

Florida Sheriffs Association Annual Summer Conference

Please join us for the Florida Sheriffs Association's Annual Summer Conference this year in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida at the PGA National Resort & Spa. This year's conference will be hosted by Palm Beach County Sheriff Ric Bradshaw.

Registration Fees

Must be received by July 3

Booth (Includes 2 People)	\$725
Spouse	\$150
Youth (18 & over)	\$150
Children	\$ 75

Registration includes

Sponsor's Reception (Sunday evening)

Sheriff's Breakfast (Monday-Tuesday)

- General Attendees Breakfast (Monday-Tuesday)
- Sponsor's Luncheon (Monday)
- Host Sheriff's Dinner (Monday evening)
- Luncheon (Tuesday)
- Hospitality & Banquet (Tuesday evening)
- Full buffet breakfast (Wednesday) (Everyone)

FSA Conference Training Program

The training committee has put together an information-packed training program, highlighted by nationally acclaimed speaker Gordon Graham. Although the program has not been finalized at this time, below is a *tentative schedule* for this summer's training program:

Monday - Training Schedule

8:30 a.m. If it's predictable, it's preventable" - Gordon Graham
10:00 a.m. Coffee Break - Visit Vendors
10:30 a.m. Gordon Graham - continued

12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. - Lunch
1:30 p.m. Gordon Graham - continued
3:00 p.m. Coffee Break - Visit Vendors
3:45 p.m. Sheriff Hunter program - Child Predators data base
Hank Asher (presenter)
4:30 p.m. Dismissed

Tuesday - Training Schedule

8:30 a.m. Legislative Update - Frank Messersmith
9:30 a.m. Hurricane Preparedness/ Task Force Update/Lessons Learned - Sheriff Bill Cameron, Charlotte County & Sheriff Wendell Hall, Santa Rosa Co.
10:45 a.m. Coffee Break - Visit Vendors
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - Lunch
1:15 p.m. FSA Business Meeting/ Insurance Updates/Youth Ranches
2:30 p.m. Coffee Break
3:00 p.m. **Sheriff's Only - Business Meeting**
4:30 p.m. Dismissed

Spouse/Youth Registration

The Florida Sheriffs Association realizes the importance of family; therefore, we are extending an invitation to your spouses and children. **However, spouses and children are required to be pre-registered and pre-paid.** While plans are still being finalized, a variety of activities are being developed for spouses and children each day of the conference.

Ladies Activities: Monday, shopping at the Palm Beach Gardens mall and "A Taste of Italy" at Vic & Angelo's. Tentative plans for Tuesday are "The Spa at PGA National" with lunch and

guest speaker Electra Theodorides-Bustle, Director of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles.

Youth Activities: A day at Lion Country Safari and Monday night PGA Fun & Games. A trip to Calypso Bay Water Park is being planned for Tuesday topped off with a Magic Show and Movies.

Registration Procedure

A conference registration form is enclosed, or you can register online on our website (www.flsheriffs.org). Please complete all facets of the form and mail or fax to FSA as soon as possible. Registration forms should be received no later than July 3, 2009.

Cancellation Policy

If for any reason you are unable to attend the conference, all except \$100 of the \$725 booth fee is refundable. Please call (850/877-2165) or fax (850/878-8665) the FSA office, **attention: Rnee' Stockton** if you are unable to attend. This will enable us to have accurate head counts for meal functions and planned activities.

Hotel **A**ccommodations

Hotel accommodations will be handled directly by the *PGA National Resort & Spa*. **Call the hotel by 3:00 p.m. on June 22, 2009, to insure room availability and the special conference rate of \$139 per night.** All room rates include complimentary High-Speed Wireless Access in all guest rooms, complimentary coffee maker with in-room coffee and complimentary HBO. Also, unlimited admission to the Health

and Racquet Club facilities (including bicycles and racquet ball), aerobics classes (Pilates Mat Class, Yoga and Spinning), tennis court times, golf bag storage, golf activities, pool and daily newspaper. The hotel is not obligated to hold any rooms at the special rate after this date and reservations will be accepted on a space-available basis only and the prevailing room rate. All reservations must be accompanied by a deposit in the amount of one night's accommodation or credit card deposit and signature to guarantee a room. Deposit will be applied to your last confirmed departure date. **Early departures will forfeit deposit.** Guaranteed reservations rate will apply. Attendees will be liable for one night's room and tax which will be deducted from their deposit, or billed through their credit card in the event of cancellation within 5 days of initial arrival date. The hotel address and phone number is:

PGA National Resort & Spa
400 Avenue of the Champions
Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418
(561) 627-2000 • Fax: (561) 691-9133

Trade Show . . .

The very latest in law enforcement technology and equipment will be available for viewing in our exhibit hall. The 2009 Mid-Winter Conference had a showing of over 120 vendors. We are very fortunate to have had continuous growth with each conference, so please make every effort to visit with the exhibitors.

They are the backbone of our conferences and without their support it would be virtually impossible to host events such as these.

Recreation . . .

Florida Sheriffs Association's Golf Tournament will be held Sunday, July 19, 2009, on the Champion Golf Course. The cost for participation in the tournament this year will be \$110.00 with breakfast and lunch provided. All golfers are asked to be at the course no later than 7:00 a.m. for breakfast and a shotgun start is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. If you plan to participate in the tournament, payment **MUST BE** received by July 3, 2009. **NO EXEPTIONS WILL BE MADE** and because FSA has to pay for guarantees on the golf tournament, **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN.**

We hope you will join us and look forward to seeing you in July!