



National Caricaturist Network  
Saint Louis Chapter

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The Saint Louis Chapter of the National Caricaturist Network is proud to announce the appearance of Tom Richmond, nationally recognized award-winning humorous Illustrator and Principle Artist for Mad Magazine at our “Draw Me in Saint Louis” Minicon and Competition March 2-5, 2008 at the Drury Inn Creve Coeur. Tom Richmond’s ties to St. Louis are strong. He owns the caricature and airbrush concessions at Six Flags over Mid America and at Union Station.

Also appearing will be award-winning artist Court Jones. His work often appears on collectable trading cards, including the currently available Presidential Predictor Baseball Cards. Google them and you get articles from all over the world. This is a hot topic on the internet and news sites worldwide.

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/core/Slideshow/slideshowContentFrameFragXL.jhtml?xml=/news/2008/02/08/baseball/baseballpix.xml&site=News>

Court Jones, the artist who painted these cards was born right here in Creve Coeur and will be a featured speaker for our first ever St. Louis Caricature Convention.

A third award- winning artist, former St. Louisan Ed Steckley, whose work appears in magazines such as Cracked and Mad Magazine will be speaking on “The Psychology of Caricature.”

The magnificent artwork of our presenters and the details of the seminars and workshops available at our event can be seen at <http://caricaturestlouis.org/minicon2007.html>

This is an amazing event to come to the St. Louis Area. Artists will be attending from Japan and Israel as well as from all over the USA to learn and to compete.

I will be happy to answer any questions you may have,  
Thank You

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