

2023 SLMA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

SUNDAY, JULY 23

- 6:00pm - **Opening Social**
Mizner Ballroom - Business Casual Attire
Join Chairman Harold Wayne Hankins and First Lady Patsy Hankins for cocktails and hors d'oeuvres.
- 7:30pm - **Past Chairmen's Dinner**
Clubroom - Business Casual Attire
Invite Only

MONDAY, JULY 24

- 8:00am - **Cast & Blast**
Shooting School & Cloister Dock - Athletic Attire
Participants will go fishing and skeet shooting. Half will start at the Shooting School while the other half starts at the Cloister Dock. After 2 hours the groups will swap. Closed toed shoes recommended.
Additional Registration Fee
- 8:30am - **Golf**
1:00pm
Plantation Course - Golf Attire
Golfers will shuttle from the Cloister to the Lodge for the tournament. The driving range opens at 7:15am for players to warmup.
Additional Registration Fee
- 9:00am - **Sea Island Explorer**
11:00am
Yacht Club - Casual Attire
Participants will meet at the Yacht Club for a boat tour of the marsh and river. No heels.
Additional Registration Fee
- 7:30am - **SLMA Registration Desk Open**
3:30pm
Cloister Foyer II
Attendees can pick up their badges, conference gift, and conference guide.
- 8:00am - **Exhibitor Set-Up**
3:00pm
Cloister Ballroom
Exhibitors have this time to set up their tables in preparation for the reception.
- 5:00pm - **Trade Expo & Reception**
7:00pm
Cloister Ballroom - Business Casual Attire
The conference trade expo will kick off with a cocktail reception, creating a relaxed and social atmosphere to network with customers and learn about new products and services for the lumber industry.
- 7:00pm - **PAC Fundraising Dinner**
10:00pm
Ocean Room - Business Casual Attire
Support the SLMA Political Action Committee by attending this dinner. There will be a beautiful ocean view and plated dinner.
Reservations Only. Please contact Beverly Knight for more information at beverly@slma.org.



Questions?

Visit our website at www.slma.org or contact Taylor McCord at taylor@slma.org or call (770) 631-6704

TUESDAY, JULY 25

- 7:00am - **SLMA Registration Desk Open**
5:00pm
Cloister Foyer II
Attendees can pick up their badges, conference gift, and conference guide.
- 7:00am - **Networking Breakfast**
8:00am
Cloister Foyer II - Business Casual Attire
Join us for a continental breakfast prior to the morning's general sessions.
- 8:00am - **SLMA Board & Business Meeting**
9:30am
Mizner Ballroom - Business Casual Attire
All are welcome to attend the Board & Business Meeting and get an update on the state of the association and its programs and activities.
- 10:00am - **Keynote Session With Greg Sankey**
12:00pm
Mizner Ballroom - Business Casual Attire
Greg Sankey became the eighth Commissioner of the Southeastern Conference on June 1, 2015, and immediately embarked on a journey to build upon the SEC's recognized success, strong foundation and rich traditions.
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7:00pm
Cloister Ballroom - Business Casual Attire
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- 7:00pm - **SLMA Family Dinner**
10:00pm
Black Banks Terrace - Business Casual Attire
The networking will continue with a group dinner. All are welcome.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

- 7:00am - **SLMA Registration Desk Open**
1:00pm
Cloister Foyer II
Attendees can pick up their badges, conference gift, and conference guide.
- 7:00am - **Networking Breakfast**
8:00am
Cloister Foyer II - Business Casual Attire
Join us for a continental breakfast prior to the morning's general sessions.
- 7:00am - **Exhibitor Tear-Down**
9:00am
Cloister Ballroom
Exhibitors are welcome to tear down the night of July 25 from 7pm-8pm as well. Please keep in mind that the Issues Forum begins at 8am on July 26.
- 8:00am - **SLMA Issues Forum**
12:00pm
Mizner Ballroom - Business Casual Attire
All are welcome to attend the Issues Forum and get the latest updates on the topics impacting the lumber industry.
- 5:45pm - **Children's Dinner Ages 5-14**
9:45pm
Clubroom - Casual Attire
Before the night's festivities begin, drop your child off with The Cloister staff for dinner and activities.
- 6:00pm - **Cocktail Soiree**
7:00pm
Cloister Foyer II & Portico - Cocktail Attire
Join us for cocktail hour prior to the Chairman's Gala.
- 7:00pm - **Chairman's Gala**
10:00pm
Cloister & Mizner Ballrooms - Cocktail Attire
Join us in closing out the week with dinner, the annual "passing of the gavel" to incoming SLMA Chairman Jeff Jordan, and dancing.