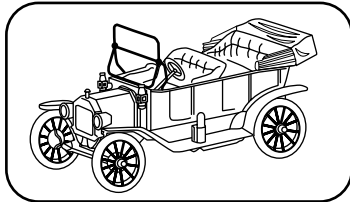


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Toys

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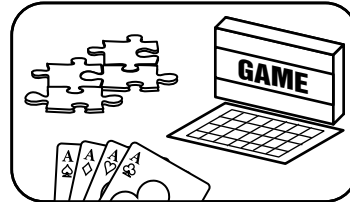


Toy Car Collection

Location: Roxbury, Indiana**Owner:** The Transportation Museum**Number:** **164** toy cars**Details:** The toy car collection at the Transportation Museum includes an exact miniature copy of the first automobile ever built.

Toys

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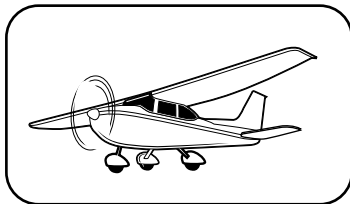


Board Game Collection

Location: Oakdale, Kansas**Owner:** Charles St. Cyr**Number:** **148** board games**Details:** Mr. St. Cyr became interested in board games when he went to a chess competition and saw master class players square off against powerful computers—and win!

Toys

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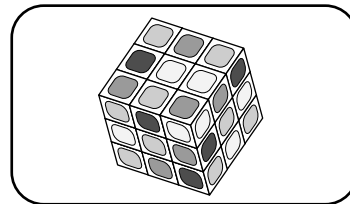


Toy Airplane Collection

Location: Riverside, Montana**Owner:** Sarah Channing**Number:** **78** toy airplanes**Details:** Ms. Channing has been collecting toy airplanes since she was a child. Her fascination with flight began when she read about the adventures of Bessie Coleman and Amelia Earhart.

Toys

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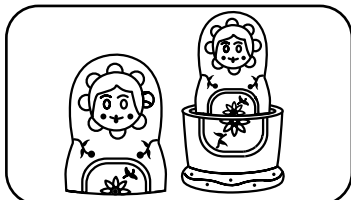
Puzzle Collection

Location: Smithtown, Colorado**Owner:** Katherine Heston**Number:** **253** puzzles**Details:** Ms. Heston collects every kind of puzzle you can imagine! She has picture puzzles, 3-D puzzles, word puzzles, and antique puzzles made of iron and wood.

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Dolls

#5



Stacking Doll Collection

Location: Silver Springs, Texas**Owner:** Maria Salinas**Number:** 58 stacking dolls**Details:** Ms. Salinas has been fascinated with these dolls since her grandmother brought her one from Russia. She has collected them ever since.

Dolls

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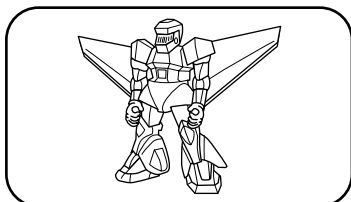


Porcelain Doll Collection

Location: Jonestown, Wyoming**Owner:** The Owens family**Number:** 237 dolls**Details:** The Owens family travels all over the world doing a trapeze act for the circus. They return home from each trip with new dolls for their collection.

Dolls

#7



Action Figure Doll Collection

Location: Commerce, Arkansas**Owner:** Alice Green and Michelle Wilson**Number:** 46 action figures**Details:** Going through old boxes, Ms. Green and Ms. Wilson found the action figures they collected as children. That got them hooked on collecting again!

Dolls

#8



Famous People Doll Collection

Location: Littleton, Florida**Owner:** Littleton Miniature Museum**Number:** 296 dolls**Details:** The Miniature Museum includes tiny exact replicas of people, buildings, cars, trains, and planes.

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Stamps

#9



Canadian Stamp Collection

Location: Greenville, Connecticut**Owner:** Greenville City Museum**Number:** 145 stamps**Details:** Greenville is home to a large community of French Canadians. The Canadian Stamp Collection was created from the donations of local collectors.

Stamps

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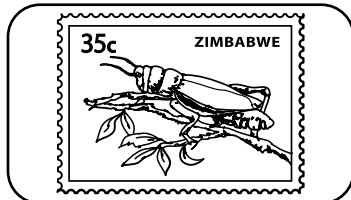


Japanese Stamp Collection

Location: Valley View, West Virginia**Owner:** Valley View Asian Heritage Museum**Number:** 324 stamps**Details:** The Valley View Asian Heritage Museum contains thousands of cultural treasures from countries in East Asia.

Stamps

#11



Zimbabwe Stamp Collection

Location: Maple Grove, Rhode Island**Owner:** Arjan Dakos & Diane Slater**Number:** 38 stamps**Details:** Mr. Dakos and Ms. Slater began collecting stamps from Zimbabwe when they received a surprise letter from a distant cousin who lives there.

Stamps

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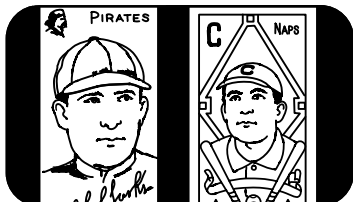
United States Stamp Collection

Location: Marion, Arizona**Owner:** Marion Philatelic Museum**Number:** 218 stamps**Details:** Today, the Philatelic Museum is a landmark building in downtown Marion, but it started out modestly 50 years ago as a stamp collectors' club.

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Sports

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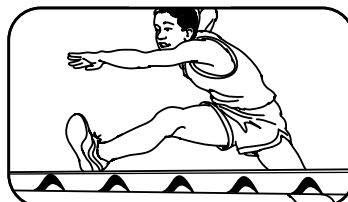


Turn of the Century Baseball Card Collection

Location: Roseville, New York**Owner:** Roseville Athletic Museum**Number:** 82 baseball cards**Details:** Baseball cards first became popular in the 1880s, when tobacco companies included them in packaging to promote sales of their products.

Sports

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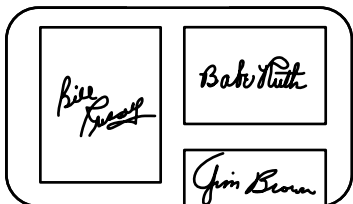


Sports Action Photograph Collection

Location: Tuscarora, New Mexico**Owner:** Tuscarora Sports Museum**Number:** 392 photographs**Details:** This collection has athletes dunking the final point, hitting a grand slam to win the series, flipping through the air on a pair of skates, and more!

Sports

#15



Hall of Fame Autograph Collection

Location: Uphams Corner, Virginia**Owner:** Luis Espinosa**Number:** 36 autographs**Details:** Mr. Espinosa asks for the autographs of athletes every chance he gets. These 36 are his favorites, because they are all Hall of Famers!

Sports

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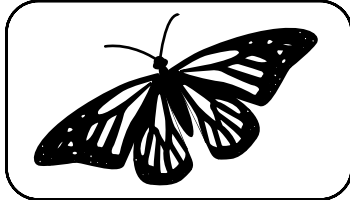
Team Jersey Collection

Location: Jefferson, Delaware**Owner:** Charelle and Martin Robeson**Number:** 138 jerseys**Details:** The Robesons began collecting jerseys in 1984, when their favorite player threw his shirt into the stands after a hard-won championship.

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Animals

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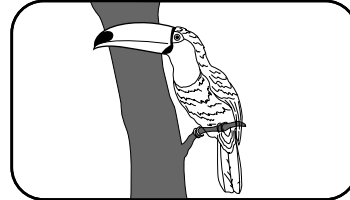


Butterfly Collection

Location: Beaver Creek, Nebraska**Owner:** Washington County Zoo**Number:** **228** butterflies**Details:** Under the glass-domed roof of the Butterfly House, you will find wings in every color of the rainbow and in amazing geometric patterns!

Animals

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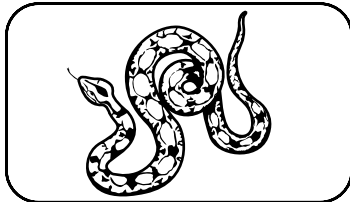


Tropical Bird Collection

Location: Pearl City, Maryland**Owner:** Pearl City Tropical Zoo**Number:** **79** tropical birds**Details:** You will not believe you are so far north of the equator when you visit this indoor tropical zoo! The birds live in an auditorium-sized terrarium in which scientists have recreated a rain forest.

Animals

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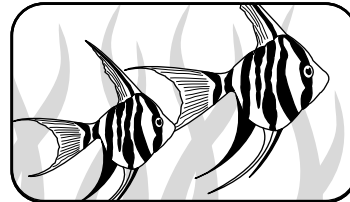


Snake Collection

Location: Hanson, Wisconsin**Owner:** Hanson Park Zoo**Number:** **61** snakes**Details:** Hanson Park Zoo is one of the oldest zoos in the country. Its founders started the collection over a century ago, when they returned home from a trip to Australia with a pair of koala bears.

Animals

#20



Tropical Fish Collection

Location: Flagtown, Illinois**Owner:** Flagtown Aquarium**Number:** **352** fish**Details:** The Flagtown Aquarium is home to thousands of aquatic creatures, from seals to sea cucumbers! The tropical fish collection fills over 50 giant tanks.

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Trading Cards

#21



Japanese Animation Trading Card Collection

Location: Baileyville, Nevada**Owner:** Margaret Murphy**Number:** **154** cards**Details:** Ms. Murphy became interested in Japanese anime art while browsing the Internet.

Trading Cards

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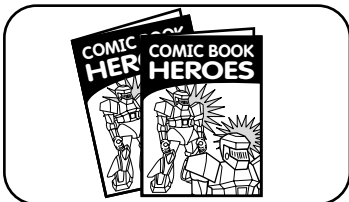


Basketball Trading Card Collection

Location: Washington, S. Dakota**Owner:** William Aboud**Number:** **222** cards**Details:** Mr. Aboud loves the sport of basketball, and his collection reflects that. From college to pro, men's and women's, old and new—it's in there!

Trading Cards

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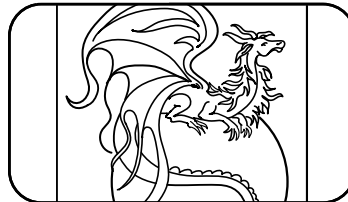


Super Heroes Trading Card Collection

Location: Springfield, Mississippi**Owner:** Robert Figueroa and
John Morales**Number:** **247** cards**Details:** This collection spans more than 50 years of super hero history.

Trading Cards

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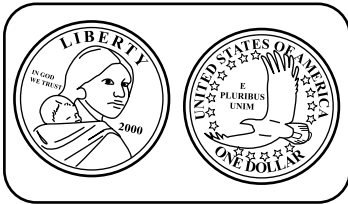
Fantasy Trading Card Collection

Location: Galvin, Pennsylvania**Owner:** Hideo and Satomi Kato**Number:** **316** cards**Details:** This collection brings to life fantastical creatures from the imaginations of talented artists: dragons, magicians, trolls, and more!

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Coins

#25



United States Coin Collection

Location: Kingston, Maine**Owner:** Kingston History Museum**Number:** **55** coins**Details:** The museum is proud of its small but distinguished coin collection, which includes only high-relief gold coins, some worth over a million dollars!

Coins

#26



Australian Coin Collection

Location: Mansfield, New Hampshire**Owner:** Danielle Brown**Number:** **98** coins**Details:** When Ms. Brown came to the U.S. as a child, she kept one shiny Australian coin for good luck. Now over 90 years old, she is an avid collector!

Coins

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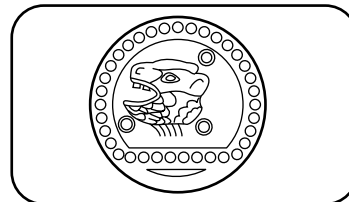


Chinese Coin Collection

Location: Newton, Idaho**Owner:** Lisa Yang-Shepherd**Number:** **176** coins**Details:** Ms. Yang-Shepherd inherited most of her collection from her great-grandparents, who carried a box of coins when they immigrated from China in the late 1800s.

Coins

#28



Mexican Coin Collection

Location: Independence, Oklahoma**Owner:** Jessica Montoya**Number:** **123** coins**Details:** Diego Montoya was a banker in Mexico City who saved each new coin he found for his granddaughter, Jessica. Now a banker herself, Ms. Montoya continues the tradition.

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Books

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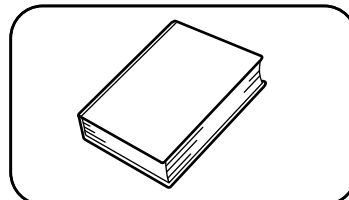


Comic Book Collection

Location: Billings, N. Carolina**Owner:** Billings Children's Museum**Number:** 108 books**Details:** Children of all ages love to visit this exhibit. Even grandparents will find comic books that they remember reading as children.

Books

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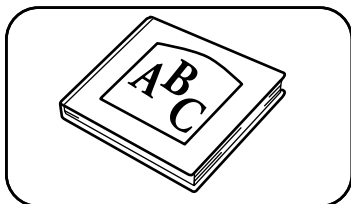


Mystery Series Book Collection

Location: St. Charles, Vermont**Owner:** Silvia Patel**Number:** 134 books**Details:** Ms. Patel has read every one of these mysteries—some of them two or three times!

Books

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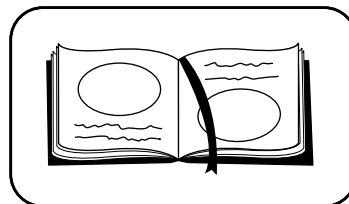


Alphabet Book Collection

Location: Anderson, New York**Owner:** Frank Kertzenbaum**Number:** 184 books**Details:** It may not surprise you to know that Mr. Kertzenbaum is a kindergarten teacher! His collection includes alphabet books in 17 different languages.

Books

#32



Antique Children's Book Collection

Location: Dunster, Massachusetts**Owner:** Henry Wu**Number:** 209 books**Details:** Mr. Wu had a special climate-controlled room built in his house, to properly store these irreplaceable treasures.