



# 2026 Annual Meeting

## Schedule-at-a-Glance

### Tuesday, February 24, 2026

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7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Registration	Medallion Foyer
9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Exam Development Team	Mezzanine Salon B
9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Regulatory Board Service 101 Dale Atkinson, The Atkinson Firm Pre-Registration Required	Mezzanine Salon A
2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Funeral Service Administrators Forum Closed Session - Administrators Only	Mezzanine Salon D
4:30 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.	Gather & Graze! Registration & Happy Hour First time attendees meet at 5:00	Rathskeller
5:45 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Tour of Kentucky Derby Museum/Grounds First bus departs hotel at 5:45 Cash bar at event!	Churchill Downs

### Wednesday, February 25, 2026

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7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Registration	Medallion Foyer
7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Attendee Breakfast	Medallion Ballroom
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Opening Session	Medallion Ballroom
10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	Break	
10:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Educational Session #1	Medallion Ballroom
11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Educational Session #2	Medallion Ballroom
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch	Medallion Ballroom
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Educational Session #3	Medallion Ballroom
2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Educational Session #4	
3:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.	Break & Snack	
3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Election to the Board of Directors Credentialed Delegates Vote	Medallion Ballroom
4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Executive Session - Delegate Assembly Closed Session - Members Only	Medallion Ballroom
5:45 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.	Attendee Headshot (optional)	Blue Room
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Volunteer Recognition Banquet	Medallion Ballroom

## Thursday, February 26, 2026

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7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Attendee Breakfast	Medallion Ballroom
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	Educational Session #5	Medallion Ballroom
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m.	Educational Session #6.	Medallion Ballroom
10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	Break (Coffee, Tea, Water)	Medallion Ballroom
10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Catching Up with The Conference Gina Sanchez, Secretary/Treasurer Dalene Paull, Executive Director Dustin Wardlow, Exam Program Director Anna Scott Chesshir, Candidate Services Manager Andrew Joseph, Communications Manager Cat Maher, Program Support Manager	Medallion Ballroom
11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch	Medallion Ballroom
	Educators Forum 12:00 p.m. 12:45 p.m.	Mezzanine Room D
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Educational Session #7	
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Educational Session #8.	Medallion Ballroom
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Educational Session #9	Medallion Ballroom
4:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.	Closing Remarks	Medallion Ballroom