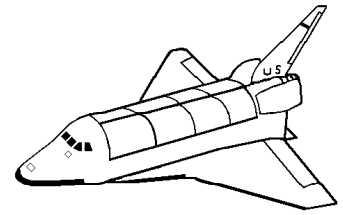


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*The Next NASFA Meeting will be 21 November
1998 at the Regular Time and Location
This is NASFA Elections Month*

NASFA Receivables

by Randy B. Cleary

Here's the latest listing of the many wonderful items that NASFA has received lately. Contact me if you wish to examine any of them. Note that *File 770* has a new address.

FANZINES

ASFS Future Time, Issues 5 & 6, P. O. Box 98308, Atlanta, GA 30359-2008

ConNotations, Volume 8, Issue 3, Fall 1998, P. O. Box 62613, Phoenix AZ 85082-2613; editor@casfs.org

DeProfundus, Issues 316 & 317, September & October 1998, 1513 Burbank Boulevard, North Hollywood CA 91601

File 770, Number 126, 705 Valley View Avenue, Monrovia, CA 91016; MGlyer@compuserve.com

Memphen, Numbers 247 & 248, September & October 1998, P. O. Box 12534, Memphis TN 38182

OASFiS Event Horizon, Issues 134 & 135, September & October 1998, P. O. Box 940992, Maitland FL 32794-0992

Scavenger's Newsletter, September 1998, Number 175, 519 Ellinwood, Osage City KS 66523-1329; foxscav1@jc.net

SFSFS Shuttle, Issue 135, July-August 1998, P. O. Box

Oyez, Oyez

The next NASFA meeting will be **21 November 1998** at the **regular time** (6P) and the **regular location** (room 130 of the Madison City Municipal Building).

The November program is to be determined at press time.

The November after-the-meeting meeting will be at Mike Kennedy's house.

Don't forget that **November is NASFA election month**. Both nominations and elections will be held at the meeting this month. Be there or be president.

Also keep in mind that there will be a **special auction** at the November meeting to decide who or what will go on the plinth to be symbolically smashed each month as the meeting is called to order. Bring cash folks, this could be quite a contest.

70143, Ft. Lauderdale FL 33307-0143

Trash Barrel, August 1998, 6543 Babcock Avenue, North Hollywood, CA 91606-2308

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Letters of Comment

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George "Lan" Laskowski 7 October 1998
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Sorry I haven't responded to the issues of the *NASFA Shuttle* that you have sent me these past few months, but I am back at school teaching full time, and I am very busy. No, the cancer is not gone, but the last CT scan showed that the tumor has not increased or spread, so that is good news. We hope that the current rounds of chemotherapy will [put] the tumor into remission. Meanwhile, I am managing to keep up with my load at school, though when I get home I need to lay down and rest for a couple of hours before preparing for the next day's classes. So far this is working.

As for the August *Shuttle*, I very much enjoyed Anita Eisenberg's review of Mike Resnick's *Kirinyaga*. I checked the book out from the library and read it. I have all the individual stories and read them as they came out in the magazines, but reading them all at once as a novel gives a better perspective of what Mike has done with the concept. Indeed, one feels sorry for Koriba as he attempts to create the Kirinyaga utopia and miserably fails. I recommend it as a cautionary tale for those who might want too much to create their utopia and foist it upon others.

Your convention report, Mike, on the Worldcon was wonderful to read. I am glad you had a good time, and hope others did too.

I guess I was off base as to the story Harry Warner remembered when a spaceship goes through the sun. He confirms this in the September issue that he had never read any of the *Lucky Starr* series by Asimov and so A. J. Budrys' suggestion that it was Chip Delaney's *Nova* must be the book. If I find the time maybe I will read that one.

I know that this is late for the October deadline, but I wanted to let you know that I am still around and things are looking up.

[Actually, Lan, your email *was* in time for the October issue, but I overlooked it in the rush to get that issue out the door. Glad to hear you're feeling well enough to be back to work — sounds like a major step. So far I've heard nothing but praise for *Kirinyaga* though I haven't read it myself. Right now my reading time is very constrained but I guess I should put *Kirinyaga* on my mental to-be-read list. -ED]

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Carlo R. DeShouten 20 October 1998
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I know I am a tad late for writing this report but you probably read most of it out of October's *Shuttle*. So here's my side of the story of what happened at Con†Stellation.

First before the day of the convention we all has some Chinese dinner at some restaurant in Madison where we got to

meet Tim Powers and he's a nice man and he loves my air guitar a lot.

Then we set up the convention at the hotel. Mostly we set up the art/dealers room. The next day I was ready to check in which I was lucky because the hotel is booked solid. And I'm told some fans from some football game homecoming reunion was going to be there. But I didn't see any one of them. I wasn't too impressed with the dealers room. There's hardly anything I like and I heard the convention had 231 people this year.

I entered the live-action role-playing game though hardly any people register[ed] to play. But I was the blind man (from last year) playing my (toy) guitar and jamming the CD boom box. And many people loved the music while some IQ per-sussmist[?] people want to keep the volume down. (Screw em!)

Also two teenage fans Ari and Rachel kept with me most of Saturday. And we talked, seeing them "fight," and all of that. Plus we talked about old times as well. Along with wrestling[?] to old boy friends.

Plus a pack of 8–10 year old girls led by Nancy Peters come running and hugs me when they see me. And they did annoy me a bit.

Anyway back to the story. I met some interesting people. There was a mad psychiatrist which I wasn't too sane about him. A sleazy man in a blue polyester suit and his "wife" who looked a lot like Marilyn Manson!! (Isn't he cool?)

At the near of the game, while the mad doctor was getting arrested for talking to a plant, my eyesight finally got restore[d] by the religious fanatical cult known as POOL (from last year which they predicted a cosmic fireball is going to hit the Earth but failed). I scream[ed] *hallelujah!!* I might become a *cult fanatic!* (My God!) At the end of the game, an air band "Toxic Spleen" with me a special guest started playing for the concert. Unfortunately the band members died unexpectedly. I had nothing to do with this!!!

And the Volhons[?] nearly destroy[ed] our world by using nukes to blow up our planet. But failed. Another sequel coming up next year. I did enjoy playing and hope to do it again next year.

The Masquerade contest: I was an evil priest which I wore my black hooded robe and I came to an alter on stage (two candles with a skull in the middle). I kneel[ed] down and starting chanting "Oh great spirits from the Dead! Show me a sign to prove thy worthiness" when all of the sudden music from the Grateful Dead (*Truckin'*) started playing. A banner of the Grateful Dead comes on stage. And I disrobe myself into a Deadhead hippie. Smoking a "joint" and wearing shades (Wow Man!) and then I got chased off by security. And I won for Best Presentation (and I got \$10) and the audience loved it! It was great! I have to admit it was my best skit in a while.

I was told some Mormon parents who was going to watch their kids on the masquerade. And Nancy Cucci was nearly having a nervous breakdown whey they saw me. She was saying "Carlo, what the Hell are you doing?" Fortunately, they didn't blaspheme us and it did turn out well though I still don't know what their reaction was in the aftermath.

Anyway there were other costumers too: a littler Sailor Moon, little girls dancing with balloon men (and popping their heads), Boba Fett from *Star Wars*, a woman doing poetry, a woman in *Men in Black*, Xena who's a man, and many more.

At the dance: well Friday night was lame though me and a friend of mine did some "martial arts" moves on *Mortal Kombat*. Saturday night got better. We were head banging, moshing, pile driving, air guitaring, etc. It was totally wild.

I had 4–5 hours worth of sleep and stayed for the dead dog party and finally left Sunday at 6:45 pm. The convention wasn't too bad. It was more of a socializing event. People would get together, relax, talk about old times, and I wish we have more of that more often.

[Sounds like you enjoyed Con†Stellation, Carlo. Your attendance figures is a little low — I don't have the exact number but as I understand it we did just break 250, counting comps. There are a couple of places in your letter where I just couldn't make out your handwriting, but I think I straightened most of it out. -ED]

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22 October 1998

I just received your October issue of *The NASFA Shuttle* and was quite surprised to see the results in your FFFQ Results section, specifically Question 10 as regards “the SF/F author whose work you would least like to be a character in.” In it were listed a virtual whos who of great authors where it seemed to be that the more awards and recognitions earned by the author, the higher they “scored” on this survey. Case in point is L. Ron Hubbard, whose latest novel *Ai! Pedrito!* (story by L. Ron Hubbard, novelized by Kevin Anderson) not only hit the *New York Times* and other key best seller lists, but set a record book signing acknowledged by the *Guinness Book of Records* as the worlds largest single author autographing event. Just as I am sure Hollywood had no problem filling the characters of books from the likes of H. P. Lovecraft, Anne Rice, Steven King, etc., Fox 2000 will definitely not have a problem casting the many parts in L. Ron Hubbard's *Battlefield Earth*.

[John, you're taking this all too seriously! Take a look at all the answers to all the questions and you'll see that the fans answering the questions certainly weren't all that serious. Plus, you seem to be interpreting this question as “the SF/F author whose work (adapted for a movie) you would least like to be hired to play in.” Most people appear to have interpreted it as intended — “the SF/F author whose work (if it were real life) you would least like to be trapped in.” In some cases authors were clearly chosen because their characters show a marked tendency to live and die unpleasantly. It is not so obvious why some other authors were chosen. -ED]

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22 October 1998

Hi. Let me know that you got this... that I typed your email address in right, OK? I've just recently entered the 20th Century, and it's almost over! [Talk] about being a day late...

Thanks for sending the *Shuttle*. I always enjoy reading it, and especially this time as Julie and Elliott had stopped off on their way home from Con†Stellation. They had told me all

about the Fannish Family Feud, and I got to read the complete lists of answers.

They brought the framed Jophan Jigsaw and I was tickled to get it. Sam is a doll. The picture adorns the wall of the Blue Room. The Blue Room used to be Valerie's bedroom, but is lately the grandchildren's home away from home and playroom.

Thanks again for everything. I have many fond memories of good times at Con†Stellations.

[For those not in the know, the jigsaw puzzle Charlotte mentioned was started at Birmingham's Jophan Family Reunion relaxicon earlier this year. Huntsville's Sam Smith finished it, had it framed, and presented it (in absentia) to Charlotte at Con†Stellation this year. Hope we'll see you at Con†Stellation again some year, Charlotte. -ED]

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23 October 1998

I hope the cold that delayed the October *Shuttle* is better and I also have hopes that none of its germs hitchhiked to my home on the fanzine. Maybe your germs wouldn't have been able to survive the change of climate.

The references to the greying of fandom that was evident at Con†Stellation helped to complete the ruin of another of my illusions. I had thought all along that it was only fanzine fandom that was suffering from a lack of young activists. But a recent worldcon report, the one by Mike Glycer, mentioned the greying phenomenon at that event and now you bring it up. It seems part of a larger puzzle. Television ratings are falling, even for programming directed at a young audience. Local high schools are having all sorts of trouble persuading enough kids to come out for the football team to get through the season, and the local motor speedway has been suffering attendance problems. Fire and ambulance companies are in trouble for lack of volunteers to replace aging longtime members. The local swimming pool has been suffering declining patronage, year after year. What are all the young people doing if they don't show up for such things that normally draw youth?

In spite of my humility, I must report another addition to my egoboo acquisitions noted in my last loc. I've just discovered that I've helped create a recent book about the Battle of South Mountain. My writings are cited in two footnotes. Apparently they were things I wrote for the newspapers so long ago I no longer have any memory of doing them. All I remember now about that battle is the time I drove a local historian to the Reno Monument on the mountaintop where that general was killed.

It also helps me feel good all over to find that I've read the top four favorite science fiction and fantasy books in the FFFQ listing. But some of these results are somewhat disturbing to an old-timer. Only one H. G. Wells story got mentioned by just one person. On the other hand, it's nice to find Heinlein books did so well, three of them among the top dozen listings. Some of the listings for things on the bridge of the *Enterprise* are quite amusing to me, although I suspect that they are blasphemous to the most loyal *Star Trek* fans. I was startled to find four persons citing time travel as a “technological advance first

mentioned in a SF work” and began to wonder if I haven’t been paying enough attention to the newspapers and newscasts. But then I remembered that time travel has presumably been achieved in a very small way by those who have spent many weeks in orbit. Their velocity has been credited with causing them to move perhaps one second into the future by the time they got back on Earth as a result of Einstein’s predictions about the effect of speed on the passage of time.

[I’m quite recovered, thank you Harry, though whatever the illness was its lingering effects are still with some concom members as I write this. Some more-or-less-sf cons — notably those that specialize in things like movies, anime, or comics — have a much younger audience than the more general-interest ones like Con†Stellation. (And often a *much* larger audience, too.) It’s been a good while since I attended such a con so I can’t give you a first hand report on the average age but I would venture a guess it is twenty-something. The age of the real activists, the committee members, I have no guess at. -ED]

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24 October 1998

Watching the premier episode of *Brimstone* (similarities to *Crow...*). I hear *Mercy Point* has already folded up its tent...

Hey — do those Con†Stellaton Art Show winners in the amateur categories do fan art?

Art books are notoriously *expensive* (worth it, but you gotta have the price).

Agh — looking at the FFFQ results, glad I did *not* respond. I, honestly, couldn’t even think of a *favorite* book. Yeeouh, on the TV shows I’ve never *heard* of eight of them.

[I’m not familiar with whether Dale D. Ziemianski or Marianne Plumridge (the Con†Stellation art show winners you referenced) do fan art or not — all I can say is that they have never submitted anything to the *Shuttle*. Of course I am shamefully neglectful of the artists who *have* submitted material. I usually find that I am so rushed to get an issue out on time that I have little mindshare to give to art placement. The mechanics of preparing the *Shuttle* masters are split between home and work, which makes the process more difficult, too. If I ever get a scanner and laser printer at home perhaps I’ll be able to put art in more often since it will be a lot easier. -ED]

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27 October 1998

I believe that the zones for the Worldcon rotation were set up originally on the basis of the number of fans — or maybe fan clubs — in each zone. I don’t recall total population being considered. I’m not *sure* what the enumeration was based on, but it was something like that. At the time, and probably today, the east and west coasts had more fans per square mile than the

midwest did. Certainly Juanita and I aren’t near any fan center, being more or less equidistant from Indianapolis, which has never had a Worldcon, and Chicago and Detroit, which have, and it would take more effort than I’m willing to put forth to serve on a Worldcon Committee for any of them.

Gee, Harry, our bathroom has a bookcase in it. (Holding the humor books, of course...) The living room has just two, but the “front room” has 3. The kitchen has only the one cookbook that Juanita is working on at that time, which means mostly none.

Interesting survey. I’d pick Heinlein as one of my favorite authors, certainly, but not that particular book. Freas would be a favorite artist for personality as well as ability. Never was interested in flying by my own powers. Immortality I used to wish for; now that I’m older I’m not so sure.

Certainly the author I’d really not want to use my name as a character is Piers Anthony. Not since we jointly authored a book, anyway... L. Ron Hubbard, though, was a very good author before he got into Dianetics and then religion. I’d have been happy to have been a character in *Triton* or *Typewriter in the Sky* or *Fear*. Unfortunately, I don’t believe any of them is available now except at collector’s prices. And of course I *have* been a character in books by Tucker and Bob Asprin, and enjoyed it...

Otherwise, we’re getting ready for winter here. All but one of the storm windows is in; that one is for a window over the bathtub, which is hard to get at. Fuel oil has been ordered. Insects are swarming, preparatory to dying off or holing up (in the house, if possible) for winter. We’ve had one freeze, somewhat earlier than usual. Corn has mostly been harvested, so we can now see beyond the boundaries of our property while sitting in the house. I haven’t been outside much recently so I don’t know if the songbirds have all gone south or not. But I’m walking more, so I may recover enough to shovel snow this winter.

PS: Sarah Zettel, Michigan fan, now has a science fiction hardcover out from Warner.

[The FFF questionnaires were submitted under many conditions but those submitted at room parties were, probably, more subject to being answered without any deep thought. (And more light-hearted answers, too.) I would expect that the “favorite book” question drew some answers based on favorite author and some based on memorable titles. -ED]

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28 October 1998

Thanks for the October issue of the *Shuttle* which made it through our mutual postal systems in a quite ordinary amount of time thus allowing me the following reactions...

The Con†Stellation report, as always for this former Guest, was great reading. Your line-up of guests was — as usual, coff, coff — superb and it certainly sounds like a most successful weekend. The FFF in particular sounds like a hoot! (I guess one of the things that separates the pros from the fans is that while we’re wasting time watching TV game shows they’re writing or drawing to start their professional careers. I [bet] none of them is a wrestling fan either!)

I don’t remember if Mike was at the Family Feud panel in

Baltimore when the bids for Toronto and Cancun went head to head. That too was a weird experience. I'm not ashamed (well... not *too* ashamed) of blowing some of the SF questions about Buccaneer's Guests of Honour because it's always been known that I'm more into fandom than SF plus I have one of fandom's most notoriously poor memories. But missing out on some of the so-called fannish questions did cause a certain amount of red in the face. It was nice of Glycer to point out that the survey answers came from about a hundred worldcon attendees who would mostly have a *very* different idea of "fandom" than I do!

And I didn't *really* mind that Cancun beat us (even if they *did* cheat and discuss answers during the round-robin questions). After all, that may be the only thing they win during this campaign... (Except for the admiration, respect and affection of all fans with an active interest in world conventions, he hastened to add.)

In case you don't know, Lan and Kathy had a marvellous trip to Alaska and he *did* start back teaching this fall. His

therapy is on-going (*while* he's teaching for heaven's sake!) but he remains full of hope and confidence. And the last update on Nancy Tucker Shaw had her walking with the aid of a walker and her doctors astounded at her rate of recovery. Let's hope both recoveries continue apace.

I somewhat blush to admit that I mostly skimmed the collection of responses to the FFF questions but I got a *lot* of chuckles and the occasional bellylaugh out of what I saw. I guess not everyone took the questions completely seriously...

See you next issue...

[I was not at the Family Feud panel in Baltimore. I had wanted to be but was unavoidably called away. If I had realized you were to be a contestant, Mike, I would have regretted missing it even more. And if the answers that the Baltimore committee got for their questions were spread anything like the ones we got for our questionnaire I am not surprised that you (or any of the other contestants) had trouble guessing what the collective psyche of the fans served up. -ED]

FFFQ Results — Second Installment

This month we continue publishing the full results from the survey conducted for use in the Fannish Family Feud game show at this year's Con†Stellation. You can also find the answers for all 30 questions on the web (look for links starting at < <http://www.hsv.tis.net/~constell/constell> >).

I'll repeat the warnings printed along with the first installment. The results listed here and on the web may vary slightly as things like typos are discovered and corrected. Very little effort was put into tracking down typos, especially for questions that we decided not to use in the game and for answers that fell below the top dozen or so. It is also possible that outright mistakes (such as entering an answer for the wrong question) are in this list but the number of such was felt to be small enough not to materially affect the results — this whole thing is *just for fun* after all.

Question 11. Name something associated with vampires

- 65 fangs/teeth
- 51 blood
- 21 garlic
- 10 wooden stake
- 8 immortality/undead
- 5 blood sucking
- 4 black clothes
- 4 coffins
- 3 Anne Rice

- 3 Buffy
- 3 crosses
- 2 capes
- 2 goths
- 2 sex
- 2 sunblock
- 2 sunlight
- 1 age
- 1 bad breath
- 1 blood sport
- 1 bloodless victims
- 1 Brahmn Stoker
- 1 brushing teeth 3 times a day
- 1 charisma
- 1 death
- 1 Dirt from the Grave
- 1 dumb Englishman
- 1 Eysilum
- 1 fags
- 1 Federal government
- 1 fever night
- 1 Forever Knight
- 1 fruity clothes
- 1 Goth drug addicts
- 1 graveyards
- 1 hunter
- 1 idiots (in Black)
- 1 inability to speak with mouth full
- 1 insomnia
- 1 juveniles
- 1 lawyers
- 1 masquerade
- 1 me
- 1 Murray Ky 42071
- 1 myth
- 1 night
- 1 no doz
- 1 pointless angst
- 1 silver
- 1 thirst
- 1 Vampire in Brooklyn (movie title)
- 1 Van Helsing
- 1 werewolf

Question 12. Name your favorite female SF/F author

- 29 Lois McMaster Bujold
- 26 Anne McCaffrey
- 20 Andre Norton
- 15 Anne Rice
- 14 Mercedes Lackey
- 13 C. J. Cherryh
- 7 Connie Willis
- 6 Marion Zimmer Bradley
- 6 Ursula K. Le Guin
- 3 Barbara Hambly
- 3 Elizabeth Moon
- 3 James Tiptree Jr.
- 3 Katherine Kurtz
- 3 Margaret Weis
- 2 C. L. Moore
- 2 Joan C. Vinge
- 2 Nancy Kessler
- 2 Sharon Webb
- 2 Sherri S. Tepper
- 2 Tanith Lee
- 1 Amy Webb
- 1 author of the Circuit Series
- 1 Diana Wynne Jones
- 1 Diane Duane
- 1 Esther Freisner
- 1 Heinlein
- 1 Heinlein's wife
- 1 Hickman & Weiss
- 1 Jean Auel
- 1 Jennifer Roberson
- 1 Jessica Amanda Salmonson
- 1 Joan Slonczewski
- 1 Judith Reeves
- 1 Julian May
- 1 Karen Joy Fowler
- 1 Karen Taylor
- 1 Kathe Koja
- 1 Kris Rusch
- 1 Leigh Brackett
- 1 Lindsey (Time Travel)

- 1 Lisa Mason
- 1 Mary Rosenblum
- 1 Mary Shelly
- 1 me
- 1 Melissa Scott
- 1 Mothra
- 1 Nancy Collins
- 1 Nicola Griffith
- 1 Patricia C. Wrede
- 1 Sharon McCrumb
- 1 Tabatha King
- 1 Terri Welding
- 1 Vonda McIntyre
- 1 Wonder Woman

Question 13. Name a mythological/fantasy creature

- 42 Dragon
- 35 Unicorn
- 34 Griffin
- 12 Centaur
- 7 Hydra
- 7 Pegasus
- 5 Chimera
- 5 virgin
- 4 Hobbit
- 4 Minotaur
- 3 Alicorn
- 3 Cyclops
- 3 elves
- 3 Grendal
- 3 Medusa
- 3 satyr
- 2 Balrog
- 2 Cerebus
- 2 Cthulu
- 2 Gorgon
- 2 Hercules
- 1 a sane con goer who is still a virgin
- 1 an ethical lawyer
- 1 care free con chairs
- 1 Chewbacca
- 1 Emerald Weapon
- 1 Fafnir (Norse mythology)
- 1 fire lizard
- 1 Frankenstein's monster
- 1 Gargoyle
- 1 good government
- 1 Gorgimera
- 1 honest politician
- 1 Horta
- 1 humans
- 1 incubus
- 1 Jaba the Hutt
- 1 Jon Holmes
- 1 Kirin/Tora
- 1 Kraken
- 1 Kyrie
- 1 manticor
- 1 Midgard Serpent
- 1 nymph
- 1 ogre

- 1 Puff the Magic Dragon
- 1 Roland Castle
- 1 Saab 900 that works
- 1 Samuel the Griffon
- 1 Scylla
- 1 Sensitive males
- 1 shapeshifter
- 1 Silke
- 1 siren
- 1 smart blond
- 1 smof
- 1 Sphinx
- 1 succubus
- 1 troll
- 1 Valkrye
- 1 wyvern
- 1 Xipe Totec

Question 14. Name the SF/F movie you would most like to see remade

- 18 Dune
- 17 Starship Troopers
- 12 Forbidden Planet
- 9 The Day the Earth Stood Still
- 8 Star Trek I - 5
- 6 Lost In Space
- 6 Metropolis
- 5 Lord of the Rings
- 5 Plan 9 from Outer Space
- 4 Blade Runner
- 3 Day the Earth Stood Still
- 3 Things To Come
- 3 When World's Collide
- 2 Alien 1 - 3
- 2 Barbarella
- 2 Battlestar Galactica
- 2 Day of the Triffids
- 2 Flowers for Algernon
- 2 Interview With a Vampire
- 2 Nightfall
- 2 The Hobbit
- 2 The Martian Chronicles
- 2 The Puppet Masters
- 2 This Island Earth
- 2 Tron
- 1 1984
- 1 5 Million Years from Earth
- 1 Akira
- 1 Alphaville
- 1 Beast Master
- 1 Body Snatchers
- 1 Braveheart
- 1 Buck Rogers
- 1 Crack in the World
- 1 Damnation Alley
- 1 Death Race 2000
- 1 Destination Moon
- 1 Dr. Cyclops
- 1 Dracula
- 1 First Contact
- 1 From the Earth to the Moon
- 1 *** Go Home

- 1 Godzilla
- 1 Goodbye Mr. Chips
- 1 Hawk the Slayer
- 1 Highlander 2
- 1 Howard the Duck
- 1 Johnny Mnemonic
- 1 Journey to the Center of the Earth
- 1 just Imagine (1930)
- 1 King Kong
- 1 Legend
- 1 Logan's Run
- 1 Millennium
- 1 Planet of the Apes
- 1 Puppet Masters
- 1 Robot Monster
- 1 Rocky Horror Picture Show
- 1 Santa Claus Conquers The Martians
- 1 Solvent Green
- 1 Son of Kong
- 1 Space 1999
- 1 Spaceballs
- 1 Star Wars
- 1 The 8 Man
- 1 The Dunwich Horror
- 1 The Last Unicorn
- 1 The Postman
- 1 The Running Man
- 1 The Terranuats
- 1 The Time Machine
- 1 Them
- 1 Toyne - 22 (Charles L Harness)
- 1 War of the Worlds

Question 15. Name a SF/F movie based on a book

- 52 Starship Troopers
- 39 Dune
- 13 Blade Runner
- 10 2001 Space Odyssey
- 10 Star Wars
- 6 Contact
- 6 Puppet Masters
- 5 Interview with a Vampire
- 5 Jurassic Park
- 3 A Boy and His Dog
- 3 Conan the Barbarian
- 3 This Island Earth
- 3 War of the Worlds
- 3 When Worlds Collide
- 2 20000 Leagues Under the Sea
- 2 Alien
- 2 Destination Moon
- 2 Dracula
- 2 Fahrenheit 451
- 2 Lord of the Rings
- 2 Spawn
- 2 The Postman
- 2 The Power
- 2 The Time Machine
- 2 Total Recall
- 1 A Clockwork Orange
- 1 Body Snatchers

- 1 Children of the Damned
- 1 Congo
- 1 Enemy Mine
- 1 Fantastic Voyage
- 1 First Men in the Moon
- 1 Gone with the Wind
- 1 Guyver
- 1 Into the Mouth of Madness
- 1 It
- 1 King
- 1 Lathe of Heaven
- 1 Legend
- 1 Lion Witch and the Wardrobe
- 1 Martian Chronicles
- 1 Night Stalker
- 1 Nightfall
- 1 Nightlife of the Gods
- 1 Planet of the Apes
- 1 Robinson Crusoe on Mars
- 1 Rocketship Galileo
- 1 Running Man
- 1 Something Wicked This Way Comes
- 1 Soylent Green
- 1 The Andromeda Strain
- 1 The Blob
- 1 The Hobbit
- 1 The Last Unicorn
- 1 The People
- 1 The Princess Bride

Question 16. Name the book you would like to see made into a "good" movie

- 13 Starship Troopers
- 13 Stranger in a Strange Land
- 8 Dune
- 7 Troika
- 5 Foundation
- 4 DragonFlight/DragonRiders of Pern
- 4 Guns of the South
- 4 The Lord of the Rings
- 3 Chronicles of Amber
- 3 Ender's Game
- 3 Glory Road
- 3 On Basalisk Station
- 3 Ringworld
- 3 The Black Company
- 2 Battlefield Earth
- 2 Door Into Summer
- 2 Grey Lensman/First Lensman
- 2 I, Robot
- 2 Interview With a Vampire
- 2 Lord Darcy
- 2 Q-In-Law
- 2 Red Mars
- 2 The Anubis Gates
- 2 The Forever War
- 2 The Warrior's Apprentice
- 2 Time Enough for Love
- 2 Warrior's Apprentice
- 1 2001
- 1 Across Realtime
- 1 Arrows of the Queen

- 1 Barrayar
- 1 Blood Wing
- 1 Bolo
- 1 Book of the 12 Swords
- 1 Bug Park
- 1 Burning Water
- 1 Children of the Night
- 1 Contact
- 1 Cross Time Engineer
- 1 Crusade
- 1 Crystal Singer
- 1 Deep Throat
- 1 Dragon Quest
- 1 Elfquest
- 1 Emergence
- 1 Eternity Road
- 1 Ethan of Athos
- 1 Eye of the World
- 1 Fear and Loathing in LA
- 1 Federation
- 1 Finnegan's Wake
- 1 Footfall
- 1 Fractal Mode - Anthony
- 1 Friday
- 1 Gateway
- 1 Green Hills of Earth
- 1 Guilty Pleasures by Laurell Hamil-
- ton
- 1 Gundam
- 1 Gunslinger
- 1 Headcrash
- 1 Hereot's Legacy
- 1 House on the Borderland
- 1 Hyperion
- 1 I am Legend
- 1 Inherit the Stars
- 1 Jumper
- 1 Little Fuzzie
- 1 Lost in Space
- 1 Magic's Pawn
- 1 Mars series, Bova
- 1 mine (their own book?)
- 1 Moon is a Harsh Mistress
- 1 More Than Human
- 1 Mountains of Madness
- 1 My Enimie My Ally
- 1 My Teenager Fried my Brains
- 1 Nathan Brazil series
- 1 Night Stalker
- 1 Nor crystal Tears
- 1 Orion
- 1 Practical Demon Keeping
- 1 Q-squared
- 1 Qinhaw
- 1 Replay by Ken Grimwood
- 1 Santiago
- 1 Secret of the Ninth Planer
- 1 Slan
- 1 Sleeping Beauty (Rice)
- 1 Slow River
- 1 Space Cadet
- 1 Star Wars
- 1 Starbridge Academy
- 1 Stardance

- 1 Stuka Pilot
- 1 Summer Queen
- 1 Swords of Power
- 1 Talking with Dragons
- 1 The Black Fleet Crisis
- 1 The Celestian Prophecy
- 1 The Color of Magic
- 1 The Demolished Man
- 1 The Destroyer series
- 1 the first Star Trek novel that Shatner wrote
- 1 The Hobbit
- 1 The Illuminatus Trilogy
- 1 The Moon is a Harsh Mistress
- 1 The More in God's Eye
- 1 The Perfect Day
- 1 The Postman
- 1 The Ragged Astronauts
- 1 The Squares of the City (Brunner)
- 1 The Stars My Destination
- 1 The Vampire Lestat
- 1 The Wounded Sky
- 1 Time of the Dark
- 1 Titan
- 1 Total Recall
- 1 WASP
- 1 Witches of Karr's****
- 1 Wizard's First Rule
- 1 Xanth
- 1 Year of the Quiet Sun

Question 17. Name your favorite convention activity

- 31 socializing / schmoozing
- 23 parties / room parties
- 17 Masquerade / costuming
- 16 gaming
- 15 drinking / beer
- 12 sex
- 9 filking
- 8 panels
- 7 smoffing
- 6 art show
- 6 cards
- 5 dealer's room
- 3 answering questionnaires
- 3 autographs/guests
- 3 dancing
- 3 readings
- 2 being worshiped
- 2 con suite
- 2 good time/fun
- 2 leaving / going home afterwards
- 2 movies
- 2 sleep
- 1 artist's slide shows
- 1 attempting to sleep
- 1 author panels
- 1 casino
- 1 eating dinner with friends
- 1 flirting
- 1 hot tub

- 1 hugs
- 1 music if any
- 1 Naked Bathtub racing
- 1 programming
- 1 Radio Theater
- 1 raking in money
- 1 room happenings
- 1 security patrol
- 1 snorkeling
- 1 Star Trek
- 1 trivia contest
- 1 twister
- 1 weirdness
- 1 wondering

Question 18. Name a species found on BABYLON 5

- 64 Humans
- 37 Narn
- 24 Minbari
- 22 Vorlon
- 17 Centari
- 6 Drazi
- 6 Pak'mara
- 2 Farengi (DS9)
- 2 shadows
- 1 Bjorn (DS9)
- 1 CLEONS
- 1 gay
- 1 Gorn (Star Trek)
- 1 Great High old ones
- 1 microbes
- 1 moton
- 1 natasha henstridge
- 1 Zoloco

Question 19. Name an anime series

- 16 Speed Racer
- 12 Robotech
- 11 Sailor Moon
- 9 Ranma 1/2
- 8 Akira
- 7 Voltron
- 5 L.A. Blue Girl
- 4 Bubblegum Crisis
- 4 Tenchi-Muyo / Tench Muyo
- 3 Animaniacs
- 3 Crying Freeman
- 3 Dragonball z
- 3 Johnny Quest
- 3 Oh! My Goddess
- 3 Project AKO
- 3 vampire D.
- 2 Battleship Yamato
- 2 Galaxy 666
- 2 Galaxy Express

- 2 Lensman
- 2 Macross
- 2 Star Blazers
- 2 Urusei Yatsura
- 2 Wild Pair
- 2 X-Men
- 1 A. D. Tank Police
- 1 Appleseed
- 1 Arimtage III
- 1 Astro Boy
- 1 Bambi meets Godzilla
- 1 Beast Wars
- 1 Cutie Honey
- 1 Dark Water
- 1 Demon Hunter Yokho
- 1 Devil Hunter
- 1 Dirty Pair
- 1 Dominion
- 1 Evangelion Neon genesis
- 1 Fatal Fury
- 1 Fists of the North Star
- 1 Ghost in the shell
- 1 Gun Smith Cats
- 1 Gundam
- 1 Gundam Wing
- 1 Heroic Legend of Arislan
- 1 Highlander
- 1 Invasion America
- 1 Lodos Wars
- 1 Neon Genesars Evangelion
- 1 Ninas Scroll
- 1 Rocky & Bullwinkle
- 1 Ru-Yoki
- 1 Saber rider of the Star Sheriffs
- 1 Spawn
- 1 Starblazers/ Battleship Yamato
- 1 Starship Yamato
- 1 Superman
- 1 The Simpsons
- 1 Uchie & Tora
- 1 Ultra Man
- 1 Xabungle

Question 20. Name something you should carry on a quest

- 41 sword / magic sword
- 36 food/water
- 14 weapons
- 11 map/guide
- 10 money/gold/coin of the realm/American Express Travelers Checks
- 7 Swiss army knife
- 6 towel
- 5 A Diary / log
- 5 amulet
- 5 compass/directions
- 5 magic ring / ring

- 5 magic spells / healing potions
- 3 Bag of Infinite Holding
- 3 condoms
- 3 first aid / medical supplies
- 3 staff
- 2 a cleric
- 2 backpack
- 2 beer
- 2 change of underwear
- 2 common sense
- 2 knowledge
- 2 matches/lighter
- 2 rope
- 2 sense of purpose
- 2 toilet paper
- 1 9mm gun
- 1 a handkerchief
- 1 a pixie stick
- 1 a sense of humor
- 1 a talking hat
- 1 AK 47 (automatic rifle)
- 1 All weather coat
- 1 bad attitude
- 1 bottle opener
- 1 chocolate
- 1 cloak of invisibility
- 1 coconuts
- 1 dwarf bread (as a weapon)
- 1 ever glow
- 1 flashlight
- 1 flint
- 1 genitals
- 1 get out of jail card
- 1 good luck charm
- 1 GPS locator (automatic map?)
- 1 intelligence
- 1 ladies scarf
- 1 Laptop computer
- 1 lasers
- 1 leatherman
- 1 loincloth
- 1 Magic Amulet
- 1 magic suppository
- 1 magic wand
- 1 man
- 1 me
- 1 oaf to do dangerous stuff for me
- 1 pocket calculator
- 1 pure heart
- 1 sharp herring
- 1 shoes
- 1 shrubbery
- 1 t-shirt
- 1 Viewmaster reels
- 1 wisdom
- 1 wizard
- 1 Wizard/mage
- 1 women
- 1 your idealism
- 1 your wits



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