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## THE MINIATURE SOCIETY OF CINCINNATI

### 31st ANNUAL SHOW AND SALE "JOURNEY TO THE FAR EAST"

April 19 & 20, 2008  
Fairfield Banquet & Convention Center  
at Tori's Station  
74 Donald Drive  
Fairfield, Ohio 45014

Featuring

### SATURDAY PREVIEW EVENT & SOUVENIR OPEN TO PUBLIC SATURDAY & SUNDAY

**DEALER INFORMATION:** The Miniature Society of Cincinnati Show and Sale will be held in a ***new location*** this year. Fairfield Banquet & Convention Center is conveniently located off Rt.4 (Dixie Highway) in Fairfield, Ohio, just north of Cincinnati. We are excited about our new location and hope that you will enjoy this change also.

Upon arrival at the Fairfield Banquet and Convention Center, please proceed to the right side of the building where you will find the loading area. You will find the sales room right inside the door. MSC members will direct you to your table(s). You will need to move your vehicle as soon as it is unloaded to give access to the other dealers. Dealers must move their merchandise to their tables, and after the Show and Sale must move their items to their vehicles.

Table covers will not be provided. Dealers' table covers must be flame retardant plastic or sprayed cloth. Please drape your table to within 2 inches of the floor on the front and the ends. The floor in the sales room is concrete so bring a floor covering for your convenience. We will again provide easy-to-read dealer signs.

**DOORPRIZES:** As in the past, doorprizes will be drawn at the show. In addition to the enjoyment of receiving a prize, the drawing provides names for future show mailings. The majority of the doorprizes are generously donated by dealers and individuals. Doorprizes will be picked up by the Committee during set up on Saturday or may be delivered to the Doorprize table. The donor's name will be displayed with the item and announced at the drawing. Doorprizes will be awarded during Preview Event and at regular intervals during the time the Show is open to the public.

**EXHIBITS:** MSC Shows are recognized for outstanding exhibits and we invite you to participate in this tradition. Setup time will be 8:00 A.M. until 12:00 on Saturday in the exhibit area. Exhibits may be removed after the show closes at 4:00 P.M. on Sunday and must be removed from the building by 6:00 P.M. If your exhibit is electrified, please bring an extension cord identified with your name. Security will be provided overnight on Saturday and during the Show on Saturday and Sunday. The exhibit area will be roped off to maintain viewer distance; however, any additional protection and/or insurance you deem necessary will be your responsibility. You will be required to sign a release form when you arrive with your exhibits. Exhibits must be entered under individual names (no business names) and no awards or ribbons may be displayed with the exhibit. MSC reserves the right to reject any exhibit items inappropriate with the standards of MSC.

**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

-There are several **hotels** in the area. See enclosed list. MSC has not reserved a block of rooms at any hotel.

-There are numerous **restaurants** near the Center. Concessions will be available inside the Convention Center.

-**Parking** is free in the Convention Center lot.

-The **Children's Table** will not be open for the Saturday Preview Event, but will be open at 3:00 on Saturday and all day Sunday. Adults may purchase items after 3:00 P.M. on Sunday only.

-For safety reasons, **strollers** and **wheeled shopping bags** will not be permitted in the sales room at any time.

-No **smoking** is permitted in the Fairfield Banquet & Convention Center.

-Only dealers who have paid table fees to sell at the Show may sell or trade miniatures.

The Miniature Society of Cincinnati has worked diligently to prepare a pleasant experience for dealers, members, and the general public. If there is any way we can assist you, please let us know. We are looking forward to a wonderful weekend!

**SHOW AND SALE WEEKEND SCHEDULE**

**Saturday, April 19**

Dock open for dealers and exhibitors	7:30 AM - 1:00 PM
Dealer and exhibit setup	8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Preview Event	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Show open to the Public	3:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Sunday, April 20**

Dealers admitted to salesroom	9:00 AM
Show and Sale open	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Show closes and dealer/exhibit pack up	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

**Please make every effort to be out of the building by 6:30 P.M**

**2008 MSC SHOW COMMITTEE**

Chair: Kathy Womer 513-931-9708	Publicity: Marcia Merriss
Dealers: Sue Chambers	Souvenirs: Coleen Murphy
Children's Table: Judi Wachendorf	Hospitality: Weller Crandell
Door Prizes: Gail Alexander	Scheduling: Ardith Grote
Treasurer: Jean Harp	Show Helpers: Sandiey Cummings
Registration: Janet Clapp & Pat Creagh	
Exhibits: Marcy Wedig & Linda Petersen	
Club Table: Ingrid Farnam-Koblish & Dinah DiMeo	
Facilities: Jay Cummings & Linda Betz	

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**Registration Form**

**Dealers are not required to purchase preview or show tickets. There is a limit of 2 persons per dealer business. Each dealer business will receive a souvenir at the Preview Party. If additional persons will be attending, tickets must be purchased. Also, if additional souvenirs are desired, preview tickets must be purchased for the souvenir.**

*Please fill in name(s) of dealers for name badges:*

BUSINESS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME(S): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

May we put your email address on the program? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

**Ticket Sales (if additional tickets are needed):**

\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Preview Tickets @ \$10.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_

**(Saturday Preview Tickets also good for show admission on Saturday and Sunday.)**

Names of persons attending Saturday Preview (required for name badges):

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Show Tickets - Adult @ \$5.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Show Tickets - Child (age 4-12) @ \$3.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Sunday Show Tickets - Adult @ \$5.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Sunday Show Tickets - Child (age 4-12) @ \$3.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_

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Please make checks payable to Miniature Society of Cincinnati. Enclose one large, self-addressed, stamped envelope for return of tickets, or tickets will be included in packets distributed at the Show. Send registration to: Jean Harp, 1912 Goodman Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45239-4738

**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_

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**MSC USE ONLY:** DATE REC'D \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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