

Farpoint 2016—Additions and Updates—Farpoint 2016

ADDED GUESTS



TJ Perkins

TJ Perkins is a gifted and well-respected author in the mystery/suspense genre for YA and fantasy for teens. TJ has eight YA mysteries under GumShoe Press, and a five book fantasy series entitled *Shadow Legacy* with Silver Leaf Books. She recently published a fantasy picture book with Schiffer Publishing.

Always a strong presence at Balticon, TJ conducts writer workshops for adults. Her short stories for young readers have appeared in the Ohio State 6th Grade Proficiency Test Preparation Book, Kid's Highway Magazine, and webzine *New Works Review*, just to name a few. She's placed five times in the CNW/FFWA chapter book competition. Her short story of light horror for tweens, "The Midnight Watch", was published 2007 by Demon Minds Magazine. Adult short stories include: "Redemption", *The Reading Place* anthology 2014 and "Soul Searching", *Pacific Review*, 2014. She also contributed 800 words to Chapter 9 of Grammerly's national novel compilation 2013.

TJ will be at the following panels:

Publishing on a Budget:

Spending Your Money Wisely

Chesapeake 1 — Fri 2/12/16 — 1900

Meet the Authors

Dulaney 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1500

Meet the Authors

Dulaney 1 — Sun 2/14/16 — 1000

Writer Beware

Chesapeake 1 — Sun 2/14/16 — 1500



Pam Smith

Pam Smith is a native of Dallas, Texas and studied vocal performance at the University of North Texas focusing on opera and musical theater. Pam studied political science at Fort Hays State University where she focused on civil rights and civil liberties. She is currently pursuing a doctorate in human services where her focus is on the LGBTQ community, specifically transgender.

Pam will be at the following panels:

The "isms" in Sci-Fi & Fantasy

Chesapeake 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1300

Diversity & Inclusivity in Fandom

Ridgely 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1400

Cosplay 101

Chesapeake 2 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1700

Is Cosplay Only for Cons

Chesapeake 2 — Sun 2/14/16 — 1400

Film Schedule

Trenches

Ridgely 1 — Fri 2/12/16 — 1500

Kyle Williamson Fan Films

Ridgely 1 — Fri 2/12/16 — 1800

Legend of Zelda: Oblivion Rising

Ridgely 1 — Fri 2/12/16 — 1900

Browncoats: Redemptions

Ridgely 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1500

Occupants

Ridgely 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1800

Starship Farragut: The Crossing

Greenspring — Sat 2/13/16 — 2200

Browncoats: Redemptions

Ridgely 1 — Sun 2/14/16 — 1000

Starship Farragut: The Crossing

Ridgely — Sun 2/14/16 — 1400

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NEW PANEL!

The Internet Of Unpatched Things

Ridgely 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1200

The IoT is the next big thing and promises us more information, more automation, and greater ease of use for practically everything. But prepare for a bumpy ride! Some current IoT devices leak your private and personal information and expose vulnerabilities. This talk explores some of the problems and dissects a few example devices. *Thomas P. Donnelly*

UPDATED!

Cosmic Game Show

Greenspring — Sun 2/14/16 — 1200

The Cosmic Game Show is a wild and crazy mix of trivia games that will challenge your ability to recall facts from every realm of human experience. Contestants will compete onstage in modified versions of: Chronology, Blurt, Old Wives' Tales, Trivial Pursuit and Sci Fi Files. All onstage participants receive a parting gift- and the winner of each game will win a gift card worth at least \$10.00! So come and join your host, Diane Sahar, at the Cosmic Game show - the fun is out of this world!

UPDATED!

From Photons to Physics:

Image Processing in Solar Astrophysics

Ridgely 2 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1100

Dr. Thompson will explain how to take raw solar EUV images and coronagraph images, process them, and extract meaningful and valuable information from them and contribute to solar science, with specific examples. She has available dozens of techniques and a collection of creative applications for these image processing techniques. *Dr. Barbara J. Thompson*

CANCELLED!

Due to scheduling conflicts, the following guests will not be appearing this weekend:

Dr. David A. Batchelor
Bob Jones

CANCELLED!

Data Security, Digital Forensics, and You

Ridgely 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1200

CANCELLED!

How To Blow Up Planets For A Living

Ridgely 2 — Sat 2/13/16 — 1700

ROOM CHANGE!

Starfleet Meeting

Dulaney 2 — Sat 2/13/16 — 0900

ROOM CHANGE!

Saturday Morning Cartoons:

An Interactive History

Chesapeake 1 — Sat 2/13/16 — 0900

Meet the Authors

Readings and Signings
all weekend in the

FARPbooks Lounge

Dulaney Valley 1



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and need all the visitors they can get.)



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