

Utah Speculative Fiction Council

July 29, 2006

In attendance:

Kammi Davis
Charlene Harmon
Steve Harmon
Heather Monson
Dave Anderson
Joe Monson
George Bogler
Laura Swift
Mike Oberg
Pam Oberg

Club:

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UtahSF (Treasurer)
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UtahSF (President)
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501 c 3 applications are ready to submit, WHC is donating 100.00 towards the application fee, and we have 66.00 in funds so we will have enough. Once this is done there are several groups we might approach for sponsorships that won't talk to us before then.

Does MountainCon need any help with anything specific? George says they need more volunteers. Need some panelists. Talk to Erica Stark for panels/panelists. Their Dealers room is probably sold out. Membership goes up on Sept 1st, still have lots of Banquet tickets for Friday night. Need more publicity/flyers out.

Heather asks whether the guests would be willing sign other things so UtahSF can get signatures for a Signature Quilt as long as the signature fee was paid. George says shouldn't be a problem.

Heather asks George if MountainCon was looking for donations for their volunteer raffle, George says yes. So we should spread the word..

WHC has a Artist GOH- John Jude Palencar-very well known. Does understated horror. Now they have to figure out how to pay for shipping his art. \$1000.00 Ouch! WHC has decided to give 100.00 to help sponsor Rocky Point Horror. Will have a mention on the website, and will have a banner at their next Spring event which is the last thing they are doing before they shut down. Heather asks what the current staff rate is? Currently 25.00 for staff, 100.00 for an attending member. What does WHC need help with? Sponsors. Castle of Horror is mentioned, WHC has looked into them. Nightmare on 13th is also brought up, we are trying contact them. Looking into having the Dealers Room and the Art Show open to the public.

Any other Business? Joe says: Brandon Sanderson's newest book is out. Buy lots and lots.

Next meeting: October is really full. September 30th after MountainCon? We are going to break the Rules and push it to the 1st Sat in November, Heather suggests 11 AM.. No objections. So be it. November 4th at 11 AM.