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Dear Sponsor,

The Southeastern Wood Producers Association is excited to announce the 2019 Annual Meeting and Logging & Trucking Expo once again in Waycross, Georgia - March 7 -9, 2019. The Okefenokee Fairgrounds in Waycross, GA provides ample indoor space for planned continuing education opportunities along with industry vendors promoting their products. Outdoor spaces will be available for equipment and trucks. Other events will include a Golf Tournament on Thursday, March 7, 2019, with the proceeds donated to "Log A Load for Kid". With a Loader Competition and Truck Rodeo on Friday, March 8, 2019, and Saturday, March 9, 2019, check the schedule for event information. Please pass this information on to your customer base as well.

***The SWPA is asking for your support as a sponsor of our 2019 Annual Event at your past levels or higher. This year's event will be geared more towards a more practical environmental rather than a formal convention type event. This will allow for less expensive exhibitor spaces and greater attendee turnout.***

- ***Indoor Space Available at a \$300 per table/ booth. If indoor space is purchased, outdoor space will be complimentary.***

Enclosed with this letter are two forms. One is a menu registration form to select the level of sponsorship you wish for your company. The second form is for attendee registration from your company to register for selected events offered at the Expo. Please feel free to distribute this form among your customers.

**The SWPA cannot operate at its maximum effectiveness without your dedicated sponsorship support.** Please focus on the association's mission and not the current environment as you consider your participation and investment in the future of loggers in Florida and Georgia. Thank you again for your support of the Southeastern Wood Producers Association.

Sincerely,  
SWPA Board of Directors



# 2019 SWPA ANNUAL MEETING & LOGGING AND TRUCKING EXPO

## Okefenokee Fairgrounds & Exchange Club

### Waycross, Georgia      March 7 - 9, 2019

## Event Information

*Join other SWPA members and supporters for fun and fellowship while viewing the latest logging and trucking equipment and technologies for wood fiber harvesting and transportation.*

**FREE General Admission    A Family FUN Event!**



### ANNUAL MEETING LOCATION

**Okefenokee Fairgrounds & Exchange Club**  
2401 Knight Avenue, Waycross, GA 31503

### ACCOMMODATIONS

<b>Holiday Inn Express &amp; Suites</b>	912-548-0720	Ask for SWPA Annual Meeting Rates
<b>Comfort Suites</b>	912-548-0555	Ask for SWPA Annual Meeting Rates
Hampton Inn	912-285-5515	
Best Western	912-284-0095	

### Schedule

#### Thursday - March 7, 2019

11:00am	Golf Tournament*	<i>** proceeds go to "Log A Load for Kid's Charity"</i>
1:00pm	Registration Desk / Raffle / Silent Auction /Vendor /EXPO Set-Up	
6:00pm	Welcome Reception	



#### Friday - March 8, 2019

9:00am-1:00pm	CLE- Continuing Logger Education* <small>both FL Master Logger Renewal Update <u>and</u> GA Master Timber Harvester credits available.)</small>	
1:00pm-6:00pm	Registration Desk / Raffle / Silent Auction /Vendor /EXPO Areas Open <span style="color: red;">FREE Admission</span>	
2:30pm-5:30pm	Loader Competition* <i>Must be a minimum age of 18 to participate.</i>	
6:30pm	SWPA Business Meeting & Supper <b>Entertainment - "Dueling Pianos"</b>	

#### Saturday – March 9, 2019

8:00am-1:00pm	Registration Desk / Raffle / Silent Auction /Vendor /EXPO Areas Open <span style="color: red;">FREE Admission</span>	
8:30am-12:30pm	Chainsaw Carving	
9:00am-12:00pm	Loader Competition* <i>Must be a minimum age of 18 to participate.</i>	
9:00am-12:00pm	Truck Rodeo * <i>Must be a minimum age of 18 to participate</i>	
9:00am-12:00pm	Face Painting	
12:45pm	Final Entries for Silent Auction	
1:00pm	Raffle Drawings and Silent Auction Wrap-Up	

If you have any questions, please call the office at (904) 845-7133.

REGISTRATION NUMBERS DETERMINE A HEAD COUNT FOR EACH EVENT! PLEASE INDICATE NUMBERS ATTENDING "Liability Disclaimer: SWPA Inc is not responsible for any damage or loss of equipment, persons or property directly or indirectly related to participation in the 2019 SWPA Annual Meeting."  
Cancellation Policy - No Show = No Refund



**FREE General Admission** (Starred events \* fees may apply)

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**COMPANY SPONSOR / VENDOR REGISTRATION FORM**

Please complete all areas that apply to you and/or your group and attach additional information as necessary. Call 904-845-7133 if you have any questions

Primary Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, ST, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

In coordination with the following dealers, etc.:

EXPO SPONSOR/VENDOR EXHIBITS	MAKE A SELECTION
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>1 Inside Space <u>ONLY</u> - \$300.00</b> <b>Inside-</b> includes one 8 Ft. Table/2 Chairs <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Table \$10.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Chairs (2) \$5.00 (inside only) <input type="checkbox"/> Do you need Electric? (No Charge) <u>but you must provide your own power cords.</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>1 Outside Space <u>ONLY</u> - \$300.00*</b> <b>Outside</b> Must provide own tent, tables, chairs, power supply. List item/equipment for space size: _____ *No additional charge if <b>Inside</b> space purchased. <input type="checkbox"/> I would like <b>BOTH Inside and Outside Vendor Spaces. \$300.00</b>
SPACE IS LIMITED! First Come First Served	<b>Additional Space Needs? - Contact: 904-845-7133 IN ADVANCE</b>

SPONSOR OPPORTUNITIES /CONTRIBUTIONS OPTIONS			MAKE A SELECTION
Silent Auction / Raffle Item	Or item of similar value	\$500.00	Please provide description
Full Page Ad	4 Color issues (Annually)	\$3,260.00	
Half Page Ad	4 Color issues (Annually)	\$2,140.00	
Website Banner Ad	Annually	\$500.00	
Golf Hole Sponsorship	1 <sup>st</sup> Choice _____ 2 <sup>nd</sup> Choice _____	\$100.00 per hole/sponsored	
SWPA General Fund Contribution			
<b>Sponsorship Recognition Levels:</b> Diamond Partner - \$10,000.00 and above Platinum Level - \$ 7,500.00 - \$ 9,999.00 Gold Partner - \$5,000.00 - \$7,499.00 Silver Partner - \$2,500.00 - \$4,999.00 Bronze Partner - \$1,000.00 - \$2,499.00 Friends of Southeastern Wood Producers \$100.00 to \$999.00		<b>EXHIBIT SPACE AMOUNT DUE:</b> \$ _____	
		<b>SPONSOR OPPORTUNITIES AMOUNT DUE</b> \$ _____	
		<b>TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:</b> \$ _____	
		Payment enclosed: <input type="checkbox"/> Check# _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Call with Credit Card	

**\*\*\*\*Complete Attendee Registration Form for Individual Event Registration\*\*\*\***

BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU ARE COMMITTING TO PAY THE DESIGNATED AMOUNTS DUE TO THE SOUTHEASTERN WOOD PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION, INC. AND TO ABIDE BY the Event's "General Guidelines and Rules, including *Guidelines for Outdoor Displays and Equipment (if applicable)*. **THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS.**

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Remit this registration form to: SWPA Inc. P.O. Box 9, Hilliard, FL 32046 Phone: 904-845-7133 Email: [pbennett@swpa.ag](mailto:pbennett@swpa.ag)





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# ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM

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Primary Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, ST, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

EVENTS		
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**GENERAL ADMISSION - FREE Admittance to Fairgrounds and Vendor / EXPO Areas**

Name <small>Include the Primary Contact for Headcount Information</small>	GOLF TOURNAMENT <small>*</small>	WELCOME RECEPTION <small>No charge Headcount only</small>	CLE* <small>SWPA Mbrs No Charge Non Mbrs \$200</small>	LOADER COMPETITION <small>*</small> <small>18 yrs or older. Register and pay onsite.</small>	TRUCK RODEO <small>*</small> <small>18 yrs or older. Register and pay onsite.</small>	SWPA BUSINESS MEETING & SUPPER <small>No charge Headcount only</small>	Total

INDIVIDUAL EVENT TICKET AMOUNT DUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

By signing this form, you are committing to pay the designated amounts due to the Southeastern Wood Producers Association, Inc. and to abide by the Event's "General Guidelines and Rules. **THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS.**

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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