

Note: The 2026 Convention is
Wednesday – Friday. Exhibit Hall
opens on **Wednesday evening** and
closes on **Thursday evening**.



June 17-19, 2026 – Hilton New Orleans Riverside – 2 Poydras Street, New Orleans, LA

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tuesday, June 16

4pm Hotel Check in/Arrivals – Enjoy New Orleans! (Exhibitor events noted in red)

Wednesday, June 17

6am Golf Transportation Trinity Crossing-Lobby Level
(bus departs promptly at 6:15am)

7–8am Golf Tournament ‘Breakfast and Bloody Marys’ Bayou Oaks at City Park -
South Course

8am–2pm William A. Bushman Memorial Golf Tournament Bayou Oaks at City Park -
(shotgun start at 8am) South Course

8am–7pm Registration Open Grand Registration

9:00am Optional Tour Transportation Trinity Crossing-Lobby Level
(but departs promptly at 9:15am)

10am–1pm Custom WWII Museum Tour with Lunch The National WWII Museum
(separate registration required)

10am Golf Clinic for Beginners Bayou Oaks at City Park -
South Course

10am–4:30pm **Exhibitor Setup** Grand Salon A-D

1pm Golf Luncheon Bayou Oaks at City Park -
(golf and clinic participants only) South Course

5–7pm* **Opening Reception in the Exhibit Hall** Grand Salon A-D

*Exhibitors will be permitted in the hall 30 minutes prior to published time.

(drinks/entertainment/light hors d'oeuvres)

Entertainment Provided by: TBA

Alligator Alley Provided by: TBA

9–11:30pm	GCR After-Hours Party Opening Act: The Victory Belles Main Entertainment Provided by: The Molly Ringwalds	The National WWII Museum 1043 Magazine Street
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Thursday, June 18

7am–6pm	Registration Open	Grand Registration
8–9am	Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors	Grand Salon A-D
9–11:30am	Exhibitor Demonstrations <i>(additional fee and signup required)</i>	Grand Salon A-D- Demo Stage
11:30am–2pm	Exhibit Hall CLOSED to Attendees	Grand Salon A-D
11:30am–12:15pm	Proler Award Jazz Brunch Entertainment Provided by: TBA	Grand Ballroom CD
12:15–1pm	Welcome Remarks Proler Award Presentation	Grand Ballroom CD
1–2pm	Keynote Address–Beyond All Boundaries Keynote: TBA	Grand Ballroom CD
2–3pm	Recycling Council of Texas (RCoT) Paper Stock Industries Chapter (PSI)	Grand Ballroom A Grand Ballroom B
2–4pm*	‘A Taste of New Orleans’ Refreshments with Exhibitors	Grand Salon A-D
3 – 4pm	Hot Topic Panel	Grand Ballroom CD
4–4:30pm	Exhibitor Feedback Meeting <i>(exhibitors only)</i>	Grand Salon A-D
4–5pm	Exhibit Hall CLOSED to attendees	Grand Salon A-D
5–6:30pm	The ‘Big Easy’ Closing Reception in the Exhibit Hall <i>(drinks/entertainment/light hors d'oeuvres)</i>	Grand Salon A-D

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Entertainment Provided by: TBA

6:30–10pm	Exhibitor Teardown	Grand Salon A-D
6:30–7:30pm	ReMA Women in Recycling Council and Young Executives Council Joint Reception	29 th Floor Lounge
<u>Friday, June 19</u>		
7–8am	GCR Board of Directors Breakfast	Grand Ballroom AB
8–10am	GCR Board of Directors Meeting	Grand Ballroom AB
10am	Meeting Adjourns (Hotel checkout is 11am.)	

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