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In lieu of an article from
NCLPTC President Lyle
Roan, we are dedicating this
space to the memory of his
wife, Joyce.

Our hearts, thoughts and
prayers continue to go out to
Lion Lyle and his family.



Included in this TARHEEL TRADER

- Registration for 2024 NCLPTC Swap
- NCLPTC Roster
- Order for 2024 NCLPTC Pins
- Dues Renewal Form
- Upcoming Swaps



FROM THE SECRETARY

This is a combined Winter 2023 and Spring 2024 edition of the TARHEEL TRADER. I hope each of you had a great Holiday season. Gloria and I were able to spend some quality time with some of our families. Santa was too good to us, as usual.

We attended the USA/Canada Forum as well as the Western States Pin Swap in September, then the Virginia Swap in November and most recently the PA Swap in Harrisburg, PA. We enjoyed each of these, especially visiting old friends and meeting new ones.

We have not sent out a roster lately, so are including one with this issue of THE TARHEEL TRADER. Please take a moment to review your information and let me know of any changes.

Also, with this edition you will find a Registration Form for our NC Swap. We have some of the 2024 NCLPTC Pins left (Farmer with two horses). An order form for these is also included.

Most of you have heard by now, the next series will be centered around the "Wild West". If you have pin(s) you wish to be included in the current "Farm and Garden" series, you need to issue them before July 1. There will be several opportunities to trade these at upcoming swaps, and obviously through the mail.

We hope to see many of you at these upcoming Swaps.

Lion Gene



Welcome!!

NEW MEMBERS

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Upcoming Swaps



North Carolina

Camp Dogwood on Lake Norman
May 9-11
Gene English
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(Registration Form included in this mailing)

LITPC Alternate Site

May 20-23 - Bettendorf, Iowa
Loren Claussen
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(See article following list of Swaps)

Branson Family Swap

July 18-19

Branson, MO

Ruth Frehse - 573-280-6411

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Northeast Pin Swap

August 13-16

Bruce Savery - 802-289-1696

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Comfort Inn, Rutland, VA

Phone: 802-775-2200

USA/CANADA Forum

September 5-7 - Louisville, KY

Contact through LCI

LITPC Alternate Site Meeting

In years that the International Convention is outside the US, our members are polled to see how many will be attending, and to determine if there is sufficient interest to having an Alternate Site Swap here in the US. Although a number of our members will be traveling to Melbourne, Australia there was significant interest in having such an event in the US.

The Mid-West coalition of Pin Traders Clubs has graciously offered to host the event in Bettendorf, Iowa May 20-23. This is anticipated to be an exciting and well-attended event. Room rates are very reasonable. You can access the Registration Form through the LITPC web-site.

Our current "Farm and Garden" Series will end at this event. So if you want to have final pins in this series will be your opportunity.



Remembering Lion Jerry Craiglow

Last fall we lost one of our biggest members; Lion Jerry Craiglow. Lion Jerry was not only a big man, and a big Trader, but he had a big heart. Relocating from Ohio to North Carolina, Lion Jerry was well established as a dedicated Lion and an avid Pin Trader. He served his Club in multiple capacities. He was very active in NCLPCT, serving on the Board for many years. His love and passion for each of these, as well as Camp Dogwood was surpassed only by his love for his family and his God.

He was supported by his wife Dottie in all of this. He was proud of the accomplishments of their daughter, Jodie. You did not have to be around Lion Jerry long before you knew him as a good man, a dedicated father and husband, a great Lion and a fair and avid Pin Trader. We continue to miss him.

In Our Prayers

As noted in our opening page, NCLPTC Lyle Roan lost his wife, Joyce in March. She always supported Lion Lyle in his work in Lionism and Pin Trading. Many of us will remember seeing her and her companion dog at Camp Dogwood a few years ago. She was courageous in her battle with cancer until the end. Please keep Lion Lyle in your thoughts and prayers.

We recently learned of the death of Lion Lance Balding. He was an outstanding man, Lion and pin trader. Please keep Lion Lynette in your prayers.

Please let me know of illnesses and deaths as you learn about these so we inform our membership.



2025 NC Pins

Our state pin and Prestige pin for 2025 will continue the series of “Famous North Carolinians”. The 2025 pins will feature NASCAR Legend **Junior Johnson**. PCC Dale had the initial mark-up and the Mid-Winter last weekend, and it looks good! As we have done the past several NCLPTC will do a companion pin as our prestige pin. The state pin will feature a picture of Junior. The prestige will feature his famous #3 white Chevrolet.

These will be available by July or early August. NC Traders had the opportunity to order the prestige pins. You should contact your District Governor or District Promotions Chairperson for the regular pins.



2025 NCLPTC Pin

We are looking for ideas for our 2025 NCLPTC Pin. Ideally it should fit into the upcoming “Wild West” series. Please share any thoughts or ideas with Lion Pat Hall, our Pin Chairperson.

Dues

In addition to the attached order form, there is an attachment which is our updated roster. **PLEASE** review your information and let us know if you do not feel it is correct. Dues are still only \$6.00 per year.

2024 NC Swap Set

Our 2024 NCLPTC Swap pins will feature pins combining the Farm Series with our LCI Convention in Australia. Thanks to Lions Pat and Randy Hall for these designs.



Swap Pin
2" wide



Registration Pin
2 1/2" x 2"



Early Bird Pin

You'll just have to wait until breakfast to see the breakfast pin!

LITPC

If you are not a member of LITPC, I encourage you to consider joining. Any member can tell you about the many benefits. PDG Rich Evans (VA) does an outstanding job with the quarterly newsletter. Pins are issued annually that are available only through members. For the past several years we have supported LCI projects, such as Campaign SiteFirst and SiteFirst II. However, our biggest impact may be the Scholarship Program. We grant three and sometimes four \$2500.00 scholarships annually. These are funded almost entirely by LIPTC members. For more information check out our web-site. One of the best features of the site is the pictorial directories of State, MD and special series pins. PCC Phil Schrack (VA) for doing an outstanding job with this website.