



**Resale . . . No Limits**  
**NARTS 36th Annual Conference**  
**June 23-26, 2023 ♦ Houston, TX**

## **Hotel & General Information**

Conference 2023 will be held at the:  
**Omni Houston Hotel at Galleria**  
**Four Riverway**  
**Houston, TX 77056**

**Hotel accommodations are NOT included in the registration fee.**  
**Please make your room reservations directly with the hotel.**

### **NARTS Special Conference Room Rates**

**Deluxe King or Queen/Queen: Single \$179 or Double \$189 • Triple - \$199 • Quad - \$209**  
plus 19% occupancy tax per night or prevailing rates.

**Premiere Signature City View: Above rates +\$30**

(Rooms the same as Deluxe except all are city views on higher floors. Deluxe will be city or pool views.)

Check in is after 3 PM. Check out is 12 Noon.

**Reservations are available on a first-come, first-served basis and MUST be made by 5 PM EST on June 7, 2023 in order to assure the NARTS discounted rates. To make reservations at our special group rates:**

**Phone Reservations: Call 800-843-6664 and identify yourself as a NARTS attendee.**

Online Reservations: [Click Here](#) for the ONLY way to make online reservations at our group rate.

### **Room Share**

Room share is a good way to make new friends while sharing expenses. If you wish to share a room with another participant, please post a notice on the [NARTS Members Only Facebook group](#).

### **Airport Transportation / Driving Directions & Parking**

**George Bush Intercontinental Airport (IAH)** is 25 miles/30 to 40 minutes from the Omni Houston. Taxi fare is approximately \$90 each way. Uber fare is approximately \$55 each way.

**William P. Hobby Airport (HOU)** is 20 miles/25 to 30 minutes from the Omni Houston. Taxi fare is approximately \$70 each way. Uber fare is approximately \$30 each way.

**For driving directions/maps** to the hotel [Click Here](#). Self Parking (in hotel's New Covered Parking Garage) is \$29 + tax per night—there will be a 25% discount for NARTS attendees. Valet parking is \$39 + tax per night.

### **What to Wear**

**Getting To Know You:** Come as you are - comfy and casual!

**Resale Bus Tour:** Casual & comfy. VERY comfortable shoes!

**"Sweet Treats" Dessert Party:** Your chance to dress-up: Ladies...Cocktail dress or dressy pant outfit. You can bring out your strappy sandals and glitzy jewelry! Men...Suits or Sport Coats, or Shirt & Slacks -Ties are not required. NO Jeans

**Conference Sessions:** Business Professional

**Sunday Night:** Casual Attire - Slacks, Capris, Jeans or Skirts... whatever you are comfortable in and don't forget your Dancin' shoes or boots! Western theme dressing is optional.

**Weather:** The temperature in Houston, the end of June, averages from the mid 70's to low 90's.

**IMPORTANT REMINDER:** Meeting rooms are always cool and buses are air conditioned, so PLEASE bring a sweater and/or jacket to assure your comfort! If you dress for the outdoor temps, you'll be chilly inside the meeting rooms.

### **What to Pack**

**Business cards...** to exchange with your peers.

**Credit cards and/or business checks...** for your shopping trip through SourceMart and for all the bargains at Auction!

**Extra tote bag or suitcase...** so you can pack all the papers and goodies you accumulated during Conference.

## Meeting Ambassadors

Greeters will be outside opening events to welcome you, answer questions, introduce you to others and make sure your first NARTS meeting is a positive experience. For more information about Meeting Ambassadors visit the [FAQ](#) page in the Meetings section of NARTSWeb. First time attendees will enjoy reading [My First Meeting](#).

## Confirmation

Online registrants will receive a printable confirmation/receipt via email. If you register by mail your confirmation/receipt will be sent via email or mail from the NARTS office. If you do NOT receive a confirmation, contact the NARTS office as you most likely are not registered.

## Registration & Badges

Registration will be held at the Omni Houston Hotel in the Post Oak Ballroom Pre-function Area on the Second Floor, beginning Friday from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM. We will offer late registration on Friday from 8 to 8:30 PM and Saturday from 8 to 8:45 AM. All name badges must be picked up on-site during registration. Badges will not be mailed in advance. Each registered attendee must pick up their own badge. Be sure to have a valid photo ID available at registration. Name badges are required for admittance to all Conference functions.

## Special Accommodations

If you or your registered guest have a special dietary requirement and/or a disability that may require accommodation to fully participate AND you failed to indicate it on the registration form, contact Adele Meyer at: 800.544.0751 or [adele@narts.org](mailto:adele@narts.org). Special accommodation needs MUST be submitted by June 2, 2023 and special/medical dietary needs by June 9, 2023.

## No Smoking Policy

For the comfort and health of all attendees... all NARTS functions will be smoke-free. This includes educational sessions, workshops and all food functions. Also, please honor the smoking policy of the hotel.

## Responsible Drinking Policy

Alcoholic beverages are available at some social events during NARTS Conference. An individual's decision to partake is a matter of personal choice and is neither encouraged nor discouraged by the Association. Reasonable and appropriate measures are taken by NARTS to ensure that consumption occurs in a safe and responsible manner. All attendees are expected to exercise good judgment in their consumption of alcohol at NARTS events.

**By submitting a registration, you acknowledged you had read, understood and agreed to adhere to the following:**

## NARTS Conference Cancellation Policy

NO REFUNDS will be granted AFTER June 7, 2023 FOR ANY REASON—Other than government curtail of transportation or \*positive COVID test within 5 days of Conference. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS to this policy, under ANY CIRCUMSTANCES. No shows will not be refunded. Substitutes welcome with notice from original registrant—the difference between member and non member price will be charged if a non member replaces a member. Written cancellations received NO LATER than June 7, 2023 will be refunded less a \$100 processing fee per person, including full guest packages. \*Cancellation due to positive COVID test within 5 days of Conference will be given a full credit toward future NARTS Conference registration.

## NARTS Conference Policy/Disclaimer

NARTS does NOT allow any function (tour, event or auxiliary meeting) that conflicts with any scheduled Conference function, including the optional resale shop bus tour. We reserve the right to postpone, delay or cancel ANY function conflicting with an official NARTS function.

Conference attendees and registered guests agree to conduct themselves in a manner appropriate for a gathering of resale professionals. Harassment, discrimination, intimidation, inappropriate or disruptive behavior /speech may result in the person being asked to leave the meeting or facility—without warning or refund—and prohibit further Conference attendance at the sole discretion of the Staff and/or Board of NARTS.

Board, staff or attendees may be photographing and/or videoing during Conference and posting photos and/or videos on social media. Conference attendees and registered guests agree to allow their image to be used by NARTS in Association publications, Website, social media and in marketing and promotional materials. Other attendees may also post your image on their or other Websites and/or social media sites. If you notice someone taking your photo or video and wish to opt out, please ask them to stop and/or delete your image from their camera or device.

"Resale . . . No Limits" is coordinated, planned and administered solely by NARTS for its members and other interested industry professionals.

Tax Deductibility: Educational expenses are tax deductible. All expenses of Continuing Education (including registration fees, travel, meals and lodging) taken to maintain and improve professional skills are tax deductible according to Treasury Regulation 1.162-5 Coughlin vs. Commissioner, 203 F2d 307. Please consult your tax advisor for further information.

## Health & Safety Guidelines

**As we prepare for NARTS Conference 2023 in Houston, TX, we are committed to providing a safe experience for all participants. Following is a summary of our current health & safety protocols:**

### **Vaccination Policy:**

At this time, we are NOT requiring vaccination certification or negative COVID-19 tests for participants (including exhibitors, guests and NARTS staff). We will continue to monitor requirements of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the State/County/City of the hotel.

### **Test Before You Leave Home:**

For your own peace of mind, NARTS suggests that participants test at home before initiating travel to Conference in Houston.

### **Masks:**

Masks are NOT required for any Conference events. We encourage you to do what you are most comfortable with. Masks will be available for those without upon request.

### **Doing Your Part:**

If you feel ill or are experiencing COVID like symptoms, prior to traveling to or while onsite in Houston, you agree to reconsider your participation at Conference.

### **Updates:**

We will continue to monitor these guidelines and adjust our approach if needed to ensure you are comfortable and we meet safely. Any updates to the Health & Safety Guidelines will be posted on this webpage and shared with registered attendees.

If you have any questions, we encourage you to reach out to us at: [meetings@narts.org](mailto:meetings@narts.org)



**Looking forward to seeing you in Houston!**