



LAKE STATES LUMBER ASSOCIATION

2024 Winter Meeting

January 17 - 19, 2024

Hilton Appleton Paper Valley Hotel

Appleton, WI

Schedule of Events - Speaking Times are Tentative

WEDNESDAY January 17 *(Registration and distribution of election ballots 5 – 8 pm)*

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm **Welcome Reception:** (Grand Ballroom – Salon B)
Hors d'oeuvres, 3 Free Drink Tickets and Cash Bar

THURSDAY January 18 *(Registration and distribution of election ballots 6:30 am – 4 pm)*

6:30 am - 7:30 am **Breakfast** (Grand Ballroom - Salon B)

7:50 am - 8:00 am **Welcome** - Larry Krueger, Krueger Lumber (Grand Ballroom - Salon C)

8:00 am - 9:00 am **The Current Market and Outlook for US Hardwood Exports** - Mike Snow, Executive Director, American Hardwood Export Council (AHEC)

9:00 am - 10:30 am **Carbon Credit Panel Discussion** - Speakers TBD

10:30 am - 10:45 am **Break**

10:45 am - 12:30 pm **Updates: Hardwood Federation** - Dana Lee Cole, Executive Director, Hardwood Federation
Legislative Reports - Scott Everett, LSLA Michigan Legislative Consultant
Amy Boyer, LSLA Wisconsin Legislative Consultant

12:30 pm - 1:15 pm **Lunch**

1:15 pm - 2:00 pm **Election of Directors and Business Meeting**

2:00 pm - 2:30 pm **Real American Hardwood Coalition Update** - Jim Maltese, Stella-Jones

2:30 pm - 2:45 pm **Break**

2:45 pm - 3:45 pm **Hardwood Market Update** - David Caldwell, HMR

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm **LSLA Education Board Meeting** - (Linden Room)

5:00 pm - 6:30 pm **Cocktail Hour** - Cash Bar will be open 5 – 9 pm (Grand Ballroom - Salon B)

6:30 pm - 7:30 pm **Banquet Dinner Served**

7:30 pm - 8:00 pm **Announcement of Award Recipients:**
Carl Danielson Scholarship; Al Andersen Memorial Award;
Golf Outing Certificate; Sponsor Prize Drawing

8:00 pm - 9:00 pm **Live Auction & Bucket Raffle Drawings**
Our tenth annual after dinner auction to fund LSLA's Hardwood Federation dues

FRIDAY January 19

8:20 am Board of Directors photo

8:30 am - 11:30 am Board of Directors meeting (Linden Room)



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Registration Information

EARLY REGISTRATION (*deadline January 2*)

Members: \$190/person attending all or any portion of the event; \$100 for spouse/family member.

Non-Members: \$300/person attending all or any portion of the event.

Register and pay not later than Wednesday, Dec. 20, 2023 to be eligible for the drawing for LSLA 2024 Golf Outing Free Admission Certificates! **The winner will receive two (2) certificates (approximate value \$390) to attend the 2024 LSLA Summer Golf Outing.**

Early registration fee refundable in full if cancellation notification received not later than Friday, Dec. 29, 2023. Contact LSLA office: (920) 884-0409; (906) 875-3724 (fax); lsla@lsla.com

REGISTRATION AFTER JANUARY 2 AND AT THE EVENT

Members: \$200/person attending all or any portion of the event; \$110 for spouse/family member.

Non-Members: \$350/person attending all or any portion of the event.

Registration Area open Wednesday, Jan. 17, 5 pm - 8 pm and Thursday, Jan. 18, 6:30 am - 4 pm

Hotel Information

Hilton Appleton Paper Valley Hotel
333 West College Avenue
Appleton, WI 54911

Contact the hotel directly at (920) 733-8000 or call 1-800-774-1500 for lodging reservations and ask for the **Lake States Lumber Association** block of rooms or you can book online at <https://hil.tn/emw4yn>

- Room rates: Single/double—\$139.00 (All room rates subject to state and local taxes.)

- **Block of rooms on hold until December 27, 2023.**

- For those who are flying into Appleton International Airport, a courtesy hotel shuttle from the airport to the hotel is available. Contact the hotel front office manager, Tiffany Doberstein with your flight information to schedule the shuttle beforehand at tdoberstein@appletonpvh.com.
- Parking rates are \$6 per day. If you would like to put the charges on your room or a master bill, it would be \$10 per day, but you would have in and out privileges by scanning the receipt when you leave/arrive.

Tenth Annual Live Auction

Our tenth annual live auction will take place Thursday evening after the dinner. The past years have been fun, and this year will be even more so! We are looking for donated items to auction off — such as Packer tickets, fishing trips, dinner certificates, resort certificates, specialty wood items, wood flooring, etc. You are only limited by your imagination! The last Winter Meeting's auction was a tremendous success, and we'd like to see this auction top it! If you have any items to donate please contact Kyle Jeske (kyle@richardsonhardwoods.com), Jim Maltese (jmaltese@stella-jones.com) or the LSLA office (lsla@lsla.com).

Members are reminded that 2024 Dues must be paid prior to attending the Winter Meeting.



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Registration Form: Please complete and mail, email or fax to the address listed below.

Early registration deadline is January 2, 2024. (NOTE: 2024 Dues must be paid prior to Winter Meeting)

LSLA Winter Meeting 2024:

Name _____ Company _____

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Name _____ Company _____

Spouse/Family Member Name _____

How many in your group will be attending the Wednesday Welcome Reception? _____

How many in your group will be attending Thursday Breakfast? _____

How many in your group will be attending lunch on Thursday? _____

How many in your group will be attending the banquet dinner on Thursday? _____

Check here if any in your group require special meal selections for meals?

_____ Vegetarian—how many? _____ _____ Gluten Free—how many? _____

Early Registration Costs (until January 2):

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Please indicate payment method:

_____ I have enclosed a check for the following amount: \$ _____

_____ Please invoice me: _____
Name Address

_____ City State Zip

_____ Please charge my credit card for the following amount: \$ _____

Name on Card _____

Card Number _____

Expiration Date _____ Security Code (on back of credit card) _____

Billing Zip Code on Credit Card Statement: _____

Email (for sending receipt) _____

Mail promptly to: Lake States Lumber Association, Inc. 337 Superior Avenue, Crystal Falls, MI 49920

OR Fax: (906) 875-3724 **Email:** lsla@lsla.com