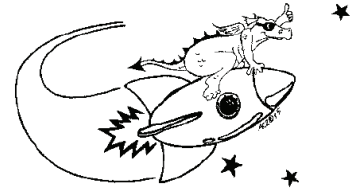


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### **FRIDAY**

3 pm Salon D Add Costuming Round Table; Bring Your Questions with Lisa Ashton and Karen Dick

4 pm Salon D – Remove Painting on Fabric

7 pm Pimlico – Remove Joy Ward Reading

9 pm – Remove Joy Ward add Jonathan Maberry

### **SATURDAY**

10 am Salon B Remove Joy Ward

11 am Salon D Remove Laurel Cunningham-Hill

1 pm Salon B Remove Joy Ward

2 pm Remove Joy Ward

Noon Autographing Maryland Foyer – Add 2009 Crook Winner

Noon Salon D Remove Getting Started

Noon Salon D – Add Painting on Fabric with Carol Salemi

3 pm Salon C – add Charles E. Gannon Reading

4 pm Chesapeake remove Soccergirl, add Dave Slusher

5 pm Salon D – Add Hugh Casey

6 pm Chesapeake remove Soccergirl, add JR Blackwell

### **SUNDAY**

11 am Salon B – Add Steve Miller

Noon Pimlico – Add Danny Birt Reading

1 pm Autographing Maryland Foyer remove 2009 Crook Winner

3 pm Salon B – Add Steve Miller

4 pm Salon C Add Theme Anthology with Steve Miller

5 Pm Salon D Add Tool Time: What's There and How to Use It with Tom Atkinson, Marvin Bryant, Donna Dube

7 pm Belmont – Add Hugh Casey

8 pm Salon B – Add Steve Miller

9 pm Chesapeake Soccergirl Incorporated Live! Is replaced with Don't Be That Guy with Susan Z, JR Blackwell, Michele White, Sheila Dee, and Paul Fischer (M)

11 pm Chesapeake remove Soccergirl add MAinPA

11 pm Salon B remove Jonathan Maberry

### **MONDAY**

10 Am Salon B Add Started: Where Costume Ideas Come From with Lisa Ashton, Carol Salemi

Noon Salon B Add Hugh Casey

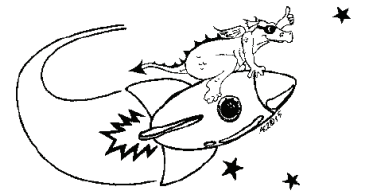
Noon Salon C remove Soccergirl and Jonathan Maberry, add Dan Tabor

2 pm Salon D add Dan Tabor

3 pm Derby add Dan Tabor

3 pm Salon B – Add Masquerade & Costume Q&A with all who have survived.

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## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This year Balticon will be hosting a special event -- a Workshop to prepare teachers to develop a class on science fiction for primary or secondary students. If you are a teacher attending Balticon, please consider also attending the workshop and helping to build an awareness of science fiction among your students. There is no charge for those already attending Balticon.

The Workshop will take place on Monday, May 25, 2009 (Memorial Day), from 12 noon to 4 p.m., in the Garden Room at the Marriott Hunt Valley Inn. No advance registration is required. The Teaching Science Fiction workshop covers what to teach, how to organize a class, and ways to promote the course. The workshop answers questions educators may have about this idea-oriented, forward-looking, student stimulating body of speculative literature.

Presenters include: Catherine Asaro, author and Nebula Award winner; Magi D. Shepley, a teacher who has taught science fiction in the classroom; and David-Glenn Anderson of Reading for the Future. Materials for the workshop have been developed by the AboutSF Science Fiction Resource Center, a joint project of the University of Kansas, the Science Fiction and Fantasy Writers of America, and the Science Fiction Research Association.

If you want to invite someone, a special Workshop-only one-day Balticon membership is available for \$11 for teachers attending the Workshop. For non-teachers not attending Balticon, the regular Monday Balticon day rate applies.



Dark Quest Books and editor Mike McPhail would like to congratulate the contributors to **So It Begins**.

Their talent and hard work has been recognized by the awards committee for the Next Generation Indie Book Award  
Finalist – Best Anthology  
Finalist – Short Stories - Fiction  
Please check out the book in the dealers' room or come help us celebrate at the launch party, Sunday the 24th from 7:30pm to 9:30pm in the Garden Room!



### Sales Table Hours (Information Booth Maryland Foyer)

**Friday: 4pm-8pm**  
**Sat and Sun: 11am-7pm**  
**Mon: 11am-3pm**



### We came, We volunteered and We got the T-shirt!

The Balticon Beseekers are looking for great group of Volunteers. If you're interested in lending a hand to make Balticon a better convention, please check in at our Volunteer's Desk.

## SUBMISSION DEADLINE

If you have any changes or announcements for Saturday's Rocket Mail, please drop off the information to the Operations Desk by 10:00 PM Friday.