

### NORTHEAST RV AND CAMPING SHOW January 23-25, 2015 CONNECTICUT CONVENTION CENTER

## PLEASE READ THIS EXIBITOR MANUAL. IT CONTAINS IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

#### Dear Exhibitor:

We welcome you as an exhibitor to the Northeast RV & Camping Show to be held at the **Connecticut Convention Center** on January 23-25, 2015. Enclosed is your exhibitor's manual detailing your scheduled move-in and move-out dates and times and all other important information needed for exhibiting.

Please make note that the exhibitor manual is an addendum to your exhibitor contract.

Below is a checklist for your convenience. It is designed to insure you have covered all details to make exhibiting easier for you. Even if you've exhibited with us before we ask you to please read your manual.

Please ask yourself the following questions:

- Did I return exhibitor name badge form? If no, return enclosed form today to Northeast Productions, Inc. WE CANNOT ISSUE NAME BADGES UNLESS WE HAVE RECEVIED THE FORMS IN ADVANCE!
- Do I need electrical services? We have attached the proper order the form for the CT Convention Center. Please return the form to the address or fax number on the electrical form at least 21 days prior to the event Move—In to avoid late charges. Northeast Productions, Inc. is not responsible for electrical orders or late orders. CLICK HERE FOR ONLINE ORDER FORMS FOR THE CT CONVENTION CENTER <a href="www.ctconventions.com">www.ctconventions.com</a> then click on exhibitors. This will bring you to the Services and Amenities page. See services listed on the right side of the page.
- Do I need tables, chairs, stools, etc. from show decorator? If yes, please return forms to Demers Expo Services today. You should realize that late orders are nearly double the price.
- Have I contacted my insurance agency for my certificate of insurance? If no, please see enclosed certificate sample and contact your agency immediately. Certificate must read **exactly** as sample and should be returned to Northeast Productions, Inc. a minimum of twenty-one (21) days prior to move-in day.

If you need further assistance or information please feel free to call us anytime. Thank you for joining us and we look forward to seeing you at the show.

# EXHIBITOR MANUAL FOR THE NORTHEAST RV & CAMPING SHOW JANUARY 23-25, 2015 CONNECTICUT CONVENTION CENTER, HARTFORD, CT

SHOW OFFICE SHOW LOCATION

Northeast Productions, Inc.

Connecticut Convention Center

140 Edward St 100 Columbus Blvd

Newington CT 06111 PO Box 1864

Telephone: (860) 529-2123 Hartford, CT 06106

Fax: (860) 665-1582 Telephone: (860) 249-6000

E-mail: joe@northeastpromo.com Fax: (860) 249-8181

www.ctrvshow.com Exhibitor Services (860)728-2635

Show Office (860)728-2591

www.ctconventions.com

Directions to facility are in enclosed manual.

#### This manual should be read by:

All personnel responsible for the staffing, delivery, set up, tear down and maintenance of your booth.

Move in Times for all booths numbered from 1 to 73 will be Thursday January 22, 2015 From 2PM to 7PM

All Dealers will receive a move in time by mail

#### **Hours of Setup**

Tuesday January 20, 2015 11 AM – 5 PM Dealers Only Wednesday January 21, 2015 9 AM - 6 PM Dealers Only

Thursday January 22, 2015 9 AM - 7 PM Friday January 23, 2015 8 AM - 10:30 AM

**Move-Out Times** 

Sunday, January 25, 2015 5 PM - 9 PM Monday, January 26, 2015 8 AM - 2PM

All products must be out of the building no later than 2PM Monday January 26, 2015

#### The Show will be open to the public:

Friday, January 23, 2015

Saturday, January 24, 2015

Sunday, January 25, 2015

12 Noon - 9 PM

10 AM - 8 PM

10 AM - 5 PM

Set up completion and Fire Marshal inspection will take place at 11:00 AM Friday, January 23, 2015

#### **SHOW OFFICE:**

The show office will be located at the Connecticut Convention Centers exhibit hall main entrance. The office will be staffed beginning at 8:00 AM the first day of move-in through the last day of move-out.

#### **SNOW:**

You must clean off snow and ice to eliminate drippings before entering the exhibition hall. Snow creates walking hazard and our personnel will not allow any vehicles or equipment into the building unless they are reasonably FREE OF SNOW OR EXCESSIVE MOISTURE.

#### FIRE REGULATIONS:

UNDER NO CONDITIONS will gasoline, fuel oil, propane tanks or any other flammable material or gasses be stored in the exhibit hall. Any use of the above for demonstration and/or operation of an exhibitor's booth must be approved in writing by show management and the City Fire Marshal prior to the show. Show management will make all requests to the Fire Marshal. PLEASE DO NOT CALL HIM - CALL US AND WE WILL MAKE ALL REQUESTS. Rugs, curtains, crepe paper, etc. must be fire retardant. Two hours prior to the opening of the show it will be inspected by the Fire Marshal. Should you be using your own rug in your display it is essential that you have the manufacturer's certificate that indicates the rug is fireproof.

#### A.Gas Tanks On RV's

All fuel tanks openingsshall be locked and sealed in an approved manner to prevent the escape of vapors, fuel tanks shall not contain in excess of one-half their capacity or contain in exsess of 10 gal of fuel whichever is less.

#### **B.Vehicle Electrical System**

At least one battery cable shall be removed from the batteries used to start the vechcie engine and the disconnected battery cable shall then be taped.

#### **SALES TAX:**

ALL VENDORS SELLING PRODUCTS ON A CASH AND CARRY BASIS MUST HAVE A VALID CONNECTICUT SALES TAX NUMBER AND CERTIFICATE ON DISPLAY AT THE SHOW. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE CONNECTICUT STATE TAX DEPARTMENT AT (860) 297-5880.

#### STAFFING OF EXHIBITS DURING SHOW HOURS:

Exhibit staff with show identification will be allowed to enter the facility one hour earlier than published show hours and allowed to remain one half hour after closing in order to tidy up booth area.

#### **EXHIBITOR PARKING**

Please see attached Parking information sheet.

#### **CAUTION:**

While moving out, please keep someone in your booth at all times. Please don't abandon your goods on move-out because 90% of all losses happen during move-out. Show management will not be responsible for any losses.

#### **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES:**

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CAN NOT BE BROUGHT INTO THE BUILDINGS AT ANY TIME BY EXHIBITORS OR THE PUBLIC.

#### **BALLOONS**

Helium balloons are not prohibited in the CT Convention Center at all

## 2015 NORTHEAST RV & CAMPING SHOW EXHIBITOR CREDENTIAL

**DIRECTIONS:** JUST TYPE YOUR COMPANY NAME AND EMAIL ADDRESS AND HIT SUBMIT AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PAGE.

YOUR NAME BADGE FORM WILL BE E-MAILED RIGHT TO US. YOU ALL SO CAN PRINT IT OUT AND FAX IT TO US AT 860-665-1582

#### POICIES REGARDINF EXHIBITOR CREDENTIALS

- 1. Exhibitor credentials will not be issued unless exhibitor is paid in full. (No exceptions will be made.)
- 2. No one under the age of 16 will be issued an exhibitor credential.
- 3. Exhibitors can be picked up exhibitor credential during set up hours or during show hours at the Show Office.
- 4. Volunteer organizations will be allowed (4) exhibitor credential for (4) hour shifts. They will issue for the following hours:
  - Fri. 12noon to 4PM and 4PM to 8PM
  - Sat. 10AM to 2 PM 12 noon to 4PM and 3 PM to 7PM
  - Sun. 10am to 2PM and 1PM to 5PM
  - There will be a \$7.00 charge for any addional volunteers.
- 5. Booth square footage determines the number of exhibitor credential that will be issued. A \$10.00 charge will be added for each additional credential issued.
  - A. 100 square feet to 200 square feet: 6 exhibitor credential for the weekend
  - B. 201 square feet to 999 square feet: 8 exhibitor credential for the weekend
  - C. 999 square feet and up 12 exhibitor credential for the weekend

# 2015 NORTHEAST RV & CAMPING SHOW EXHIBITOR CREDENTIAL FORM

Company Name and E- Mail must be complete or page cannot be submitted

#### **DIRECTIONS to the CT Convention Center Parking Garage**

#### **Directions from 91 North or South**

- Take the Capitol Area Exit (Exit 29A)
- Merge onto Whitehead Highway
- Take 1<sup>st</sup> Exit Columbus Blvd Exit
- Take right onto Columbus Blvd.
- CTCC Parking Garage will be on your right.

#### **Directions from I 84 East**

Take Exit 52 on to I 91 South and follow directions above

#### **Directions from 84 West**

- Follow I-84 West and take Exit 54 Downtown Hartford (Left Lane Exit)
- This will take you onto the Founders Bridge
- At the end of the bridge turn left onto Columbus Blvd.
- CTCC Garage will be on your left.

#### **Directions from Route 2**

- CT-11 N becomes Route 2 West
- Route 2 West becomes the Founders Bridge.
- At the end of the bridge turn left onto Columbus Blvd.
- CTCC Parking Garage will be on your left

#### **DIRECTIONS to the CT Convention Center Loading Dock and to Exhibit Hall**

#### Directions from 91 North or South and I 84 East Exit 52 on to I -91 South and follow directions below

- Take the Capitol Area Exit (Exit 29A)
- Merge onto Whitehead Highway
- Take 1<sup>st</sup> Exit Columbus Blvd
- Take left onto Columbus Blvd. Over Whitehead Hwy
- At first light take left on to Sheldon St
- At first light take left on to Tylor St back over White Head Hwy
- First right on to loading dock ramp.

#### **Directions from 84 West**

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- This will take you onto the Founders Bridge
- At the end of the bridge turn left onto Columbus Blvd .
- Go past Convention Center over bridge over White Head Hwy.
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#### **HOTELS AND LODGING**

\*\*\* WHEN MAKING RESERVATIONS, PLEASE REFER TO THE NORTHEAST RV & CAMPING SHOW AT THE CT CONVENTION CENTER TO RECEIVE YOUR DISCOUNTED RATE\*\*\*

#### **Hartford Hotels & Suits (Formally Holiday Inn Express)**

185 Brainard Road Hartford, CT 06114

Telephone: (860) 525-1000 \$ 109.00 Single/Double FREE PARKING

FREE EXHIBITOR SHUTTLE TO AND FROM CT CONVENTION CENTER RUNNING 7:15 AM TO 9:00 PM

Rooms Must be booked By January 12, 2015

Click on link below to book your room

#### **Marriott Hartford Downtown**

200 Columbus Blvd. Hartford CT, 06106 \$ 139.00 per night for Single or Double Call 1-877-901-6632 or 860-760-2212

#### ALL ROOMS MOST BE BOOK ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 20, 2013

Attached to the CT Convention Center Do not even have to go outside Please note if your staying at the Marriott. Parking will be billed to your room at post rates.

Click on link below to book your room

## **EXHIBITOR PARKING**

## \$ 7.00 ALL DAY PARKING AT THE

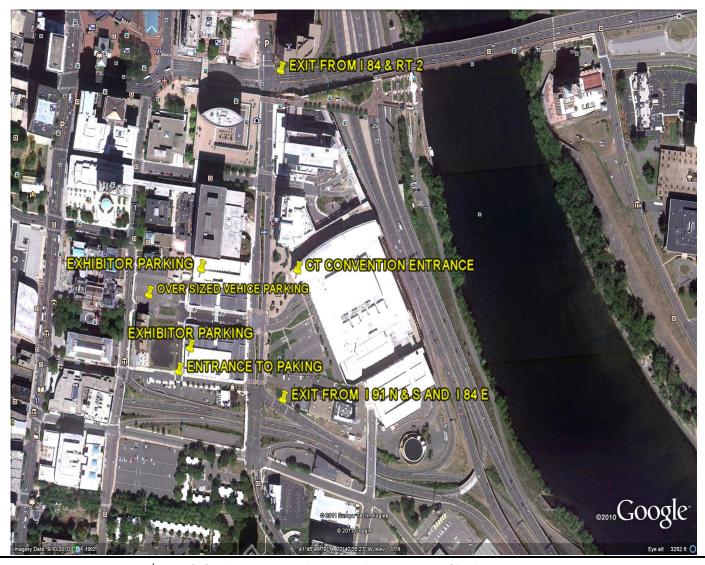
FRONT ST. NORTH PARKING GARAGE LOCATED JUST ACROSS THE ST FROM THE CT CONVENTION CENTER

WE WILL HAVE YELLOW SIGNS WITH RED LETTERING LEADING TO EXHIBITOR PARKING SEE ATTACHED MAP (NO COUPON NEEDED)

OR

\$13.00 MAXIMUM FOR ALL DAY PARKING AT THE

CT CONVENTION CENTER
PARKING GARAGE
MUST USE ATTACHED COUPON
PRINT AS MANY AS YOU NEED. COUPONS WILL ALSO BE
AVALBLE AT THE SHOW OFFICE



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# NORTHEAST RV AND CAMPING SHOW EXHIBITOR PARKING COUPON FOR CT CONVENTION CENTER GARAGE

PRESENT THIS COUPON TO THE PARKING ATTENDANT WITH THE ORIGINAL PARKING TICKET AND PAY THE MAXIMUM OF \$13.00



VALID ONLY JANUARY 20,21,22,23,24AND 25, 2015 NO IN AND OUT PRIVILEGES AND NOT VAILD FOR OVER NIGHT PAKING COUPON IS VALID FOR 1 ONE POST EVENTS CONCLUSTION. AFTER 1 HOUR POSTED RATES WILL APPLY

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# EXHIBITOR ADULT DISCOUNT TICKETS EXHIBITOR ADULT DISCOUNT TICKET FORM FOR THE 2015 NORTHEAST RV & CAMPING SHOW

Exhibitors may purchase adult discount tickets in advance or at the show office up until 6 PM on Saturday evening, January 23, 2015.

These tickets can be used by family, friends or customers that wish to visit the show.

Tickets must be surrendered at door and are good for admitting one adult.

Orders received 20 days in advance will be returned to you by certified mail. Orders received less than 20 days in advance of the show can be picked up at North East Promotions in Wethersfield, CT or at the show office from the first day of move-in.

Ticket purchases at show must be paid for in cash or company check. No personal checks will be accepted at the show.

No refunds or exchanges...no exceptions.

Please return the attached order form  2015 NORTHEAST RV & CAMPING SHOW  ADULT DISCOUNT TICKET FORM			
1 0	exceptions. le and mail with your checl vard St Newington CT 0611	- C	d this form to Northeast
Company Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Name of person ordering ticke	ets:	Phone:	

Return to:Northeast Productions, Inc. 140 Edward St Newington CT 06111 Tel: (860) 529-2123 Fax 860-665-1585