



CONVENTION 2010 FACT SHEET

- Dates for the convention are July 20-23, 2010. Host hotel is the Golden Nugget, 129 E. Fremont Street, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.
- Rate for single/double occupancy on Sunday through Thursday is \$42 per night, plus applicable taxes. Rate for single/double occupancy on Friday and Saturday is \$69, plus applicable taxes. All individual room reservations must be made directly with the Golden Nugget at (800) 634-3454. You MUST specify you are with NCOA. Reservations must be made prior to June 16 to guarantee convention rate. Reservations made after June 16 will be subject to space/rate availability. Check in time at the hotel is 3:00 p.m., check out is noon.

The Golden Nugget requires a first night's room and tax deposit to accompany each reservation request. It is the policy of the Golden Nugget to charge the first night room and tax deposit to the individual's credit card at the time the reservation is made if a credit card is used in lieu of a cash deposit. The deposit is refundable if cancellation occurs at least 48 hours prior to scheduled arrival.

- A variety of commercial shuttle services are available from McCarran International Airport to the hotel. The shuttles services are located on the west side of the baggage claim area, outside exit doors 8-13. One way ticket cost is approximately \$8.
- Convention registration fee is \$150 per person prior to June 1 and \$175 per person on or after June 1. Each registration fee provides delegate with one ticket to the Opening Icebreaker, Vanguard Banquet and President's Breakfast. Requests for refund of registration fees (minus \$25 administrative fee) must be submitted in writing prior to June 30. Additional event tickets may be purchased at the Convention Registration Desk. Individual ticket costs are: Opening Icebreaker - \$50, Vanguard Banquet - \$75, President's Breakfast - \$40.
- Chapters or individuals with resolutions to submit on subjects for consideration by the International Board of Directors and the general membership at the 2010 Annual Business Meeting must submit the resolution to NCOA National Capital Office, P.O. Box 427, Alexandria, VA 22313, Attn: Richard Schneider, by April 30.
- A Senior Enlisted Chiefs' Panel featuring the five senior service chiefs has been scheduled for Thursday, July 22 from 8:30 -11:30 a.m.
- Invitations have been issued for guest speakers for the Opening Ceremony and the Vanguard Awards Banquet. Additional information will be available at a later date.
- Companies wishing to have an exhibit table on Wednesday and Thursday, July 21 & 22 are invited to contact the Convention Manager at tkish@ncoausa.org or by telephone at (210) 653-6161, extension 261.
- Dress for most events is casual business attire. Active duty military are asked to wear dress uniform with short sleeves and open collar during the Senior Enlisted Panel. In honor of NCOA's 50th Anniversary, the Opening Icebreaker will take a step back in time to 1960. Dress for the event is appropriate to the era. The Vanguard Banquet is semi-formal and the President's Breakfast is casual. Knights of the Square Table will set dress requirements for all Knights events.