

SATURDAY MORNING

Time	Earth	Fire
9:00	The Juggling Hour Ever wanted to learn to juggle or to just improve your juggling skills? Here's your opportunity! <i>David Cook</i>	
10:00	The Post-Apocalyptic Housewife's Domestic Companion Workshop: In times past the Domestic Companion or Almanac was an essential guide and friend in daily life, with recipes, proverbs and sayings, weather forecasts, planting guides, first aid, handy hints and everything a good housewife needed to run the ranch. Tomorrow's housewife will be in just as much need of such profound wisdom and light entertainment, even if she's fighting off cattle rustlers (or zombies) with a home-modified irrigation laser leveller instead of a musket. Come help write words to live by after the apocalypse! <i>Tiki Swain, Jess Reid, Sarah Parker</i>	We went on a journey In 2009, Trevor Clark and Sue Ann Barber went on their GUFF trip to the UK and Ireland. Learn the truth of Cylon Beer, never-ending bar parties and cat pee. <i>Sue Ann Barber, Trevor Clark</i>
11:00	Mark Pesce's Guest of Honour speech "The Future's So Bright, I Gotta Wear Implants" <i>Mark Pesce</i>	
12:00	SF TV is so Mainstream With shows like Lost, Heroes and FlashForward (to name a few) playing in prime time slots on TV, is SF becoming mainstream? Is it now cool to watch SF TV or will the genre continue to be geeky and relegated to the late-night slot? <i>Kim Westwood, Julia Svaganovic, m1k3y, Cat Sparks, Paul Poulton</i>	Robot Vs the World A consideration of the production and presentation of a SF-themed Fringe & Comedy Festival show. <i>Richard McKenzie and friends</i>
13:00	Lunch	
14:00	The Trailer Panel Find out about the latest movies from Hollywood and around the world. Will include LOUD movie trailers! <i>Paul Poulton, Mitch</i>	Utopias are really dystopias Is there really such a thing as a utopian society? Just about every utopia ever created has collapsed and disintegrated. Why does this happen? What stops us from creating a true utopia? <i>m1k3y, Kim Westwood</i>

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The Hitch-hikers Guide to Con Going Everything you ever wanted to know about con going. Ideal starting point for any first-time con-goers on anyone still relatively new to the concept. A great way to learn the secrets from those who have been around long enough to know better. <i>Rachel Holkner, Danny Oz, George Ivanoff</i>		9.00
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		11.00
Current Authors, Past Fanzines A number of current pro authors have agreed to read and talk about their early fanzine stories to prove that everyone has a past and everyone has to start somewhere. <i>George Ivanoff, Narrelle M Harris, Jane Routley</i>		12.00
Lunch		13.00
	Reading: <i>Narrelle M Harris</i> Rant: <i>Robin Johnson (Life after Death)</i>	14.00

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15:00	The Maturing New Media How long can we still call it new? Listen to real cool kids tell you what's rad in storytelling in everything that isn't a TV or a book or a comic. <i>Mark Pesce, Alex Gibson, Paul Verhoeven</i>	Bill and Trev's Excellent Comic Adventure We, once again, continue our journey through the history of the Australian comic book industry with our intrepid travellers, Bill and Trev. <i>Bill Wright, Trevor Clark</i>
16:00	The Return of the Apocalypse Apocalypse books and movies in the 21st Century. <i>Kim Westwood, John Parker, Cat Sparks, Jess Reid</i>	The Art of Self-promotion These days, authors need to do more and more promotion for themselves - especially if they have been published by small press or independent publishers. Hear about some of the creative techniques authors have utilised in order to promote their latest works. <i>George Ivanoff, Narrelle M Harris, Alan Baxter, Christian Tamblyn</i>
17:00	John Hughes is my Homeboy A tribute to the genius of film making that was John Hughes. And, yes, we know this has very little to do with science fiction. <i>Rachel Holkner, Heath Miller</i>	The Lego Panel We show you awesome stuff made out of Lego! Be inspired by the creativity of Adult Fans of Lego from around the world. Learn the secrets of the master builders. Discover the frustrations of the everyday builder. <i>Sue Ann Barber, Travis Matheson, Paul Baulch</i>
18:00	Aussie Horror Vs Other Horror What, in particular, makes Australian Horror different from UK, US or any other horror? Is there a cultural connection to horror? Or is horror just the same no matter from where it originates? <i>Paul Haines, Alan Baxter</i>	The Twilight of the RPG An ageing market and competition from new technologies has pushed pen and paper gaming into a cottage industry. Is this the twilight of the RPG? <i>John Parker, Hesperia Mann, Grant Watson</i>
19:00	Dinner Break	
20:00	Not in Use	

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How to break fairy tales Using traditional fairy & folk tales to create fantasy stories is not a new idea... but which fairy/folk tale would you use and why? <i>Paul Haines, Karen Simpson Nikakis, Jane Routley, Christian Tamblyn</i>	Reading: <i>George Ivanoff</i> Rant: <i>George Ivanoff</i>		15.00
Future Proofing Melbourne 2099 All our projections suggest life in 2099 will need to be quite different than it is now. What will the world's most liveable city look like when we've passed peak oil, dropped greenhouse emissions by 90%, and learnt to live with rainfall averages that are 40% lower and 100-year-bushfires happening every ten years? <i>Tiki Swain, Jane Routley</i>			16.00
Pointy Hats Are you a princess, fairy queen or warrior girl? A consideration of gender stereotyping in Fantasy (and other genres). <i>Sarah Parker, Kirsty Sculler</i>			17.00
The Fan Fund Auction The best place to go to pick up cheap books and other vaguely SF related items. All proceeds to either NAFF, GUFF, DUFF or FFANZ. Don't know what those acronyms mean? Come along to the auction to find out! <i>Justin Ackroyd and his team of merry helpers</i>		Setup	18.00
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Not in Use			20.00

In the foyer, from eight pm until midnight:

Costume Parade (immediately preceding the Maskobalo)
A chance for you to show off your costume and for people to take photos. Judging for best costume will take place during this time.

Maskobalo
Continuum brings you a Maskobalo direct from the heart of the future. There will be dancing. There will be costumes. There will be good times had by all.
with DJ Omega