

Experienced Convention Attendee Suggested Convention Agenda

Workshop Titles are subject to change and additional workshops are offered

Full Registration fees include entrance to the Opening Ceremonies, Business Sessions, Back to School Workshops, Club President-Elect and Lt. Governor Training, District Chair Training and House of Optimism (Exhibit Hall), International President's The Future Is Now Celebration Dance

All meal events are additional with the purchase of a full or daily registration. (One ticket per registrant)

Wednesday, July 7, 2010

Arrival/Tour Denver

8:00 – 8:15 a.m. Club & District Trainer Class Meeting

8:15 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Club Trainer Class
District Trainer Class

Thursday, July 8, 2010

8:00 a.m. House of Optimist (Exhibit Hall) Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Registration
House of Optimism (Exhibit Hall)
Meet the Candidates
OIF/OIFC Kiosk
Women's Philanthropy Kiosk

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m. Promotions Corall (Official Optimist Supplier)

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. Workshops (Choose One)
How to Build an Active JOOI Club
What on Earth is a Club Foundation Representative & What does one do?
Rally around PGI for Retention & Recruitment

10:15 – 11:15 a.m. Workshops (Choose One)
How JOOI Members can interact with their Sponsoring Club
Tell Me the Latest on OI Scholarships and How to fund one
Communications: The Key to Membership Retention on all Levels of Optimism

1:00-2:00 p.m. Workshops (Choose One)
Recognizing Critical Components of Recruiting
PGI, What's In It for Me?
Membership Retention-the Key to your Club's Success

2:00 – 3:15 p.m. Workshops (Choose One)
Club Grant Program Information – New Program – Need Money?
The Philosophy of Optimism

7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Opening Ceremonies
9:30 – 10:15 p.m. Meet & Greet Your Candidate-Regional Meeting

Friday, July 9, 2010

7:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. House of Optimism (Exhibit Hall)
7:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Promotions Corall (Official Optimist Supplier)
7:30 – 8:30 a.m. Town Hall Meeting
8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. OIF/OIFC Kiosk
Women’s Philanthropy Kiosk
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. President’s Banquet Coupon Exchange
8:30 – 11:30 a.m. First Business Session
Noon – 1:45 p.m. Appreciation Luncheon (Must have purchased ticket)
2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Workshops (Choose One)
Keeping Youth Safe in a World of Technology
Mentoring New Members-Knowledge Base Empowers Your Members
Small Fundraisers with BIG Impact
Just Ask vs. Just Do It-Bridging the Optimist Generation Gap
3:15-4:15 p.m. Workshops (Choose One)
New Community Growth – Ask the Experts
Women’s Philanthropy Council – Beyond the Purse Snatching
Braggers Hall
4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Workshops (Choose One)
Braggers Hall
Linchpin-by President-Elect Danny Rodgers
“Raising funds for your District” by Promotions Corall
7:00 – 8:30 p.m. The Future is Now Celebration Banquet (Must have purchased ticket and exchange for table number on site)
8:30 – 10:00 p.m. The Future is Now Celebration Dance (Included in Registration Fee)

Saturday, July 10, 2010

7:00 – 8:45 a.m. Old Timers Breakfast (Must have purchased ticket)
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Promotions Corall(Official Optimist Supplier)
9:00 a.m. – Noon Second Business Session
2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Closing Business Session

8:00 p.m – Midnight

Hospitality/Caribbean Night