

2026 APA Convention & Annual Meeting

Tentative Agenda

Date & Time	Event/Session
Monday, September 28, 2026	
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	AFSL Board Meeting
4:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Membership Committee
Tuesday, September 29, 2026	
7:30am – 2:30 pm	Golf Outing*
8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Registration Desk
9:00 am – 10:30 am	Manufacturing Committee
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Proximate Pyrotechnics Committee
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Display Committee
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Standards Committee
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm	<i>Spark the Night</i> -Welcome Reception*
Wednesday, September 30, 2026	
8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Registration Desk
8:00 am – 4:00 pm	<i>The Spark Hub</i> - Resource Room
8:30 am – 10:00 am	<i>Rise & Ignite - Welcome Breakfast</i> *
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	<i>Patriot's Unite</i> - APA Annual Membership Meeting
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	APSEF Board of Directors Meeting
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Transportation Committee
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	<i>The Spirit Exchange Networking Lunch</i>
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<i>Fueling the Future</i> : General Session I
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Spark Your Interest I
4:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Code Committee
4:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Drone Committee
8:00 pm – 11:30 pm	<i>Stars Over America Dessert & Fireworks</i> *
Thursday, October 1, 2026	
8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Registration Desk
8:00 am – 4:00 pm	<i>The Spark Hub</i> - Resource Room
8:30 am – 9:30 am	<i>Patriot's Perk</i> Continental Breakfast
10:00 am – 12:00 pm	<i>Fueling the Future</i> : General Session II
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Environmental Committee
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	<i>Igniting Ideas: Industry Roundtables</i>
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Display Industry Forum
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	AFSL General Membership Meeting
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Spark Your Interest II
Friday, October 2, 2026	
8:00 am – 12:00 pm	Registration Desk
8:00 am – 12:00 pm	<i>The Spark Hub</i> - Resource Room
8:30 am – 10:00 am	<i>Morning Glory – Stars & Stripes Breakfast</i> *
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	<i>Fueling the Future</i> : General Session III
12:00 pm – 5:00 pm	APA Board of Directors Meeting
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Workshop I
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Workshop II
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	<i>Grande Finale Dinner and Fireworks</i> *

***Denotes Ticketed Event**