



Black Orchid Weekend

Annual Assembly

December 3, 2011

2:00PM – 4:30 PM

2011 Assembly Presenters

Ira B. Matetsky, Partner, Ganfer & Shore, LLP; Co-Editor, *The Green Bag Almanac and Reader 2012*; Werowance, The Wolfe Pack

Ross E. Davies, Professor of Law, George Mason University School of Law, & Editor, *The Green Bag Almanac and Reader 2012*

Robert Gatten, Emeritus Professor of Biology & Former Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, University of North Carolina at Greensboro; Amateur Genealogist; Distant C sousin of Mr. Stout

David Benjamin, MA, MSLIS, Archivist, Adrian S. Marcuse Library at LIM College, Manhattan

Ettagale Blauer, Writer specializing in Africa, jewelry and diamonds; Author of thirty published books; Member of the Wolfe Pack Steering Committee; Former Chair of the Annual Assembly



Assembly Program

2:00 – 2:30

**Ira B. Matetsky &
Ross E. Davies**



*“Nero Wolfe, Rex Stout, the
Language, and the Law”*

2:30 – 3:00

Bob Gatten



*“The Immigrant Ancestors of
Rex Stout”*

3:00 – 3:20

BREAK



3:20 – 3:50

David Benjamin



*“Dressing the Detectives: Fashion,
Clothing, and Characterization in
Rex Stout’s Nero Wolfe Series”*

3:50 – 4:20

Ettagale Blauer



“Death of a Diner”

4:20 – 4:30

SUMMARY

