


# 2024 AAMA Annual Meeting

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## **NEW FORMAT FOR PRODUCT PREVIEWS**

**CHECK OUT OUR NEW FORMAT WITH MORE EXPOSURE FOR YOUR PRODUCTS!**

This year's event offers the opportunity for product sponsors to display equipment on Wednesday and Thursday between workshops. More time with customers, more opportunities for customers to experience your games and equipment.

We are also offering a limited number of Product Showcases to secure a seven-minute time slot focused on your equipment to present in front of your customers.

In addition to Product Showcases, other sponsorships are still available.

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— We're proud to present our —  
**2024 HALL OF FAME PANELISTS**



Nolan Bushnell



Eugene Jarvis



Joe Kaminkow



Gary Stern

Exclusively at the 2024 AAMA Annual Meeting & Gala!

September 17 - 20, 2024 ♦ Chicago Marriott Schaumburg

**Reserve your spot today!**

The American Amusement Machine Association (AAMA) is excited to invite all members to register for the upcoming 2024 Annual Meeting and Gala, taking place from September 17-20, 2024. This year's event promises to be our most spectacular yet, with new opportunities to showcase new

products, engage with industry leaders, and celebrate the incredible work of the AAMCF.

### Why Attend?

- Showcase Your Innovations: This is your chance to present your latest products in front of the entire industry. Display your innovations in spectacular fashion, network with peers, and gain valuable exposure.
- Keynote Panel: Don't miss the highly anticipated Hall of Fame panel featuring industry legends Eugene Jarvis, Nolan Bushnell, Joe Kaminkow, and Gary Stern. This is a unique opportunity to hear insights from the pioneers who shaped the amusement industry.
- Gala Celebration: Join us for an unforgettable evening at the Gala on Thursday, September 19th, where we will honor Ed Pellegrini as this year's Lifetime Achievement Award recipient. Ed's contributions to the industry are great, and this is the perfect moment to celebrate his legacy.
- Support a Great Cause: Experience firsthand the impact of the AAMCF's charitable work. The Gala will highlight the foundation's initiatives and the incredible difference we make in the lives of children through partnerships with organizations like [Sunrise Association](#), [Lurie's Hospital](#), and [KEEN](#).

Register Today: To be part of this extraordinary event, register now and ensure you don't miss out on the networking, education, and celebration opportunities that await.

We look forward to seeing you there and making this year's Annual Meeting and Gala a truly memorable event!

[REGISTER HERE](#)

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# Have you cast your vote yet? Online ballots are due Friday, September 13th



## Voting Is Open for AAMA and AAMCF Board of Directors: Cast Your Online Vote by September 13th!

Attention AAMA members! The ballots for the AAMA and AAMCF Board of Directors are now open, and we encourage every member company to make their voice heard in this important election. Your vote plays a crucial role in shaping the future of our industry and supporting the mission of our organizations.

Online voting is open until **September 13th**, so be sure to take this opportunity to participate in the decision-making process. Remember, each member company is entitled to one vote only, so make it count!

Don't miss your chance to influence the direction of AAMA and AAMCF. Cast your vote today and help lead our industry into the future.

For any questions, please email Melissa at [Melissa@coin-op.org](mailto:Melissa@coin-op.org)

Thank you for your continued support and involvement!

[Ballot Available Here](#)

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Check out our latest video additions to our AAMA YouTube channel



## We Never Stop Playing

On August 1st, enthusiastic volunteers from Team Play, TouchTunes, Bandai Namco Amusements, Play Mechanix/Raw Thrills, and AAMA came together to spend a day at camp. They brought the Sunrise Association's camp carnival and arcade to life, creating an unforgettable experience on the last day of camp. Fun and joy were in full swing, making it a memorable day for everyone involved!

[Read About It Here](#)



## Join the Arcade All Stars at the SunriseWALKS to Support Kids with Cancer!

We're excited to invite you all—friends, family, and colleagues—to join our SunriseWALKS team! Together, we're walking to raise funds for camps that provide children with cancer the chance to enjoy a life-changing summer experience.

### How you can help:

[Join our team:](#) Walk with us on Sunday, September 8th, and make a difference! It's a great way to give back and have fun together.

[Donate:](#) If you can't make it to the walk, your donation can still make a huge impact. Every dollar helps these kids create lasting memories.

Your support means the world to us, and it will mean even more to these incredible children. Help us reach our goal. Let's make a difference together!

Thank you so much!

[Donate Here](#)



From the Desk of:  
**Pete Gustafson, AAMA EVP**

Nothing replaces in person and that's why you should be at the Annual Meeting.



### **Have you made your nominations yet?**

The 2025 American Amusement Machine Association's Amusement Industry Hall of Fame nominations are a fantastic way to recognize and honor individuals who have made significant contributions to our industry. Nominations are open till September 20, 2024. Don't delay.

### **The Purpose of the Hall of Fame**

The AAMA's Amusement Industry Hall of Fame was established in March of 2023. The HOF was established to recognize and honor individuals and entities that made outstanding contributions to the coin-op and location-based entertainment industry.

### **Who is Eligible?**

Any person or entity that meets the nomination requirements is eligible for admission into the HOF. Membership in AAMA, or any other industry trade association is not a requirement for admission.

### **What are the Criteria for Entry into the HOF?**

Individuals who have made a significant, and indelible contribution within their organization(s), and throughout the entire Amusement Industry, leaving

a positive legacy that inspires and informs future industry leaders.

[Submit Nominations Here](#)

[Find Past Inductees Here](#)



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WE MAKE THE WORLD  
**MORE FUN.**

- ◆ **BUILD RELATIONSHIPS**  
Sit side by side with industry leaders.
- ◆ **SHOWCASE YOUR BUSINESS**  
Promote and market your products and services.
- ◆ **GAIN ACCESS**  
Take part in industry events.
- ◆ **MEET WITH YOUR LEGISLATORS**  
Protect your business through industry advocacy.
- ◆ **SAVE MONEY**  
Get in on exclusive AAMA member discounts and rates.
- ◆ **MAKE A DIFFERENCE**  
Inspire change through association and charitable engagement.

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