

Cincinnati Scotty Friends

2019 Scottie Collectors Convention

Wednesday evening June 19th - Saturday evening June 22nd, 2019

A HOMECOMING TO:

Holiday Inn & Suites Cincinnati Eastgate, 4501 Eastgate Blvd, Cincinnati, OH 45245 (513) 752-4400

Margie and Van Jones and Peggy and Gary Moore are pleased to present with their utmost
Pride, Passion, and Pleasure...

“EMBRACE THE JOY OF SCOTTIES! FRIENDS! TREASURE!”

Hotel reservations: call Janice Price directly 513-943-5819 or Regan Senton 513-943-5809 Monday – Friday from 9 AM to 4 PM EST. Cincinnati Scotty Friends special group rate of \$99.00 + tax Suite \$139 + tax. Thanks to all of you who have made reservations early. The hotel still expects a sell out for our dates. Please make your reservations ASAP due to room availability and to insure you receive our special group rates.

Dear Scottie Collectors,

We extend this invitation to you and your Scottie friends interested in learning more about Scottish terrier collectibles. If you have never attended, 2019 would be an excellent time to join our special Scottie family. To our Scottie family members who have not attended recently, come back!, You have been missed. We are proud of the longevity of this club and the faithful attendees who have led us to another convention in 2019. We are also glad to welcome Newbies every year.

This entire 'show' will be a tribute to our history together. The club began in 1983, and it has been Cincinnati Scotty Friends great pleasure to present this Scottie family tradition every June for our 14th year (2006 to 2019). The theme says it all quite simply, the joy and enrichment of Scotties, friends, and treasure in our lives. This journey, we all decided to take together is because of our love and obsession of the wee pointy eared Scottie dog. Your Scottie adventure begins here and here are some highlights:

THE WAY WE WERE / THROWBACK TO THE 1980'S IN THE BALLROOM: This event on Wednesday evening begins with **NEWBIES** – entering at 5:30 P.M., which is when they meet their experienced sidekicks – **OLDIES** - who will help show them the ropes. All others enter at 6:00 PM. We're going back to the 1980's honoring the clubs beginning in 1983. Google this decade for endless inspirational ideas for costumes. We had forgotten how eventful the 80's were. We hope everyone will participate in the festivities. Secret judges will award prizes at the opening session on Thursday.

Upon entering the ballroom, you'll receive your informational packet containing your name tag that gives you access to all events, your auction number, schedule of events, and everything else you need to know about the convention.

ADVENTURE BEGINS ON THE SCOTTIE DOG TRAIL ROOM HOPPING: Starts immediately after the 'Meet N Greet'. Room numbers with items for sale will be announced, then prepare yourself for those special Scottie purchases, maybe some with 1980's prices, if you're lucky. **'Shop till you Drop'**. You'll be amazed at the number and variety of Scottie items available. Major cash may be needed for this event! Hope you find a treasure or two.

SCOTTIES MAKE OUR HEARTS SMILE PARADE: Steps off promptly at 8:30 A.M. Thursday complete with our own bagpiper/attendee Dorothy Bugg. Pack a costume (optional) for yourself and/or fur kids. Perhaps carry the 1980's theme over? There will be photo opportunities during and after the parade. We will be all smiles watching our 'wee ones' marching to bagpipes and strutting their stuff as only they can. Talk about hearts bursting with joy!

STILL SCOTTIE CRAZY AFTER ALL THESE YEARS OPENING AND CHERISHED SCOTTIE

DISCOVERIES SHOW & TELL: Begins immediately after the parade in the Ballroom. The gangs all here once again for the official opening of the Scottie family tradition. Some of us are crazier than others after all these years. Prince (popular in the 80's said it best – "Let's Go (Scottie) Crazy". Bring a special 'discovery' you would like to talk about and show to the group, or share a short Scottie story. Items presented in Show & Tell **WILL NOT BE PERMITTED** as auction items.

IT'S ALL ABOUT THE SCOTTIE DOG BUT 'NO FRIENDS' AT THE AUCTION: Thursday evening with Auctioneer Leighton Turner. Each attendee may place two items in the auction. We recommend that items have value and are not easily obtainable. Newer items are OK, but usually don't generate great enthusiasm. You can 'buy back' your item, but are responsible for the 10% auctioneer's fee. The auction is a great time to acquire that unusual or rare Scottie item. Paddles high in the air, don't be shy, no friends tonight.

Due to Department of Health and beverage laws, **ALL** food and beverages consumed at any function associated with this event **MUST** be purchased from the Hotel. i.e. We cannot bring food / beverages into the auction or other events. There will be a concession with libations and limited snacks available for purchase in the room during the auction.

Join us in showing our sincere appreciation to Kathy and Marty Rose for graciously agreeing to orchestrate this event once again. We are grateful to them for their perfection and expertise, along with their chosen team of volunteers and Vannas, they always do a stellar job. They have been trying to retire from Cincinnati Scotty Friends for a few years, but then say "OK, one more time". Also, what would the auction be without Van Jones' Scottie knowledge and professionalism for all these years?

SCOTTIE TREASURE WILL ALWAYS BE OUR PLEASURE EXTRAVAGANZA SALE: Friday morning Happy Scottie shopping days are here again. This is a Scottie'Tacular' event with tables of treasures for your pleasure. You'll see what an understatement that is! The hotel has a limited supply of tables available, therefore you may rent 2 (3 based on availability) tables to sell your Scottie wares. The 3rd table will be on a first come basis (based on your registration post mark date). If you pay for the additional table and it is not available – you will be refunded the rental cost of \$20. Again, we are appreciative to Marty Rose for his perfection of table layouts for ALL events – He works his magic – it doesn't just happen.

THE GOOD LIFE BEGAN WITH A SCOTTIE COLLECTIBLE DISPLAY: Do you remember your first collectible? Saturday morning is your chance to show off some of your old or new Scottie items. It is still amazing to see the vast variety of collectibles in our attendee's collections. This certainly is an extremely educational event as you will be able to chat with displayers as they are eager to share their knowledge, information, and memories, etc... with you. This is the greatest opportunity to expand all of our collecting horizons. Truly this is a tribute to our years of shared Scottie history. You will understand after viewing these collectible displays that Scotties really do 'complete us'.

If you are displaying, don't forget your own table cover as these are not provided for you. If you are unable to bring a full collectible display, we encourage you to bring a favorite 'uncommon' treasure (or two) even a snap shot of an item or write up of a fond memory of a favorite or perhaps your first collectible. These are placed on special display tables. We hope you will bring an item for **'SCOTTIES ARE A CUT ABOVE THE REST SPECIAL DISPLAY'**, to share with the group. Another great aspect of this event is sharing pictures, photo albums, scrapbooks, exchanging Scottie info etc., with others. A sit down area will be provided. Please tuck something into your suitcase to share.

THANKS FOR THE UNFORGETTABLE SCOTTIE MEMORIES BANQUET AND STRIKE A SCOTTIE POSE FASHION SHOW:

Unfortunately, all good things **MUST** come to an end with Saturday evening's conclusion. Following our dinner, we meet on the Scottie runway for the **Fashion Show**, where Scotties are our favorite accessories. Project Runway has nothing on our attendees! This is yet another opportunity to shine in the spotlight, exhibiting your Scottie creativity and imagination. Cincinnati Scotty Friends hopes to see lots of participation this year. Your fashion **MUST** pertain to Scotties! **NEWBIES** it is mandatory that you

participate! Don't forget your camera ... a picture tells it all ... over and over again!! This is also the time, during the banquet; we will have acknowledgements, door prizes, drawings, raffle prizes, and the finale of receiving our commemoratives.

ADDITIONALLY:

TWO EDUCATIONAL AND INFORMATIVE SEMINARS:

BINGO: Hear Ye! Hear Ye! A new BINGO KING has been crowned in Scottieland. We can't wait to see what King Kevin Werth has in store for the group. Whatever he does, it will have his over-the-top uniqueness and be assured, taken to a level you won't believe! It will be an experience you won't want to miss.

SCOTTIE WOOD SQUARES: Presented by Lori and Penny Shurte, and their star studded production crew. We will be howling with delight at this zany group of squares as they entertain us with their version of Hollywood Squares. We give it a 5-star rating in advance! Lots of audience participation too – Don't miss it.

DONATIONS: We appreciate any favors/mementos that you would like to share with the group for the goodie bags, door, raffle, or game prizes. Our anticipated attendance is 130+. Please contact Gary Moore personally after May 1st, to get a more accurate count.

VENDORS available on Vendor Alley offering our attendees the latest in Scottie items and art work.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: To insure that you receive our special group rates, you must inform **Janice Price 513-943-5819** or **Regan Senton 513-943-5809** that you are with the **Cincinnati Scotty Friends, prior to May 28, 2019**. Please make your reservations early. In order to keep all our vendors together Gary Moore will assign vendor rooms. Note that all hotel rooms are equipped with refrigerators, coffee makers, and free WiFi.

CONVENTION REGISTRATION: This is a private group convention. Admission to the convention is only by pre-paid registration fee and not open to the general public (The only exception is that guests may accompany you in the "Collectibles Display" room on Saturday). Your convention registration includes participation in all events, a commemorative, a group lunch on Thursday, breakfast on Friday prior to Extravaganza Sale, and a group banquet dinner on Saturday. There are **NO** 'partial' or 'single-event' registrations available. Convention registration cost this year is \$170.00 per person. **HOWEVER**, we are offering an **Early Bird Registration Special:** Registrations received by (**NOT** postmarked by) **MAY 1st** will be \$150.00 per person. (An incredible BARGAIN) Children under age 12 will be \$60.00. We strongly encourage you to register early. Cost for NEWBIES will be \$150.00 per person. Sorry but there will be **NO** registrations accepted after **May 27th**, unless arrangements have been made with Gary Moore.

PET POLICY: The Holiday Inn & Suites Hotel graciously welcomes our pets, which is a **PRIVILEGE**. The hotel will charge each guest room with pets, a onetime non-refundable service fee of \$25.00. This is per room not per pet. The expectations of the Cincinnati Scotty Friends, as a group, are to conduct ourselves to insure the comfort and safety of all hotel guests. We **MUST** be responsible for our pets, and considerate of all hotel guests at all times. **Well behaved** dogs are welcomed! Dogs guilty of continuous/excessive barking or owners **NOT** complying with our pet policy may subject themselves to being asked to leave the hotel. It is your responsibility, **NOT** the responsibility of the hotel staff, to clean up after your pets. This includes both your room upkeep and outside waste pickup and disposal. Cincinnati Scotty Friends strongly suggest placing plastic under x-pens, food bowls, and plastic trays under cages, along with any other items required for keeping your pet safe, comfortable, and your room tidy. Verified room damage **NOT** reported, by the guest to the hotel, will result in **NOT** being invited back to our show. Let's make our pets proud of us!

In closing and on a bittersweet note, as stated previously, this will be my final convention. I had requested your thoughts and consideration of allowing me to 'pass the torch' to a new leader for the continuation of our collectors club. Nothing would make me happier than our Scottie family to remain intact and the conventions to continue uninterrupted. Unfortunately, as this letter goes to print, no one has contacted me with interest in becoming the club's new leader. There is still much interest and newbies every year attending our convention. Rather than ending future conventions due to my bowing out, I'd much rather 'pass the torch' to a new leader.

Please contact me if you are interested. I still remain hopeful and would assist in any way moving forward with future conventions in Cincinnati or another location. Remember David Bohnlein organized conventions held in Cincinnati from Connecticut.

REMINDERS

Book your room EARLY – Early Bird Registration Deadline by May 1st - Cincinnati Scotty Friends group rate reservation by May 28th – Special table requests to Marty Rose by May 25th – Collectible Displayers please bring your own table covers – Bring Photo Albums/pictures/scrap books – A special display piece or photo - two auction items per attendee

The Cincinnati Scotty Friends and the Holiday Inn & Suites staff are very excited about our homecoming for our 2019 convention. We are looking forward to embracing the JOY with our Scottie family in June!

If you have any additional questions contact Gary Moore personally. Email cincinnati-scottyfriends@fuse.net or call (513) 777-8134

Margie & Van Jones * Peggy & Gary Moore

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C O N T R A C T

As an Attendee:

- I agree to accept all policies of the hotel and those of the state of Ohio regarding behavior including the use of liquor on the hotel premises. Neither the Holiday Inn & Suites Cincinnati Eastgate, nor CINCINNATI SCOTTY FRIENDS will be held liable for any infringement of the hotel policy.
- I agree to accept all policies and guidelines established by Cincinnati Scotty Friends for this event.
- I agree to purchase items only from other convention attendees at authorized times, and to sell **only to** other convention attendees wearing 2019 Scottie Collectors Convention nametags.
- Official Vendors: I agree to sell items only during non-convention-activity times.
- Attendees without official vendor's license: I fully understand the selling limitations and agree to sell items only during Room Hopping and the Extravaganza Sale events.
- Extravaganza Sale sellers: I agree to set up during the scheduled time period and to vacate the room for scheduled time period (TBD). (The sale room will be secured by Cincinnati Scotty Friends and sellers will be allowed to return five minutes before sale time). I agree to not sell items to anyone including other sellers during set-up period.
- If I bring pets to the convention I acknowledge that I have sole responsibility for the actions of those pets while in and around the hotel.

Release/Hold Harmless Agreement:

- I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless Cincinnati Scotty Friends for any claims of loss or damage to any of my personal property during the 2019 Scottie Collectors Convention held at the Holiday Inn & Suites Cincinnati Eastgate, 4501 Eastgate Blvd, Cincinnati, OH 45245
- I release and discharge Cincinnati Scotty Friends of any personal injury to myself or my dependents while attending this convention.
- I release and discharge Cincinnati Scotty Friends of any claims of loss due to any airlines or the Holiday Inn & Suites Cincinnati Eastgate, 4501 Eastgate Blvd, Cincinnati, OH 45245, failure to honor their contractual agreements as related to this event.

Signature of Attendee #1

Date _____

Signature of Attendee #2

Date _____

Feel free to photocopy this invitation and registration information for a friend
Follow Cincinnati Scotty Friends on Facebook for suggestions and convention updates.

(CSF use _____)

Registration for the '2019' Scottie Collectors Convention

Please fill out registration form completely including back. Be kind to the scribe and **PRINT** clearly

Deadline for 'early-bird' registration is: May 1, 2019

About You: Please print or use a preprinted address label - Birthday (not year(BD) has been requested by fellow attendees

Name _____ BD _____ Address _____
 Name _____ BD _____ City _____ State _____
 Email _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Directory Input (50 words or less please!) ie: What is your Scottie collecting pleasure/focus? Favorite or first collectible, color? Something about you or the Scotties (live ones too) in your life?

Information and Options: Please circle each selection

Is this your first time to attend this collector's Show? **Yes** Referred by: _____ / **No**

Will you need Extravaganza Sale Tables? (\$20 each) **No / 1 / 2** / if available **3** *based on first come (post mark date) if not available you will be refunded \$20 for the **3rd** table which is the maximum. Need power? **Yes / No**

Will you need Collectible-Display Tables? (No charge) **No / 1 / 2 / 3** more? _____

Need power? **Yes / No** Need to Use Wall **Yes / No**

For any special instructions, adjacencies, or requests regarding Extravaganza Sale or Collectible Display tables, e-mail Marty Rose before May 25th at MartyARose@gmail.com Put 'CSF Tables' in subject line

Will you be bringing a special-display item for Saturday? **Yes / No** Please **EVERYONE** participate, even a snap shot or fond memory will do.

Do you want an official Vendors License (\$50 each)? **Yes / No** *Required for anyone who wants to sell during non-activity times other than Room Hopping or The Extravaganza Sale.

Registration Charges:

<i>Item</i>	<i>cost each</i>	<i>quantity</i>	<i>total</i>
Adult Early-Bird registration	\$150.00	(_____)	\$ _____
Adult registration after May 1, 2019	\$170.00	(_____)	\$ _____
*Children (under age 12) registration	\$ 60.00	(_____)	\$ _____

*Child's price does NOT include a 2019 Convention Commemorative, but can be purchased for an additional \$25.00. Must be ordered in advance on this form.(_____)

Extravaganza Sale Tables \$ 20.00... (Limit of 2*) see note above..(_____)

Official Vendor License..... \$ 50.00.....(_____)

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Make checks payable to Cincinnati Scotty Friends

NOTE: The Contract / Hold-Harmless form on other side of this application **must** be signed before your convention registration can be accepted. Mail your completed registration, contract, hold-harmless form, and payment to: **Gary Moore – 6160 Maud Hughes Road, Liberty Township, OH.45044**