

Welcome Summer 2023! So far, it is warm and dry! Well to catch everyone up on NAME'S latest. The NAME Facebook page has changed as of June 5, 2023. The new one is: <https://www.facebook.com/NAMEMiniatures/> So head on over to see the latest in offerings to the creative scene and events.

We had a remarkably successful Yard Sale in Westminster, Maryland on April 22, 2023, until we were canceled out by a monsoon. Could be the last real rainstorm we have had. There was a sale in Lancaster PA on May 21, 2023, that I heard was grand, but I missed it. I had hives and a husband who was recovering from knee replacement surgery. It has made my spring a bit of a kerfuffle (I love using some fun words, don't you?). Hopefully, all the pollen will slow down soon, and our cars and houses will stop being so yellow-green covered.

Now is, unfortunately, that time of year when the Club President's Reports are due. Do not stress about them too much but do try to get them done. We want to be compliant with NAME as much as possible, or I will hear about it.

Also, if you have anything you would like to donate to the NAME NATIONAL CONVENTION in Cape Cod, MA. They are looking for Auction donations, if you have one to donate, contact Rhonda Keefe. Or are you going? I am and will be there from August 13 until the 20th when it ends. So, I hope to see some of you there (Okay, I wish I could see all of you there, but I know that is not possible.)! We can meet up and share a laugh or a margarita if you are so inclined.

NAME DAY is October 7, 2023, this year. If you want to participate in NAME Day, you will need to order your kit soon. They were not available until this week, so you have not missed out yet. I attended a Zoom meeting to see the finished results from the raw project, as like you, I had nagging questions regarding this 3-sided vignette. Think of it more like a display case rather than an ice cream stand or bar, and it makes more sense. Even let one side of the door just be a wall rather than a door and it helps with the planning. I think this event will end up being an on-line one at this stage.

We are planning a Miniature Show and Sale called the **Frederick Miniature Spectacular** on October 8, 2023. If you cannot make the Philadelphia Miniature Show the first weekend of November or just do not want to travel to Cherry Hill, NJ, and fight all that traffic, come to a smaller show and sale. Just come and support a sale that has not been around for a long time. Bring friends, acquaintances, spouses, partners, neighbors, and a fellow crafter of a different craft. Let us all meet each other and exchange ideas and tips, and we can decide to make new clubs! **We need new clubs! And new members to keep our artistic hobby alive and growing. Let us not let it wither on the vine and collapse from lack of water and stimulation.**

I am really excited about the new trend in miniatures for the mid-century modern look and the newer ideas, such as book nooks. I tend to make a room or a piece of something rather than a whole house. I also like to work smaller than 1/12th because of space issues, and my preference is 1/4th. I have a room (used to be my office) but that is about as much space for miniatures as I want to have in my house, otherwise my entire home may end up being a miniature room with very little space for actual living, which would not make my husband or me happy.

Have a great summer and I look forward to hearing from everyone soon! Sunshine and mini hugs to all!

As Always, I am waiting for the paint and glue to dry,

Mandi Burt

E-1 Regional Coordinator

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Some of our great mini friends were able to help the Greater Urbana Area Food Bank by selling an unopened kit for Foxhall Manor + the conservatory + addition. The lucky new owner said she had been seeking this kit for a while!



NAME DAY 2023

Project, 3-Sided Vignette

WHEN: NAME DAY is October 7, 2023

WHO: NAME members and NAME clubs. Maybe a reason to join or renew if you're not currently a member. I am registered as a cutter again this year for NAME Day and I am currently taking orders for the Vignette Kit. I'm also making kits for accessories.



Orders accepted through August 15th. Shipment starts in the first week of September. Custom requests are always welcome and are accommodated whenever possible. This year's kit is a "roombox" for your minis and it's offered in 1", 1/2", and 1/4". It has a diameter of 7.25 inches. It comes with options and parts to construct one door, one double window and walls.

2023 Kit (above) as presented by NAME and decorated by me.

NAME: _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

EMAIL _____

Club Name _____

Basic kit, __ 1" \$20, __ 1/2" \$16, __ 1/4" \$14

Grandfather clock kit __ 1" \$15, __ 1/2" \$13, __ 1/4" \$12

Corner desk kit __ 1" \$15, __ 1/2" \$13, __ 1/4" \$12

Chair kit __ 1" \$6, __ 1/2" \$5, __ 1/4" \$4

Half table __ 1" \$6, __ 1/2" \$4, __ 1/4" \$3

Shelf set (2) __ 1" \$6, __ 1/2" \$4, __ 1/4" \$3

Frames (3) __ 1" \$6, __ 1/2" \$4, __ 1/4" \$3

Etched windows(2) __ 1" \$10, __ 1/2" \$8, __ 1/4" \$6

Ladder Shelves __ 1" \$10, __ 1/2" \$8, __ 1/4" \$6

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____ Shipping on a single kit is TBD. For multiple kits, Email me for S&H, when your order is complete at grandgirlminis@gmail.com. Make check payable to CONNIE REAGAN.

Please mail payment, and registration form to Connie Reagan, Grandgirl Miniatures
24 Sawyer St, Portland, ME 04103 Additional info: grandgirlminis@gmail.com

NAME DAY 2023



GRANDFATHER CLOCK
Basswood and acrylic



ETCHED WINDOWS
Acrylic, set of 2



HALF TABLE
Engraved on the side of the leg



CORNER DESK AND CHAIR
Sold separately.
Center working drawer



LADDER-STYLE BOOKSHELF
Basswood, 4 shelves

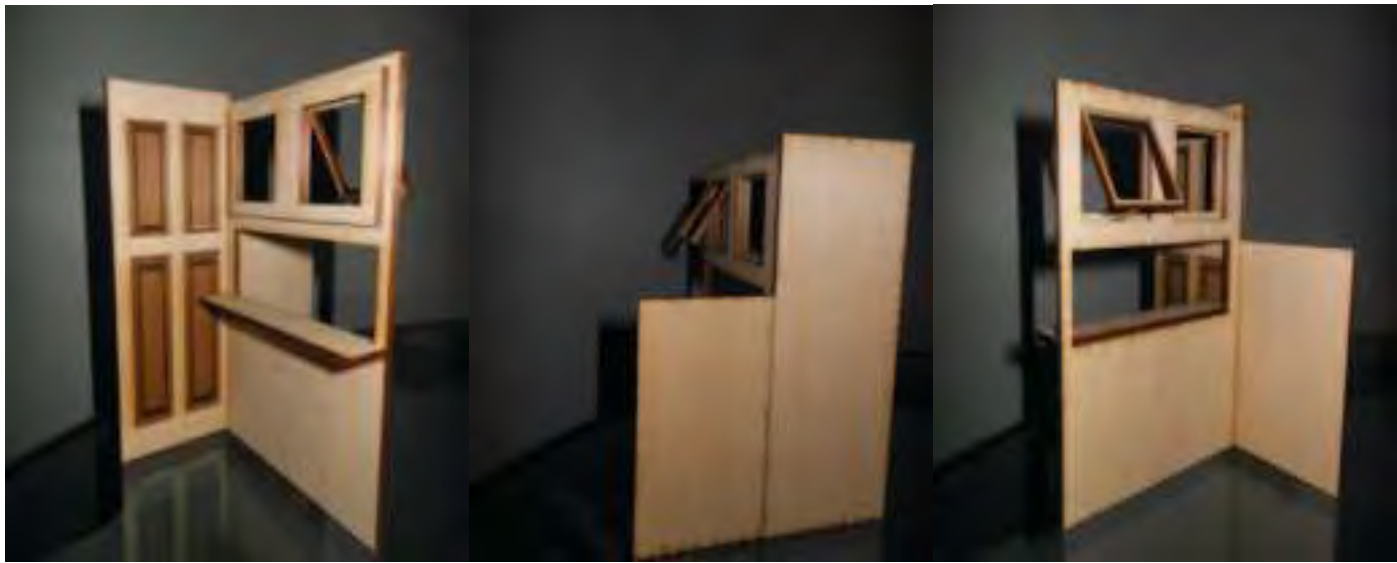
SET OF FRAMES (3).
Engraved.



SET OF SHELVES(2)
Decorative corbels and shelf



NAME Day 2023 Samples



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Christmas Party 2023

The mini-Christmas party has been held at Bullock's in Westminster for as long as I can remember. Bullock's recently changed hands and isn't accepting reservations for anything for a while as they renovate and get their bearing as the new owners.

We want to keep the tradition of the Christmas event alive and well. This year's event will be held Saturday, December 2, 2023. Location TBD but will most likely be in the Frederick or Damascus area. The details are forthcoming shortly. In the meantime, let's keep the planning going and look forward to being together again!

This year, you can choose what you want to do for your project from the options below. Your choices are creating the inside of a book nook on your own or be a part of the Christmas Themed Book Nook (At Home with the Claus) or bringing your own project to work on. To secure your space (it's limited especially since the venue is changing) choose which way you wish to participate and secure your reservation Mandi Burt @ amaburt@yahoo.com (paying via Zelle or Venmo) no later than September 1, 2023. This will ensure you have a spot and guarantee your project (book nook with or without swaps). Part of the fee helps pay for the space.

Here are your choices:

Option 1 – Plain Book Nook - \$21 (included shell of book nook + light kit only)

You receive a plain book nook kit to assemble and complete the theme and décor on your own. Finished Size (inches): 7.6 L x 4.7 W x 9.3 H



Option 2 – Themed Book Nook - At Home with the Claus - \$21 (+ swaps + themed supplies on your own)

You receive a plain book nook kit to assemble on your own + you bring items to complete your book nook theme picture below used as a reference (fireplace, wallpaper bookshelf, coffee table, chair, Mr. & Mrs. Claus figures, Christmas tree, rug/flooring and small side table) + sign up for swaps to complete theme (examples, swag garland, wreath, candlesticks, Christmas Card display, Gingerbread House, Cookie Tray, Christmas Stockings, etc).



Option 3 – Bring your own project to work on - \$5 (secures your spot at our event and help pay for the room)

Please email Mandi Burt (amaburt@yahoo.com) to say which project you want to sign up for this event. Then, this year, to secure your placement at the Christmas party and to ensure you have a project, please RSVP with payment via Zelle or Venmo to Mandi no later than September 1, 2023. This helps make sure the kits are ordered and delivered on time + allows anyone doing swaps enough time to make great ones to share!

If you are interested in having a small space to sell your creations, please email Mandi @ amaburt@yahoo.com to set this up. The space would be about a cookie sheet in size for you to display your creations.

The Westminster Mini Yard Sale was a HIT! The turnout was amazing, so many new mini people everyone got to me + there were some great deals!



There were so many amazing displays as well!



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Dolls House Trends in 2023

(from Minimum World)

New trends, popular designs and exciting innovations

If you love dollhouse miniatures, you're always on the lookout for the latest trends and designs to add to your collection. As we head into 2023, there are several exciting new trends emerging in the world of dollhouse miniatures. From modern and minimalist to vintage-inspired, there's something for every style and taste. Here are 10 dollhouse miniature trends to watch out for in 2023:

- 1. Natural Materials:** Dollhouse miniatures made from natural materials like wood, stone, and clay are becoming increasingly popular. They offer a warm and organic feel that's perfect for creating cozy, welcoming spaces. [See our Barewood category for inspiration and cheap dolls house furniture.](#)
- 2. Smart Homes:** Smart technology is making its way into the world of dollhouse miniatures. From voice-activated lights and appliances to miniature security systems, you can now create a fully functional smart home for your miniature inhabitants.
- 3. Sustainable Design:** As more people become conscious of their environmental impact, sustainable design is becoming more popular in the world of dollhouse miniatures. Miniature solar panels, rainwater harvesting systems, and other eco-friendly features are gaining popularity.
- 4. Miniature Plants:** Adding miniature plants to your dollhouse is a great way to bring a touch of nature inside. From tiny succulents to delicate flowers, miniature plants are a must-have for any dollhouse enthusiast.
- 5. Modern and Minimalist:** Modern and minimalist design is making a comeback in the world of dollhouse miniatures. Sleek lines, neutral colors, and simple furnishings create a clean and contemporary look that's perfect for modern miniature homes.
- 6. Vintage-Inspired:** Vintage-inspired dollhouse miniatures are always in style. From antique furniture to retro appliances, adding vintage touches to your dollhouse can create a timeless and charming feel.
- 7. Fairy Tale-Inspired:** Fairy tales have always been a popular theme in the world of dollhouse miniatures. From miniature castles to enchanted gardens, creating a fairy tale-inspired dollhouse is a magical way to express your creativity.
- 8. Miniature Pets:** Dollhouse miniatures aren't just for humans! Adding miniature pets like cats, dogs, and birds to your dollhouse can bring your miniature world to life.
- 9. Customized Dollhouse Miniatures:** Customizing your dollhouse miniatures is a growing trend in the hobby. From handmade furniture to miniature art pieces, personalized touches can make your dollhouse truly unique.
- 10. Miniature Food:** Miniature food has always been a staple in the world of dollhouse miniatures, but it's becoming even more popular in 2023. From tiny cakes and cookies to miniature sushi and burgers, creating a miniature food scene is a fun and creative way to add character to your dollhouse.

In conclusion, these are just 10 of the many exciting dollhouse miniature trends to watch out for in 2023. Whether you're a seasoned collector or just starting out, incorporating these trends into your dollhouse can add personality, style, and fun to your miniature world. Keep an eye out for these trends and don't be afraid to experiment with new ideas!

On a recent trip to Italy, I had the opportunity to meet and be amazed over [Mariangela Gagliardi's](#) creations. She is by far one of the most exceptional miniature artisans I have had the pleasure to meet to-date.



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Dollhouse Market Research | 2023-2030

Published: May 21, 2023 at 8:17 p.m. ET (The Expresswire)

360 Research Reports has published a new report titled as "[Dollhouse Market](#)" by End User (*SuperMarkets and HyperMarkets, Specialty Store, Online Retail, Others*), Types (*Unfinished Kits, Finished Dollhouses*), Region and Global Forecast to 2023-2030 - Executive Data Report. This Exclusive Data Report also presents qualitative and quantitative perspectives on SWOT and PESTLE analysis based on geographical regions and industry segments.

Who is the largest manufacturers of Dollhouse worldwide?

- Celerity Miniature Homes
- Circus Dollhouse
- CKD Ventures, LLC
- Corona Conepts
- Dolls House Direct
- Greenleaf Dollhouses.
- Manhattan Dollhouse
- Real Good Toys.
- The Lawbre Company.
- The Little Dollhouse Company
- PLAYMOBIL
- KidKraft
- Hape
- Melissa and Doug
- LEGO
- Calico
- Roominate



Short Description About Dollhouse Market:

The Global Dollhouse market is anticipated to rise at a considerable rate during the forecast period, between 2022 and 2030. In 2021, the market is growing at a steady rate and with the rising adoption of strategies by key players, the market is expected to rise over the projected horizon.

What are the factors driving the growth of the Dollhouse market?

Growing demand for below applications around the world has had a direct impact on the growth of the Dollhouse

- SuperMarkets and HyperMarkets
- Specialty Store
- Online Retail
- Others

What are the types of Dollhouses available in the market?

Based on Product Types the Market is categorized into Below types that held the largest Dollhouse market share in 2022.

- Unfinished Kits
- Finished Dollhouses

Which regions are leading the Dollhouse market?

- North America (United States, Canada and Mexico)
- Europe (Germany, UK, France, Italy, Russia and Turkey etc.)
- Asia-Pacific (China, Japan, Korea, India, Australia, Indonesia, Thailand, Philippines, Malaysia and Vietnam)
- South America (Brazil, Argentina, Columbia etc.)
- Middle East and Africa (Saudi Arabia, UAE, Egypt, Nigeria and South Africa)

MINIATURE WORKS

Meet the Owners

BY ANNE PYBURN CRAIG, MARCH 14, 2023



There's something curiously magnetic about tiny things. Looking at an intricate dollhouse, we're drawn into imagination. What it would be like to shrink, Alice-in-Wonderland-style, and be transported to that wee world? How did the artist find the patience and craft it took to create such detail?

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Lovers of fine tiny things will find bliss at Miniature Works in High Falls among the endless variety of tiny furnishings and household items crafted by Brigitte Nagle. Her jam is crafting artful items that look as though the fairies—or perhaps the Borrowers—have just stepped out for a moment and will be right back. And if there’s a miniature item or particular vignette you’d like to have, as a special keepsake or gift, she’ll build it to your specifications. “This place is so cool, and the artist is a dynamite human,” reads a five-star review on Google. “If you’re in High Falls, this place is must-see.”

Nagle grew up mostly in Ulster County, but spent time in Astoria, Queens and Bakersfield, California, where her father worked rodeos as a bull rider. “I spent rodeo days playing make-believe under the grandstands, and I loved building shoebox troll houses at recess,” she says. “And I’ve always loved

the fine details: of architecture, of interior design, art, and history. I love miniatures. Those passions, combined, are at the core of Miniature Works.” Her early dream of growing up to be a circus clown failed to come to fruition, but she found that teaching social studies—as well as being half the team responsible for the legendary Spy Social Eatery and Bar in High Falls—made for a satisfying life. But her love of making little things never faded, and in July of 2022, she opened her gallery and shop.

Since then, her fellow fans of small perfections have been gathering round. “There have been a variety of curious shoppers since opening,” she says. “Some heard of me through word of mouth, and some stumbled across the shop by chance. I love finding out why and how they came to stop in! There have been other miniaturists and makers, model train collectors, writers, CEOs...all sorts of diverse people are drawn to these. There are also young people just attracted to all things small.”



Some have heard of her custom services and realize they can order a bespoke piece as a truly one-of-a-kind gift for that friend who has everything. “When I first opened the shop, I consciously set it up to have something for everyone,” she says. “We have a vintage collection, kits, handmade and manufactured dollhouse furniture to furnish a dollhouse in multiple scales, classes, and the service that sparks the most joy—the making of a place, a moment, or event to salute someone’s life using photographs.”

Nagle’s passion is creating works that tell a story as unique as the humans behind it. “I’ve always found that the deepest connections were made in my classroom through storytelling,” she writes on her website. “Sharing not only facts and dates, but the stories that provide depth. My favorite part was always learning which stories my students connected with and how different their interpretations were from mine—and that is what I seek to create in my miniatures: stories that I share, to which the viewer can attach their own personal connection.”



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Inspiration comes from the world around her, from found objects, and sometimes straight from her imagination. “I often find myself looking at a discarded scrap of some sort and saying, ‘I can turn that into something!’” she says. “Often an experiment, or an inspired design, will end up becoming three or four pieces that undeniably form a recognizable room in a dwelling. And the history teacher comes out when I make a scene. I love scenes that elicit lots of questions: What were they reading? Why is the phone off the hook? Where were they going in such a rush?”



It’s a quirky business and a great fit for the quirky little town of High Falls, known to locals with tongue (partly) in cheek as the Center of the Universe. “This has been our community for the past 30 years as the Spy Social Eatery,” she says, “and our customers are now our friends. Because we are connected to the community, it only seemed right to stay in High Falls. When our current location became available, I drove by it every day and longingly peered into the window, imagining it as Miniature Works. It was meant to be.”



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As a largely self-taught artist (“I’m a visual, detail-oriented person, and I learned through research,

practice and then more practice,” she says), Nagle is very aware of the joy of making, and wants to spread the fun as widely as possible. Miniature Works hosts a variety of classes; in early 2023, you could sign up for an evening of learning how to make your own tiny paper flowers or craft miniature food items from polymer clay, working with clay, or building a diorama kit to tell an entire story.

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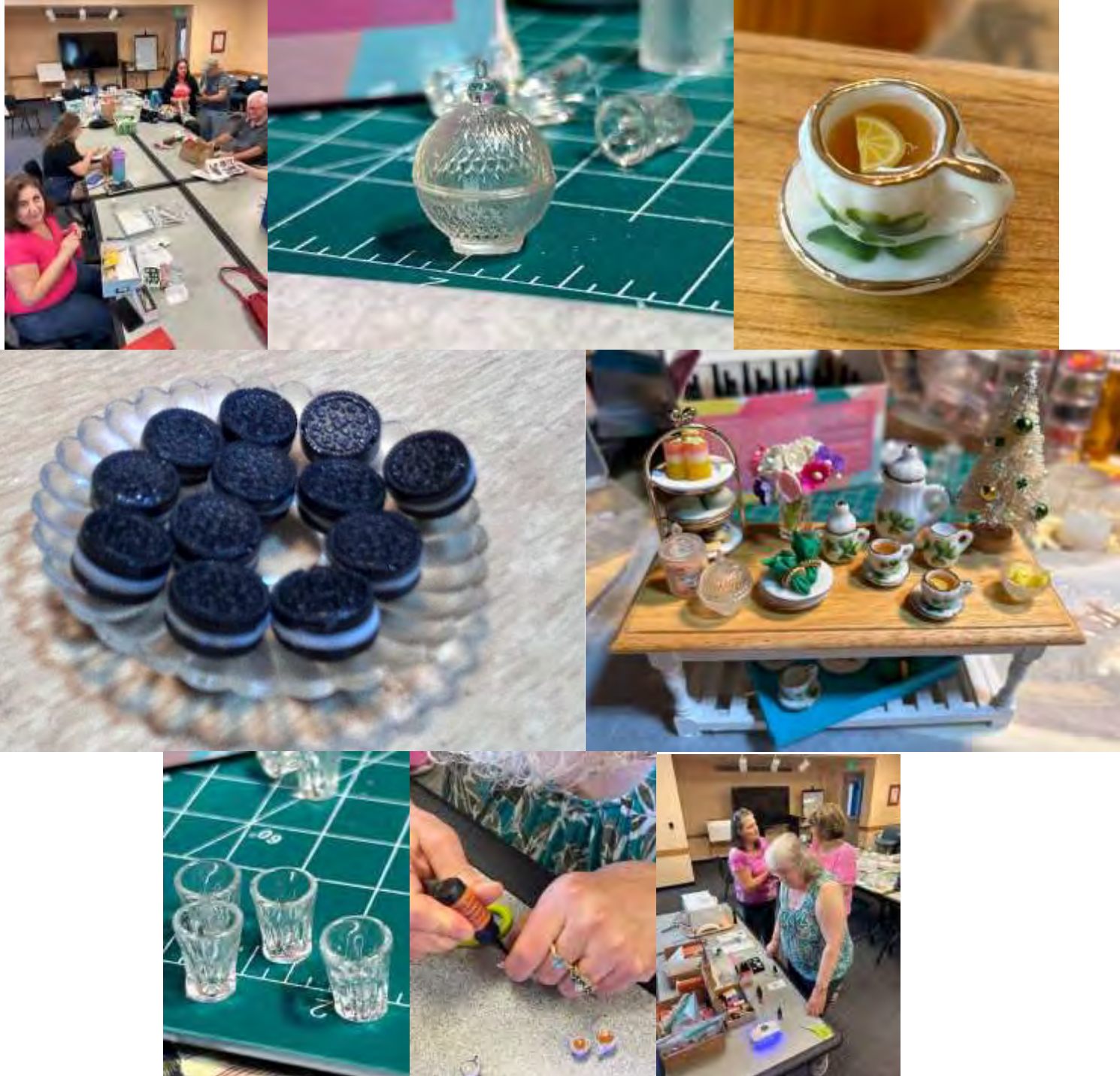
Years of thriving in not one but two very people-oriented fields, restaurants and education, have polished Nagle’s hostessing and entertaining skills, and whether you’re signing up for a class, thinking about a custom project, or just stopping in to marvel at her teeny tiny world, you’ll find a warm welcome. “My goal is, of course, to build this not-so-common business that supports itself,” she says. “Perhaps even more so, my goal is to restart or unleash the creativity in everyone. We all have it; it just might be deep within. We could all use help to bring it to the forefront, maybe in a new, uncharted genre.”



**MINIATURE WORKS
HIGH FALLS, NY
BNMINIATUREWORKS.COM
BNMINIATUREWORKS@GMAIL.COM
CELL: 845-417-1693
STORE: 845-377-1017**

Mini Misfits June Club meeting was like “old home week”!

We hadn't been together as a club for a few months. We had a great time starting a High Tea project and learning about resin, making cups, dishes, making 'tea' in our teacups, and so much more! We were very excited to welcome some newcomers to our group as well!



Connect with other Miniaturists

Maryland			
Club Name	Contact	Meeting Place	Membership Open
Annapolis & Metropolitan DC			
Wee Friends of Annapolis C-708	Katie Goldfarb Potomac, MD 301-346-1671 - goldesigns@earthlink.net	Members' homes Saturday monthly - 10:00 am	Yes
Baltimore			
Maryland Miniatures Unlimited C-703	Jean Brown Towson, MD 443-794-9833 - minimaker@icloud.com	Baltimore County Historical Society, 10870 9811 Van Buren Lane 3rd Sat. Sept - June 10:00 a.m.	Yes
Damascus			
Mini Misfits of Damascus C-1041	Sue Ann Ketchum Damascus, MD 301-253-5864 - sheltielover30@gmail.com	Damascus Library 9701 Main St., Damascus, MD 20872 Usually the 3rd Saturday @ 11:00 am	Yes
Towson			
Favorite Things C-022	Jean Brown Towson, MD 443-794-9833 - minimaker@icloud.com	Ascension Lutheran Church 7601 York Rd, Towson, MD 21204 10:00 AM - 1st Saturday - Sept thru June	Yes
Hereford/Lutherville			
Maryland Half-Scalers C-951	Carol Ann Frost Lutherville, MD 410-340-2306 - carol.ann.frost@verizon.net	Wegman's Hunt Valley Town Centre, Baltimore Cty 1st Sat. of each month (Jan - Sept) 10 AM - 1 PM	YES
Pennsylvania			
Club Name	Contact	Meeting Place	Membership Open
Allentown - Bethlehem - Easton			
Lehigh Valley Small On Scale C-285	Lois Kunkle Northampton, PA 610-760-2288 - lois.kunkle@yahoo.com	Various members' homes 1st Tuesday of the month 6:30 p.m.	Yes
Bensalem			
Philly Miniatics C-776	Susan O'Connor Morrisville, PA 215-219-7538 - Quehas4@gmail.com	Warminster Library, 1076 Emma Lane, Warminster, PA 215-672-4361 1st Saturday each month 11:00 a.m.	Yes
Chester Springs - Exton - E. Goshen			
Startin' Small C-989	Ann Pennypacker Chester Springs, PA 610-496-9382 - Aminithing@gmail.com	Joann's Craft Store Downingtown, PA 3rd Sunday each month 1:00 PM	Yes
Johnstown			
Mini at Heart C-1053	Charlene Trimeloni Johnstown, PA 814-244-1070 - MiniAtHeartNAME@gmail.com	President's home (call or email to RSVP) 1st Wed. of most months 2 pm - 4 pm	Yes
Lemoyne			
Central Pennsylvania Society of Miniature Enthusiasts C-313	Judith Patton Lemoyne, PA 717-525-1477 (LVM) - maushaus17@verizon.net	3rd Sat @9:30 am Shepherdstown UM Church	Yes - Looking for new members
Nanticoke			
The Minis of N.E.P.A. C-834	Michelle Faleshock White Haven, PA 570-592-3660 - michelle@michellesminiatures.com	Trishie's Tiny Treasures Shop Nanticoke, PA 3rd Sat. of each month 10:00 AM	Yes
Pittsburgh			
Three Rivers Miniature Club C-889	Kristie Horrell Washington, PA 724-554-3131/ kristie_horrell@yahoo.com	Eat N Park 3380 Washington Rd, McMurray, PA 4th Thurs. of each month 6:30 p.m.	Yes
Virginia			
Club Name	Contact	Meeting Place	Membership Open
Alexandria			
Mt. Vernon Miniatures Club International C-831	Laurie Sisson Alexandria, VA 703-340-0703 - Sissonva@aol.com	Meeting Online via Zoom Members taking turns hosting 4:00 p.m. every Saturday	Yes
Newport News			
Peninsula Heritage Miniature Society C-388	Jeff Wilson Newport News, VA 757-746-5328 - tinytattler@earthlink.net	Variable - contact Club President for location 2nd Tuesday @ 11:00 a.m.	Yes
Richmond			
V.M.E. Virginia Miniature Enthusiasts C-017	Linda LaBelle Richmond, VA 804-264-0364 - lab4021@comcast.net	Ridge Baptist Church 1515 Eastridge Road, Richmond, Virginia 23229/ 1ST Sunday of the month, except July, August at 2:00 p.m.	YES

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Hotel Information



Emerald Resort
 (Formerly the Hyannis Resort and Conference Center)
 35 Scudder Avenue
 Hyannis, MA - 02601
 (866)-828-8259

Room rate is \$159 plus taxes and fees

Hotel amenities:

- Complimentary On-site Parking
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Indoor pool and Outdoor Pool and Fitness Room
- Beauty Salon
- 100% Non-smoking rooms
- Handicap accessible rooms

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: A block of guest rooms has been reserved **August 16 - 20, 2023** at the Group rate of **\$159** plus tax - at The Resort & Conference Center at Hyannis for the **National Association for Miniature Enthusiasts (NAME)**. We have extended the group rate starting **August 12th**, and ending **August 21st, 2023** - based on guest room availability for any pre/post stays. We encourage you to reserve early since it is a prime week on Cape Cod.

PLEASE NOTE IN ORDER TO BOOK YOUR RESERVATION ONLINE:

<http://www.capecodresortandconference.com/>
“Check Availability/Book Online”
Enter Group Code: NAME23

Or, book your room by calling the hotel at (866) 828-8259

Guests must identify their affiliation with **National Associates of Miniature Enthusiasts 2023** when making reservations.

In order to receive the group rate, please be sure to only use the above website to reserve their rooms and not a third party website such as Expedia or Orbitz etc.

All reservations must be secured by a one night deposit, plus current 14.45% Massachusetts Occupancy room tax, per room via a valid American Express, Visa or MasterCard number. The block of rooms will be held until **July 19th, 2023** at which time the unused portion will be released and rack rates will apply.

If an individual reservation is cancelled **EIGHT** days or more prior to arrival, the deposit is refunded, less \$15.00 service charge and a cancellation number is obtained. If an individual reservation is cancelled **SEVEN** days or less prior to arrival, or does not arrive on the specified dates, the reservation is cancelled for all nights and the entire deposit will be forfeited.

It is the responsibility of the guest to reserve special needs/handicap accessible rooms.

From Sea to Shining Sea • NAME 2023 Convention • Hyannis, Cape Cod, MA

REGISTRATION FORM

One person registering per form • This form may be duplicated • Registration is NOT transferable



2023 NATIONAL CONVENTION HYANNIS, CAPE COD, MASSACHUSETTS

From Sea to Shining Sea August 17-20, 2023



For Office Use Only	
Region	_____
Member Year	_____
Registration #	_____

Registration Opens - January 20, 2023*
Cancellation Deadline - July 3, 2023**
Registration Fee \$265

**You may mail your registration form between January 2, 2023 and January 20, 2023 for it to be considered first day postmarked (NO EARLIER).*

Name _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone (_____) _____ Cell (_____) _____

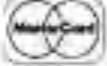

E-mail _____

Name as you would like it on your badge _____

The entire packet will be available to view and download from the NAME website: www.miniatures.org

- Will you still need a paper packet mailed to you? Yes No
- Have you ever attended a NAME Convention or Houseparty? Yes No
- Do you require vegetarian or modified meals? Yes No
 If yes, please specify here: Vegetarian Other: _____
 Please include only medically necessary restrictions or modifications.
- Do you have mobility issues (for meal & workshop purposes)? Yes No
 If yes, Need wheelchair access Need stroller access Use a walker
- If under the age of 18, please list your age and accompanying adult: _____

Spaces will be filled on a first come, first served basis according to valid postmark. If there are more registrations received with first day postmarks than there is room for, those with the longest length of continuous membership will be given preference. Specific information on workshops, roundtables and special events will accompany registration confirmation. Check the NAME website: www.miniatures.org for further updates!

If you wish to charge your registration you must complete the following:  

Name on Card _____

Account Number _____ Expiration _____

Signature _____

Please make checks payable to: **NAME 2023 National Convention** and send to:
NAME 2023 National Convention Registration, PO Box 69, Carmel, IN 46082-0069
****No refunds issued after July 3, 2023 • Cancellation fee: \$40 • NO TELEPHONE REGISTRATIONS**

Lehigh Valley Small on Scale Miniature Club Show and Sale
Sunday, July 16, 2023

10 am – 4 pm
 Delta Hotel by Marriott
 Route 100 & 178
 Breinigsville, PA
 Adults \$5, Children under 12: \$1
 Free Kids Class at 1pm.
 Show proceeds benefit charities and educational endeavors.
www.lehighvalleyminiatures.com



Special Event - First State Mini Club Indoor Yard Sale
Saturday, September 16th, 2023

Claymont Community Center
 3301 Green Street
 Claymont, DE 19703
12 pm – 3:30 pm
<https://www.firststateminiclub.org/>



2023 Guild Show
September 30, 10:30 am – 4 pm
October 1, 10 am – 3:30 pm

Hilton Hasbrouck
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 IGMA Members admitted free
 Non-member Admission: \$10 one day, \$15 two-day pass
 Children under 14: free



Frederick Miniature Spectacular
Sunday, October 8, 2023

10 am – 3 pm
 Tickets are on sale now! In advance \$8/per person via [Eventbrite](https://www.eventbrite.com) or \$10/per person at the door

Bring a donation of two (2) non-perishable, non-expired food items and receive a special treat at check-in! (All Donations benefit the Greater Urbana Area Food Bank)



NAME 2023 National Convention

From Sea to Shining Sea
 August 17-20, 2023
 Cape Cod, MA
 Registration is open.



<https://miniatures.org/2023CapeCod>

NAME 2024 National Convention - "Old Southern Charm"

August 1-4, 2024
 Franklin, TN



Calling all Dealers and Instructors! We are accepting applications for the 2024 National Convention in Franklin, TN. Applications are online at <https://miniatures.org/2024Franklin>
Deadline is October 23, 2023!

Dollhouse Kit for Sale:

FEDERAL VICTORIAN FRONT OPENING HOUSE. KW-174. Being sold from Frederick MD. Unfinished/New-in-Box, main house + one left and one right annexes. All three sold as a set. Hofco Company, Inc.- Premium Edition House- 32" x 32" x 16" deep Each Add-on Kit Annexes/Wings- 20" x 15" x 12" deep Finished images of house are shown as examples. These are the kits to build this house. Rare Vintage Doll House. Reach out for pricing/Cash Only – proceeds go to The Greater Urbana Area Food Bank
 Reach out to Jennifer @ Mrscofone@aol.com



Sharing is Caring!

Last issue, we asked for input on kits you like, have built, etc.

To date, only a few people have sent in information and photos. Enjoy!



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Club Corner

-- Our mini friends want to know what you and your Clubs (individually or as a group) have been working on lately! This will be a space dedicated to showing off your fun creations! Do share!

Summer is here. Please send me your Holiday/July 4th projects and any fun pictures of the National convention, other mini shops you have discovered. to share with our next Newsletter! Everyone would love to see what you and your Fellow Mini friends have made!

Please send me any and all things to miniaturesdmv@gmail.com! Be well, be safe, and have fun!
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