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ONTARIO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

KENNETH WILMOT - PRESIDENT (1987-1989)

Dear Fellow Collectors:

I would like to take this opportunity to advise you about an upcoming event which truly excites me. The 26th Annual ONA Convention will be held at the Lakeshore Inn in Toronto from March 25 to 27.

Some of you may already know that our 1988 Convention will be hosted by the Toronto International Coin Fair, an organization which has a reputation for running very successful collector-oriented coin shows. This is the first time ever that a "commercial" organization has hosted our Convention. Our association with TICF is one which I am sure will strengthen our organization.

Your 1988 Convention Committee, along with TICF management, have gone to great lengths to ensure that this year's Convention will be truly action-packed. However, regardless of how much planning and preparation has been put forth, only your participation can guarantee its success.

It is my hope that each and every ONA member participates! Attend some of the scheduled events, which include the ONA and CNA Executive meetings, the trade dollar and wooden nickel collector meetings, educational seminars, the Banquet and other gatherings. Why not assemble a competitive exhibit and allow others to share your joy in collecting? Bring along a friend and introduce him or her to this fascinating hobby and the many good people associated with it. Take time out to walk around the bourse floor. Who knows which of the many dealers may just have the special piece which has long eluded your grasp?

If every member of our Association gets involved, the enthusiasm of the general collector will ensure that this convention is nothing but a success.

I hope to see each and every one of you in March!

Yours truly,

Kenneth Wilmot,
PRESIDENT - ONA



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1988 ONA CONVENTION

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2000 LAKESHORE BLVD. W.
TORONTO, ONTARIO

MARCH 25 - 27, 1988

A SPECIAL INVITATION

TO ALL ONA MEMBERS, FAMILIES AND FRIENDS

I am very excited about the plans already finalized by various members of your Convention Committee. A fantastic array of programs and speakers is in place as the Program of Events included in this bulletin will attest. The medals are already on hand. The Registration Kit is shaping up very nicely. The Lakeshore Inn is ready to receive us in its comfortable rooms and restaurants. We know you will enjoy the Convention!

Following is all the information you need to decide whether you wish to join us at the Lakeshore Inn March 25 - 27 for the 1988 ONA Convention. We know that you and your spouse, children or friends will have a great time.

Even if you decide, for some reason, not to attend, you can still take advantage of some of the things going on at the Convention. For example, you can order the Registration Kit (if you do not show up at the Convention to pick it up, it will automatically be sent to you, with the same money-back guarantee we are offering all Registrants). By registering through the mail, you will be assured of receiving the special gold-plated Convention medal. You can also purchase the bronze and sterling silver medals through the mail, which again will automatically be sent to you following the Convention if they are not picked up.

Remember that by mailing in your Registration prior to March 11, you will be eligible for a number of special draws being conducted at the Convention (again, if you are not at the Convention, you are still eligible for the Early Bird Pre-Registrants draws. Your prize will be mailed to you along with your Kit).

SEE YOU AT THE CONVENTION!

Numismatically yours,


John Regitko, Chairman
1988 ONA CONVENTION

1988 ONA CONVENTION PLANNING COMMITTEE

GENERAL CHAIRMAN:	JOHN REGITKO
EXHIBIT CHAIRMAN:	DARRYL ATCHISON
BOURSE CHAIRMAN:	TERRY O'BRIEN
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A REMINDER ABOUT REGISTERING

Although we will accept your registrations up to and including at the Convention, you can participate in the "Early Bird" draws only if you register prior to March 15. Early Bird draws are conducted at the Banquet, the Wooden Money Breakfast meeting and the ONA Club Delegates breakfast meeting for committing to these functions prior to March 15, while all Registrants committing prior to the same date will be included in a special draw to be held at the ONA General Membership meeting on Saturday.

Draws will consist of a free week-end stay at the Convention hotel, numismatic mugs, numismatic \$1000 clocks, TICF playing cards, attache cases, PL sets and other worthwhile numismatic prizes. We urge you to sign up for functions early that involve a commitment to the hotel, to assist us in our planning and in making accurate commitments to the Lakeshore Inn's catering department.

Won't you help us plan early? Won't you register by return?

Thank you in advance for your prompt attention in filling in the forms at the back of this bulletin.

A PLEDGE FROM THE 1988 ONA CONVENTION

YOUR 1988 ONA CONVENTION REGISTRATION KIT WILL BE WAITING FOR YOU WHEN YOU ARRIVE AT THE CONVENTION.

IF YOU DO NOT FEEL THAT THE KIT IS WORTH MORE THAN THE REGISTRATION FEE, JUST RETURN IT TO US AT THE CONVENTION. YOU WILL RECEIVE A FULL REFUND -- AND STILL GET FREE ADMISSION TO THE BOURSE FOR ALL THREE DAYS.

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1988

- 6:00 p.m. BOURSE DEALER AND EXHIBITOR SET-UP (to 10:00 p.m.). Not open to public.
- 6:00 p.m. REGISTRANTS MAY PICK UP REGISTRATION KIT at Registration Desk. New registrations accepted, as well as the sale of admission tickets to banquet, CAWMC breakfast meeting, Club Delegates Breakfast meeting (to 10:00 p.m.).

FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 1988

- 8:00 a.m. COMPLIMENTARY BREAKFAST FOR ALL TICF DEALERS (all others \$7 per person). King Arthur Dining Room, main floor (to 8:45 a.m.). An all-you-can-eat buffet breakfast of eggs, bacon, sausages, toast, juice, potato puffs, coffee and tea.
- 8:00 a.m. BOURSE DEALER AND EXHIBITOR SET-UP (to 10:00 a.m.). Not open to the public. Dealers will be served complimentary coffee and donuts.
- 9:00 a.m. REGISTRANTS MAY PICK UP REGISTRATION KIT at Registration Desk. New registrations accepted, as well as the sale of admission tickets to banquet, CAWMC breakfast meeting, Club Delegates Breakfast meeting (to 6:00 p.m.).
- 9:00 a.m. BOURSE ROOM OPEN TO REGISTRANTS ONLY FOR PRE-VIEWING (not open to the public until 10:00 a.m.).
- 10:00 a.m. OPENING CEREMONIES (The President of the ONA will cut the ribbon to declare the opening of the 1988 ONA Convention).
- 10:00 a.m. REGISTRATIONS AND TICKET SALES COMMENCE (to 6:00 p.m.) Convention Registrations, Banquet tickets, Club Delegates Breakfast meeting tickets, Wooden Money Breakfast meeting tickets and ONA Raffle tickets (at Registration Desk).
- 10:00 a.m. SHOW OPENS TO THE PUBLIC (\$2 admission per day to all non-registrants, Seniors \$1, Juniors free). To 6:00 p.m.
- 11:00 a.m. HOURLY DRAWS COMMENCE in the Penny Draw contest for valuable numismatic prizes. Draw tickets are good all day, a different coloured strip each day, which are included in the Registration Kit. Additional tickets may be purchased at the General Admission table.
- 12:00 noon LUNCH ORDERS ACCEPTED in King Arthur Dining Room from everyone attending the Convention, whether Dealer, collector or spouse. Food can be taken back to bourse table, to the snack area within the Convention, or consumed in the dining room that is open to our group only.
- 1:00 p.m. HOSPITALITY SUITE OPENS (Suite 1018, 10th floor, straight ahead as you get off the elevator). Complimentary coffee, tea, cake and snacks (to 5:00 p.m.).
- 5:00 p.m. Hospitality Suite closes.
- 6:00 p.m. Bourse, Exhibits and Registration Table closes.
- 7:00 p.m. DONALD B. THOMAS MEMORIAL FOUNDATION EXECUTIVE MEETING (Not open to public).
- 7:30 p.m. AUCTION SESSION I - Conducted by Nadin-Davis International Auctions Ltd. - World coins, gold, several superb consignments of Canadian decimal coins, historical documents, miscellaneous banking memorabilia, etc., etc.
- 8:00 p.m. 1988 ONA REGISTRANTS & DEALER RECEPTION - Full complimentary bar, cheese, punch, vegetables & dip, coffee, tea and snacks (to 10:00 p.m.). Open to 1988 ONA Convention Registrants & spouses and TICF Dealers, spouses and their legitimate assistants only. Exact location to be advised in the Registration Kit and directly to the Dealers. Registration Kits may also be picked up at this time.

SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 1988

- 8:00 a.m. COMPLIMENTARY BREAKFAST FOR ALL TICF DEALERS (all others \$7 per person). King Arthur Dining Room, main floor (to 8:45 a.m.). An all-you-can-eat buffet breakfast of eggs, bacon, sausages, toast, juice, potato puffs, coffee and tea.
- 9:00 a.m. ONA CLUB DELEGATES BREAKFAST MEETING (King Arthur Dining Room, main floor). Special draws for all persons who pre-registered. See the Registration form included with this bulletin.
- 9:00 a.m. BOURSE ROOM OPEN TO DEALERS ONLY. (Not open to the public until 10:00 a.m.).
- 9:00 a.m. CNA EXECUTIVE MEETING (Suite 518, 5th floor). All members of the Canadian Numismatic Association are welcome to attend as observers.
- 10:00 a.m. REGISTRATIONS AND TICKET SALES COMMENCE (Convention Registrations, Banquet tickets, Wooden Money Breakfast meeting tickets and ONA Raffle tickets). To 6:00 p.m.
- 10:00 a.m. SHOW OPENS TO THE PUBLIC (\$2 admission per day to all non-registrants, Seniors \$1, juniors free). To 6:00 p.m.
- 11:00 a.m. HOURLY DRAWS COMMENCE in the Penny Draw contest for valuable numismatic prizes. Draw tickets are good all day, a different coloured strip each day, which are included in the Registration Kit. Additional tickets may be purchased at the General Admission table.
- 11:00 a.m. ONA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING (Sapphire Room, lower level). All ONA members are urged to attend. In addition to the annual membership meeting, the Pre-registrants "Early Bird" bonus draws for early registrants will also take place.
- 12:00 noon LUNCH ORDERS ACCEPTED in King Arthur Dining Room from everyone attending the Convention, whether Dealer, collector or spouse. Food can be taken back to bourse table, to the snack area within the Convention, or consumed in the dining room that is open to our group only.
- 1:00 p.m. TRADE DOLLAR COLLECTORS MEETING (Sapphire Room, lower level). All collectors of trade dollars are welcome to attend. There is no admission charge. Free door draws for valuable trade dollars and trade notes. Complimentary coffee will be served. Ralph Wright to M.C.
- 1:00 p.m. HOSPITALITY SUITE OPENS (Suite 1018, 10th floor, straight ahead as you get off the elevator). Complimentary coffee, tea, cake and snacks (to 5:00 p.m.).
- 2:30 p.m. AUCTION SESSION II conducted by Charles D. Moore Auctions - Material covers consignments of the entire field of Canadian numismatics.
- 3:30 p.m. EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR (Sapphire Room, lower level). Paul Johnson, Moderator, has obtained the services of three top-notch speakers: Raymond Taylor, designer of four Canadian coins; Stephen Taylor, President of the ANA; Richard Giedroyc, International Editor of Coin World.
- 5:00 p.m. Hospitality Suite closes.
- 6:00 p.m. Bourse, Exhibits and Registration Table closes.
- 7:00 p.m. PRE-BANQUET RECEPTION (King Arthur Dining Room, main floor). Cash bar. Admission restricted to Banquet ticket holders.
- 7:30 p.m. ONA BANQUET (King Arthur Dining Room, main floor). Prime Roast Beef full course dinner. Denis Cudahy, Vice-President - Manufacturing, Royal Canadian Mint is keynote speaker. John Regitko is M.C. Announcement of Best of Show competitive exhibit winner and ONA Award of Merit. Free door draws for valuable numismatic prizes. Give-aways to everyone. Tickets are \$26 per person in commemoration of the ONA's 26th Anniversary Convention. See the Registration form included with this bulletin.

SUNDAY, MARCH 27, 1988

- 8:00 a.m. COMPLIMENTARY BREAKFAST FOR ALL TICF DEALERS (all others \$7 per person). King Arthur Dining Room, main floor (to 8:45 a.m.). An all-you-can-eat buffet breakfast of eggs, bacon, sausages, toast, juice, potato puffs, coffee and tea.
- 9:00 a.m. CAWMC BREAKFAST MEETING (King Arthur Dining Room, main floor). \$7.00 per person includes a full-course breakfast of bacon/sausages & eggs, toast, juice, home fries, coffee & tea, served from an all-you-can-eat buffet. All collectors of wooden tokens are invited to attend. Free door draws for wooden nickels and other prizes. Auction of wooden nickels. A number of collectors will pass out free wooden tokens to everyone present. Special draw for all persons who pre-registered for this breakfast meeting. Norm Belsten, President of the Canadian Association of Wooden Money Collectors and Chairman of its Southern Ontario Chapter, will M.C. To register for this functions, see the Registration form included with this bulletin.
- 9:00 a.m. BOURSE ROOM OPEN TO DEALERS ONLY. Not open to the public until 10:00 a.m.
- 10:00 a.m. SHOW OPENS TO THE PUBLIC (\$2 admission to all non-registrants, Seniors \$1, juniors free). To 4:00 p.m.
- 11:00 a.m. HOURLY DRAWS COMMENCE in the Penny Draw contest for valuable numismatic prizes. Draw tickets are good all day, a different coloured strip each day, which are included in the Registration Kit. Additional tickets may be purchased at the General Admission table.
- 11:00 a.m. ONA EXECUTIVE MEETING (Sapphire Room, lower level). All ONA members are invited to attend as observers.
- 1:00 p.m. HOSPITALITY SUITE OPENS (Suite 1018, 10th floor, straight ahead as you get off the elevator). Complimentary coffee, tea, cake and snacks (to 3:00 p.m.)
- 3:00 p.m. Hospitality Suite closes.
- 3:00 p.m. ANNOUNCEMENTS of "Guess the Number of Cents in Bowl" contest and "Young Numismatist" contest.
- 3:00 p.m. ONA "DREAM VACATION" DRAW takes place and winner announced.
- 4:00 p.m. SHOW CLOSES (TICF reopens November 18-20, 1988 at the Lakeshore Inn, Toronto. The 1989 ONA Convention reopens April 22-23, 1989 at the Quality Inn, Woodstock.

OF PARTICULAR INTEREST TO ONA MEMBERS

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

9:00 A.M. - ONA CLUB DELEGATES BREAKFAST MEETING
(admission by pre-purchased ticket only - see registration form)

11:00 A.M. - ONA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
(everyone welcome - no prior notice required to attend)

7:30 P.M. - ONA BANQUET
(admission by pre-purchased ticket only - see registration form)

SEE YOU THERE!

A PARTIAL LISTING OF THE CONTENTS OF THE
1988 ONA CONVENTION REGISTRATION KIT

- * A vinyl attache case with a sturdy metal zipper, complete with an all-important expansion gusset to hold the contents of the Registration Kit.
- * Your official gold-plated Convention Registration Medal.
- * First opportunity to purchase the low-mintage Stirling Silver (.999 fine) medal.
- * The official Souvenir Program Booklet.
- * Official Convention wooden nickel souvenirs.
- * A free "Dream Vacation" draw ticket.
- * A 1988 ONA Calendar.
- * An 80-pocket coin wallet containing medallic and wooden souvenirs donated by collectors and dealers.
- * Medallic art of Toronto, depicting the CN Tower, Captain John's famous floating restaurant, Metro Toronto Zoo, City Hall, a scarce souvenir of the visit of the Tall Ships to Toronto harbour, and others.
- * Key chains of Toronto's City Hall and CN Tower.
- * Bourse Dollars redeemable for merchandise in the bourse room.
- * Wooden admission tokens for the Banquet, Club Delegates Breakfast meeting and CAWMC Breakfast Meeting if you commit yourself to these functions.
- * A special personalized souvenir Registration badge for early bird registrants.
- * A pocket planner calendar that you will find useful all year round.
- * A "People's Choice" judging form for the competitive exhibits.
- * A copy of the current edition of "Coins of Canada" by J.A. Haxby and R.C. Willey.
- * The 60-page hard-covered book "Medals" by Dora de Pedery-Hunt, highlighting some of her early world-renowned medal designs.
- * Trade dollars.
- * A special fun-filled souvenir booklet from TICF, the hosts to this year's ONA Convention, poking fun at itself.
- * A few surprises from the Royal Canadian Mint.
- * The Province of Ontario's official medals honouring the 1977 Silver Jubilee, in both the English and French versions.
- * The 3" diameter medal issued in Toronto 10 years ago to commemorate visiting dignitaries to Toronto.
- * A "Pirate Gold" piece from the defunct Buccaneer Inn.
- * An ONA '88 General Chairman's souvenir wooden token.
- * A new TICF wooden nickel.
- * The usual conglomeration of pens.
- * No Registration Kit has ever been without a quantity of matches. We are no different!
- * The 1975 folder on "How to Make a Dollar" by Donald D. Paterson (minus the coin, alas).
- * The booklet "The Story of Canada's Currency", produced by the Bank of Canada.
- * The opportunity to have your picture in Canadian Coin News (obviously if you don't participate, you won't have your picture taken).
- * The opportunity to rub shoulders with fellow ONA members and other stalwards of the hobby.
- * Other goodies.

OFFICIAL CONVENTION MEDAL



A gold-plated Convention souvenir medal will be included in each Registration Kit. A quantity of 75 were struck by Pressed Medal Products of Vancouver, B.C.

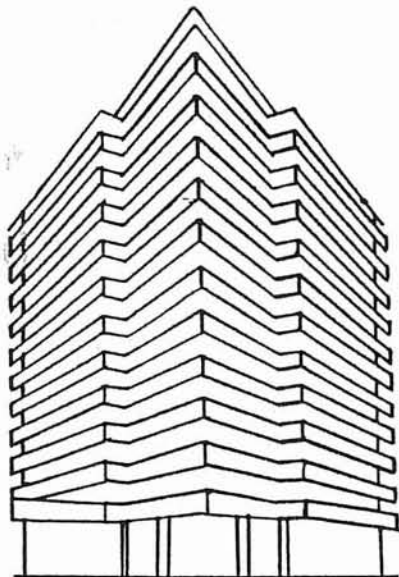
Twenty-six Sterling Silver medals (.999+ fine) were also struck. Since two of these are allocated to the ONA and the host organization archives, only 24 Silver medals are available for sale. Registrants have first call on them. The price is \$35.00 each.

A quantity of 150 bronze souvenir medals, at \$6.00 each, are also available for sale, both through the Registration Form included with this bulletin as well as at the Convention.

The ONA side contains the very attractive ONA logo as in past years. The Convention side features a pleasing view of the Lakeshore Inn as its central design, surrounded by information pertaining to the 26th Annual Convention such as the date of the Convention, location and the name of the host organization.

Anyone wishing to strike a personal medal using the Convention die are asked to contact Pressed Metal Products, 505 Alexander Street, Vancouver, B.C., V6A 1C8 or calling Alan Trammell at (604) 251-2454. The user-charge is \$25 for the Convention die, payable to the 1988 ONA Convention.

HOTEL ROOM RESERVATIONS



Enclosed with this bulletin is a Hotel Room Reservation Card. Please review the attractive room rates and the colour brochure on the Lakeshore Inn to convince yourself that the Convention Hotel offers attractive room rates at attractive pricing.

Since the availability of rooms is limited to the block-booking made by us, we suggest you fill in the reservation form immediately and either mail it directly to the hotel or return it to us with your Registration application.

Should you choose to telephone the hotel, please make reference to the Coin Show so that you are assured of getting a room under our block-booking. Their telephone number is (416) 763-4521.

"DREAM VACATION" DRAW TICKETS

A free "Dream Vacation" draw ticket is included with each Registration Kit. The draw will be conducted at the 1988 ONA Convention on Sunday at 3:00 p.m. Prizes include a \$1250.00 value on a vacation of the winner's choice, a Canadian \$100.00 gold coin and five numismatic \$1000 clocks.

Additional tickets may be purchased through the Registration form included with this bulletin, or at the Convention up to the time of the draw.

Although individual tickets may be purchased at \$1.00 each, note that a booklet of 12 tickets costs you only \$10.00. If you purchase a book through the Registration form, be sure to include your "home" club, since it will receive a \$2.00 rebate for every book so indicated. Your "home" club can be your choice of a local club or a national numismatic association. Note that TICF is not eligible to receive the rebate. If you do not state a "home" club, the ONA will add the rebate to its general treasury.

We wish to point out that all proceeds received for "Dream Vacation" tickets through the Registration form will be turned over to the Ontario Numismatic Association and do not stay with the Convention account.

This is just another way you can support the ongoing work of the ONA. They are working on new projects such as the Speakers Circuit, the acquisition of new audio visual slide sets for free loan to your local coin clubs and other projects yet to be announced. Be generous! At the same time, increase your chances to win one of the seven worthwhile prizes indicated above.

CONVENTION FLOOR LAYOUT

We have included a Convention floor plan with this bulletin to show you the massive size of the Convention:

- ° each of the 84 numbered bourse tables are 8' long, plus back-up tables
- ° the exhibit houses up to 80 display cases of material layed out over 200 linear feet of table space
- ° the auction room accomodates over 100 people
- ° the rest area seats over 100 at a time
- ° the number of draws held at the "INFO" table during the Convention easily exceeds the draws held at other coin shows at least ten-fold
- ° not shown in the floor plan are the additional meeting rooms located throughout the hotel.
- ° the main dining room, also not shown, has been reserved for our exclusive use for all breakfast functions and for the ONA Banquet
- ° and no matter where you go, you will find fun & fellowship galore



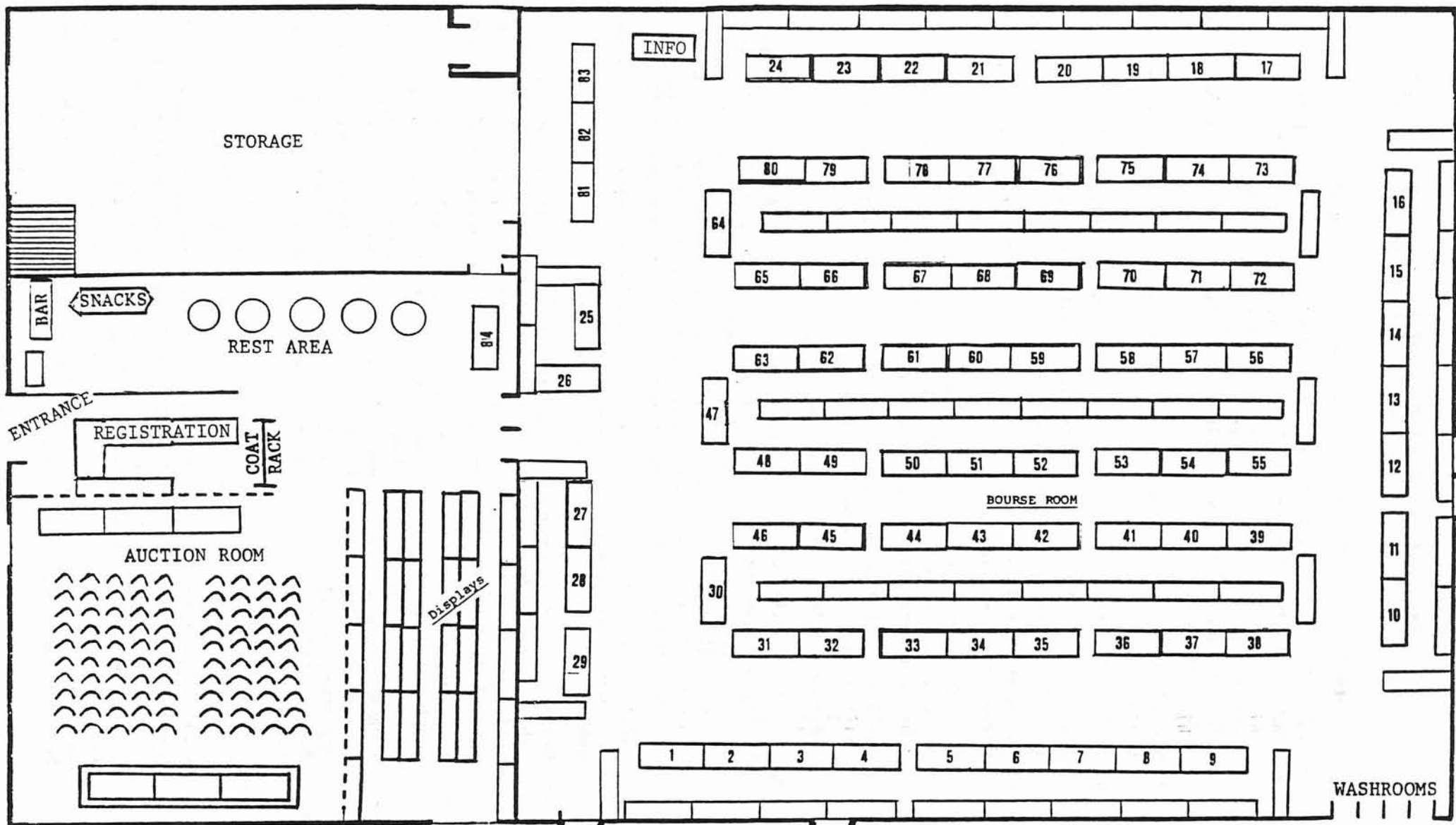
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THE LAKESHORE INN CONVENTION FLOOR PLAN

MARCH 25-27



ONA EXHIBIT RULES & REGULATIONS

1. Competition for exhibitors is open to anyone registered at the Convention.
2. Although security will be provided, including the use of locks on cases, the Convention organizers, the ONA, Hotel staff nor any of its members assume any liability. Although every effort is made to assure the visible presence of security staff and Convention committee members, all exhibitors must assure that locks are secure and locked and otherwise assume responsibility for their exhibit, including any material placed outside display cases.
3. The display material must be the property, or under the control, of the person displaying same.
4. The exhibitors are asked not to attend their exhibits while displays are being judged.
5. All matters relating to the displays shall be determined by the Display Chairman as per guidelines determined by the ONA.
6. The exhibitor is responsible for setting up and removing his/her displays in the time-frame advertised before-hand.
7. The Exhibit Chairman, with the knowledge of the exhibitor, may transfer an exhibit from one category to another before the judging if it appears the exhibitor has entered his exhibit in the improper classification.
8. The judges will submit final points scored for all competitive exhibits to the Exhibit Chairman at the close of the judging.
9. The judges' decision is final as to the results.
10. Material is allowed outside the case, providing the exhibitor assumes full responsibility and the material does not exceed the length of the display and is not higher than 24" above the exhibits table. If an exhibitor advises the Exhibit Chairman, via the Exhibit Application form, prior to the Convention, that wall space is required since the background would require more than 24" of free-standing space, the Exhibit Chairman will advise the applicant whether such wall space is available.
11. Exhibit applications must be received no later than one week before the Convention in order to be guaranteed exhibit space. Latecomers will also be accommodated, but subject to space and display case availability.
12. Display case sizes could change from Convention to Convention. Therefore, all exhibitors who do not provide their own cases are asked to note the exact clear inside measurements of display cases available for their use as detailed on the Exhibit Application form provided by the Convention Committee each year.
13. Whenever judges would like to comment on any exhibit, they will place a Judges Comment sheet under the first case of that exhibit, as a guide to the exhibitor in making up future exhibits. In addition, further verbal comments may be asked for from the judges following the announcement of the exhibit award winners. Judges' names are published in the numismatic press prior to the Convention, or can be obtained from any member of the Convention Committee or the ONA Executive at the Convention. Judges will be available for these discussions following the announcements of the awards.
14. In order to be judged, entries must be in place a) by 11:00 a.m. on first day if 2-day exhibit, or b) by 11:00 a.m. of second day if 3-day exhibit.
15. Exhibits must be left in position until the closing time announced by the Convention Committee. Any deviation from this would present problems re security. However, it is recognized that circumstances could arise that make it imperative for an exhibit to be removed a little before the official closing time, in which case, such early tear-down and removal must be discussed with the Exhibit Chairman prior to the removal of the lock and the opening of the cases. This is only fair and reasonable both from a security point-of-view as well as to the public.

ONA CONVENTION EXHIBIT POINT SYSTEM

DESCRIPTION	DETAIL	BREAKDOWN	POINTS
INFORMATION:	Description should be clear and concise. Details supplied should be adequate for the viewer to gain full understanding and appreciation of the individual specimens as collectors objects. Degree of satisfaction to a numismatist. Title should be prominent and concise. Introductory information should make clear the scope and objective of the exhibit.	Research	10
		Imparting information correctly	10
		Clear and concise to encourage reading	10
PRESENTATION	Colour, harmony, arrangement of parts should create a generally pleasing display. Relation of specimens, information, decoration, non-numismatic objects, gimmicks to each other, to achieve a pleasing total effect. Does it make you stop and examine it? Is it "different"?	Eye appeal	10
		Neatness	10
		Originality	10
NUMISMATIC MATERIAL	The judges are guided by the exhibitor's chosen title and introduction. Points awarded according to availability of specimens, market availability of condition and rarity of material.	Condition	10
		Rarity	10
		Completeness	10
SPECIAL	Awarded purely at the Judge's discretion, for example for something of noteworthiness not covered above, or for special achievement by a junior exhibitor.	Judge's discretion	10

All displays will be judged according to the above point breakdown. Average point totals of all judges will determine winners in each category. The judges' decisions are final.

All exhibitors will receive a special Exhibitor Ribbon. Other awards are as follows:

AWARDS	REWARD
Best of Show	Silver Medal
1st in each category	Gold-plate Medal
2nd in each category	Silver-plate Medal
3rd in each category	Bronze Medal

OFFICIAL CONVENTION WOODEN NICKEL DIE



All ONA members as well as non-members attending the 1988 ONA Convention may use the official logo for any wooden nickel souvenirs made up by them.

Deluney's Wooden Nickel Company is the custodian of the die. Anyone wishing to purchase wooden nickels with this design may use it for the simple donation of 10 of the wooden nickels. However, it would be appreciated if 75 pieces were donated, for inclusion in the Registration Kit.

A hot-stamp die for the second side is \$20. Pricing for the striking of wooden nickels is as follows:

- ° 100 pieces at \$22.00 for the lot
- ° 150 pieces at \$33.00 for the lot

Seven percent Ontario Sales Tax has to be added to the prices. Orders can be forwarded to the Convention address for processing. Delivery to you will take place at the Convention. If you make a donation of 75 pieces for inclusion in the Registration Kit, we will remove them from Deluney's shipment to enable us to incorporate them in the Kit.

Illustrated above is the exact size and layout of the Convention-side of the die. If you wish us to proceed with an order for you at the above pricing, we would appreciate hearing from you by return so that we can go ahead with the creation of your die and the stamping of your own personal wood. Use your imagination and creativity for your personalized side!

We have taken the liberty of including a simple order form at the back of this bulletin, for your convenience.

OFFICIAL ONA MEMBERSHIP WOODEN NICKEL DIE



Thanks to Howard Richardson, editor of the catalogue covering Canadian wooden nickels, we can now make available at no charge, a hot-stamp die as illustrated above. As with the official Convention wood above, you can process your orders through the Convention committee who are bearing the cost of the new die.

Deluney's Wooden Nickel Company will be the permanent custodian of the die, for ongoing use by ONA members. Pricing is the same as mentioned for the official Convention wood above.

This die can be used by all ONA members in the future. Although you can incorporate an order for this die with your application at the back of this bulletin, in future you should order directly from Deluney's Wooden Nickel Company, P.O. Box 952, ANGUS, Ont. L0M 1B0.

REQUEST FOR TABLE SPACE FROM COIN CLUBS AND ASSOCIATIONS

We are pleased to make available table space to all non-profit coin clubs and numismatic associations, for the promoting of membership in their club. At the same time, club medals or wooden nickels may also be offered for sale to convention-goers providing the items are sold for the benefit of the non-profit organization.

A nominal charge of \$5 is made for a 4' table-area, \$10 for a full 8' table, to help defray rental cost of the table and table cloth.

The table may be manned, or simply contain neat signs concerning meeting dates and times or information on an annual show. A display case can also be made available free-of-charge for any archival or salable material.

An application form is included with this bulletin, for the convenience of coin club organizers. Every coin club meeting within a two-hour's drive from the Convention site as well as every national organization should consider taking advantage of this offer.

1988 ONA CALENDAR

Gary Oblinsky recently sent a questionnaire to all ONA member-clubs asking them for information pertaining to their club.

We wish to incorporate all information on meeting dates and times of all club monthly meetings, upcoming annual coin shows and annual dinner meetings in a special 1988 ONA Calendar. This calendar will be included in every registration kit.

If you have not already replied, please telephone the Convention Hot-Line at (416) 229-COIN immediately. It is definitely to your club's advantage to be included!

We are very excited about the artwork for this project. We know you will like the finished product!

"PEOPLE'S CHOICE" JUDGING

In addition to the regular competitive exhibit categories that will be judged by specially-appointed judges, a special award will be given to the display that is held in highest esteem by the collecting public. We want you to help us judge this special category!

Included in your registration kit will be a "People's Choice" judging form. We ask you to take the time to help us reward the exhibit that you, the public, deems the most appealing.

It isn't every day that you get asked to express your opinion on what is to your liking. As a Registrant, we hope that you will not only view the exhibits, but also fill in the judging form and deposit it in the ballot box stationed near the exhibits.

USE THE HANDY RETURN ENVELOPE

ENCLOSED IS AN ADDRESSED RETURN ENVELOPE, FOR YOUR
CONVENIENCE IN RETURNING THE REGISTRATION APPLICATION
OR OTHER ORDER FORMS.

DON'T MISS THE ONA BANQUET

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

7:00 p.m. Pre-Banquet Cash Bar

7:30 p.m. Dinner & Program

- Full-course roast beef dinner
- Free door draws
- Speaker: Mr. Denis Cudahy, V.P. - Manufacturing, Royal Canadian Mint, Ottawa
- Announcement of competitive exhibit winners
- Announcement of ONA "Numismatist of the Year"
- A special roll of Canadian coins to everyone - you'll get a bang out of this!
- M.C.: John Regitko, Chairman of 1988 ONA Convention
- Fun & fellowship

COME JOIN THE FUN - ONLY \$26.00 PER PERSON

TICKETS CAN BE ORDERED THROUGH THE REGISTRATION FORM

CLUB DELEGATES BREAKFAST MEETING

9:00 A.M. SATURDAY, MARCH 26

- All ONA member-clubs are encouraged to send one official delegate and as many assistants as they wish
- Persons registered for this function prior to March 15 qualify for "Early Bird" draws
- Admittance is by pre-purchased ticket only

\$7.00 PER PERSON - INCLUDES FULL-COURSE BREAKFAST

TICKETS CAN BE ORDERED THROUGH THE REGISTRATION FORM

WOODEN MONEY BREAKFAST MEETING

9:00 A.M. SUNDAY, MARCH 27

- Hosted by the Southern Ontario Chapter of the Canadian Association of Wooden Money Collectors (CAWMC)
- Free wooden nickels to everyone attending
- Free door draws consisting of wooden nickels
- Auction of wooden nickels

\$7.00 PER PERSON - INCLUDES FULL-COURSE BREAKFAST

TICKETS CAN BE ORDERED THROUGH THE REGISTRATION FORM

EARLY BIRD DRAWS

IF YOU REGISTER FOR THE CONVENTION PRIOR TO MARCH 15, YOU ARE AUTOMATICALLY ELIGIBLE FOR THE "EARLY BIRD" DRAWS CONSISTING OF WORTHWHILE NUMISMATIC PRIZES.

THE "EARLY BIRD" PRE-REGISTRANTS DRAW WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE ONA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, THE OTHER EARLY BIRD DRAWS AT THE BANQUET, ONA CLUB DELEGATES BREAKFAST MEETING AND THE WOODEN MONEY BREAKFAST MEETING.

ONA EXHIBIT APPLICATION FORM

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO THE ONA CONVENTION COMMITTEE WHOSE ADDRESS IS PUBLISHED ELSEWHERE. FAILURE TO SEND A COMPLETED FORM MAY RESULT IN REFUSAL TO ACCEPT EXHIBITS DUE TO LACK OF SPACE AT THE SHOW.

NAME OF EXHIBITOR _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

POSTAL CODE: _____

I wish to enter competitive exhibits in the following categories:

NUMBER OF CASES	CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION
_____	Canadian Decimal	Includes all Canadian coins, provincial coins
_____	Canadian Paper Money, Script, etc.	Includes all government-issue paper money, bank-issues, private script, bonds, etc.
_____	Foreign Coins	Non-Canadian legal tender
_____	Foreign Paper Money	Non-Canadian legal tender, private issue, script, bonds, etc.
_____	Medals & Tokens	Includes all war decorations, medals, medallions, private-issue mediums of exchange such as milk tokens, commemorative numismatic objects of all type.
_____	Miscellaneous	All numismatic items that do not fit into a specific category above; a mix of material so as to eliminate it from a specific category (note that a limited amount of background material may appear in a display to still qualify it under a specific category above).
	People's Choice	Your exhibit automatically qualifies for this category. It will be judged by the general public attending the Convention in competition with all other entries regardless of category.

Junior or Juvenile exhibitors please state your age: _____ (For Judges' information).

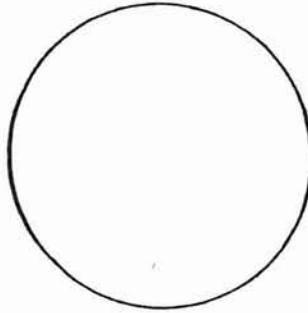
I hereby agree to abide by the exhibit rules & regulations, including the reclassification of my exhibits by the Exhibit Chairman. I understand that I must be registered at the Convention to qualify for exhibit awards. Although the Convention is providing security, I acknowledge that I will not hold the Convention Committee, the ONA or the Hotel staff liable for my exhibit.

SIGNATURE OF EXHIBITOR _____

PERSONAL SOUVENIR WOODEN TOKEN ORDER FORM



CONVENTION DIE
(USE FOR FREE)

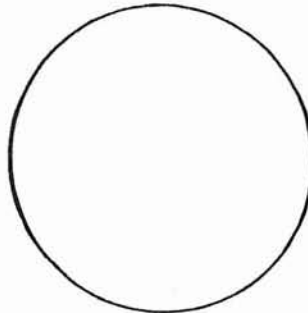


DRAW YOUR
DESIGN HERE

- // 100 at \$22.00
- // 150 at \$33.00
- // 1 personal die as my rough sketch at left at \$20.00
- // Colour desired: _____
(choice of red, green, black, orange, brown, purple, gold or silver)
- // Yes, distribute 75 of these through the Registration Kit



ONA MEMBER DIE
(USE FOR FREE)



DRAW YOUR
DESIGN HERE

- // 100 at \$22.00
- // 150 at \$33.00
- // 1 personal die as my rough sketch at left at \$20.00
- // Use same die as my sketch for the first wood above (therefore no die charge for this second wood)
- // Colour desired: _____
(choice of red, green, black, orange, brown, purple, gold or silver)
- // Yes, distribute 75 of these through the Registration Kit

**REQUEST FOR TABLE SPACE AT 1988 ONA CONVENTION
FOR COIN CLUBS AND NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATIONS**

We would like the following table space in the Bourse Room of the 1988 ONA Convention:

- // We would like 4' of table space at \$5
- // We would like 8' of table space at \$10
- // We would like the use of a wooden display case
(inside clear area is 28-1/4" x 16-3/16", may be used in either direction)

We understand that in addition to promoting the benefits of membership in our Club, we may also sell club medals, club wooden nickels or other non-profit items being sold for the benefit of our non-profit organization.

We further understand that we are responsible for all signs, flyers or other promotional items.

NAME OF CLUB _____ CONTACT (PLEASE PRINT) _____

MAILING ADDRESS OF CONTACT _____

1988 ONA CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM

LAKESHORE INN, TORONTO, ONT.
MARCH 25 - 27, 1988

QTY.	ITEM	PER PERSON	TOTAL
_____	CONVENTION REGISTRATION - REGULAR (Includes vinyl attache case, gold-plated registration medal, Dream Vacation draw ticket, 1988 ONA Calendar, a coin wallet filled with wooden nickels and medals, bourse dollars, and an assortment of books, medals and other souvenirs as outlined in the Convention bulletin)	26.00	\$ _____
_____	CONVENTION REGISTRATION - SPOUSE ADD-ON TO ABOVE (same as above except no gold-plated registration medal)	16.00	\$ _____
_____	CONVENTION REGISTRATION - YOUNG NUMISMATISTS (same as above except no gold-plated registration medal, with a number of special surprises added)	10.00	\$ _____
_____	OFFICIAL CONVENTION SOUVENIR MEDAL - ANTIQUE BRONZE	6.00	\$ _____
_____	OFFICIAL CONVENTION SOUVENIR MEDAL - .999 SILVER	35.00	\$ _____
_____	ADDITIONAL "DREAM VACATION" DRAW TICKETS	1.00	\$ _____

FRIDAY, MARCH 25

_____ REGISTRANTS RECEPTION INCLUDED IN
REGISTRATION

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

_____ ONA CLUB DELEGATES BREAKFAST MEETING 7.00 \$ _____
 Check here if you are the "official" Club
 Delegate (Name of Club _____)

_____ ONA BANQUET 26.00 \$ _____

SUNDAY, MARCH 27

_____ WOODEN MONEY BREAKFAST MEETING 7.00 \$ _____

GENERAL

_____ COST OF PERSONAL WOODEN NICKEL ORDER \$ _____
 (carried forward from Wooden Nickel order form)

TOTAL PLEASE ENCLOSE CHEQUE OR MONEY ORDER \$ _____

NOTE: YOU DO NOT HAVE TO REGISTER TO ORDER MEDALS, "DREAM VACATION" TICKETS, BANQUET TICKETS, CLUB DELEGATES BREAKFAST TICKETS, WOODEN MONEY BREAKFAST MEETING TICKETS OR PERSONAL CONVENTION WOODS.

SPECIAL "EARLY BIRD" DRAWS FOR REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED BY MARCH 15, 1988

UNCONDITIONAL GUARANTEE: IF YOU DO NOT FEEL THAT THE KIT IS WORTH MORE THAN THE REGISTRATION FEE, JUST RETURN IT TO US AT THE CONVENTION FOR A FULL REFUND -- AND STILL GET FREE ADMISSION TO THE SHOW!