

**2003 - The First Convention 'The Garden Party'  
"A Fire-Fly Garden Party" was the theme for the very first Convention in 2003.**



**Ginny with her very own Fire-Fly Teddy Bear by Merry Thought was but one of the souvenir dolls. She dressed appropriately in a tagged Vogue garden patterned outfit with a sweater just in case it got too cool.**

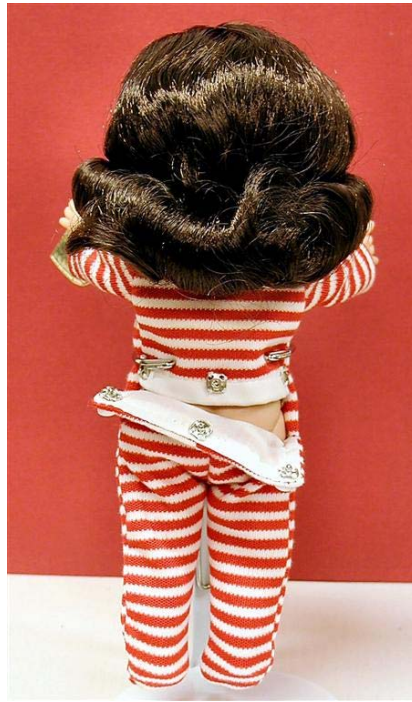


**Close up of Fire-Fly Bear.**



**Ginny dressed up to attend the Tea Party in a stunning pink tagged Vogue outfit. She braided her hair and wore a delightful hat trimmed with flowers, a bow, and a pouf of net. Gloves and matching pink shoes completed her ensemble. She was without a doubt the belle of the party.**

## 2004 - Come Join the Fire-Flies for Christmas



**Ginny goes to bed on Christmas Eve dressed in her tagged Vogue Doctor Denton's**



**On Christmas Morning she dresses up in her tagged Vogue Christmas Party outfit to see what Santa Claus brought her.**



**The World of Miniature Bears created a Christmas Stocking adorned with a Fire-Fly and stuffed with a Teddy Bear and a Golly.**



**Then Ginny goes to Church and later that day Ginny and Sparky go out to visit friends. Ginny puts on her tagged Vogue warm coat, hat, muff, and her pretty new boots. Sparky wears his reindeer antlers just for fun.**



## 2005 - THE MAGIC TOY BOX



- Souvenirs includes Retro Doll Puppeteer with small pink puppet in tagged Vogue outfit.
- Sparky as a Marionette
- Stuffed Elephant on wheels from World of Miniature Bears
- Paper maché Trunk Kit to make Layette for baby doll. Includes: 2" articulated Baby Doll from PetitColin (French Doll Co.), blanket, trims, diaper, & patterns for layette, Birth Certificate for doll named for Linda Smith's Mother Marie Katherine.

## 2006 - COME PLAY IN OUR DOLL HOUSE

The Theme of the Fire-Flies Golden Age of Dolls 2006 Convention was "Come Play in Our Doll House". The main souvenir was a Ginny Doll by Vogue which was presented at the Friday night banquet. Sparky was the final souvenir presented at the Sunday Farewell Brunch. Ginny and Sparky tidy up the doll house in preparation for a Tea Party to which Ginny has invited guests. Sparky is ever helpful with his pail and sponge.



Ginny's house cleaning outfit has a Fire-Fly embroidered on the pocket and her feather duster really gets the dust and cuts the cleaning time. Ginny has lovely light auburn hair styled in a long 'flip'. The tagged Vogue outfit includes a green dress in a silky fabric trimmed with a black velvet ribbon on the skirt, a crisp white apron, black tights and black shoes, a scarf to protect Ginny's hair, and a feather duster.

Ginny changed from her house cleaning outfit into her beautiful pink party dress for the Saturday night Tea Party Banquet. The pink tagged Vogue outfit includes the dress in a crisp silky fabric adorned with a lace border on the skirt and neck; a separate pink slip in a soft silky fabric; long pink bloomers in a soft silky fabric; white socks, and pink center snap shoes.



Looks of astonishment were observed on the faces of attendees when they were presented with TWO more Vogue Ginny dolls. These were the awaited Tea Party Guests for which Ginny had cleaned the Doll House. The doll in the yellow tagged Vogue outfit has medium length dark brown hair. Her outfit consists of a dress of pleated crepe material with full skirt and wide ruffle around the neck. The stunning bonnet of matching material is trimmed with three yellow roses. White panties, white socks, and yellow center snap shoe complete the outfit. Her hair is a medium length dark brown. The blue tagged Vogue dress is of a crisp silky skirt with ruffled sleeve bodice over an attached satin slip and bloomer style panties of the same fabric. The "garland" flower hat ties under the chin with a delicate ribbon. White sock and blue center snap shoes complete her costume.



From plain white to spectacular!



A table and chair set is just Ginny's size. The furniture is pre-painted white. Participants decorated them in a workshop with sponges and permanent marker pens. The souvenir package includes a table and three chairs painted white for Ginny and her two guests at the Tea Party. Instructions for sponge painting and decorating your own custom set are included. The diameter of the table top is 6" and the width of the chair seat is 3-1/4".

## 2007 - HEARTS AND FLOWERS



**Ginny and Jonathan are taking flowers to Arlington. Ginny is dressed in a Vogue outfit befitting the occasion.**



**Ginny had made a trip to Italy earlier in the year and brought a Pinocchio doll to Jonathan. Meanwhile Jonathan had ordered a heart shaped necklace for Ginny and had it delivered in a special jewelry box.**



**Sparky dressed as a Mailman to deliver Valentines to his heart throb, Sparkle.**

**Jonathan received a pair of tagged Vogue corduroy overalls with shirt, socks, and shoes for working in the garden. He planted seeds in the flower pot, and scared Ginny with the Frog in his pocket!**



## 2008 - FIRE-FLIES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



**David and Ginny. They are students at Fire-Flies Elementary School. They both look very scholarly in their tagged Vogue Fire-Flies School uniforms. They both love the Fire-Fly School patch on their jackets.**



**They are very excited about their Prince and Princess costumes, both tagged Vogue, for their role in a scene in the School Play from the second act of Midsummer Night's Dream. Ginny felt like a real princess in her costume of silk organza and David's plume made him feel most regal. Ginny played the part of Thisby while David played Pyramus and Sparky was thrilled to play the role of The Lion.**



**"Mr. Norman" from the Richard Simmons "Nana's Family" collection played the role of the Music Teacher at Fire-Flies Elementary School. He is dressed in a brown knit sweater and plaid pants.**



**Norman can be removed from his wooden base by removing two screws from the bottom of the base. He is poseable. Here he is showing his watch to David and Ginny. He is telling them how he keeps time for the music lessons.**