

# ★ ★ ★ MVPA 2008 CONVENTION SCHEDULE OF EVENTS ★ ★ ★

## Wednesday 13 August

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Vendor Move-in Set up Only - Not a show day  
 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Vehicle Move-in and Pre-judging  
 11:00 am - 1:00 pm Registration Open to Vendors Only  
 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm Associate Members/Vendors Meeting at the Expo Center  
 5:00 pm Board of Directors Meeting - active MVPA Members Welcome - at the Expo Center

## Thursday 14 August

7:30 am Vendor Check-in Swap Meet Area Open to Vendors Only  
 8:00 am - 11:00 am Shuttle Bus to the Expo Center from the Host Hotel\*  
 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration and MVPA Supply Room Open  
 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Display and Swap Meet Open - Everyone welcome upon payment of registration fees  
 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Evergreen Aviation Museum Tour departs & returns to the Expo Center - Advance tickets required  
 11:00 am - Noon Vietnam "In Country" slide presentation \* Dale Newcomb  
 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm Ordnance Talk & Presentation \* Rick Larson  
 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm DUKW Talk and Tech Tips\* Steve Greenberg  
 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm WWII Oregon "Medal of Honor" recipient, guest speaker, Robert Maxwell, 3rd Infantry 7th Regiment  
 4:30 pm - 9:00 pm Shuttle Bus to the Expo Center from the Host Hotel\*  
 5:00 pm - 8:30 pm DUKW Regatta & Reception from the Expo Center - Advance tickets required

## Friday 15 August

7:30 am Vendor Check-in Swap Meet Area Open to Vendors Only  
 8:00 am - 11:00 am Shuttle Bus to the Expo Center from the Host Hotel\*  
 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration and MVPA Supply Room Open  
 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Display and Swap Meet Open - Everyone welcome upon payment of registration fees  
 8:00 am - 8:30 am Vehicle Judges Meeting & Breakfast at the Expo Center  
 9:00 am Vehicle Judging Begins - Judged vehicles must be in place  
 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Fort Vancouver / Pearson Air Museum Tour- departs Red Lion - Advance tickets required  
 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm 2009 MVPA Transcontinental Convoy Discussion Group at the Expo Center  
 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm WWII Veteran Guest Speaker, Jack Sherman, 101st Airborne/327th Glider  
 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm Newsletter Editor & Webmaster Meeting at the Expo Center  
 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm LCI-713 Restoration Talk \* Walt James  
 5:00 am - 9:00 am Shuttle Bus to the Expo Center from the Host Hotel\*  
 5:30 pm - 10:00 pm Cash Bar Open at the Expo Center  
 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Little Italy Buffet - Advance tickets required  
 7:00 pm MVPA Auction - Immediately following dinner - Everyone welcome

## Saturday 16 August

7:30 am Vendor Check-in Swap Meet Area Open to Vendors Only  
 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Registration and MVPA Supply Room Open  
 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Display and Swap Meet Open - Everyone welcome - \$5.00 donation requested  
 8:00 am - 11:00 am Shuttle Bus to the Expo Center from the Host Hotel\*  
 9:00 am - 10:00 am MVPA Affiliate Representatives Meeting  
 10:00 am - Noon General Membership Meeting  
 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Shopping at the Vancouver Farmers Market, departs the Red Lion Jansen Beach - **Advance tickets required**  
 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm Vietnam "In Country" slide presentation \* Dale Newcomb  
 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm WWII Veteran guest speaker, Art Sorinson, 413th Regiment 104th Division  
 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Early Vendor Move-out  
 5:30 am - 9:30 am Shuttle Bus to the Expo Center from the Host Hotel\*  
 6:30 pm Cash Bar & Banquet Room Opens for ticket holder seating  
 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Buffet Opens - Advance tickets required  
 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm Awards Ceremony follows dinner - Everyone welcome  
 9:00 pm - 10:00 pm Entertainment by "String of Pearls" performing 1940's songs and donning period attire

## Sunday 17 August

8:00 am - 1:00 pm Move-out for vendors and Vehicles

All tours and meals require advance ticket purchase - Tours will be cancelled if minimum ticket sales are not met by 15 July 2008  
 Schedule of Events is subject to change \* Smaller shuttle to run throughout the day Thursday - Saturday