

CONVENTION REGISTRATION



★ OCTOBER 27 - 29, 2023 ★ THE OMNI RICHMOND HOTEL

NAACP Virginia State Conference

Welcome to the **88th Annual Convention** of the **NAACP Virginia State Conference**! The Convention will be held Friday, October 27 - Sunday, October 29, 2023, at the Omni Hotel Richmond. This marks our first in person convention since 2019. Our theme for the Convention is **NAACP: Never Silenced**. The Virginia NAACP will advocate, agitate, and litigate until we achieve equity, political rights, and social inclusion for all Black Virginians and all Virginians of color.

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NAACP

The NAACP is the home of grassroots activism for civil rights and social justice. We advocate, agitate, and litigate for the civil rights due to Black America. In our cities, schools, companies, and courtrooms, we are the legacy of W.E.B. Du Bois, Ida B. Wells, Thurgood Marshall, and many other giants.

We envision an inclusive community rooted in liberation where all persons can exercise their civil and human rights without discrimination.

Our mission is to achieve equity, political rights, and social inclusion by advancing policies and practices that expand human and civil rights, eliminate discrimination, and accelerate the well-being, education, and economic security of Black people and all persons of color.

The NAACP tackles issues in order to dismantle racism and build Black political, social, and economic power. Our issues are Economic Sustainability; Education;

Health, Public Safety and Criminal Justice; Voting Rights and Political Representation; and Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement.

NAACP Virginia State Conference

Chartered in 1935, the NAACP Virginia State Conference (Virginia NAACP) is the oldest and largest nonpartisan civil rights organization in the Commonwealth. The NAACP Virginia advocates, agitates, and litigates for civil rights due to Black Virginians. Representing over 100 NAACP adult branches, youth councils, and college chapters, together, we fight to build the social and political power required to abolish racial discrimination in localities throughout Virginia.

Registration and Convention Rates

Observer/General Public Registration is open to all members who are not voting and the general public. To register as an Observer/General Public, use this link naacpva.us/AdultObserverGeneralPublicRegistration

Youth and College Observer/General Public is open to all members who are not voting and the general public. To register as an Observer/General Public, use this link naacpva.us/YouthCollegeObserverGeneralPublic

Registration to the Convention allows access to the welcome reception, plenary sessions, workshops and town halls, and the Worship and Memorial Service.

Advance registration ends **Saturday, September 16, 2023**. Delegate and Alternate Registration ends on **Thursday, October 5, 2023**. Late registration ends on **Monday, October 16, 2023**.

	Adult Delegate and Alternate Registration	Youth and College Delegate and Alternate Registration
Advanced	\$150	\$75
Late	\$185	\$75
	Adult Observer/General Public	Youth and College Observer/General Public
Advanced	\$150	\$75
Late	\$175	\$75

During Convention, we will host special ticketed events. The Special Event Package will be available until **Saturday, September 16, 2023**. The Special Event Package includes one (1) ticket for each of the following events: Legislative Luncheon; Candidates Breakfast; Membership and Leadership Luncheon; Freedom Fund; and Youth Leadership Breakfast. Individual tickets may be purchased until Saturday, October 14, 2023.

Adult Special Event Package	\$160		
Youth Special Event Package	\$75		
	Adult Ticket	Youth Ticket	Table
Legislative Luncheon	\$50	\$40	\$600
Candidate Breakfast	\$40	\$30	\$500
Membership and Leadership Luncheon	\$50	\$40	\$600
Freedom Fund Gala	\$85	\$50	\$900
Youth Leadership Breakfast	\$40	\$30	\$500

Important Dates and Deadlines

Advanced Registration Begins	Friday, August 11, 2023
Advanced Registration Ends	Saturday, September 16, 2023
Late Registration Begins	Sunday, September 17, 2023
General Public Registration Begins	Sunday, September 17, 2023
Deadline to Reserve Hotel Room at Convention Rate	Thursday, October 5, 2023
Delegate and Alternate Registration Ends	Thursday, October 5, 2023
Late Registration Ends	Monday, October 16, 2023
Souvenir Journal Ad Due	Friday, October 6, 2023

Schedule at a Glance

Thursday, October 26, 2023

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| 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. | Registration |
| 6 p.m. | Reception |
| 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. | Never Silenced: Public Meeting and The State of Black Virginia |

Friday, October 27, 2023

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| 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. | Registration |
| 7:30 a.m. | Continental Breakfast |
| 9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. | Opening Plenary |
| 11 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. | Workshops |
| 12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m. | Legislative Luncheon |
| 3 p.m. - 4 p.m. | Officer Leadership Training |
| 2:30 p.m. - 4 p.m. | Workshops |
| 4:30 - 5:45 p.m. | Town Hall |
| 4 p.m. - 10 p.m. | Youth and College |
| 4 p.m. | Committee Meetings |
| 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. | Welcome Reception |

Saturday, October 28, 2023

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| 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Registration |
| 7:30 a.m. | Candidates Breakfast |
| 7:30 a.m. | Youth and College Continental Breakfast |

9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Second Plenary
11 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Town Hall
Noon - 9 p.m.	Youth and College
12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.	Membership and Leadership Luncheon
3 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.	Town Hall
6 p.m.	Cocktail Reception
7 p.m.	Freedom Fund Gala

Sunday, October 29, 2023

7:30 am - 9 a.m.	Youth Leadership Breakfast
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Worship and Memorial Service
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Third and Final Plenary

Convention Policies and Resources

Refund Policy

There will be no refunds approved after **Monday, October 16, 2023**. All approved refunds will be processed and returned within 4-6 weeks following Convention. Approved refunds paid via ACH, credit or debit card will be minus applicable fees.

Consent Waivers

Upon registering for Convention, you will be asked to agree to read and consent to the following: COVID-19 Travel Waiver; COVID-19 Meeting Protocols; Photographic Release Contract and Release of Media Interest and Rights; and a Waiver, Release and Indemnification.

Registration and Submission Links

Adult Observer/General Public Registration	naacpva.us/AdultObserverGeneralPublicRegistration
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Youth and College
Observer/General Public
Registration

naacpva.us/YouthCollegeObserverGeneralPublic

Contact Information

Questions concerning the Convention should be emailed to
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Connect With Us

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