

INSTRUCTIONS FOR 43rd NATIONAL GENERAL ADMISSION ATTENDEES

Thanks for purchasing a general admission ticket to the 43rd National at the Donald E Stephens Convention Center, July 26-30, 2023. Please follow the instructions here to make your National experience the best ever.

You must bring your ticket with you. Tickets can be printed or stored on your cell phone. General Admission Attendees may enter the show beginning at 4PM on Wednesday 7/26 and at 10AM every other day of the show Thursday-Sunday.

If you arrive before the scheduled entry time for that day, we will stage all attendees in Hall G. You will be instructed to use the up Escalator in the Main Lobby up to Hall G. Bring your ticket to the scanning stations in Hall G where it will be scanned and you will receive your wristband for that day. Once the show is open to General Admission attendees, you will be escorted into the show. Please be sure that we can see your wristband to facilitate entry. If you need to purchase an additional General Admission Ticket, you may do so at the Ticket Booth in Hall G.

If you have a ticket and you arrive after the initial General Admission crowd has entered, you may proceed to the Main Show Entrance in Hall A. Turn left after entering the Convention Center Lobby and head to the large open doors. Your ticket will be scanned and you will receive the proper wristband for the day.

Should you need to leave the show for any reason, your wristband is your re-entry ticket. A different color wristband will be used each day.

If you do not have a ticket and you arrive after the initial General Admission crowd has entered you will need to visit the ticket booth located in the Main Lobby. At that time, General Admission Tickets will be available at the Ticket Booth in the Lobby.

If you plan to drop off cards or other items to be graded, please make arrangements with the grading company to pick up these cards. You will not be permitted to enter the show to pick up these items without a badge or the proper color wristband for the day of pickup.