
Subject: 2018 Queue Status

Posted by [timmy](#) on Sat, 30 Dec 2017 21:15:20 GMT

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Our first set of 2018 will be on 1 January, but the queue is not in a good state. Where are all the writers of great fiction?

Sets 1 - 2: 4 items. We really need five!

Sets 3 - 8: 3 items

Sets 9 - 12: 2 items

Sets 13 - 18: 1 item. And that is it!

Subject: Re: 2018 Queue Status

Posted by [Cynus](#) on Fri, 05 Jan 2018 01:46:52 GMT

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Posted by [timmy](#) on Fri, 05 Jan 2018 11:49:33 GMT

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I think sometimes inspired authorship can go through a global drought. I am looking forward to whatever you would like to follow The Navigator (send when ready) and to the work of the person you are mentoring

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Posted by [timmy](#) on Fri, 05 Jan 2018 11:53:11 GMT

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There is an upturn, a pleasant one:

Sets 1 & 2: 5 items. Good. This is healthy

Sets 3 - 5: 4 items. Also healthy. Easy space for new entries.

Sets 6 - 9: 3 items
Sets 10 - 15: 2 items
Set 16: 1 item

No entries yet for Locker.

Is Valentine's Day too schmaltzy for a special occasion story? If you send 'em, I'll run 'em

Subject: 12 January 2018
Posted by [timmy](#) on Fri, 12 Jan 2018 10:01:08 GMT
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Sets 1 & 2: 5 items
Sets 3 - 12: 4 items. This is where the first vacancy is, a week today.
Set 13: 3 items. This is ok, but look beyond here. This is where we are lacking in breadth
Sets 14 - 28: 2 items. Obviously this is because we only run one take by an author at the same time. Some treats are in store
Set 29: 1 item

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Posted by [Bisexual_Guy](#) on Sat, 13 Jan 2018 17:20:41 GMT
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Jesse DÂ Â Â Â Â Â <http://iomfats.org/storyshelf/hosted/jesse-d/>

Or any number of the talented authors on this site.Â Timmy, by chance are any of the stories for Locker you have received thus far from one of these authors just mentioned?

Timmy, I did something wrong with the link to Geron's stories. Can you fix it? [edited to fix it.
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Posted by [timmy](#) on Sat, 13 Jan 2018 17:35:38 GMT
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Not any of those so far. Instead it is from an author new to us. I like authors new to us, too.

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Subject: 19 January 2018
Posted by [timmy](#) on Fri, 19 Jan 2018 08:40:24 GMT
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We have a 'full' queue for the next two slots. Next vacancy is Friday

Sets 1 & 2: 5 items
Sets 3 - 9: 4 items
Set 10: 3 items
Sets 11 - 25: 2 items
Set 26: 1 item

The queue can be expanded widthways, too, if we are blessed, suddenly, with an abundance of riches.

We have a second entry for the Locker challenge. That's good. It closes on 2 February. I've been asked what devilment I'm planning next. THE answer is... Coming. Or maybe it's behind you, as in a good old Briotish pantomime!
