



Small Talk

National Association of Miniature Enthusiasts

Region N2, Fall 2017
<http://nameregionn2.org>

From Your Regional Coordinator

Hello, Dear Mini Friends,

I hope as you read this Northern California has gotten over it's HOT spell.

The house party in March netted a profit {Yea!} and everyone was happy with their goodies to take home. Thanks to all the volunteer that made it all possible.

I'm exploring steampunk—just another type of fantasy that I'm not used to. Research helps to get ideas from real pictures of Victorian machinery. I Google images all the time. Do any of you research your projects before you begin or do you just take the plunge? Or a little of both perhaps? I imagined Nikola Tesla using this library chair lift! I hope all of you let your imagination run free, it's good for your soul!

Happy Mini Making,

Connie Younker, Regional Coordinator



Alexandria National Convention

Last month I attended the NAME National Convention in Alexandria, Virginia. The hotel was lovely and from the higher floors we could see Washington DC, the Capitol building, the Lincoln Monument and a few other sites. The weather was hot and humid but not inside the hotel so that's where I stayed for most of the week.

There were so many activities I can't even begin to describe it all. The "Evening with Friends" was a lot of fun. An Acting Troupe came in to present the Mystery Theater part of the evening during a delicious Filet Mignon dinner. Several of our members became suspects for the murder that occurred and everyone else in the room were detectives trying to find the clues to decide who the murderer was. Needless to say, lots of laughs and fun.



On Thursday Evening, the Midway opened. An evening of midway games, free popcorn, cotton candy and candy (all you can eat). Many,

many miniature prizes had been donated and participants in the games won coupons they could then spend on the prizes. Attendees seemed to really enjoy this evening activity.

Then there were all the workshops, lots of Roundtable Kits to buy, Salesroom, Demonstrations, Exhibits, Houseparty Helpers (raffled miniatures) and of course I did not win a single one of these. There were enough doorprizes that everyone in attendance received at least one.

Oh, my, was I tired by the end of the week. But I love going to these, seeing old friends, meeting new friends, lots of laughs and fun. The food was particularly good at this Convention (you never know which hotels will have good food and which will not). It has to be very difficult to feed large numbers and have the food be tasty???? But this hotel did do that.

Next year's convention will be in Charleston, South Carolina and promises to be amazing. I hope to see more N2 participants there.

—Barbara Thornton-Hill

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SUMMARY OF THE NAME BOARD MEETING HELD ON JUNE 22, 2017

President's Report-Barbara Thornton-Hill

The Board will have several openings as of July, as terms are up. Ruth Stewart has sent in her resume for the position of RC/State Rep Liaison. Kim Wood moved to accept Ruth Stewart as a Member at Large, for the NAME Board, in charge of the RC/State Reps. **Motion carried**

Dan Stewart will be stepping down from the Board, but will remain in charge of Technology.

All recipients for the annual awards have been approved

Secretary's Report- Alician Pearce

Minutes from the May meeting were approved

Treasurer's Report- Stan Boyd

General Fund Statuses:

Budgeted Income for the year:	\$285,740.00
Income YTD (through May 31, 2017)	\$290,350.59 (101.6% of budgeted income)
Budgeted Expenses for the Year:	\$285,715.00
Expenses YTD (through May 31, 2017)	\$263,920.20 (92.4% of budgeted expenses)

Pre-Audit Year to Date Profit \$26,430.39

Marie Bird moved to approve the revised budget for Louisville Houseparty from 250 registrants to 210 registrants.

Motion carried

Convention/Houseparty Report- Marie Bird

The committee for Alexandria is ready for the convention at the end of July.

Fundraising- Kim wood

The Soapbox derby sold 262 cars. Kim is working with Jane Sanem on fundraising, as Jane will be taking over that job.

Special Events- Jane Sanem

New project, flower pots from beads is on the website

Technology- Dan Stewart

New database should be up by the face to face meeting

Club Report- Roy Moore

Roy Moore will be handing out 85 Blue Ribbon awards at the convention next month. Roy has also been updating club information.

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SUMMARY FROM THE FACE TO FACE BOARD MEETING OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MINIATURE ENTHUSIASTS HELD ON JULY 24-25, 2017 IN ALEXANDRIA, VA

President's Report:

The Board considered the resume of Lesia Lennex for a potential new Member at Large. Amy Rauch moved to approve Lesia Lennex as a Member at Large for Fundraising/Grant writing and media relations. **Motion carried**

Janet Smith presented to the Board a sample of the future virtual NAME museum. A new committee was formed to oversee the museum. Janet will be presenting the Board with more final details in September.

Secretary's Report:

The minutes from the June 2017 meeting were approved. The minutes from the special meeting on July 12, 2017 were approved.

Treasurer's Report:

General Fund Statuses:

Budgeted Income for the year:	\$272,168.00
Income YTD (through June 30, 2017)	\$36,156 (13.3% of budgeted income)
Budgeted Expenses for the Year:	\$271,155.00
Expenses YTD (through June 30, 2017)	\$27,778 (10.2% of budget)

Year to Date Profit \$8,378

Stan Boyd presented the Board with the proposed budget for the 2020 National convention. Karen Barone moved to approve the Indianapolis 2020 budget for the registration fee of \$255 and dealer fees of \$255. **Motion carried**

Membership:

Membership continues to decline by about 9% each year. Amy Rauch is looking forward to the suggestions from the NAME membership drive contest

Conventions/Houseparty:

NAME needs regional Houseparties in 2019 and 2020. NAME has National Conventions, but really needs at least one regional each year. Marie Bird and Rhonda Keef are looking for any member willing to chair an event

RC/State Rep-

Jan Skuppin held an in person meeting at the National Convention. Jan discussed with those in attendance, new ways to recruit new members. Membership is not just a Board responsibility, it is everyone's.

Fundraising-

Kim Wood is working on the Sapphire Soiree for later this year. More info to follow online and in the Gazette

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State Rep Reports

East Bay/Tri-Valley

**State Reps Bobbie Schmidt
& Will Thomas**

Can you believe Summer is almost over? My plans for catching up on my miniatures are coming along all too slowly. Too many opportunities for distractions out there.

And a reminder: The 2017 CHAMPS Show is just around the corner. Location is El Cerrito Community Center, 7007 Moeser on September 8-10. Terezinha Jusino confirms that the two workshops on Sunday are a go, with a few more openings available. Additionally, dealer space is also available. Terezinha is working hard to keep this show going. Let's show a lot of support to make this a super new beginning for this long running show benefiting UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital!

Best wishes to Betty and Larry Herman, Itty Bitty Builder, for Larry's continued speedy recovery.

The ad hoc Walnut Creek group of four (Jackie Rich, Jennifer Rich, Cade Deverell and Bobbie Schmidt) has started working on Suzanne and Andrew's Creekside Studio. So much more fun to do it together as a group.



Working on Creekside Studio

Help is needed: If you are in a purging-your-miniatures mood, our area could use some of your donations for grab bags to sell at the CHAMPS Show. Please consider giving them to our NAME area. Give me a call (925-943-1741) or email at artbum@aol.com to talk about pick up. Thank you so much.

Enjoy the rest of the summer!

**—Bobbie Schmidt
artbum@aol.com**

Delta DoLittles: Members of Contra Costa County's busy far-east miniature club, the Delta DoLittles, have detoured temporarily around their own build-and-innovate projects to clean and repair a large personal collection of dollhouses recently donated to the Antioch Historical Museum.

Though the task is formidable, the change of hats was easy enough: Most of the now-eight DoLittle miniaturists also have active roles in Museum affairs, and the mini club's formation resulted from expressions of interest there nearly a decade ago.

Norma Rae Petko, 88, not a club-member but a longtime Antioch community volunteer who, along with her husband George and a neighbor Jeanie, built and decorated dollhouses and display containers for some 30 years, passed away early this year. In May her family donated the collection to the Museum.

It is understood, reasonably so, that as a typical spouse of a devout miniaturist, husband George helped with project design, cutting out the boxes, making shingles and assembling the creative result.

Theresa Court, a Brentwood miniaturist among those wearing dual hats, said five volunteers delivered four truckloads with 13 furnished dollhouses to the Museum, including that artisan's very first one, a large, two-story Southern-style building with tall columns on the porch. Those who knew Norma appreciated that at least five of her works were on public view at any given time in the front bay window of her Putnam Street home. Now, they'll be part of what already is a venue full of artifacts, history and highly interesting symbols of community achievement.

Theresa explained that "the plan" is to display the collection throughout the Museum after the month-long February 2018 miniature house exhibition and to perhaps share houses for display at the local library and other historical museums.

For Theresa, Carole Ann Davis, Sandy Riggins, Jerri McIntyre, Laura Jacques (and me, too), delivery of the houses was just the beginning, of course. The Museum-DoLittle volunteers promptly set about in their usual industrious ways to remove



Delta DoLittles Theresa Court, left, and Jerie McIntyre at recent clean and fix session at Antioch Historical Museum

furnishings from each dollhouse and put it in individual, labelled boxes so it is sure to be returned to its proper home when repair and cleaning are completed. Yes, as Museum workers they are totally accustomed to that kind of task. And, yep, dedicated, passionate miniaturists all, they also are armed with varied tools of their hobby that in this instance include paint brushes for sweep-in', a variety of glues for fixin' and a whole lot of patience for doin'.

As an imaginative aside, Theresa points out that each house is named for a Petko grandchild and walls are layered with family pictures—a real cool, sentimental idea, I think.

—Will Thomas

Fresno

State Rep Barbara Fairbanks

Fresno TinkerBelles: have been working on Debbie Young's Aurora house and changing this and that. No two houses will be the same. This house has given us all lessons in electrifying it.

We have all missed a lot of meetings. The heat here has been just awful. Since the middle of June we have only had a few days under 100 and most have been 104 to 108.

A lot of surgeries, including cataracts,

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have kept some of us busy. We lost a long-time member, Vicki Throop, in July.

Nothing on our calendars until NAME DAY on October 5. And then a road trip to San Jose for Good Sam.

Hope you are all enjoying your summer and not cooking like we are.

—Barbara Fairbanks

North Central CA

State Rep Margaret Gordus

Our Little Mini Club: Happy Fall to all! For a club project Carlene Brown made up kits and instructed us on how to make the Shabby Chic door shelf. As usual, each member's shelf had a different theme.

Now we are making and collecting articles to put on the shelf.

Vegie Maclean taught the lily plant last month.

Billie Ruonavaara sent a picture of the Mouse Clock shop in a Jewelry box shaped like a Clock, which she found at a thrift store. She is now awaiting a shipment of more clocks which she found on Ebay.

—Margaret Gordus



Billie Ruonavaara and her Mouse Clock



Sacramento, Central Valley, Sierra Foothills

State Rep Laura Seibert

Itty Bitties: I forgot to mention what Tote Bag item the Itty Bitties made for our Sacramento Houseparty in March. We made up two paint tubes in a fancy style in one inch scale, and our own Deb Laue made up a wooden paint palette, to put in each round little container. We made up 123 of them. It's the first time we've contributed a Tote Bag item for either a Houseparty or a Convention! It felt good to help out.

LaVerne Munz is a celebrity again. This time, a picture of her 2012 NAME Day Alcove, "It's About Time," was featured by Carol Kubrican in an email sent out to Region N-2 NAME members. It can also be found at the Region N-2 web site. Carol Kubrican took the picture at the Sacramento Houseparty's Exhibit Room.

Darwin Spring is making waves herself. Carol Kubrican took a picture of her 2011 NAME Day Work Center "Scales" (showing the work center in all four scales) at the Sacramento Houseparty's Exhibit Room. Carol then sent out an email to Region N-2 NAME members, and the picture (and description) can be found at the Region N-2 website.

The Elegant Dollhouse Parking Lot Sale May 7th and the Stockton Show June 3rd were both wonderful miniatures events! All attendees had a lovely time.

In May, I completed my year as president of the Itty Bitties. Carolyn Paul was voted in as president, Karen Sandvick was voted in as vice president, and Frances Bigler was voted in as secretary.

Frances was the hostess for the May meeting. She taught us how to make Deb Laue's rocking horse, and supplied lots of different papers to cover the horse with. Deb's rocking horse has been available for a while now, but Deb just recently came out with lovely papers with which to cover it.

Debra Taylor and Barbara Fuller were the hostesses for the June meeting, and the meeting was at Barbara's home. They taught how to make books! Everyone learned a new skill.

Darwin Spring was the hostess for the July meeting, and the meeting was held at Frances's home. Darwin taught us how to

decoupage, on a small wooden box with a lid. We all had fun cutting papers and using stickers.

The Sacramento Houseparty was my first Houseparty or Convention, and it was just wonderful! It was THE BEST!

Small Wonders: Our May meeting was our first meeting held at Hobby Lobby (in Stockton). We are trying out meeting there through the end of 2017, instead of meeting at members' homes. Sigrid Williams helped Debra Taylor with her room box. Debra made great progress, thanks to Sigrid's help. Just Sigrid and Debra attended that meeting.

The Elegant Dollhouse Parking Lot Sale was a lovely event!

We didn't have a June meeting, as the Stockton Show was held that day. Most of us attended the Stockton Show—what a fun day!

Our July meeting went well. We all got to meet our newest member, Martha Sakakura. Welcome to Small Wonders, Martha! Debra Taylor helped me with my room box. Debra worked on upholstering a chair. I helped Debra get started on a beaded purse. Debra and I helped Shirley Caskey with a restaurant tabletop kit donated by Connie Younker. Debra and I helped Martha with a toy clown kit I made up. It was a fun morning.

Connie Younker, our Regional Coordinator, will be teaching us how to make spider plants at the August meeting. We can't wait!

—Laura Seibert

Gold Country Petal Pushers: The Gold Country Petal Pushers held their annual Christmas Party in June. We prefer this to December because everything is so busy at the end of the year. Since we are a club specializing in flowers, plants and landscaping, each member gives three mini flowers (each year we have a theme for the flowers) to each member.

Then, we each bring some type of vase or other such container for an arrangement, wrapped. We play the "Pirate," "White Elephant," or whatever you call it in your area, game for the vases.

After that is completed, we all make an arrangement with the flowers we received. Someone always brings some extra greens

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that can be used for filler also. This is one of the arrangements made at this year's party.

And, of course, we all bring some kind of finger food to share and those foods are our lunch. What's a meeting without the food????? This year, our State Rep, Laura Siebert, visited our club and participated in the exchange. She visits our club once a year as a part of her State Rep duties and we enjoy having her.

Gold Country Miniature Society: The Gold Country Miniature Society continues to work on this year's annual project, a "Sea Captains Room." Many of the members are making their vignette room out of a Book Box (the kind that are sold at Michaels, Hobby Lobby or other craft stores) so they are a bit different in size and covers. At the meetings we are making an assortment of items to fill the room with.

We learned from some of the members to use two book boxes, cut out the back of one, cut off the front of another then glue them together to make a deeper box that will house a bit more inside. Last month we made fishing poles for the room.

—Barbara Thornton-Hill

No. Nevada, Tahoe

State Rep Mary Ann Van Buskirk

Tahoe Miniacs: By the time you read this we will be reflecting upon the 24th Annual Summer at Tahoe State Day and busily planning next year's workshop. We hope all of you are safe from the rampant wildfires going around California and Nevada this summer. God keep us all.

Only about 4 ½ months till Christmas. Does it seem like the calendar is in fast forward mode? We have a challenge for you this year—try to incorporate miniatures into your decorating this season.

After almost 60 years of working, I am going to try retirement, leaving El Dorado County the latter part of August. Like they say, less money and more spouse.

—Mary Ann VanBuskirk

Marin, Napa Valley

Open Position

North Coastal

State Rep Sharon Ocheltree

Redwood Small World: The dog days of summer are upon us. It is a pleasant 80 degrees here on the North Coast. I bet some of you in southern California wish you could be here! Summer is county fair time and we are all busy getting our entries ready for our own Humboldt County Fair in Ferndale, California. Members will be manning our exhibit and table everyday during the fair, giving demonstrations and sharing our craft to all interested participants.

This spring we were treated to a visit from Luci and Dick Hanson from Cascade Miniatures of Grants Pass, Oregon. Luci taught an enlightening class on LED lighting! Included in the class were special room boxes built by Dick and everyone went home with a lighted room box and many extras for future projects. Luci and Dick are special people and everyone has a new friend after meeting them.

The McKinleyville city library invited us to share our art during the month of April. With the help of members, BeaJ Fitzpatrick arranged a wonderful display of room boxes, vignettes and individual pieces to delight the library's readers. The allure of a doll house is common ground to children and adults alike.

Also in April we hosted our annual Play Day. This year's project was a 1" scale travel trailer. After the trailer was designed,



Sue Kuhnhausen and Jean German at our play day 2017

our club president Gail Freeman's husband graciously cut out the sides and floor of each trailer. Mat board was used for the roof to bend to the curves of the sides. Myself and Dorelee Heisler taught the class at the day-long event. So far the ladies have come up with a Louisiana crawfish shack to a dog grooming parlor, and all things in between. Some are burning the midnight oil to finish for a fair entry. A potluck lunch was devoured by all and many stayed until the last minute to finish a portion of their trailer.

Our July meeting was hosted by Drelee Heisler. We were interested in the upcoming armoire project for Name Day 2017, but none of our members had the bunk bed project from 2016. Using the patterns from the July/August 2016 Gazette, we made our own kits for each of our members. The beds were a great hit and now every one can continue with the armoire and future kits. Many of us have ordered the 2017 armoire and are planning a Name Day event for our area. Great plans and fun ahead.

And we have a new member, Angie Fausphoul, who just moved here from Deville, LA. Welcome, Angie!

San Francisco/ N. Peninsula

Open Position

South Bay & Peninsula

Open Position

Through the Looking Glass: Through the Looking Glass in San Jose lost a founding member on July 4th. Marilyn Tierney loved miniatures and enjoyed sharing with our group and everyone she met through her quilting, crafting and sewing. She was always there with a helping hand and creative suggestions. We will miss her so very much.

Our group continues to work with MiniCals on planning and implementing our NAME Day Workday in Morgan Hill on Saturday, September 30th, 2017.

Our own Club projects are coming along and members hope to display them at the Showcase of Miniatures in October.

Let me know if you have questions.

—Barbara Adams

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Mini Cals: The MiniCals are getting ready for several projects in the next few months. With the Through the Looking Glass club, we will again be presenting the NAME Day Project on September 30th in Morgan Hill. This year's project is an armoire that we are making into a sports storage closet. Come make your armoire and adapt it to a bedroom or theme of your own. Contact Ruth at grouchy-beartoo@aol.com for more information.

Several club members are helping with the Good Sam Showcase of Miniatures so be sure to add show dates, October 6, 7 and 8, for the show at the Doubletree in San Jose and October 9th for the Good Sam Academy. More information about the show can be found at www.goodsamshow.blogspot.com

Looking towards the New Year, we will be offering workshops in Morgan Hill featuring a Back Porch setting. More information will be available in the next newsletter.

—Brenda Hough

Wee Housers of the Peninsula: Last quarter I said we were finishing our artists' studios. Well, at least one of us finished. Maryann has joined Moonyeen; the rest of us have a ways to go. Maybe by the next Good Sam show.

We have skipped several meetings over the summer so are anxious to get back to our miniatures.

Happy Miniaturizing!

—Laura Johnson

MiniAttics: The Mini Attics have been on vacation mode for several weeks with members traveling and/or visiting and hosting relatives. Our main activity was to have a display at our San Mateo County Fair in June. The persons in charge were pleased to show our miniatures, and members Meg Milani and Carol Walls were at the exhibit to give information and demonstrate our craft. The Mini Attics came away with several prizes—Gerry Silberstein won a first prize ribbon for her 1/4 inch Susan & Andrew cottage; Carol Walls won a second prize for her tiled stairway; and Marge Milani won honorable mention for her kitchen. We have been asked to return next year, and plan to do so.

Our club is now planning our exhibits for Good Sam and for our annual display at the main branch of the Redwood City Public Library.

—Gerry Silberstein



Marjorie, Meg and Carol share miniatures and info at the fair



Gerry's cottage wins first place



Carol wins 2nd prize for her tiled entryway



Marjorie's kitchen gets honorable mention

Summer at Tahoe State Day

I just returned on Sunday from the Summer at Tahoe State Day. This year I took my granddaughter (13) along with me for the fourth year. There were three others from my clubs who took along granddaughters also—there were a total of six youths there to work on their projects, ranging in age from 9 to about 16. They enjoyed the day, the project, the grab bags and some won drawing prizes.

The project was "The Getaway," a somewhat small 1" scale roombox. We started the day off with a continental breakfast of muffins, fruit and juices. Worked til noon, then enjoyed a sandwich bar lunch. I didn't actually count the participants there but I'm guessing around 40? There were doorprize drawings, Helper Raffles (my granddaughter won a basket and a \$25 gift certificate to the Elegant Dollhouse). Yeayyyyy! She was so excited.

A few people actually finished their rooms. Of course we didn't, but we did go home and finish it the next day. It still needs some accessories on the walls and a lamp but this is Lorien's room.

Thank you to the VanBuskirks and all of their group for a great day, a nice workshop and for getting us all together to see old friends and new.

—Barbara Thornton-Hill



Lorien's roombox

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NAME Day

NAME Day is officially the first Saturday in October. Be sure to check the website (nameregionn2.org/events-calendar) or the Gazette for dates this year in N2 because it falls on Good Sam weekend and event planners may take that into consideration in choosing a date for their NAME Day.



This year's "armoire" is part 2 of the 3-year bedroom set. There are endless possibilities for filling it!

NAME Day in Morgan Hill is September 30.

NAME Day in Sacramento is October 14. Contact Pattie Hong @peppermint_pattie@att.net for info.

NAME Day in Fresno is October 5.

Please check the web site for dates in your area, cutters and deadlines.

Good Sam/Showcase of Miniatures October 7–8

Workshops October 6; Academy classes October 9

Good Sam is right around the corner. By the time you read this the workshop mailer should soon be in your mailbox. We have ten great workshops—some past favorite teachers, Carlene Brown, Ruth Stewart, Valerie Casson, VG Maclean, Jeannie Linquist, Luci Hanson and three newbies. Some of you who regularly attend conventions will be familiar with Ginger Landon-Siegel and her mini paper art. She has two terrific workshops and will be joining the dealers this year for the first time. Also, a familiar face is Dorothy Hansen, the Gazette Editor. She has a charming ¼ inch sewing shop and will be a dealer, also. Dan Stewart (Ruth's hubby) will conduct a photography class for all from cellphone shots to high power camera. Lots of info and helpful Q & A! Bring your camera and/or minis to photograph.

We also have two new Children's teachers, Cade Deverell and Juanita Landa, as well as VG Maclean. A warm welcome and thank you for promoting the hobby to a new generation.

The Academy workshops are amazing! Be sure to check out the photos and information on the website, goodsamshowcase.miniature.net. We have Jim Larson's ½ inch lighted tissue box house. Due to the need for surgery, Julia Stewart, Aristocratic Attic, had to cancel her plans for Good Sam this year. We are trying to set up another workshop. Check the web site for info.

Ken Byers, of Shaker Works West fame, will be teaching a gorgeous colonial dough table along with some of his secrets for a treasured piece!

You will find a new booth in the foyer belonging to Holodeck 3D Studios. They will take a 3 dimensional photo of you that can be placed in one of your miniature scenes. Wear or bring the clothing you wish as the figure will be an exact copy. More info at: www.holodeck3dstudios.com

Pat Belamy will be in the foyer selling some of her personal collection, which means some no longer available pieces. Also, her shop inventory.

As always, volunteers help make and keep this show going. Please contact Ruth if you can spare some time and be a part of our success. Thank you! Ruth at grouchybeartoo@aol.com

We would also like to again thank those who have or continue to donate their much loved or no longer needed miniatures. We have had several this year. We always have the need!

Come see for yourself our exciting 42nd year!!

We'd love to see some new volunteers and exhibitors come forward this year. You can contact me at grouchybeartoo@aol.com.

See you in October,

Ruth Heisch, Chair of Showcase of Miniatures

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Name N2 Region Calendar

September 8, 9	CHAMPS Show & Sale
September 21–24	NAME Houseparty in Scranton, PA
September 30	NAME Day in Morgan Hill
October 5	NAME Day in Fresno
October 7	NAME Day
October 7–8	Showcase of Miniatures/ Good Sam Show
October 14	NAME Day in Sacramento

Workshops, Sales, and More Happening in N2

Check out the many mini events happening in our region this Fall! nameregionn2.org/events-calendar

Is there a miniature-related event happening in your area?

Please email the info to n2regionwebmaster@gmail.com.

Thank you!

Carol



2017 NAME DAY EVENTS

Check out the N2 website for NAME Day events happening in your area: nameregionn2.org/2017-name-day-events

Kit-bashed armoire by JP Sligh

Miniatures in Fremont?!



Blue Straw Vintage

"life's happy little surprises"

We now have a small but ever-changing selection of doll house miniatures in our space inside

My Friends and I
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1 (510) 792-0118

Open Mon-Sat. 10-5
Sun 11-5

Lynne Hoffman
bluestrawgirls@gmail.com

DO YOU WANT TO PROMOTE A MINI EVENT?

Submit an event in the N2 Region's website. It will be added to the calendar of events, and an email will be sent to website members announcing the event. Email the webmaster with your event info: n2regionwebmaster@gmail.com.

CHAMPS Miniature Show and Sale

September 8 & 9, 2017

Friday 5–9; Saturday 1

Workshops September 10

Miniature Contest: Tree Houses

El Cerrito Community Center, 7007 Moeser Lane, El Cerrito 94530

Free Parking

Door Prizes

Benefiting Children's Hospital, Oakland

Admission: \$8 adult/ \$5 Senior/ \$3 Child (5–12); Two-day admission \$12 Adult

For more information contact Terezinha Jusino
415-715-7670; tzminis@yahoo.com; www.champsshows.com



ARE YOU PLANNING AN ACTIVITY OR EVENT IN YOUR AREA?

Please remember that we have an Events Coordinator who is Leslie Swager (leslie@waveville.net, 209-293-4299). Please contact her regarding your scheduling of regional events so you can be sure there is no conflict with the dates and that we get your events on the calendar.

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