



Dear SCVA members,

Registration for the 22nd Annual SCVA Winter Training Conference is here! The Conference Planning Committee has been busy planning an outstanding program with activities to include everyone. Register for the conference by Tuesday, Dec. 1, to receive the “Early-Bird” deals! Read on, so you don’t miss out!

Here’s what’s in store for 2010!

Educational and Social Programs

* Friday morning (Jan. 29), guest speaker Vic Pemberton with Pepi Foods will address the group, followed by a complete legislative update and national review by SCVA lobbyist Tom Sponseller.

* Saturday morning (Jan. 30), experience award-winning columnist, author, consultant and coach, John Carroll, as he delivers a must-see seminar, “Relationships, Results, Retention and Referrals – The Vending Company’s Circle of Success.”

* Sunday morning (Jan. 31), third generation minister Jeremy Kingsley, OneLife Ministries, will share how “humility and service is the path to true greatness.” Kingsley’s program will be creative, intelligent and uplifting.

The Annual Golf Tournament

* Friday (Jan. 29), tee it up at Patriots Point Links. Arrive at the course in time to enjoy a box lunch before the shotgun start at 12:30 p.m.

Saturday Lunch in Charleston – an “Early-Bird” Deal

For all attendees! If you register for the conference by Tuesday, Dec. 1, you’ll receive an “early-bird” lunch voucher for lunch in Charleston on Saturday afternoon (Jan. 30). Choose from several low-country hot spots!

Saturday Night Gala

Gather at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday night (Jan. 30) for a one-hour cocktail reception, followed by the traditional dinner banquet at 7:30 p.m. Purchase a reverse raffle ticket, play a hand, take a chance, place a bid, win a prize and experience Saturday’s late night festivities to the fullest.

Sponsors Receive Complimentary Registration

It’s not too late to support the SCVA Winter Conference as a 2010 sponsor! For every \$600 sponsored **your company receives one complimentary registration** and you may provide two pieces of product per goody-bag. Product must arrive at the Francis Marion by 2 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 28. Questions? Call the SCVA office at 919.459.2070 or Email courtneym@imiae.com.

Operators Member Companies – an “Early-Bird” Deal

Register for the conference by Tuesday, Dec. 1, and pay only \$99 for your hotel room on Friday and Saturday nights. After Tuesday, Dec. 1, you must pay SCVA’s regular room rate of \$129 plus taxes per night. The number of \$99 rooms operators are eligible to receive is based on your 2010 dues payment. Receive one \$99 special rate for every \$100 in dues paid. But you must register by Dec. 1 to receive the \$99 rate! Vouchers will be mailed upon receipt of conference registration and 2010 dues payment.

Make Hotel Reservations at the Francis Marion Today!

Tuesday, Dec. 29, 2009, is the deadline for making hotel reservations! After Tuesday, Dec. 29, The Francis Marion will release SCVA’s room block and reservations will be accepted only if space is still available. Once the hotel reservation deadline (Dec. 29) has passed, the SCVA room rate may no longer apply.

To make your hotel reservations and secure the conference room rate, visit the Francis Marion Web site at www.francismarionhotel.com or call 877.756.2121. Follow the “Reservations” link. Enter your arrival and departure dates. Be sure to enter or identify yourself with the conference group code when prompted – SCVA.

Schedule-At-A-Glance

Thursday, Jan. 28

2 p.m. Deadline for Goody-Bag product to arrive at the Doubletree
3 p.m. Conference Committee members meet to stuff Goody-Bags
3-6 p.m. Registration Open

Friday, Jan. 29

7:15-8 a.m. Continental Breakfast
7:15-11:30 a.m. Registration Desk Open
8-8:30 a.m. SCVA Annual Membership Meeting
8:30-9:45 a.m. Vic Pemberton, Pepi Foods
9:45-10 a.m. Refreshment Break
10-10:45 a.m. State Legislative Update, lobbyist Tom Sponseller
12:30 p.m. Don Head Memorial Golf Tournament at Patriots Point
6-7 p.m. Registration Desk Open
Silent Auction Open
Reception at the Francis Marion

Saturday, Jan. 30

7:30-8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
7:30-11:30 a.m. Registration Desk Open
8:30-11:30 a.m. John Carroll, "Relationships, Results, Retention and Referrals – The Vending Company's Circle of Success"
9:45-10 a.m. Refreshment Break
11:30 a.m. Lunch in Charleston
6:30-7:30 p.m. Reception
Silent Auction Open
7:30-8:30 p.m. Dinner Buffet
8:30-10 p.m. Silent Auction Open
10 p.m. Silent Auction Closes
8:30 p.m.-Midnight Late Night Gala

Sunday, Jan. 31

8:15-9:15 a.m. Keynote Breakfast
9:15-10:15 a.m. Minister Jeremy Kingsley
10:15 a.m. Silent Auction Presentation & Attendance Prizes
11 a.m. Hotel Check-Out

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

General Information

- Make check(s) payable to SCVA.
- Return the completed form via fax or mail by Tuesday, Dec. 1, for "Early-Bird registration deals! Fax to 704.896.3653 or mail to SCVA, 201 Chambers St., Davidson, NC, 28036.
- Cancellations with full refund will be honored through Dec. 21. Substitutions may be made with no penalty.
- Pick up your badges at the on-site conference registration desk.
- Questions? Call the SCVA office at 919.459.2070 or Email to courtneym@imiae.com.

REGISTRATION FEES - Please pay by check and make payable to SCVA.

Please check appropriate category

Vending Operators

Operator Members = free of charge

Industry Suppliers

- Non-Sponsoring Supplier = \$400 per person
- Supplier Spouse = \$100 per spouse
- Sponsoring Supplier = based on sponsorship amount
 - \$600 Sponsorship = one complimentary registrant.
 - Add one complimentary registrant for each additional \$600 in sponsorship committed.
 - Additional registrants over and above complimentary allotment \$200 each.

Name (list names exactly as you wish them to appear on name badges):

Spouse (if attending): _____

Minors (if attending): _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please specify if you need special assistance or have special needs: _____

Waiver of Liability

The undersigned, in consideration of his/her registration for the 2010 SCVA Winter Training Conference, releases, holds harmless and discharges the association, management staff and their agents, from any and all actions, claims and demands which may arise of an accident, casualty or occurrence during said convention. Your signature below acknowledges acceptance of these provisions of registration for all those listed on this form.

Signature (required): _____ Date: _____

The Ninth Annual Don Head Memorial Golf Tournament

Friday, Jan. 29, 12:30 p.m. Shotgun Start • Patriots Point Links • Captain’s Choice

Fees: \$55, if received on or before Jan. 7 \$65, if received after Jan. 7
\$10, three mulligans \$5, one mulligan

Notes:

- Golf fee includes: green/cart fees and box lunch
- Mulligan proceeds will be donated to a special cause.
- Golf pre-registration and refunds will be processed through Jan. 21; after that date, on-site registrations will be accepted based on space availability.

Name: _____ Handicap: _____

Waiver of Liability

In consideration of acceptance of this entry, I hereby, for myself, executors, administrators and assignees, do release and hold harmless the association, management staff and their agents and any other sponsors of claims arising or growing out of participation in said event. I attest and verify that I have full knowledge of the risks involved in this event and I am physically fit and sufficiently trained to participate in this event.

Signature (required): _____ Date: _____

Reverse Raffle – \$50 and only 100 tickets will be sold!

Saturday, Jan. 30 • The Francis Marion

Name: _____ Number of tickets _____ X \$50 = _____

Silent Auction - See Schedule-At-A-Glance and Conference Program for operating times
In lieu of registration fees, each operating company attending the Winter Conference is being asked to provide a silent auction prize.

If you plan to donate auction items and are arriving to the hotel after Thursday, Jan. 28, please remember to ship items to: The Francis Marion, 387 King St., Charleston, SC 29403. Please address the package to yourself and mark "hold for the SCVA Winter Training Conference, Jan. 28-31, 2010."

Reminder! Fax your conference registrations to the SCVA office at 704.896.3653 or mail to 201 Chambers St., Davidson, NC 28036. Remember to pay by check, payable to SCVA.

Conference Questions? If you have questions about the upcoming conference please call the SCVA office at 919.459.2070 or Email courtneym@imiae.com.

Office Use Only		
Date Received: _____	Check Amount: _____	Check Number: _____
Company: _____ OR Individual: _____		