

2023 RCNA CONVENTION PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Tuesday, July 18

- 9 a.m.–4 p.m. **Tour 1: Bluenose II Cruise and Town of Lunenburg tour ***
[Gather in the Lobby at 8:45 a.m.] (Pre purchased tickets required).
- 6 p.m.–8 p.m. **Early Bird Dinner *** (Seaport Social Restaurant, in hotel)
à la carte menu; dinner at your own expense.]
- 8 p.m.–11 p.m. **Calgary House Pub *** (Garrison Pub) *[Enjoy social time and a drink with numismatic friends]*

Wednesday, July 19

- 8 a.m.–5 p.m. **Registration Desk – open** *[Commonwealth Ballroom Foyer]*
- 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. **RCNA Coin Grading Workshop** *[Atlantic Ballroom]* (Instructor: Robert Forbes)
(Pre purchased tickets required)
- 9:45 a.m.–11:30 a.m. **Tour 2: Harbour Hopper** (View Halifax landmarks by land & sea)
[Gather in the Lobby at 9:45 a.m., short walk from hotel.]
- 1 p.m.–5 p.m. **RCNA Educational Symposium Session 1** *[Lunenburg Room]* (Everyone's invited.)
- 1 p.m.–6 p.m. **Bourse and Exhibits setup** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]*
(Access restricted to Bourse Dealers/Assistants, and Exhibitors – badge required.)
- 7 p.m.–10 p.m. **RCNA President and HRCC Host Club Welcome Reception** *[Hospitality Room–Elements]*
(Registrants and Bourse Dealers only – badge required.)

Thursday, July 20

- 7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m. **Bourse and Exhibits setup** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]*
(Access restricted to Bourse Dealers/Assistants, and Exhibitors – badge required.)
- 7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m. **RCNA Judges Breakfast** *[Fundy Room]* (By invitation only.)
- 8:30 a.m. **Competitive Exhibits Judging Begins** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]*
- 8:30 a.m.–11:45 a.m. **RCNA Educational Symposium Session 2** *[Lunenburg Room]* (Everyone's invited.)
- 9 a.m.–5 p.m. **Registration Desk – open** *[Commonwealth Ballroom Foyer]*
- 9 a.m.–10 a.m. **Bourse and Exhibits preview** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]*
(Access restricted to Bourse Dealers, and Exhibitors – badge required.)
- 9:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m. **CPMS Executive Meeting** *[Boardroom]* (All CPMS members are invited to attend as observers.)
- 9:45 a.m.–10 a.m. **Opening Ceremonies** *[Commonwealth Ballroom Foyer]*
- 10 a.m.–5 p.m. **Bourse and Exhibits – open to Public** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]*
- 10 a.m.–5 p.m. **The Canadian Numismatic Company Auction Lot Viewing** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]*
- 10:30 a.m.–4 p.m. **RCNA Youth Table – open** *[Commonwealth Ballroom Foyer]*
- 12 p.m.–1:15 p.m. **Speakers Luncheon** *[Fundy Room]* (by Invitation only.)
- 12 p.m.–5 p.m. **Hospitality Suite – open** *[Elements]* (Registrants and Bourse Dealers only – badge required.
Complimentary coffee, soft drinks and snacks.)
- 1:30 p.m.–5 p.m. **RCNA Educational Symposium Session 3** *[Lunenburg Room]* (Everyone's invited.)
- 6 p.m.–11 p.m. **The Canadian Numismatic Company Auction Session 1** *[online only, no live floor bidding]*
- 6:30 p.m.–8 p.m. **Canadian Association for Numismatic Education (CAFNE) Reception** *[Atlantic Ballroom]*
(Everyone's invited.)

Friday, July 21

- 7:30 a.m.–9 a.m. **Bourse setup** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]* (Bourse Dealers only – badge required.)
- 8 a.m.–10 a.m. **RCNA Club Delegates Breakfast Meeting** *[Atlantic Ballroom]*
(Pre-purchased tickets required.)
- 8:30 a.m.–9:45 a.m. **Spousal Breakfast** *[Harbour Suite B]* (Registered spouses only – badge required.)
- 9 a.m.–10 a.m. **Bourse and Exhibits preview** *[Commonwealth Ballroom]*
(Registrants and Bourse Dealers only – badge required.)
- 9 a.m.–5 p.m. **Registration Desk open** *[Commonwealth Ballroom Foyer]*
- 10 a.m.–12 noon **J. Douglas Ferguson Foundation Executive Meeting** *[Boardroom]* (By invitation only.)
- 10 a.m.–2:30 p.m. **Tour 3: George's Island National Historic Site *** Lunch at your expense.
[Gather in Lobby at 10 a.m. short walk to ferry.] (Pre-purchased tickets required)

- 10 a.m.–5 p.m. **Bourse and Exhibits – open to Public** [*Commonwealth Ballroom*]
 10 a.m.–5 p.m. **The Canadian Numismatic Company Auction Lot Viewing** [*Commonwealth Ballroom*]
 10:30 a.m.–5 p.m. **Hospitality Suite – open** [*Elements*] (Registrants and Bourse Dealers only – badge required. Complimentary coffee, soft drinks and snacks.)
 12 noon–2 p.m. **Canadian Paper Money Society (CPMS) Luncheon and Annual Meeting** [*Atlantic Ballroom*]
 1 p.m.–5 p.m. **RCNA Youth Table – open** [*Foyer Commonwealth Ballroom*]
 1:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m. **Newfoundland Numismatic Enthusiasts (NNE) Meeting** [*Lunenburg Room*] (Everyone’s invited.)
 3:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m. **Canadian Banking Memorabilia Society** [*Northumberland Room*] (Everyone’s invited.)
 3:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m. **Association des Numismates Francophones du Canada (ANFC) Meeting** [*Maritime Room*] (Everyone’s invited.)
 6 p.m.–9:30 p.m. **Tour 4: Theme evening at Grafton Street Dinner Theatre – “Back to the East Coast” *** [*Gather in Lobby at 5:15 p.m.*] (Pre-purchased tickets required)
 6 p.m.–11 p.m. **The Canadian Numismatic Company Auction Session 2** [*online only, no live floor bidding*]

Saturday, July 22

- 8 a.m.–10 a.m. **Meet the Trends Team** [*Maritime Room*] – Sponsored by *Canadian Coin News* (Bourse Dealers only – badge required.)
 8 a.m.–10 a.m. **Canadian Numismatic Research Society (CNRS) Breakfast** [*Boardroom*] (By invitation only. Pre-purchased tickets required.)
 8 a.m.–10 a.m. **Canadian Association of Wooden Money Collectors (CAWMC) Breakfast** [*Harbour Suite B*] (Pre-purchased tickets required.)
 8 a.m.–9 a.m. **Bourse setup** [*Commonwealth Ballroom*] (Bourse Dealers only – badge required.)
 9 a.m.–5 p.m. **Registration Desk open** [*Commonwealth Ballroom Foyer*]
 9 a.m.–10 a.m. **Bourse and Exhibits preview** [*Commonwealth Ballroom*] (Registrants and Bourse Dealers only – badge required.)
 10 a.m.– **Tour 5: Walkabout on The Halifax Harbourfront *** [*Tour area sites on your own*]
 10 a.m.–1:30 p.m. **RCNA Youth Table – open** [*Commonwealth Ballroom Foyer*]
 10 a.m.–5 p.m. **Bourse and Exhibits – open to Public** [*Commonwealth Ballroom*]
 10 a.m.–5 p.m. **The Canadian Numismatic Company Auction Lot Pickup** [*Commonwealth Ballroom*]
 10:30 a.m.–12 noon **RCNA Annual General Meeting** [*Atlantic Room*] (All RCNA members are encouraged to attend. President’s report, annual financial report etc.)
 10:30 a.m.–5 p.m. **Hospitality Suite – open** [*Elements*] (Registrants and Bourse Dealers only – badge required. Complimentary coffee, soft drinks and snacks.)
 12:15 p.m.–1:30 p.m. **RCNA Awards Presentation** [*Atlantic Room*] (All RCNA members are encouraged to attend.)
 1 p.m.–3 p.m. **Canadian Tire Coupon Collectors Club (CTCCC) Meeting** [*Lunenburg Room*] (Everyone’s invited.)
 1:30 p.m.–3 p.m. **Canadian Association of Token Collectors (CATC) Meeting** [*Northumberland Room*] (Everyone’s invited.)
 2 p.m.–4 p.m. **RCNA Coin Kids Junior Auction** [*Maritime Room*] (Young collectors invited. Parents or guardians are encouraged to attend as observers.)
 3:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m. **Canadian Errors and Varieties Numismatic Association (CEVNA) Meeting** [*Lunenburg Room*] (Everyone’s invited.)
 3:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m. **Canadian Centennial Collectors Club (CCCC) Meeting** [*Northumberland Room*] (Everyone’s invited.)
 5 p.m. **Show Floor Closed / End of activities**
 6 p.m.–7 p.m. **Pre Banquet Reception** [*Atlantic Mezzanine*] (Banquet ticket holders only. Cash Bar.)
 7 p.m.–10 p.m. **RCNA Banquet and Awards Presentations** [*Atlantic Ballroom*] (Buffet dinner, presentation of major numismatic awards and keynote speaker. Pre-purchased tickets required. *Note: Reserve seating positions at the Convention Registration Desk starting Friday, July 21.*)

10 p.m.–11:30 p.m. **Post Banquet Reception** [*Elements*] (Pre-purchased tickets required.)

Sunday, July 23

8:30 a.m.–10:30 a.m. **RCNA Executive Meeting** [*Lunenburg Room*] (*Director's only*)

11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. **Canadian Association for Numismatic Education (CAFNE) Board Meeting**
[*Lunenburg Room*] (By invitation only.)

* **Note:** *Registrations close June 30. Tour spaces are limited; a refund will be made if the tour is sold out. Tours or Events with insufficient registrants may be cancelled and any payments refunded.*

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