

04/22 LZ: MURMURS OF EARTH by Carl Sagan SF-related Non-Fiction

05/13 LZ: TO YOUR SCATTERED BODIES GO by Reincarnation
Phillip Jose Farmer

HO Chair: John Jetzt HO 1E-525 834-1563

LZ Chair: Rob Mitchell LZ 1B-306 576-6106

MT Chair: Mark Leeper MT 3E-433 957-5619

HO Librarian: Tim Schroeder HO 3M-420 949-5866

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MT Librarian: Bruce Szablak MT 4C-418 957-5868

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1. What are you gonna do? You try to be nice to someone, you try to help someone out, and are they satisfied? No! They figure if you are willing to do one nice thing for them, you want to make a general practice of it. Last week we published an unsolicited testimonial for the AAUW book sale. You'd think they would be happy with that, wouldn't you? Well, you'd be wrong. No sooner do I give the AAUW some free publicity, but I get a new piece of mail:

Thanks for mentioning the AAUW booksale in your Sci Fi news letter. Could you also mention at your meeting that donations are accepted and can be dropped off Saturdays at the bookstore or by calling 671-1914 or 583-4739 for collection.

Thanks,

<name deleted so no one gets insulted>

Now never mind the fact that most science fiction fans totally cringe at the phrase "Sci Fi" as being derogatory. I will ascribe this as being one piece of knowledge this particular AAUW member

did not get at U. She can be forgiven that little faux pas (pronounced "fox paw"). But the affrontery to ask for more free publicity after she just got some free, well I just don't know what to say! So there!

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And if you want Sci Fi books, you probably are better off coming to the club book exchanges. Hah!

2. I don't know if any of you were listening to public radio, but they were talking about scientists are now starting to wonder if the estimates of nuclear winter are correct. One scientist is suggesting that the heavy clouds would keep heat in and we would instead have a "nuclear summer." Another said that the two effects would almost cancel each other out and that we would have a "nuclear autumn." My guess is that we would have a "nuclear Halloween." That's where you get minor cooling and a lot of mutations.

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