

COFFEE ON SUNDAYS



The Monthly Newsletter for Heather Hiestand, Eilis Flynn, and Anh Leod

JULY 2008

July, when the living's good!

Summer's finally arrived to these parts, with warm weather and blue skies. Eilis and Heather have both been writing and editing like crazy (with Eilis it's been novels *Echoes Of Neotia Prime*, her Heroes for Hire story, for edits and *Again The Sun*, the sequel to *Introducing Sonika*, and a short story with details to come for fresh writing; and for Heather it's her book *Ex-Factor*), so this month is that rare period when there isn't a story or book release for either of them!

We're going to take this downtime

to ask questions. What would you like to see us write? Eilis has been getting requests to write the sequels for both *Sonika* and *The Sleeper Awakes*, and now that she's wrapping up *Echoes*, she's getting to *Sonika*'s next installment. *Again The Sun* picks up the story after *Introducing Sonika*, and Sonya Penn, *Sonika*'s alter ego, realizes that she needs training to go out into the field—a *lot* more training. Her parents aren't around any more for that, so she

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ON SALE NOW

Heather Hiestand Cerridwen Press:

- *Cards Never Lie*
- *One Juror Down*
- *Gunshot Grange*
- *Two On The Hunt*
- *In Flight*

Romance at Heart:

- *Looking Forward, Looking Back And Other Stories*

Eilis Flynn

Cerridwen Press:

- *The Sleeper Awakes*
- *Festival of Stars*
- *Introducing Sonika*

MyRomanceStory.com:

- "30-Day Guarantee"

Anh Leod (Ellora's Cave)

- "Lucky Number Seven"
- "Aphrodite's Necklace"
- "Bijou's Bonds"
- *Recreating John Doe*



UPCOMING RELEASES

- August 13: "Claudia's Pleasure" by Anh Leod (Ellora's Cave)
- October 10: "Cherokee's Playmates" by Anh Leod (Ellora's Cave)
- Late 2008: *Aromatherapy To Go* by Heather Hiestand (Lotus Circle)
- Early 2009: *Echoes Of Neotia Prime* by Eilis Flynn (Cerridwen)
- May 2009: "Dragon's Lantern" by Eilis Flynn (anthology, Highland Press)



What's gone on so far: There's going to be more here in the coming months from Eilis, Heather, and Anh, so stay tuned!

July's Joys, CONTINUED

turns to the superheroes her parents mentored, long ago—only to find that they're not the same people they were, almost fifteen years before.

After that's done, the sequel to *The Sleeper Awakes* is up. That story takes place in Faiora, the country next to Kurit. It's a few generations after the events of *Sleeper*, and once more, the Court of Kurit is attempting to merge with its neighboring land, trying for another opportune dynastic marriage. That the current queen of Faiora was so eager to do so after the last attempt met with disaster should have been a clue.

Not only that, Heather's gotten requests for John Bellair's story in her "King County Confidential" series, and Anh Leod has had requests for another wolfie story in her Central Washington state werewolf series. Both are on the backburner right now, though, but don't worry, she'll be writing them as soon as she can!

Interested in free reading? Here's your chance to win some. Heather/Anh is participating in three contests so far this summer. Enter to win prizes from many authors as well as Heather Hiestand and Anh Leod!

The contests are taking part at The Hussies website (the contest is "Sizzling Summer," July), Anna Kathryn Lanier's blog (the contest is called "Christmas in July"), and at multiple websites including ours ("Dog Days of Summer," August)!

Here's what you do:

- July 1: Visit www.thehussies.us/Contest.html to check out the Sizzling Summer Contest. Many authors have mini-contests on this page. Anh is giving away her bestseller, "Lucky Number Seven"!

- July 1: Visit the contest page at www.aklanier.com so you can see where to find the Christmas in July contest information. Here, Heather is giving away a copy of "Victoriana," her Christmas short story.

- August 1: Visit the www.coffeeonsundays.info contest page for information about the Dog Days of Summer contest. There will be many individual prizes as well as a grand prize for this multiauthor scavenger hunt.



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Review of the month

In Flight by Heather Hiestand

Tami at Simply Romance Reviews rated *In Flight* as an *Outstanding Read*!

In Flight by Heather Hiestand has you rooting for the main characters from the minute that they meet. Written in such a way to keep you wanting more, *In Flight* is a must read.

Margot Smith is not just a substitute stewardess for Smith Airlines, she is management and part of the family. When she meets Wall, the newest airline pilot, he just doesn't put two and two together. With so many things seemingly in the way of their potential relationship, you sit back wondering for nearly the entire book how it could possibly work out. This was a book I couldn't stop reading and didn't want to put down. I hope you too will find yourself enthralled!

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<http://blog.heatherhiestand.com>

<http://eilisflynn.blogspot.com>

eilisflynn.livejournal.com

And we're both at myspace!

APPEARANCES (TENTATIVE)

Eilis Flynn:

- ParaNormal Romance, July 18
- Guest shot, www.loveisanexplodingcigar.com, July 31
- "Silly Interview" with Michelle M. Pillow, late summer
- Interview about superheroes, The Haunt at ParaNormal Romance, early autumn
- Guest shot, "Paranormality Universe," September 29
- "Faeries Along The Silk Road And Beyond" workshop, Emerald City Writers' Conference, Bellevue, WA, October 10–12
- "Faeries Along the Silk Road/There Be Dragons," workshop, Rose City Romance Writers, Portland, OR, March 2009



Heather Hiestand/Anh Leod:

- "Critique Groups" panel, Emerald City Writers' Conference, Bellevue, WA, October 10–12

Got a question? Drop us a line at eilisflynn@aol.com or heather@heatherhiestand.com. Maybe we'll have an answer! What we don't know we'll gladly make up. ☕ Next month we will be telling you what we have in store for the coming months.