## "It won't be long now"

## **AUGUST 2025 UPDATE**

## Hello Everybody

We hope that all of our potential attendees for the 44th Laurel & Hardy Convention in Norwich are fine. Here is the first of our Convention Updates to keep in touch with you all. May 2026 sounds like a looong way away, but time flies!







Thank you to everyone who have paid deposits and an extra big thanks to those of you who have paid in full. We do request that you will have made a payment of £100 per person by 1st August. Thank you.

## **EXTRA NIGHTS AT HOTEL**

The cost for extra nights before or after the Convention is

£100 per room for bed and breakfast

Anyone who wishes to stay extra nights should advise Emma ASAP and before 1st January 2026. <u>Do not contact the Hotel.</u> Extra nights will be reserved and guaranteed on this basis and

be paid upon arrival at the hotel. Guests will be able to stay in the same room as the Convention. Persons who wish to book in the new year, may risk rooms not being available. **The hotel** will do all they can to try to accommodate all requirements.



The European Convention in Prato, Italy was great fun. There were



just over 50 Sons of the Desert. We experienced a wide range of events and places visited. One moment we were in a glorious 15th Century building in Florence which was bedecked with original paintings and statues, and the next moment we were having a pie-fight in a field! Alessandro Santi did a wonderful job organising the event and always had a smile of his face... and at one time a messy pie!

Stan Laurel e Oliver Hardy in Italy (Roma Termini station), July 23 1950





If you have any questions about the Convention at this stage, please put your hand up. Better still, send an e-mail to Roger or Emma.

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