

Summer Show Guidelines



The MM Collectors Inc. welcomes your interest in hosting a Summer Convention for our club. The following list identifies our guidelines. The club will provide a contact person to answer questions and help coordinate your efforts.

1. The MMCI Summer Show must be held in conjunction with an established local show and be represented by an MMCI member.
2. The host will ensure that there are sufficient area hotels to accommodate anticipated number of show attendees.
3. The host makes all arrangements for the banquet including speaker or entertainment, door prizes, and favors. Reservations and payment for the banquet must be done prior to the show; host determines cut-off dates and accepts reservations and payments.
4. The host and MMCI will each appoint a spokesperson to be a contact person.
5. **Minneapolis-Moline and Minneapolis-Moline Collectors Inc.** must be prominently displayed on show bills/flyers and on all advertising.
6. A separate display area must be provided for M-M tractors; M-M tractors should be featured collectively in the parade. The club has an announcer available for the M-M portion of the parade.
7. The host provides a facility for vendor and collector displays. Adequate show ground display security must be provided.
8. The host will not charge MMCI or *The MM Corresponder* magazine for vendor space/tables but may charge all other vendors selling for profit (NOT those exhibiting an MM display). Selling M-M items is preferred. Vendors may sell off-brands as long as also selling M-M items. Place MMCI and MM *Corresponder* vendor spaces next to each other.
9. A maximum of \$1,000.00 will be available for reasonable and customary expenses. Itemized costs must be approved by the directors and presented to the club treasurer for payment.
10. MMCI will provide financial resources so that reduced banquet prices for children 12 and under can be offered as an encouragement to the "next generation of collectors." MMCI Board encourages a family-oriented banquet and reasonably-priced banquet tickets.
11. The host provides MMCI a list of M-M feature brand registrants (names, addresses, etc.) if requested.
12. The host and the MMCI contact person will work together in getting advertising copy to the MM *Corresponder* and the MMCI webmaster to promote the show for the benefit of both MMCI and the host club. *Corresponder* submission deadline dates: January 1 and April 1. [July 1 also if show is held in September]

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