

# Home Improvement



Your local Home Improvement center is the place to go for answers to all sorts of building questions. This year, NAME has their own version of that Home Improvement Center with well-known experts. You won't want to miss these free seminars, just look for the room with the big NAME Home Improvement Sign!

## **Friday**

## 12:00-12:30 - Robin Betterley, Choosing and Using Color

Robin is famous for her effective use of colors, here she will explain how important it is to choose the right colors and then how to use them.

#### 12:35-1:05 - Sally Manwell, Using Little People Effectively to Enhance Your Scenes

Placing the little people in your miniature scene to make them come alive is important but fortunately it isn't difficult and Sally can tell you how to do that. You will be amazed at the difference it can make!

#### 1:10-1:40 Debbie Young, Chalk Dust Techniques to Add Age and Color

Aging and adding color to a project makes such a difference but it can be intimidating. Debbie is a master at it and she will share some new techniques.

# **Saturday**

#### 12:00-12:30 Sue Ann Ketchum, Toys in Miniature

Everybody needs a toy, even or maybe especially in miniature. Sue Ann makes wonderful miniature toys and she is going to share some of what she does and how she does it.

#### 12:35-1:05-Shannon Moore, Wood Joinery for Miniature Furniture

Shannon can tell you when traditional wood joinery is necessary and how to do it, and just as important, what to do when the fancy techniques aren't necessary.

#### 1:10 – 1:40 Pete and Pam Boorum, Tools for the Miniaturist

Knowing which tools you really need and how to use them makes a miniaturist's life so much easier. Pete and Pam have the answers to your tool questions. They might even show you how to safely use the scary ones!