

# NAME 6-3 REGIONAL NEWSLETTER SUMMER 2018



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# From Your RC - submitted by Lynn Frank

It seems like just last week when I sent out the spring newsletter and now it's time for another one. I've has a busy spring - Richard and I went on a four week trip out west, traveled 8,000 plus miles, visited over 20 National Parks and sites and traveled through a dozen states. What a beautiful part of the country and what fabulous scenery, all very different, all very memorable! Then in early June, we were in Ohio for our oldest son's wedding. Again, a very memorable event. So the time went quickly and the summer has gotten to be just as busy, not with travel but with plans for National, RC duties, and getting everything ready for the shows coming up. I'm sure each of you were just as busy! Family , jobs, and minis all take a certain amount of commitment and priority in our lives, so find your happy place and enjoy the demands of life!

Are you ready for Charleston? I know the committee is wrapping up plans and getting set to welcome everyone with "Sweet Tea and Sunshine". I wanted to get the newsletter out before the convention because of an important update - we will be having two public days this year, Saturday and Sunday! I know that the Gazette only listed Sunday but the two days were advertised in other publications so the decision was made to honor the two day schedule. We hope you can come and support NAME, the dealers, the exhibitors and the region. See more details on Public Day later in the newsletter and find a dealer list in the July/August Gazette.

We will have our regional meeting before the business meeting on Saturday morning. I hope you will plan to attend as we celebrate the past year, recognize some outstanding miniaturists in the region, and find out what is coming up in the next year. I look forward to seeing you!

We still have some kits from the E-3 Retreat - "The Charleston Gate". I will bring them to the convention and have them available at the Regional meeting.

## 'IT'S LIKE SHOPPING AT THE CHARLESTON CITY MARKET' MARKET STALL KITS - submitted by Carolyn Peck







A Fund Raiser for the NAME National Convention 2018 in Charleston, SC

The Market Stall sits on a base 8"x8" with 4 column corners supporting the roof and will fit in a basketball display case. Side panel walls, lattice, 2 tables and a printed mural similar to the City Market in Charleston are included. This kit represents one of the many stalls there, but, of course, can be adapted to many uses, your own fresh vegetable stand, your own porch or a picnic shelter, just add imagination and accessories. Oh, it is the perfect open air shop to display tote bag favors and swaps!

To order yours now, contact Carolyn Peck at <a href="miniminded@sc.rr.com">miniminded@sc.rr.com</a> or call or text at 803-237-8891. Kits are \$45.00, plus shipping (Baskets, shopkeeper and customers, not included)

## NAME DAY in E3 - submitted by Sharon Johnson, E3 newsletter editor

Please don't miss NAME Day this year! The project is the 3rd part of a child's room - a student desk and chair! This is a nice complement to the bunk beds and wardrobe projects of previous years. Here is a list of some of the events happening in E-3 on October 6th:



Asheville, NC - Calvary Episcopal Church Hall, Fletcher,

NC. Contact: Lissa Loosemore at eloosemore@att.net.

**Atlanta, GA** – Miniature Designs, Lawrenceville, NC. Contact: J.P. Sligh at jpsligh@gmail.com.

**Augusta, GA** – Savior Episcopal Church, 2447 Columbia Road, Augusta, GA 30907. Contact: Amy Rauch 706-228-7239, at rauchfam@aol.com.

**Memphis, TN** – TBA – registration required. Contact: Libby Agee at 900-323-8653, <u>libbyagee@yahoo.com</u>.

Mulberry, FL - hosted by the Lakeland Miniature Guild.

Lake Pointe Village Clubhouse, 277 Lake Erie Drive, Mulberry, FL 33860. Contact: Carol Kira, 863-670-3130, kirafl@msn.com.

**On-Line Cyber Club** – <a href="https://www.mimnicyberclub.com/name-member-activities.html">https://www.mimnicyberclub.com/name-member-activities.html</a> (September 29th and 30th, so you can still go to a live NAME Day!)

# **Upcoming Events:**

### **AUGUST 23-26, 2018**

"Sweet Tea & Sunshine, a Southern Celebration" 2018 Charleston National Convention - Charleston, SC - Embassy Suites,
Charleston, SC. Contact Marie Bird (ambird3@sc.rr.com) or Janet Chase (flomac@embargmail.com) PUBLIC DAYS, Saturday, August
25th, 2-5:00 PM and SUNDAY, Noon to 4:00 PM. \$5.00 admission, \$4.00 with your NAME Membership Card! Exhibit Space open
at no charge! https://miniatures.org/2018Charleston

#### **SEPTEMBER 7-8, 2018**

#### 3 Blind Mice Show - Brentwood, TN

Hyatt Place, 202 Summit View Dr., Brentwood, TN. Friday night 4pm – 8 pm. Saturday 10am – 4pm. First 100 people get a free gift. Wheelchairs and strollers are welcome. For more information, contact Linda Frye 407-744-1188 or <a href="mailto:lindafryeminis@gmail.com">lindafryeminis@gmail.com</a>.

# **SEPTEMBER 15, 2018**

#### "Mama Mia! We're Touring Italy!" - Spencer, NC

Saturday, September 15, 2018 - "Mama Mia! We're touring Italy!" - Luncheon at the Salisbury Country Club to learn about and celebrate antique and modern Italian Dolls. Event will include displays, door prizes, helpers, sales tables, live and silent auctions plus a tour of the North Carolina Museum of Dolls, Toys, and Miniatures. Cost is \$75.00 with all proceeds going to the museum. For information visit NCMDTM.com.

#### **OCTOBER 6, 2018**

NAME Day all over the world! (See above for events in E-3)

## **OCTOBER 20, 2018**

## 3 Blind Mice Show - Tampa/Largo, FL

Honeywell Minnreg Building, 6340 126th Ave. North, Largo, FL 33773. One day sale - 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. First 100 people get a free gift. For more information, contact Linda Frye 407-744-1188 or <a href="mailto:lindafryeminis@gmail.com">lindafryeminis@gmail.com</a>.

#### **NOVEMBER 8-18, 2018**

#### Enchanted Village Miniature Exhibit, Southern Christmas Show, Charlotte, NC

Park Expo Center, 2500 E. Independence Blvd., Charlotte, NC. Separate admission to the Southern Christmas Show is required! go to <u>southernchristmasshow.com</u> for show info and daily schedule. This is a juried exhibit! For exhibitor information, contact Lynn Frank, 336-749-7041 or Imfrank.e3name@outlook.com. Deadline for Exhibit forms is October 1, 2018. Exhibits must be delivered on November 6th and picked up by 7:00 pm on November 18th.

#### July 18-21, 2019

"A Little Bit Country - Shabby or Chic" 2019 National Convention; Nashville, TN

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