

March 7 – 9, 2014 Walnut Creek Marriott

Walnut Creek, CA (San Francisco Bay Area)

Friends of the Genre (FOGcon) is a conversational West Coast science fiction and fantasy convention. We focus on a new theme each year, with Honored Guests ranging from writers to scientists to artists.

This Year's Theme: Secrets

Speculative fiction has a long history with secret hideouts, secret societies, even secret worlds. So who decides what is secret? How do we keep secrets? How do we discover what is secret?

Honored Guests: Still a Secret

We've already signed up one major name for FOGcon 4 and are angling for another. Previous Honored Guests have included Terry Bisson, Nalo Hopkinson, Shelley Jackson, Susan R. Matthews, Pat Murphy, Ann VanderMeer (Editorial guest), and Jeff VanderMeer.

What People Are Saying About FOGcon

Anaea Lay: An awesome con.

Griffin Barber: This stuff is right up my alley and it's close to home!

Mo Ranyart: I love the free books & author recommendations at #fogcon

Seanan McGuire: Fresh, friendly, cozy, a lot of potential.

Special Activities

Gaming! Filking! The Unaward Banquet! Meetups! Author Readings!

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