

American Honey

Producers Association



47th Annual Convention and Trade Show

Albuquerque, New Mexico
January 5-9, 2016

Embassy Suites, Albuquerque

The Embassy Suites, Albuquerque Hotel is centrally located in downtown Albuquerque. Each spacious two-room suite features a separate living room with a sofa bed. Enjoy internet access, a mini-refrigerator and microwave. Start your day with a complimentary breakfast buffet. The Cyprus Grille serves steaks, seafood and Southwestern cuisine for lunch and dinner.

Indulge in a massage or facial at Spa Botanica and maintain your exercise regimen in the fitness center or indoor pool or unwind in the whirlpool. The kids can also enjoy the onsite video arcade!

Explore historic Old Town Albuquerque, a Spanish plaza surrounded by restaurants and shops offering Native American art, jewelry and crafts. Take in the exhibits at the Albuquerque Natural History Museum. A visit to the ABQ BioPark includes time at the Zoo, Botanic Garden, Aquarium and Tingley Beach, where you can hike, bike, fish, sail a model boat or just relax while you enjoy nature.



Room rates are as follows:

Single Room \$119 per night-includes complimentary Breakfast Buffet

Double Room \$119 per night-includes complimentary Breakfast Buffet

Triple Room \$129 per night-includes complimentary Breakfast Buffet

Quad Room \$139 per night-includes complimentary Breakfast Buffet

*You must reserve a room in the American Honey Producers "room block" for the reduced rate and free breakfast buffet.

Reservations: Phone: (505) 245-7100
online: www.ahpanet.com

OR

<http://embassysuites.hilton.com/en/es/groups/personalized/A/ABQEMES-AHP-20160103/index.jhtml>

Schedule at a Glance

Tuesday, January 5, 2016 *schedule subject to change*	
8:00am - 12:00pm	Executive Board Meeting
10:00am - 5:00pm	Registration
1:30pm - 3:00pm	Board of Director's Meeting
6:30pm - 10:00pm	Welcome Reception
Wednesday, January 6, 2016	
8:00am - 5:00pm	Registration & Trade Show
8:00am - 5:00pm	General Session
7:30pm - 9:30pm	Resolutions Committee Meeting
Thursday, January 7, 2016	
8:00am - 5:00pm	Registration & Trade Show
8:00am - 3:00pm	General Session
3:15pm - 8:00pm	Sandia Tram Ride and Dinner**
Friday, January 8, 2016	
8:00am - 5:00pm	Registration & Trade Show
8:00am - 5:00pm	General Session
6:30pm - 10:30pm	Awards Banquet & Auction**
Saturday, January 9, 2016	
9:00am - 10:15am	General Business Meeting
10:30am - 12:00pm	Board of Director's Meeting
12:00pm	End of 47th Annual Convention
1:30pm - 4:00pm	Executive Board Meeting
**Requires additional registration	

Convention & Trade Show Highlights

An Engaging Convention & Dynamic Trade Show



- ~Relevant sessions on new research and hot topics within the beekeeping industry, legislative changes, honey market and pollination reports.
- ~Great opportunities to socialize with friends and fellow beekeepers at our Welcome Reception and our Annual Banquet and Auction.
- ~Direct access to our industry's leading vendors.

47th Annual Awards Banquet and Auction

The banquet is a highlight of the convention! Elegant dining with friends and then our "infamous" auction. Let the fun begin when the bidding wars start for the latest tools of the trade and unique gifts for your "honey." You'll also get a chance to find

out "Who's Who" in the Beekeeping Industry with awards going to this year's Beekeeper of the Year and Friend of the Industry. You won't want to miss this night of socializing and friendly competition.



Sandia Peak Tram Ride and Dinner

A trip on the Sandia Peak Aerial Tramway transports you above deep canyons and breathtaking terrain a distance of 2.7 miles. See some of nature's more dramatic beauty unfold before you. At sunset the desert skies produce a spectacular array of color, and your vantage point from the observation deck atop 10,378 foot Sandia Peak in the Cibola National Forest affords an



11,000 square-mile panoramic view of the Rio Grande Valley and the Land of Enchantment. Located on the eastern edge of Albuquerque in the Sandia Foot-hills.

We will dine two miles high! No other restaurant offers such a unique way to arrive at your dining destination like High Finance Restaurant & Tavern. The tram ride takes you through several climate zones on your way to the restaurant. Dining at 10,378' in elevation with views of over 11,000 square miles is worth the trip in itself.



Welcome Reception

Everyone is excited for our annual gala. Start the convention right by enjoying an evening of catching up with familiar faces and network with new ones! Another one of the fun highlights of the convention that everyone looks forward to!



Don't Miss These Speakers!

- * Dr. John J. Adamczyk, *USDA-ARS, Southeast Horticulture Lab*
- * Dr. Susan Kegley, *Principal and CEO, Pesticide Research Institute*
- * Dr. Yu Cheng Zhu, *USDA-ARS, Southern Insect Management Research*
- * Ms. Margaret Lombard, *CEO, National Honey Board*
- * Mr. Ron Phipps, *President and founder of CPNA International, Ltd.*
- * Ms. Fabiana Ahumada, *USDA-ARS, Tucson, Honey Bee Research*



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Convention Registration Form

Name _____ Names of Other Attendees _____

Company Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ email _____

Check AHPA's website for up to date convention information or register online www.ahpanet.com

Convention Registration: *Registration includes one adult, partner and children under 18*

Full Conference: Early bird Registration (<i>before Nov. 15</i>).....	\$225	\$ _____
Full Conference: Pre-register (<i>Nov. 15-Dec. 22</i>)	\$250	\$ _____
Full Conference: Regular/At the Door (<i>after Dec. 22</i>)	\$295	\$ _____
Two Days: Pre-register	\$140	\$ _____
Single Day: Pre-register	\$ 80	\$ _____
At the Door: Two Days: \$160		
Single Day: \$100		

Event Tickets:

Thursday, January 7, 3:15pm

Sandia Tram Ride and Dinner

of people _____ @ \$90.....Total: \$ _____

(*At the convention- \$95*)

Friday, January 8, 6:30pm

Annual Banquet & Auction

of people _____ @ \$75.....Total: \$ _____

(*At the Door - \$80*)

Total conference and event ticket registration: \$ _____

If you would like to pay your 2016 AHPA dues and other fund payments at this time

Voting Members:

Commercial (301+ hives) \$500 \$ _____

Sideline (76-300 Hives) \$100 \$ _____

Hobbyist (1-75 hives) \$ 50 \$ _____

Non - Voting Associate:

Firm or Beekeeping Association \$150 \$ _____

Individual (Scientist-Apiary Inspector) \$ 40 \$ _____

Donations: (please mark donation allocation on the lines below)

Anti-Dumping (# of Hives _____ x \$1.00 each).....\$ _____

H-2A Fund \$ _____ Legal Fund\$ _____

General Fund \$ _____ Other (specify)... \$ _____

Pollinator Stewardship Council.....\$ _____

Total dues/other funds: \$ _____

Return with remittance to:

**AHPA
Attn: Cassie Cox
P.O. Box 435
Mendon, UT 84325**

Registration Tickets, Dues, Donations Grand Total: \$ _____

Payment Information:

Check or money order Credit Card (Visa, MasterCard, or American Express)

Card # _____

Exp. Date ____/____/____ CV# _____

Signature _____

Embassy Suites Albuquerque

1000 Woodward Place NE
Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87102

Reservations:

Tel: 1-505-245-7100

online: www.ahpanet.com

Sponsorship Opportunities

Welcome Reception Sponsor

Tuesday, January 5th, is the Annual Welcome Reception for convention attendees and vendors. This is a great opportunity to promote your business during a social event.

Sponsorship levels are:

** Bronze: \$500-999** Silver: \$1,000-1,499 ** Gold: \$1,500+ **

~Company Logo on Welcome Reception sign displayed at the reception and throughout the convention week

~Company name will be listed in the convention program booklet as a Welcome Reception Sponsor

~Sponsorships of \$1,000 and above will receive added recognition on their name tags as a Welcome Reception Sponsor

The bigger your sponsorship the bigger your logo will be on signage and will be first in list and verbal recognition.

Convention Program Booklet

We will have a Convention Schedule Program Booklet and are offering advertising spots. This booklet will be inside every registration packet that attendees receive. The booklet will be in full color. Advertising rates are listed below. Deadline is December 1, 2015. ****LIMITED SPACE IS AVAILABLE****

Convention Bag Inserts

Every year we hand out hundreds of registration packets to the convention attendees. They always look forward to extra information and goodies in their bags. You can have any inserts, brochures, pens, notepads, key chains, or anything else you would like to promote! You will need to provide the material you would like in the packet. This is a great way to advertise your business. *If you would like to have bag inserts, please contact Cassie for shipping information: cassie@ahpanet.com or 281-900-9740*

Donate to our Auction

We also have our Banquet and Auction on Friday night. Our members enjoy a nice dinner and have a lot of fun with the auction after! This would also be a great way to advertise your business. You could provide items from your company that beekeepers need or provide gift certificates for them to use. If you would like to donate to our auction, please contact Cassie for shipping information: cassie@ahpanet.com or 281-900-9740

If you would like to advertise in the convention booklet or sponsor the Welcome Reception please send this form and payment to the following address. Please send logo and advertisement to Cassie: cassie@ahpanet.com

AHPA
Cassie Cox
PO Box 435
Mendon, UT 84325

Please contact Cassie
if you have any questions:
281-900-9740
cassie@ahpanet.com

Welcome Reception Sponsorship		
Bronze:	\$500-\$999	\$
Silver:	\$1,000-\$1,499	\$
Gold:	\$1,500 +	\$
Convention Program Booklet Ad		
Full Page	\$250.00	\$
Half Page	\$150.00	\$
Third Page	\$100.00	\$
Quarter Page	\$75.00	\$
	Grand Total:	\$

Name on
card: _____

Company
Name: _____

Payment Information:

Check or money order Credit Card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express)

Card # _____ Exp. Date ____/____ CV# _____

Signature _____