

" High Society . . . Monaco, 1952. "

Welcome to the 14th ABC Doll Club National Convention.

CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL.

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Dates: Friday 11 March 2011 - Monday 14 March 2011.

Please post this form & the attached registration form ,when both are completed & signed, to :
High Society, GPO Box 1484, Brisbane, QLD, 4001, by 28 January, 2011.

Information for registration

Please read these points as they form part of the registration form. This 2 page copy must be signed & sent with registration form, and a copy for your perusal & planning appears again in the information you receive after registering, called your "SAVVY PACK".

- Whilst at High Society ABC Convention, chips & plaques are the only method of payment for raffle tickets at the event. If you have pre-bought raffle tickets through registration, you may also purchase chips at convention if you'd like additional raffle tickets. The chips also have other uses at some of the events during High Society.
- Each chip is worth \$1. Each plaque is worth \$10. These & multiples of these, are used to buy tickets for all bets on raffle prizes. One chip can pay for 1 raffle ticket (a single bet) being \$1 at convention. One plaque can pay for 10 raffle tickets or 1 High Roller ticket at convention. Paying with 1 x \$10 plaque for 5 raffle tickets, will give you 5 x \$1 chips as change from your croupier, so you will use the chips & plaques as regular cash, just 2 denominations of \$1 and \$10. A chip is a round grey disc worth \$1. A plaque is a purple rectangular plate worth \$10. The size & colour will be visibly different from each other as you'll see by the photo of each in the 'Savvy Pack' you receive after registering.
- At High Society ABC Convention chips & plaques will be given out by the bankers on production of equal value cash. With the chips, you will buy your bets from your table croupier and receive the same number of tickets in return. The tickets are to be used in your choice of 'casino comps' aka raffle prizes, as usual. (Casino lingo will be evident in upcoming mail & lift outs)
- For pre-bought tickets, no chips change hands. Pre-sale system is: Money for raffles is sent in with applicable form, tickets are kept for you & will be in your arrival pack, called the "GLOAT TOTE", to deposit straight into the doll-of-your-choice ticket box when convention begins, as usually done.
- Plaques & multiples of them are recommended for the purchase of large numbers of tickets at convention and for the purchase of High Roller bets from your table croupier, but not essential. Chips can be used to make up a large value. A single High Roller bet will be \$10 each.
- All chips & plaques must be redeemed for the face value in tickets by the end of convention raffle availability or used in the art auction, by 5pm Sunday the 13th of March 2011, unless advised there is further need of them. Chips & plaques will not be redeemed for cash at any time during or after convention, once a delegate has purchased any amount of them.
- In sales room, chips & plaques are not a recognised trading commodity. Any individual deals struck between a trader & a delegate will have no sanction by the ABC Convention Committee and the deal stands alone as a private negotiated transaction.

- No chips or plaques will be recognized as having an acquired/hold value after 5pm Sunday the 13th of March 2011. No-one is entitled to hold chips or plaques after this time, they will have no value, and they cannot be redeemed for dolls or cash. Missing chips & plaques will be deemed to be a 'loss' from convention stock. All chips & plaques remain the property of ABC 2011 convention committee.

- Raffle tickets are called bets. Pre-convention bet buy (raffle tickets purchase) closes 6 weeks prior to convention start, which means all deals are finished. Then a 1 for 1 price occurs at convention only. Buying bets from your table croupier at convention gives a ticket per dollar always exactly the amount of tickets that have been paid for.

- Minimum age is 14 years for all except one aspect of convention. If there is enough interest by traders & public, sales room can continue to be open after the delegate-only buying time, as we anticipate using free community advertising to have sales room open to the public for a time from 12noon. If this goes ahead, this will be the only aspect of convention allowing babes-in-arms, toddlers & children. Separate info is available to inform traders of the format, & only sent to those requiring the trading proposal.

- **Dishonoured cheque / insufficient funds policy:** Fees incurred by the presentation of a cheque which has insufficient funds to clear it, will automatically be debited to the cheque signatory. Therefore, the individual's registration/purchase of goods will remain halted until the original fee is cleared together with the dishonour fees from the ABC Convention Committee bank account. The receipt would not be issued & no part of registration/purchase of goods will be given until all is finalized. In addition to this policy, no credit will be given.

- **Important:** I am attending the 14th National ABC Doll Club Convention at my own risk & acknowledge that the ABC Doll Club has ensured 'all due care, no responsibility' for my safety at the 14th National ABC Doll Club Convention. In the event that medical assistance is required, I authorise any ABC Doll Club member, volunteer or venue representative to arrange emergency services on my behalf & at my cost. I release & I indemnify the ABC Doll Club, its committee, members, volunteers, servants, representatives & agents from & against all actions, claims, costs, expenses & demands in respect of any injury, delay, death, loss or damage of property resulting from my participation in any event at, & travel to & from the 14th National ABC Doll Club Convention. I confirm that I have read & understand the contents & implications of this waiver of liability, assumption of risk & indemnity clause. If under 18 years of age, the delegate is over 14 years of age & has the permission of the undersigned, for this disclaimer & these terms of registration to be applicable to the delegate's health & safety, acknowledged by the signature below, being the authorised adult representative of the delegate in this case.

This information is not exhaustive, and other issues may be raised as the event takes place. I agree to these terms by signing this & the registration form and paying the fee to attend.

Date : _____

Signed : _____

Signature & printed name of delegate

Signature & printed name of authorised person if conventioneer is under 18 years.)

