Kim Stanley Robinson, like last year, is participating in the Clarion Write-a-thon !

What is a write-a-thon, anyway? It's just like a walk-a-thon. But instead of walking, we're writing, and instead of making pledges per mile, we're making pledges per word, chapter, or story. Writers get support, encouragement and motivation, and the option of joining a team with a writing mentor! Those who care about the writers in their life get a way to show their support. And money is raised for a literally fantastic cause — the Clarion Science Fiction & Fantasy Writers' Workshop
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Pictured below: a Mars trilogy -inspired mosaic by the awesome ***Da Vinci Mars Design*** *! A much higher resolution is available there.*

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