

NASCOE Now

February 25, 2011

SEA Legislative Report

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To say that NASCOE's legislative team has been busy would be an understatement! It seems as though the last few months have come with constant bombardments of potentially bad news for FSA employees. However, every employee should rest assured that NASCOE's leadership has worked extremely hard to stay abreast of proposed legislation and the potential effects during this time of an extremely dire budget situation. It's very easy to become disheartened with all the bad news circulating. However, NASCOE must remain positive, proactive, and progressive as we continue to deliver our mission and represent our members and employees. Two of the most important tools we have are our Political Action Committee (PAC) and our Legislative Conference Visits to DC. Below, are some highlights explaining why these are so important and why we should diligently support these two efforts.

NASCOE's Political Action Committee (PAC)

What is your first impression when you hear the acronym "PAC"? The media tends to portray PAC's in such a negative way that many people automatically assume all PAC's are bad. On the contrary, PAC's are merely a means to provide groups of people, with similar interests and political goals, the opportunity to pool their financial resources to assist politicians with the same goals to help finance their campaigns.

In 2005, NASCOE members approved the establishment of a NASCOE PAC. NASCOE's PAC operates independently of any political activity or party. Education is the key to success of any project that you may participate in. The NASCOE PAC is no different. Our PAC is the most effective way of ensuring that legislators, who support the same views and goals of the association, are elected or able to remain in office. PAC contributions are the only way NASCOE may contribute to these candidates. Everything we do as FSA employees is controlled by congressional regulations and can change at any time. If the voice of our members is to be heard, we must be involved in the political process. PAC's are a way of life in today's political arena.

As of November 4, 2010, NASCOE has 371 PAC contributors. That is progress, but we must work hard to educate our members on the importance of NASCOE's PAC. Texas has enrolled 38 PAC contributors and Tennessee has enrolled 33 PAC contributors. Both states have done a remarkable job in promoting and educating. Becoming a PAC contributor is easy. For as little as what you would spend on a cup of Starbucks' coffee or two soft drinks, you can establish your PAC contribution and join to help show how much you value your job. Just think, if every state would set a goal to enroll at least 20 PAC contributors,

we would have over 1,000 NASCOE members involved. What a statement that would make! For just \$3.00 per pay period (\$1.50 per week) you can support our PAC and with that, you are automatically entered to win one of 5 \$100 bills that will be given away in Corpus Christi at the National Convention this year!

If your state would like to have a Legislative person present at your state convention, please let one of the NASCOE Officer's know. A Legislative representative must be requested by a state for NASCOE to send someone to the state convention. This is an excellent way to increase your state participation numbers!

There is an excellent NASCOE PAC brochure available on NASCOE's website (<http://nascoe.org/Legislative>) that provides many more details about what the PAC is and what it does. Please seriously consider becoming involved in this critical mission.

Legislative Conference

If you've never attended a Legislative Conference in Washington, D.C., you probably do not have a true understanding of how hard NASCOE works in the legislative arena. March 7-9 will be no exception. By now, each state's leadership should have made their congressional visit appointments and have all their assignments completed. Members will arrive in Washington on Monday evening and the following two days are probably the most intense two days that anyone could image.

It all starts on Tuesday with communicating the focused goals that have been carefully and strategically planned by the Executive Board. On Wednesday, over 200 NASCOE members will converge on the Capitol to meet and educate our congressional leaders on the positions that NASCOE has identified as critical.

There are so many new faces in Congress this year and it will be NASCOE's mission to make sure these new legislators, as well as returning legislators, are familiar with FSA and what our programs and quality employees mean to rural agricultural; particularly during these tough economic times.

Sure, we can send letters and make phone calls to our legislators. But, a face-to-face visit clearly indicates that we are serious and sincere about our message. In addition, it gives NASCOE the opportunity to answer questions and concerns that our legislators and their field staffs may have. Please make sure you support the members from your state who take their personal time to represent every member of NASCOE by carrying our messages to Washington.

NASCOE has made and will continue to make a difference! Legislatively, NASCOE's PAC and Legislative Conference efforts are just a couple examples of what NASCOE strives to do to make sure our legislators in Washington understand what FSA's programs and employees do for rural America. As NASCOE members, we naturally have an appreciation for the mission of FSA and the work our employees do for our farmers. However, the reality is that others may not have that same appreciation without being educated on "what we do" and "how we do it".

Respectfully Submitted,

Charla Daly

Southeast Area Legislative Chairperson

Here is this week's summary for your Facebook Page:



Nascoe News

205 monthly active users 49 since last week

254 people like this 6 since last week

101 wall posts or comments this week 101 since last week

216 visits this week 198 since last week



**Scholarship
Deadline
March 1st!!**

I would like to introduce myself to you. My name is Lynette Bond and I am the Southwest Area Chair for Scholarships. I have to be honest, I have been a member of NASCOE since I started with the agency over nine years ago, but it has only been the last two that I have held positions in my state. Needless to say, I have a lot to learn!!

This scholarship program is a wonderful opportunity for the members of your families to receive help with their college expenses. Remember there are **two categories**:

One for family members:

Family members are eligible to compete in BOTH their applicable **Area** Scholarship contest for **\$1,500 AND** the **National** Scholarship contest for **\$2,500!** Applicants must be a NASCOE member, member's spouse, member's child, or member's legal dependent. The NASCOE member must be a permanent County Office employee, not an associate member, with dues paid. The NASCOE membership must be current for the past 5 years or since becoming a permanent FSA employee. The NASCOE member who retires or transfers within the Agency during the Scholarship Year (September 1 to August 30) must have their entire NASCOE dues paid to the NASCOE Treasurer, regardless of dues withholding. This award may only be used to defray expenses for a student at an accredited school.

Please submit the application to the Area Chairs by the March 1st deadline.

The other is for member's continuing education:

This award must be used to defray expenses incidental to the member's attendance of education courses. An applicant must be a permanent County office and a NASCOE member. The NASCOE member's dues must be paid and membership kept current for the past 5 years or since becoming a permanent FSA County Office employee. This is a special NASCOE Scholarship award that will be awarded to NASCOE members that are taking additional adult education courses to further enhance their careers within the Farm Service Agency (FSA).

Each Area is allowed to award one **\$200.00** scholarship to the selected winner from their Area to broaden the employee's portfolio for adult education courses to enhance and advance his/her career with FSA. An applicant may only win one (1) time. This award must be used to defray expenses incidental to the member's attendance for the adult education courses.

Please submit your application to your Area Scholarship Chair for competition by the March 1st deadline.

**We process paperwork every day for the
benefit of our producers.... now is the time
to file an application for your benefit!**



At: <http://nascoe.org/Scholarship.aspx>

Thanks for all of your hard work on top of a really busy schedule!! We appreciate you!!

Lynette Bond

SWA Chair

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AWARDS

Are you aware that NASCOE offers awards that do not have deadlines? Now is the time to take advantage of these awards.....

- ✦ **SICK LEAVE AWARDS** provide recognition for accumulated sick leave. Certificates can be obtained for 1,000, 1,500, 2,000, and 2,500 hours. For 3,000 or more, a plaque can be obtained.
- ✦ **PROFESSIONAL IMPROVEMENT (PI) AWARDS** There is no competition for a PI Award. These awards are to recognize eligible NASCOE members who take sufficient advantage of educational opportunities available to them. The activity must be outside the usual job requirements but have a definite relationship to our profession. Accomplishments can be through short courses, correspondence courses, seminars, group research, reading, etc. A minimum of 20 hours of instruction with an investment of personal funds (tuition, books, annual leave, transportation, etc.) are required to qualify.
- ✦ **EXTRA MILE AWARD** is for any member or their child(ren) who has gone the extra mile for their community, church, school, or their state, area, or national association. These can be made anytime during the year by any member and there is no competition for this award.
- ✦ **FIRST TIMERS AWARD** is strictly for members attending their “First” National Convention. Participation packets are given out at the convention and cash awards are presented at the banquet during the convention. The National Convention will be here before we know it, plan to attend and be recognized as a “First Timer.”

All awardees for recognition under the Awards Committee for Sick Leave, PI, and Extra Mile awards shall be *“members of an affiliated association who are in good standing, serve under a permanent appointment, or voluntarily retire during the current year are eligible.”*

Nominations should be submitted to your respective State Awards Chairperson on the nomination form. The State Chairperson will complete their portion of the nomination form and submit the form to their respective Area Awards Chairperson. Area Awards Chairperson will then submit the nomination to the National Chairperson for printing the certificate. This is the time to submit nominations for any of the awards listed above. Your Area Rally would be a perfect time to present these certificates.

Nomination forms may be obtained at <http://nascoe.org/Awards.aspx> The process is easier than ever, since you can submit nomination forms electronically.

Respectfully submitted,

Kelly Sundy, NEA Awards Chairperson



The NASCOE Store

WWW.NASCOEEMBLEMSONLINE.COM

With many Conventions and Rallies coming up soon, please make sure and order your Emblems packets at least 4 weeks in advance of your event. We are trying something new to help you cover the shipping expenses. Era Jarrard, owner of the NASCOE Store will send many items that will sell for just 25 cents each (chocolate smelling pens, Frisbees, etc) to help cover the cost of shipping. A year later, and the chocolate smelling pen I have still has that wonderful aroma! If you have any questions on the best methods to use for Emblems sales at your convention or Rally, please let me or your Area Emblems Chairperson know. You can find links to all of us by visiting www.nascoe.org and clicking on Emblems.

Check out the new Ladies long poplin shirts with embroidery on the French cuff – very classy and only available at the NASCOE Store. Don't forget about the utility tool that sells for only \$6.00 and we still the Swiss utility knives for only \$5.00 (the knife has both the FSA logo and NASCOE logo on it and the utility tool boasts the FSA logo)!



Don't see what you want at the NASCOE Store? Let us know, and we will try and get it for you!

We are here to help you dress for success!

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Happy shopping everyone!

Tom Casen, NASCOE ASE Chairperson

Benefits Watch

Redeposits for the Rehired

By Tammy Flanagan

Recently there have been questions regarding service credit issues, so let's look at redeposits, which come into play when you've had a break in federal service and you withdrew your retirement contributions.

If you had such a break, then you should have been given the opportunity to request a refund of retirement deductions using Standard Form 2802 for the Civil Service Retirement System, or Standard Form 3106 for the Federal Employees Retirement System. If you did so and were later rehired into another federal job, you can file another form to pay back the refunded contributions, and receive credit for the service toward your retirement. (This requires Standard Form 2803 for CSRS, or Standard Form 3108 for FERS.)

After you fill out the form and turn it in to a retirement specialist in your agency's human resources office, it will be sent to the Office of Personnel Management. Then you'll get a statement showing how much you owe and instructions on how to make payment.

What You Need to Know

Here are some important questions and answers related to redeposits:

If you are covered under FERS, did you have a break in service and take a refund of FERS retirement deductions?

If so, you will receive credit toward retirement eligibility for the refunded service whether or not you pay back the refund. But you won't receive credit in the computation of your retirement benefit unless you pay back the refunded contributions.

If you are covered under FERS, did you have a break in service and take a refund of CSRS contributions for less than five years of civilian service that is now creditable under FERS?

You must make a FERS deposit for this service to count for retirement eligibility and computation of your benefit.

If you are covered under CSRS, CSRS Offset, or if you have a CSRS component to your FERS retirement, did you take a refund of CSRS retirement contributions for service that ended prior to March 1, 1991?

You're in luck: You will receive credit toward retirement eligibility and computation of your retirement benefit whether or not you pay back the redeposit. But if you choose to not pay the redeposit, you will have your retirement benefit reduced.

The reduction is computed based on your life expectancy at retirement. For example, if a 60-year-old owes a \$50,000 deposit, his or her their retirement would be reduced by \$244 per month. If you kept the

\$50,000 in your Thrift Savings Plan, and were able to get a return of 6 percent, you could earn as much interest as you would be losing from your retirement. Think about this before you write a redeposit check.

If you applied for a refund prior to Oct. 1, 1982, the interest on your unpaid redeposit is grandfathered at a 3 percent interest rate until you retire, or until you pay the redeposit in full. If you applied for the refund on or after Oct. 1, 1982, you will be charged an interest rate that varies over time. It's been as high as 13 percent in 1985 and as low as 2.75 percent this year.

If you are covered under CSRS, CSRS Offset, or if you have a CSRS component to your FERS retirement, did you take a refund of CSRS retirement contributions for service that ended on or after March 1, 1991?

This service will count only toward eligibility for retirement if left unpaid. To use the service in the computation of your retirement benefit, you must pay the redeposit. The interest on these deposits was not grandfathered at 3 percent. Variable rates have been charged since 1985 -- and interest compounds on these unpaid amounts.

Questions and Comments

Here are some recent comments and questions on redeposits:

I left federal service in 1983 (and withdrew retirement deposits), then returned in 1992. I received no interest on my deposits when I withdrew them (\$25,000 in 1983), but now must pay interest (about \$120,000 interest plus the \$25,000) if I were to return them for retirement credit.

The good news here is you still will be credited with the service covered by the refund even if you don't pay back the \$120,000, since your service ended before March 1, 1991. And you don't have to pay the redeposit: You could choose a reduced retirement and try to contribute enough to the TSP to offset the reduction.

I worked nine months prior to 1981 and quit to go to college full time. When I returned to the government, my service computation date was adjusted for the prior time worked. Am I correct to say that I don't have to do a redeposit and I will not be penalized on my annuity?

Remember, you have one service computation date for leave purposes and a different one for retirement. You never have to pay a redeposit to credit your past service for leave accrual. And, as shown above, sometimes you don't have to pay it to get credit for retirement eligibility. But if you want to get your full retirement benefit based on the service, then a redeposit is required. You just have to determine if such a move makes the most financial sense for you.

If you have topics you would like your Benefits Committee to research, send an email to nascoebenefits@gmail.com.



From the President's Desk

by Craig Turner, President

National Association of Farmer Elected Committees

Greetings from West Texas where Spring has not yet sprung, but at least we are not chopping through the ice on the stock tanks as we have done too many times since last Fall. Rumor has it that the Prairie Dogs did see their shadows, but only because they winter in the Rio Grande Valley with the Midwestern corn and bean farmers.

As I write my column for this month's NAFEC Newsletter, I am packing my bags in preparation for our Washington, D.C., legislative conference. There are many things we will be addressing as we visit key leaders at USDA and on Capitol Hill including the pending budget cuts, the upcoming farm bill and other issues which impact the jobs we do on the farm as well as our county FSA offices.

We intend to visit with Secretary **Tom Vilsack**, Acting FSA Administrator **Val Dolcini**, and other key leaders responsible for delivery of farm programs at USDA.

We are also planning meetings with Chairwoman **Debbie Stabenow**; Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry, Senator **Pat Roberts**; Ranking Member, Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry, Chairman **Herb Kohl**; Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies, and Senator **Roy Blunt**; Ranking Member of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies.

On the House side of Capitol Hill, we plan to meet with Chairman **Frank Lucas**, House Committee on Agriculture; Representative **Collin Peterson**, Ranking Member, House Committee on Agriculture; Chairman **Michael Conaway**, House Agriculture Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management; Chairman **Jack Kingston**, House Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies; and Representative **Sam Farr**; Ranking Member, House Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies

While in Washington we will also be working with members of the National Association of State and County Office Employees (NASCOE) as they are holding their annual legislative initiative in Washington at the same time. NAFEC and NASCOE have had a long history of working together and our alliance is critical to the fair and efficient delivery of program benefits and the integrity of the nation's farm policy.

We will report back to you next month on how things go in Washington. In the meantime, please visit our website at <http://fsacountycommittees.org> and/or drop me an email at turner_and_turner@yahoo.com if you have any questions or comments. We look forward to helping you help FSA and your local farmers and ranchers.

DMASCOE NEA RALLY DRAWING

Tickets Courtesy of
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Tickets \$5

3 GREAT PRIZES

First Prize

Floral Queen Size Quilt

Second Prize

Framed Southern Maryland
Barn Picture

Third Prize

Stained Glass Rooster



Drawing to be held during NEA Banquet
April 30, 2011

NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN !

**For More Information or Tickets
contact:**

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2011 NEA Rally Registration Form
Friday – Sunday, April 29 – May 1, 2011



Hotel Accommodations – Rocky Gap Lodge & Golf Resort



16701 Lakeview Rd NE
 Flintstone, MD 21530
 \$110 per night plus tax/fees (2 Queen or 1 King)
Reservations accepted through April 4, 2011
 Call 1-800-724-0828 and ask for *NASCOE NEA Rally* group rate.

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OUT OF TOWN, BUT CLOSE TO HOME.

Name(s) _____ State/Association _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

**Recommended Airport is Thurgood Marshall Baltimore –Washington International
 Car Rental Is Encouraged.**

Airport Shuttle Service Needed YES (Fee - \$20 one way, \$40 total) NO



If yes, Arrival Airline _____ Departure Airline _____
 Flight # _____ Flight # _____
 Arrival Time _____ Departure Time _____

Activities/Events	Cost Per Person	Number	Total
<i>Pre-Registration</i>			
Early Pre-Registration by March 4			
Adults	\$25.00		
Under 12	\$15.00		
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Late Pre-Registration by April 4			
Adults	\$30.00		
Under 12	\$20.00		
NOTE - Registration at Rally	\$30.00		
FRIDAY			
10:00 AM – 7:00 PM – Registration in Main Lobby			
10:30 AM – 4:30 PM – Tour Scales & Tales at the Aviary Guided Hike (Lunch not included)	\$15.00		
12:00 PM – Golf Tournament (Lunch not included)	\$50.00		
4:00 – 7:00 PM – Hospitality			
7:00 PM – Bon-Fire by the Lake (weather permitting) with marshmallows provided for toasting. Additional S'mores materials will be available for sale at the Lounge.	Compliments of the Resort & Western Maryland Adventures		
8:00 PM – Icebreaker Activity with DJ & Dancing (Cash Bar will be available)	Compliments of DMASCOE Association		
SATURDAY			
7:00 – 9:00 AM – Registration in Conference Center			
7:00 AM - Continental Breakfast with JM Marketing Presentation	Compliments of JM Marketing		
8:00 AM – Annual Rally Meeting NEA Exec, Patsy Wiles, Presiding			

Activities/Events	Cost Per Person	Number	Total
12:30 PM - Lunch & Activities on Your Own... Activity suggestions: Boat Rental Bicycle Rental Fishing (Rental Equipment Available) Hiking Volleyball, Tennis, Basketball Playground <i>Reservations Needed Ahead –</i> Spa Guided Segway Tours Horseback Riding Guided Tours Sporting Clays GeoCaching	<i>Please contact the Resort (1-800-724-0828) and/or Western Maryland Adventures (301-784-8403) for more information.</i>		
1:30 PM – DMASCOE Annual Meeting in Hospitality Suite	Compliments of Don Spickler Insurance		
3:00 – 5:00 PM – Hospitality			
5:00 PM – Social Mixer with Cash Bar			
5:30 PM – Banquet Garden Salad Grilled Filet Mignon & MD Style Crabcake Sides Freshly Baked Breads & Creamery Butter NY Style Cheesecake with Raspberry Sauce Coffee, Teas, and Iced Tea <i>(Please contact Carole Hill concerning any dietary considerations ASAP at Chill570@hotmail.com)</i> ***** Children’s Menu Available – (Ages 10 & Under) Fruit Cup Chicken Fingers & French Fries Cookie & Ice Cream	\$40.00 \$13.00	***** *****	***** *****
6:30 PM – Scholarship Auction	<i>Live & Silent</i>		
9:00 PM – Music & Dancing with the Salem Bottom Boys Bluegrass Band	Compliments of DMASCOE Association		
SUNDAY			
7:00 – 10:00 AM – Full Hot Breakfast Buffet at the onsite Lakeside Restaurant	(Reduced Rate Compliments of DMASCOE Association) \$9.00		
11:00 AM – Checkout & Goodbyes			
GRAND TOTAL ENCLOSED <i>Please make checks payable to DMASCOE</i>		\$	

Please send completed form with payment enclosed to the following address:

DMASCOE
c/o Carole Hill, Registration
698K Corporate Center Court
Westminster, MD 21157-3051

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NATIONAL CONVENTION!



52nd NASCOE Convention
August 11th – 13th, 2011
Omni Bayfront Hotel
Corpus Christi, Texas
800-843-6664

2011 REGISTRATION FORM

Name:	Other Guests:
<i>Circle one:</i> Delegate Member DD RASCOE NAFEC Honorary Mbr	
Address:	
	FAX:
Work Phone: Cell:	Email:

*“Sparkling City by the Sea”, Corpus Christi, Texas, will be the site of the 2011 annual NASCOE Convention. Guests are reminded to ask for “NASCOE” when making reservations at the Omni Hotel to take advantage of the special \$87.00 per night single room. Cut-off date for reservations is **July 15, 2011**. We encourage you to sign up for “Omni Select Guest” program for benefits prior to making reservations.*

Please register for ALL events you are interested in even if there is no charge!

**Everyone over the age of 13 must register and pay registration fee;
 NASCOE Honorary Life Members only need to register.**

Date/Times	Events	Cost per person	How Many?	Total Due
***	Registration Fee <i>before June 15, 2011</i>	\$30		
***	Registration Fee <i>after July 1, 2011</i>	\$35		
***	Registration Fee <i>after July 15, 2011</i>	\$40		
Wednesday Aug. 10 th 8:00am - 4:00pm	“King Ranch” (Transportation and meal included) Working ranch; guided tour of cattle & horse operations, gin, feed lot & mill, farming, Saddle Shop	\$50		
Wednesday Aug. 10th 9:00am - 3:00pm	“USS Lexington/Texas State Aquarium” (Transportation included; Lunch on your own - restaurants located in area)	\$26 <i>12 & Under - \$17</i>		
Wednesday Aug. 10th <i>On Your Own</i>	“Day at the Beach” (Transportation <i>not</i> provided) tour area beaches of Port Aransas, Mustang Island, South Padre National Seashore, Corpus Public Beach	Free		
Wednesday Aug. 10th 1:00pm	NASCOE Golf Tournament (Lunch included) NorthShore Course in Portland <i>Handicap: _____</i> <i>Preferred Team Members: _____</i>	\$45		
Wednesday Aug. 10th 6:30pm - Midnight	Southwest Area Night – “Savor the Southwest” Shrimp Boil (Offsite, Transportation & Meal included) 9:00pm - DJ/Dance (Omni Bayfront) <i>If you wish, dress as Southwest/Western character for dance</i>	Free		
Thursday Aug. 11th 6:00pm – 8:30pm	NASCOE Scholarship Auction <i>Show your support with your presence and/or participation</i>	Free		
Thursday Aug. 11th 9:00pm - Midnight	Casino Night – “Ocean’s 13” (Meal <i>not</i> included) <i>If you wish, dress as Casino/Gambler/Gangster character</i>	Free		
Friday Aug. 12th 11:30am - 1:00pm	RASCOE Luncheon	\$26.25		
Friday Aug. 12th 6:30pm - Midnight	Texas Night – “Sea, Sun and Fun” Beach Party (Offsite, Transportation & Meal Included) Family Entertainment; Live Band Music by “Flashback” <i>Wear your Lime Green Convention T-Shirt</i>	Free		

Saturday Aug. 13th 6:00pm - 7:00pm	Social Hour	Cash Bar		
Saturday Aug. 13th 7:00pm - 9:00pm	NASCOE Awards Banquet - "An Evening Under Texas Stars"	\$35		
Saturday Aug. 13th 9:00pm - 1:00am	Dance to music of Live Band	Cash Bar		
***	"Sea, Sun and Fun" Convention T-Shirt	\$15	Size(s) _____	

Note - All provided transportation will leave from Omni Bayfront Tower.

For Deep Sea Fishing details/arrangements, contact: Captain Kelly's (361) 749-5597 or Fisherman's Wharf (361) 749-5448 www.wharfcats.com

Youth Activities

Youth's Name(s): _____ Age(s): _____

Date/Times	Activities	Cost per person	How Many?	Total Due
Wednesday Aug. 10th 4:00pm - 5:30pm	Get Acquainted Hospitality (snacks provided) <i>Meet & greet other Youth present</i>	Free		
Thursday Aug. 11th 10:00am - 3:30pm	Texas State Aquarium (bring lunch money for Food Court at Aquarium)	\$8		
Friday Aug. 12th 10:00pm - 3:30pm	Corpus Christi Museum of Science & History (bring lunch money for Food Court)	12+ \$12.50 5-12 \$6		
Saturday Aug. 13th	9:30am-11:30am - "NRA Safety Rules" and "Beware of Bullies" <i>Teach kids ways to deflect bullying, report bullying, and ways to stop it</i> 1:30pm-3:30pm - Arts & Crafts (snacks provided)	Free		
Saturday Aug 13th 6:00pm - 9:00pm	Pizza Party with Games <i>attend our pizza party while Mom & Dad attend NASCOE Banquet</i>	Free		

**must submit Parental Consent Form for any and all Youth Activities;
form available at www.tascoe.org or at Registration Desk at convention.**

Sub-Total Page 1: \$ _____

Sub-Total Page 2: \$ _____

Registration Total: \$ _____

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c/o Schleicher Co FSA
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Questions?
Call: (432) 684-6781 Herb Sorley
(806) 385-4475 Penny Kelton

Important Information for Those Arriving By Air To
Corpus Christi International Airport

Shuttle Service Provided by:  **TASCOE & Omni Bayfront Hotel**

Arrival Date & Time: _____

Airline/Flight Number: _____

Number in Party: _____

Departure Date & Time: _____



We're baiting your hook!

Additional Convention Information available at www.tascoe.org