

Special Event (Candy Factory, World's Fair Park Drive)December 7, 10:30 AM

Instead of our usual Roundtable, we will have a special guest this month. "Stranger Than Truth" is a multi-media comedy show featuring video, music and other weird phenomena as Emil Klott, Tireless Looker-into of the Unlikely, presents his case for the existence of things outside the Realm of the Real. See it and find out the shocking truth about what happens when THE IGNORANT MEETS THE UNKNOWN! As usual, socializing will begin at 10:00. If you have any goodies you would like to share, please bring them with you. Call 539-3006 for more information.

Another Special Event!Saturday, December 6, 6:00 PM

The night before Emil's presentation there will be a potluck dinner (with Emil as a guest) at Dave Buck's. Bring a dish and Dave will provide the drinks. For directions call 671-4222.

Yet Another Special Event! Solstice PartySaturday, December 20, 4:00 PM

Once again, Colleen Landiache and her family are hosting the RET winter solstice party at their home in Kingston. For directions, and to RSVP please go to the following Web site: <http://www.riverten.com/ret> or call Colleen at 865-717-3200.

The Book Club *SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT* (Candy Factory)December 14, 10:30 AM

NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE! The book Club has moved again! Mark your calendars for Sunday, December 14, but make that at 10:30 AM at the Candy Factory. Now all RET events will be at the same time and same place. This month the book is ***Better than Well: American Medicine Meets the American Dream*** by Carl Elliott. Even if you have not read the book, you are welcome at the discussion. The book for January is ***Emergence: the Connected Lives of Ants, Brains, Cities, and Software*** by Steven Johnson. For more information contact Massimo Pigliucci, Pigliucci@utk.edu or 673-3742.

Philosophy Sunday__Due to all the special events there will be no Philosophy Sunday.

Camp Quest Needs YOU!

Camp Quest 2004 will be held June 6 - 13 at the Great Smoky Mountain Institute at Tremont, near Cades Cove. We are looking for both counselors and campers. If you would like to participate in any way, please contact Aleta Ledendecker at 982-8687 or aletaledendecker@earthlink.net. The success of Camp Quest depends on the help of many volunteers. Thanks.

RET fund drive

RET is recognized by the IRS as a tax exempt nonprofit organization. Your generous donations are welcome and can be listed as a deduction on your tax return. Please give to RET by contacting treasurer, Michael Valentine. RET POB 51634 Knoxville, TN 37950. The more you do for RET, the more it can do for you.

Minutes of Board Meetings

If you would like a copy of the minutes of monthly board meetings, please send a SASE to RET, P.O. Box 51634, Knoxville TN 37950.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	Pot Luck 6 Dave Buck's 6P
Guest Speaker 7 Candy Factory 10:00 AM	8	9	10	11	12	13
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The [Newsletter](#) can also be found online at our Web site: www.rationalists.org. General Questions and scheduling (Chuck Janack) c_janack@yahoo.com or 531-8577; Book Club (Massimo Pigliucci) pigliucci@utk.edu, 673-3742; Round tables (Mleeka Learn Houston) mleeka@learnhouston.com, 539-3006; Philosophy (Dave Buck) dbuck@visumllc.com. 671-4222

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