



American Bandmasters Association
85th Annual National Convention
“Colorado – A Dream Come True!”

Embassy Suites Loveland Hotel & Conference Center, Loveland, CO
March 5 – 10, 2019

Tuesday, March 5, 2019

- 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm Convention Registration/Information/Transportation Desks (Hotel Lobby)
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Past Presidents and Board Reception (Hallway Outside Dinner Locations)
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Past Presidents and Spouses Dinner (Big Thompson AB)
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Board Members Dinner (Carter Lake AB)

Wednesday, March 6, 2019

- 7:00 am - 5:00 pm Convention Registration/Information/Transportation Desks (Hotel Lobby)
6:00 am - 8:30 am Complimentary Breakfast (Hotel Atrium)
8:30 am - 9:00 am ABA Foundation Audit (Big Thompson AB)
9:00 am - 10:00 am Foundation Board Meeting (Big Thompson AB)
10:00 am - 12:00 pm Board of Directors Meeting (Big Thompson AB)
12:00 pm Lunch on Your Own
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm Pre-Convention Excursion: Loveland (limit 15)
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm Nominating Committee Meeting (Big Thompson AB)
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm Membership Committee Meeting (Big Thompson AB)
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm Welcome Reception (Hotel Lobby)
7:30 pm **Concert: *Kansas State University Wind Ensemble* (Front Range Ballroom)**
Frank Tracz, Conductor
8:40 pm ***Colorado State University Wind Symphony***
Rebecca Phillips, Conductor
9:30 pm - 11:30 am Post-Concert Reception (Cash bar, Complimentary hors d'oeuvres) (Pinyon Pine)

Thursday, March 7, 2019

- 7:00 am - 5:00 pm Convention Registration/Information/Transportation Desks (Hotel Lobby)
6:00 am - 8:30 am Complimentary Breakfast (Hotel Atrium)
8:30 am - 9:45 am Opening General Session: Members and Guests (Aspen Daisy/Elderberry/Goldenglow)
9:45 am - 10:15 am Coffee Break
10:15 am - 11:30 am ABA Members Business Meeting (Aspen Daisy/Elderberry/Goldenglow)
ABA Associate Members Business Meeting (Snowberry)
Spouse/Significant Other/Guest Opening Session (River Birch BC)
11:30 am - 12:15 pm Break
12:15 pm - 5:00 pm Excursions: Loveland (limit 15) or Fort Collins
5:00 pm Dinner on Your Own
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm Complimentary Hotel Reception
7:30 pm **Concert: *University of Texas-El Paso Wind Symphony* (Front Range Ballroom)**
Bradley Genevro, Conductor
8:40 pm ***University of Northern Colorado Wind Ensemble***
Kenneth Singleton, Conductor
9:30 pm - 11:30 pm Post-Concert Reception (Cash bar, Complimentary hors d'oeuvres) (Pinyon Pine)



Friday, March 8, 2019

- 7:00 am - 5:00 pm Convention Registration/Information/Transportation Desks (Hotel Lobby)
6:00 am - 8:30 am Complimentary Breakfast (Hotel Atrium)
8:30 am - 9:45 am General Session: Members and Guests (Aspen Daisy/Elderberry/Goldenglow)
9:45 am - 10:15 am Coffee Break
10:15 am - 11:30 am ABA Members Business Meeting (Aspen Daisy/Elderberry/Goldenglow)
ABA Associate Members Business Meeting (Snowberry)
Spouse/Significant Other/Guest Session (River Birch BC)
11:30 am - 12:00 pm Break
12:00 pm - 5:30 pm Excursions: Estes Park and Rocky Mountain National Park options
5:30 pm Dinner on Your Own
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm Complimentary Hotel Reception
7:30 pm **Concert: *United States Air Force Band*** (Front Range Ballroom)
Col. Don Schofield, USAF, Conductor
9:30 pm - 11:30 pm Post-Concert Reception (Cash bar, Complimentary hors d'oeuvres) (River Birch ABC)

Saturday, March 9, 2019

- 7:00 am - 5:00 pm Convention Registration/Information/Transportation Desks (Hotel Lobby)
7:00 am - 8:30 am Complimentary Breakfast (Hotel Atrium)
7:45 am - 8:30 am Possible Membership Committee Meeting (Big Thompson AB)
8:30 am - 9:30 am ABA Members Business Meeting (Aspen Daisy/Elderberry/Goldenglow)
9:30 am - 10:00 am Coffee Break
10:00 am - 11:30 am General Session: Members and Guests (Aspen Daisy/Elderberry/Goldenglow)
Old and New Board of Directors Meeting to follow
12:15 pm - 4:30 pm Excursions: Greeley options
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm Board of Directors Meeting (Big Thompson AB)
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Pre-Banquet Reception (Hallway Outside Front Range Ballroom)
7:00 pm - 10:00 pm **BANQUET: "*Colorado – A Dream Come True!*"** (Front Range Ballroom)

Sunday, March 10, 2019

- 3:00 am - 12:00 pm Information and Transportation Desks (Hotel Lobby)
7:00 am - 10:30 am Complimentary Breakfast (Hotel Atrium)