



**Accretion:  
the Month at Space Cowboy Books**

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A small zine covering the monthly activity of the Space Cowboy Bookstore and other things that have occurred in the geek life of author / editor Jean-Paul L. Garnier

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This month we released episode 78 of *Simultaneous Times* podcast. This month's episode features stories by Jenna Hanchey & Jonathan Nevair, with music by Phog Masheeen.



<https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/spacecowboybooks>

This month in events at Space Cowboy Books:



On August 6<sup>th</sup> I hosted an event with Writers and Illustrators of the Future winners and contest judge Jody Lynn Nye. It was a lively conversation with up and coming talent in the SFF field. Watch the recording of the event at

<https://youtu.be/n631d2yZcYQ>



On August 20<sup>th</sup> I hosted the second to last Flash Science Fiction Night of the season. Featured readers Brent A. Harris, Pedro Iniguez, and F.J. Bergmann all read some wildly entertaining stories. Watch the recording of the event at <https://youtu.be/hnkEbhL2T8I>



On August 27th we held a book launch event for my new book [Cardboard Spaceship](#) out now from Shacklebound Books. The event was guest hosted by [Jonathan Nevair](#). I read the story Dues Date, followed by an interview. Watch the recording of the event at <https://youtu.be/O0l6-JVLnLI>

#### In Personal News:

August was a painfully slow month at the store, the worst I've had in nine years. And I was taken down for several days with a nasty stomach flu and some debilitating back pain. These ailments combined, I slept very little for weeks and am definitely feeling the repercussions. But it wasn't all bad news, I also found out that Simultaneous Times is a finalist for the [British Fantasy Awards](#). Unexpected and welcome news! I also put up a [book trailer](#) for Pedro Iniguez's [Mexicans on the Moon](#), which comes out from Space Cowboy on 9/3.

#### My Recent Publications:

To Our Space Brothers - [P.O. Box Outer Space](#)

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#### What I Read in August:

The Brotherhood of Eternal Love by Tendler & May  
Dwarf Stars 2024

The 2024 Rhysling Anthology

The Yoga of Time Travel by Fred Alan Wolf

Software by Rudy Rucker

[Freakonomics](#) by Stephen J. Dubner and Steven Levitt

[Bad Boy](#) by Jim Thompson

[Roughneck](#) by Jim Thompson

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#### Physical Books and Magazines Received:

Dwarf Stars 2024

The 2024 Rhysling Anthology

Pablo Lennis #440 & #441, Ed. John Theil

On High at Red Tide by Gabriel Hart

Science News

Focus No.78

[Legend of Ira Hill](#) by Sam Fletcher

[The Dragonfly Gambit](#) by A.D. Sui

Locus #763

The National Fantasy Fan Vol. 83 #8

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#### Scifaiku Corner

a plastic plant

symbol of human hubris

as the last tree dies

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