

Northeast Mini Sweepstakes Convention
(aka The Hershey Mini Convention)
Friday October 17-Sunday October 19, 2008
Returning to the Holiday Inn Harrisburg/Hershey
Grantville, PA (717 469-0661)

We are returning to Hershey for our 3rd annual mini convention!!

Registration: Convention and Banquet are open to anyone 13+. Pre-Registration: \$125 per person which includes access Friday Night's Welcome Reception, all daily sessions, all session door prize drawings, the lunch on Saturday afternoon and entrance to the banquet and banquet dinner Saturday night.

Guests: BANQUET ONLY Registrations have been SOLD OUT and are no longer available. A limited amount of space is available for spouses, friends and significant others who wish to attend only the banquet on Saturday evening. The cost per person to attend the banquet only is \$55 and includes entrance to the banquet and banquet meal only. Why not join the fun and attend everything all weekend?

Hotel: We have a discounted rate of \$105 plus tax per night for the hotel rooms. Call 717 469-0661 directly (not the 800 number). Be sure to mention that you are coming in for the Northeast Mini Sweepstakes Convention to get the discounted rate. It is highly encouraged that you stay overnight at the hotel because the cost of the convention is based primarily on the amount in attendance coupled with how many nights we book at the hotel. The more rooms we take the more money we have left to purchase additional prizes. There is another large party booking that same weekend. We have blocked off 80 rooms for Friday and Saturday night.

Deadline: Registrations must be received by September 27, 2008 or when we reach capacity of 200.

Fill out one registration form per person. Make check payable to "Northeast Mini Sweepstakes Convention. Important: Checks made out to any other name will be returned. Mail your payment and registration form to:

**Northeast Mini Sweepstakes Convention
c/o Carol McLaughlin
528 Princess Ave.
Croydon, PA 19021**

Include a self-addressed stamped envelope or an email address for confirmation of registration once your check has cleared the bank. Allow a minimum of ten (10) days for checks to clear the bank.

Refund Policy: If you find out that you will be unable to attend AFTER submitting the fee, you may be eligible for a full or half refund. FULL REFUND if a written cancellation notice is

received via e-mail or postal mail by May 31, 2008. HALF REFUND if a written notice of cancellation is received via email or postal mail by September 30, 2008. Absolutely NO REFUNDS will be issued after September 30, 2007.

The coordinators of the Hershey Mini Sweepstakes Convention feel that these cut-off dates are most fair to both the participants and the planning of the convention. **Registrations are non-transferable.**

Please fill out one registration form for each person attending:

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ Email Address (if applicable) _____

Check if Banquet Only _____ **BE SURE TO FILL OUT AND ENCLOSE PAGE 2**

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Please visit www.hersheyminiconvention.com or direct questions to Carol McLaughlin hmcCarol@gmail.com or

Rob Nease hmcrob@gmail.com

2008 NORTHEAST MINI SWEEPSTAKES CONVENTION (aka HERSHEY MINI CONVENTION)

Page Two---- Full Registrations only -- This is part of the Registration Form!!

(These pages will get separated once we get them which is the reason we are requesting the same information in some parts and the rest of the questions help us to put your program together.)

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip

Code: _____

Phone Number (Home) (____)____ - _____ E-mail address _____

How long have you been entering sweepstakes? ____ Do you do on-lines? ____ Snails ____

Radio? ____ Text ____

What do you do for a living?

Have you ever done a speaking presentation? _____ If so, on what subject? _____

And if so, would you like to be placed on the list of pending speakers for consideration?

Please list what sweepstakes clubs you belong to:

What sweepstakes related newsletters/subscriptions do you subscribe to?
(online-sweepstakes.com, SweepSheet, Sweeping America, This N' That, etc.) Please include
your member name or screen name.

How many of each have you won so far? I have won: _____ cars; _____ trips; _____ to where?

_____ entertainment systems/televisions; and anything bigger that we should know about?

Have you ever attended a national convention? _____ If so, which ones or how many years?

Will you be attending the National Convention in San Antonio in 2008? _____

Did you attend the 2006 Hershey Convention? _____ The 2007 Hershey Convention?

Are you willing to help be a "runner" _____ or volunteer when and if needed? _____

If volunteering, we won't take up all of your free time. We may use you for an hour or so. List
what you'd like to help with if needed and any limitations.

A large part of the registration fee goes towards the food costs, the rental of the convention
rooms all weekend, the rental cost of the electronic equipment and other expenses, with some
money budgeted for the larger door prizes. Of course, there are never too many prizes for us
sweepers and we certainly want you guys to win throughout the weekend!! Would you be able
to donate any prizes towards this year's convention? _____. (Please keep an eye out
throughout the year for any opportunities whether through an employer, friend, frequented
business, etc.. Please Contact Carol McLaughlin, coordinator of prize donations, for
instructions.)

We are soooo looking forward to seeing you and your friends join us in another fun-filled
weekend!!!!

We will be providing all information via the website listed below. If you do not have access to a
computer please let us know right away so that we can get information to you as necessary.
Spread the word!!!

website: <http://www.hersheyminiconvention.com>