



Education & Leadership Conference

February 21-24, 2012
Treasure Island Resort
Las Vegas, Nevada

*Discover A Treasure Trove of
Resources for Your Business*

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Tuesday, February 21

- 8am – 4pm APA Registration Desk
- 8am – 5pm AFSL Board
- 10am – 2pm Display Operator’s Training Work Group
- 2pm – 4pm NGAP (Next Generation APA)
- 2pm – 4pm Proximate Pyrotechnics Committee
- 4pm – 5pm Convention Committee
- 4pm – 6pm Display Committee

Wednesday, February 22

- 8am – 4pm APA Registration Desk
- 8:30 – 11am **“Ahoj, Matey” Welcome Breakfast***
Sponsored by: Phantom Fireworks
-- **CPSC Chair Inez Tenenbaum**
- 11am – 1pm Transportation Committee
- 11am – 3pm Code Committee
- 1pm – 5pm **General Industry Program #1**
Sponsored by: Winco Fireworks & Black Cat Fireworks
 - Part 1 **Building Team & Leadership Success - Craig Impelman**, grandson-in-law of legendary UCLA Coach John Wooden
 - Part 2 **“Shiver Me Timbers” Joe Domanico**, How hobbyists are using your Fireworks.
- 6pm – 8pm **“Yo Ho Ho” Reception***
Sponsored by: Drayton Insurance and Law Offices of John H. Brooke

Thursday, February 23

- 8am – 4pm APA Registration Desk
- 8am – 9am **Resources Continental Breakfast**
Sponsored by: Zambelli Fireworks
-- Prepare for the season by visiting with APA suppliers & service providers

Thursday, February 23, continued

- 9am – 11am **General Industry Program #2**
Sponsored by: Melrose Pyrotechnics
 - Part 1 **OSHA’s Directive on Fireworks Sanji Kanth, OSHA Directorate of Enforcement Programs** (invited)
Barry Hartman, K&L Gates
-- Industry Consensus Standard And General Duty Clause
 - Part 2 **“Keep Your Operations Shipshape” DOT Audits – APA Tools to Help You Prepare**
- 11am – 1pm Roundtable Round-up
- 2pm – 5pm Consumer Fireworks Forum
Break Sponsors: Galaxy Fireworks, Jake’s Fireworks
-- AFSL Programs & Stds. Update
-- PHMSA/CPSC - Consequences of selling unapproved fireworks or overloaded product
- 2pm – 5pm Display Fireworks Forum
Break Sponsors: Lidu Fireworks, Young Explosives, Pyrotecnico, & Fireworks by Grucci
John Rogers, AFSL
-- Display Certification Program
Chief William Miller, ATF (invited)
-- ATF Update
John Brooke, Law Offices of John H. Brooke, PC
-- Product security/protecting yourself from criminal prosecution

Friday, February 24

- 8am – Noon APA Registration Desk
- 9am – 5pm DOT HazMat Training*
Pre-registration required
- 9am – 5pm APA Board of Directors

