

SAACURH 2006

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SAACURH Pre-Conference Guide
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Greetings SAACURH,

I would like to extend a very warm welcome to each and everyone one of you that have registered for the SAACURH Conference, held at the Meadow View Convention Center hosted by the University of Virginia's College at Wise. Over the past year, UVA-Wise has been working very hard to bring to each and every delegate a wonderful SAACURH Regional Conference.

I would personally like to take this moment to thank them for all their hard work for putting together this conference. While at the SAACURH Conference, if you see any member on the conference staff, please thank them for their hard work and dedication in hosting SAACURH 2006.

I also want to welcome all of our special guests that will be in attendance at the SAACURH Conference and I encourage you to go and talk to each and everyone of them for they are all very amazing, very talented people that have done a great deal in improving residence life. These guests include:

Mike Marshall – NACURH National Chairperson
Amy Perrey – NACURH Information Center Representative (NIC)
Gretchen Olson – NACURH Services and Recognition Office Representative (NSRO)
Samantha Fell – On Campus Marketing Representative
Tim Cooley – SEAHO President

This packet will hopefully inform you as to what to expect while at this year's SAACURH Conference. Granted the conference experience will always be different from conference to conference, but this guide will hopefully give you all guidelines as to what to expect as you are preparing to attend SAACURH 2006. Some items in this packet were taken from the conference website, however I have made comments about each item so I encourage everyone to read this packet because there is a lot of important information in this Conference Guidebook.

If you have any questions between now and SAACURH, please let me know either by email at omalleyrha@gmail.com, by phone at 865-405-1444, facebook, or screen name at SAACURHDirector.

Thank you and I cannot wait to see you in fourteen days.

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South Atlantic Affiliate

October 24, 2006 – Regional Chat Date

- The SEC will be hosting the monthly regional chat on October 24, 2006. The chat will begin promptly at 10:00p.m. EST. In order to be invited into the chat room please instant message SAACURHDirector.
- At this regional chat, we will be answering any questions that you may have for the upcoming Regional Conference. I encourage that you please attend this chat if you have any questions, or maybe listen to the other questions people have to see if we can clarify anything for you.

Conference Registration

- Conference registration will start at Noon and go through 5:00p.m. When you enter the registration room we only need to see the NCC, NRHH Rep, and advisor from every school.

■ Affiliations ** IMPORTANT NOTE **

- Due to several complications with affiliations this year because of the transition of the new NSRO and NIC, all schools are encouraged to bring with them the following items to give to the NIC rep at registration to ensure a smooth and easy affiliation process (Even schools that are already affiliated are encouraged to bring these items)
 - Affiliation Dues Check for NACURH and NRHH Chapter or a copy of the check
 - A copy of your school's Resource File Index
 - A membership list for your NRHH Chapter
 - Your Schools NRHH Chapter Constitution
- Other things to bring with you when you come to register
 - The assumption of risk and release form for every delegate and advisor with your schools delegation (unless you have already sent these items to UVa-Wise). Every delegate must have one of these forms NO MATTER WHAT!
 - Four year service pin applications for any of your delegates. These applications will be due at the close of registration (basically by 5:00p.m. on Friday).
- SEC TABLE
 - There will be an SEC table at registration. At this table you will have the opportunity to 1) turn in the 4 year service pin application as well as talk with a member of the SAACURH Executive Committee. The SEC has important information to discuss with each NCC and NRHH rep.

DINNER ON FRIDAY NIGHT

- The SAACURH Conference staff has broken up dinner on Friday night based upon which state you are in. Dinner will be available in two shifts. When the first shift of states is eating, the other shift will be working on the ROLL CALL CHEER. When the second shift is eating the first shift will be working on their roll call cheer.
- **PLEASE NOTE WHEN YOUR STATE IS UP FOR DINNER – Please plan accordingly to make sure your schools delegation is at the Convention Center in enough time to eat.**

Dinner Schedule	
5:00p.m. – 6:00p.m.	Kentucky
	Tennessee
	Virginia
	North Carolina
6:00p.m. – 7:00p.m.	Alabama
	Florida
	Georgia
	Mississippi
	South Carolina

The Noli Express (Friday Dinner and Saturday Lunch Dining Option)

- Dinner on Friday night as well as Lunch on Saturday will be served at the “Noli Express.” The Noli is a concession stand style dining option. Every delegate will be given a “meal card” which will contain \$10.00 on it per Friday night dinner and Saturday Lunch *(You have to use all \$10.00 per meal per designated time period or you will lose it. The money will not carry over to another meal). Delegates will only have 1 time through the Noli Express line to spend the money.
- The menu that will be served at the Noli will be as follows:

<u>Drinks</u>		<u>Snacks</u>	
Soda (Pepsi products)	\$1.50	Popcorn	\$1.00
Bottled Water	\$2.00	Candy Bar	\$1.50
Coffee (Starbucks)	\$1.50	Chips	\$1.00
	Bottled Juice	\$2.00	

Gatorade \$2.50

Hot Food

Hot Dog	\$2.50
-Add Chili or Cheese for	\$0.25
-Add Chili & Cheese for	\$0.50
Cheeseburgers	\$4.00
Chicken Tenders	\$3.00
Individual Pizza	\$5.00
Tator Tots	\$2.00
-Add cheese for	\$0.25
Nachos & Cheese	\$2.50
-Add chili for	\$0.50
Salad	\$2.50

Combos

#1-Hot Dog, Tots or Chips, Soda	\$5.50
#2-Chicken Tenders, Tots or Chips, Soda	\$6.00
#3-Cheeseburger, Tots or Chips, Soda	\$6.50

SAACURH Roll Call

- The SAACURH Roll Call will begin promptly at 7:15p.m.
- The University of Virginia’s College at Wise has been working very hard to bring to you a different style of “Opening Ceremony” for the SAACURH Conference. The opening ceremony will include guest speakers, bands, and the Roll Call.
- Roll call this year has been done a little differently. Instead of schools being “clumped together” by state to present a roll call (skit) that mocks other schools/states, etc, schools from each state have been designated to work on creating a CHEER that you guys will have the opportunity to teach SAACURH.
- THESE CHEERS will be regional cheers (cheers that the region can take with them to NACURH, etc and chant together as a Region).

- Please bring a copy of the cheer to give to the conference staff

Roll Call has been changed this year. SAACURH is short on cheers! We are the largest region in NACURH and lack cheers when traveling to the National Conference. This year each state must come up with an "original" SAACURH Cheer. Each state should know their cheer! Once the cheer has been created, please e-mail a copy to the SAACURH staff.

We will be compiling a SAACURH Cheer Book to distribute to each state!

SAACURH Cheers/ Roll Call will be held in Convention Center (B).

The cheers will be judged on creativity,
involvement, quality, and style!

The cheers can not exceed five minutes.

SAACURH University (SAACURH U)

- SAACURH U will occur again this year from 10:00-11:15 (hopefully it will not take this long)
- Only NRHH Reps, the State Association Representative, and NCCs are required to attend this event. (NRHH-IT's and NCC-it's are also invited).
- During this session we will be going over the layout for how the SAACURH Board Rooms will be run on Saturday as well as briefly going over some important information that all NCCs and NRHH Reps need to know.

SATURDAY Breakfast

- Saturday Breakfast will be served at the Meadow View convention center for delegates at all hotels. Breakfast will be served at the "Noli Express" but delegates will not get a meal card for this meal with X amount of dollars. It will be buffet style for delegates to go through. Breakfast will be served from 7:00-8:45a.m. and there will not be a rotation by state (So just come on down and eat when you are ready). The menu includes:

Bacon, Biscuits, Eggs, Gravy, Potatoes, Sausage, Bagels, Muffins, Coffee, Juices, Milk

STATE DIRECTORS BREAKFAST

-- Throughout the course of the year State Directors have a link to the SEC through the Regional Education and Development Coordinator. However, I want the SEC to be able to work with the State Directors and vice versa, so we will be having a state directors breakfast at 7:45 in the same area as everyone else will be eating. There will be special tables set aside for the Directors and SEC to sit out. We will be discussing issues within

the State Associations so ALL STATE DIRECTORS ARE ASKED TO PLEASE ATTEND.

TOWN HALL MEETING (Calling all Advisors)

- At 9:00a.m. there will be a Town Hall meeting for all SAACURH Regional Advisors. All advisors are invited to attend this session and meet with Bill Pickett the Regional NRHH Advisor and Sean Pierce the SAACURH Regional Advisor to discuss advisor-related issues within the region. ALL ADVISORS SHOULD ATTEND.

Programming on Saturday

- Programming will begin at 9:00-9:50a.m.
 - NCCs and NRHH Reps will be able to present or attend programs during this session because the board room does not begin until Program Session 2.
- Throughout the Programming Sessions the SEC and OCM will be presenting several special programs:

Mission Statement Impossible	The Center Ring	SEC
Louie's Leaders:The Pride of SAACURH	The Center Ring	SEC
No Clowing Around-Fundraising Made Easy	The Center Ring	OCM
Presidents' Summit	The Ring Master	SEC

- Mission Statement Impossible: The SEC has decided to develop a SAACURH Vision and Mission statement and we need the Regions help. E.J. Walicki, the Regional ADBA will be working with interested people to be developing this vision and mission statement to present for approval at No-Frills 2007. E.J. will be heading up the Vision and Mission statement committee so if you are interested in serving on this committee please talk to E.J. Walicki.
- Louie's Leaders – Last year the NCCs voted to create a Regional Leadership Certification program. Now it is time for SAACURH to have your help. We need all your input and ideas to help make this leadership certification program the best it can be. The SEC wants to unveil this program at No-Frills 2007 to have it totally up and running at SAACURH 2007. Therefore if you want to help develop, organize, and implement this program, please attend this session to help SAACURH create this Certification Program.
- Samantha Fell – the OCM Representative will be doing a programming session about Fundraising. Please check out this session and support NACURH's corporate partner OCM.
- The Presidents Summit – This program will be presented by the SAACURH Presidents Coordinator in Conjunction with the REDC. This program will discuss issues that (Hall Council Presidents, NRHH Presidents, RHA Presidents, etc face in their position). **ALL PRESIDENTS PLEASE COME OUT TO GIVE YOUR**

**INPUT ABOUT WHAT YOU WANT TO SEE AT THE NO-FRILLS
PRESIDENTS SUMMIT!!!**

MORE ON PROGRAMMING ☺

- The Conference staff is working hard on developing a schedule to decide which programs will be presented in which program sessions, however, it is highly encouraged that you begin looking over the programs that have been accepted to begin thinking of which programs you would like to attend.
- The Programming tracks include:
 - The Lion’s Den – Programs for/presented by Advisors
 - The Center Ring – Leadership Programs and how-to programs
 - Clown Around – Social Programs
 - The Ring Master – programs presented for/by Presidents
 - The Trapeze Act – Programs about stress relief/personal development
 - Faces in the Crowd – Programs about Diversity
 - Peanuts for all – Programs about Wellness and Health
- Below are the list of accepted programs:

Number	Name of Program	Programming Track	School Submitted
1	Progressive Dinner: How to get 100% at your events	Clown Around	Elon University
2	We Got Spirit....Yes We Do!!!	Clown Around	Florida Atlantic University
3	Lemme Sticks	Clown Around	UVa-Wise
4	Ice, Ice Baby	Clown Around	Virginia Tech
5	Agents: The Grimm Brothers Undercover	Clown Around	Florida Atlantic University
6	What about B.O.B?!?	Clown Around	Appalachian State University
7	FATE!	Clown Around	Appalachina State University
8	The Food Kart-It's good to go!	Clown Around	Radford University
9	The Best Friends Game	Clown Around	Eastern Kentucky University
10	RezFest: The Art of Having Fun	Clown Around	University of South Florida

Number	Name of Program	Programming Track	School Submitted
1	Developing a Diverse Community with Fine Arts	Faces in the Crowd	Clemson University
2	Political Correctness in Residence Halls: To whom do we cater:	Faces in the Crowd	Clemson University
3	When Cultures Collide	Faces in the Crowd	Georgia Southern University
4	Top Stories:Using Current Events for Cultural Programming	Faces in the Crowd	UVa-Wise
5	Cross the Line	Faces in the Crowd	UVa-Wise
6	Baby Mall	Faces in the Crowd	UVa-Wise
7	Who Am I?	Faces in the Crowd	Mississippi State
8	DARFUR Awareness Now	Faces in the Crowd	Appalachian State University
9	Let's Get Busy: Bringin out Unique Students Yearly	Faces in the Crowd	University of Central Florida
10	Step Into Diversity	Faces in the Crowd	Belmont University
11	No Lion's Allowed	Faces in the Crowd	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
12	Eat as the World Eats	Faces in the Crowd	UVa-Wise
13	A Picture's Worth A Thousand Words	Faces in the Crowd	Florida International University
14	Clown Around in Another's Schoes: Sharing Diversity	Faces in the Crowd	Florida International University
15	The Ever Changing Mask of Society	Faces in the Crowd	UNC-Greensboro
16	Stop Clowing Around--Be an Ally	Faces in the Crowd	Clemson University

Number	Name of Program	Programming Track	School Submitted
1	"Fruit or Froot Loops"	Peanuts for All	University of Memphis
2	Cards for Cancer	Peanuts for All	Mississippi State University

3	Condom Madness	Peanuts for All	Florida Gulf Coast University
4	Condom BINGO	Peanuts for All	University of Mississippi
5	Eating Well in College	Peanuts for All	Georgia Southern University
6	You gotta fight for your right...to party?	Peanuts for All	UT-Knoxville
7	Dealing with Depression	Peanuts for All	Clemson University
8	Sex....it does the body good:an exploration of Holistic medicine	Peanuts for All	North Carolina State University
9	Are you my type?	Peanuts for All	North Carolina State University

Number	Name of Program	Programming Track	School Submitted
1	True Color Party	The Center Ring	University of Central Florida
2	The Quandary of Leadership Diversity: How to Conquer It	The Center Ring	Northern Kentucky University
3	HEART: How to host a successful training conference!	The Center Ring	University of West Georgia
4	NRHH Chapters: How to Keep Your Balance on the High Wire	The Center Ring	Georgia Southern University & Mississippi State University
5	Where in NACURH is Carmen Sandiego	The Center Ring	Georgia Southern University
6	Recognizing Riggers with OTMs	The Center Ring	Georgia Southern University
7	How to "ringling" People to Your Event Using Technology & Marketing	The Center Ring	Clemson University
8	Louie's Leaders:The Pride of SAACURH	The Center Ring	SEC
9	Navigate the "Center Ring"	The Center Ring	UVa-Wise
10	OTM's 101:Survival of the Wordiest	The Center Ring	SEC
11	Mission Statement Impossible	The Center Ring	SEC
12	No Clowing Around-Fundraising Made Easy	The Center Ring	OCM

13	Keeping Everyone Involved During Meetings.....and I Mean Everyone!	The Center Ring	Elon University
14	Transitioning into the Center Rign	The Center Ring	Elon University
15	Climbing the Big Top of Higher Ed: Graduate School	The Center Ring	UT-Knoxville
16	Cannons and Shields	The Center Ring	UT-Knoxville
17	All About Service	The Center Ring	Georgia Southern University
18	Effective Communication-What is it?	The Center Ring	Radford University
19	Bringing Your RHA & SGA Together	The Center Ring	University of Florida
20	A Three-Ring Circus with only One Ring	The Center Ring	FAU Honors College
21	Double Double Lets End Academic Trouble	The Center Ring	University of South Florida
22	Thinking Out of the Ring:Strategic Creative Successful Program Marketing	The Center Ring	Lynn University
23	See no evil, Hear no evil, Speak no evil	The Center Ring	North Carolina State University
24	A Wave of Relief!	The Center Ring	North Carolina State University
25	Kernels of Leadership in "POP" culture	The Center Ring	North Carolina State University
26	More Then Just you Average Face Paint	The Center Ring	North Carolina State University

Number	Name of Program	Programming Track	School Submitted
1	10 Truths about Diversity, Multiculturalism and Social Justice: A Professional's Multicultural Journey	The Lion's Den	University of South Carolina
2	Desk Yoga!	The Lion's Den	University of Central Floriday
3	The Art of Adivising: It's Not Just Painting Toes	The Lion's Den	University of South Carolina
4	Host WHAT!!!!???	The Lion's Den	Western Carolina University

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1	Taming the Lion	The Ring Master	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
2	Presidents' Summit	The Ring Master	SEC
3	Bringing out the Lion Tamer in You	The Ring Master	Maryville College
4	Don't you Wanna know??? Parly Pro.	The Ring Master	Morehead State University
5	Controlling the Crowd	The Ring Master	Virginia Tech
6	Calling All New Ringmasters!	The Ring Master	Virginia Tech
7	Safety on Campus	The Ring Master	East Carolina University
8	Me Want Cookie	The Ring Master	Western Carolina University
9	Turn that Clown Frown Upside Down	The Ring Master	UVa-Wise

Number	Name of Program	Programming Track	School Submitted
1	Learn to Train your Roommate: Operant Conditioning and Schedules of Reinforcements	The Trapezee Act	University of Central Florida
2	"Lessen the Stressin"	The Trapezee Act	University of Memphis
3	The power of suggestion	The Trapezee Act	UT-Knoxville
4	You vision and your cabinet	The Trapezee Act	University of South Carolina
5	Back 2 Kindergarten: A Stress Relief Program	The Trapezee Act	University of Georgia
6	Breast Cakes & "Bra"celets for Breast Cancer	The Trapezee Act	Appalachian State University
7	AHH I hate clowns!! Learning how to deal	The Trapezee Act	Clemson

	with major life programs		University
8	What Color is your clown nose?	The Trapezee Act	Radford University
9	SAACURH's Next Top Model-Leader	The Trapezee Act	University of South Florida
10	Assets v. Liabilities	The Trapezee Act	University of South Carolina
11	Joining the Circus: Exploring the pathway to a career in Higher Education	The Trapezee Act	Valdosta State University

The SAACURH Boardrooms

- The boardrooms at this SAACURH will be casual. Therefore you do not need to dress up for these board rooms however, because these are business meetings of the region, all representatives are encouraged to be well prepared for these board rooms.
- When in a Board Room
 - Make sure that you have read all legislation and Bids and have completed the Criteria Sheets for the bids
 - We will be collecting the Criteria Sheets to give to the schools. **THE CRITERIA SHEETS ARE IMPORTANT BECAUSE THEY GIVE ADVICE ABOUT THE BID TO MAKE THEM BETTER IF THEY GO ON TO NACURH.**
 - **A NOTE ON BIDS**

As per the NACURH Policy Book:

- Note: Bids are to be judged based on content of information. Page numbers and double-sided duplication are to be employed only as suggested criteria for ease in review of bids. (6/2000)
- When looking over bids, please go ahead and mark up grammatical issues and structural suggestions, but remember the importance of the bid is not whether or not there is a signature on a letter of recommendation (that can be obtained later) or whether or not a picture is halfway cut off – the GOAL of the bid is to read the content and see if that School is deserving of the award based upon the HARD WORK, DEDICATION, and COMMITMENT that is shown through the bid. **LOOK AT CONTENT MORE THEN BID FORMAT/LAYOUT, etc.**
 - At SAACURH there will be to boardrooms -- The NCC boardroom and the NRHH boardroom.
 - Both boardrooms will meet separate during the conference. However at the beginning of the boardroom (when the boardroom starts at 10:00a.m. on Saturday

morning we will have a combined boardroom to deal with several issues that both NRHH reps and NCCs need to be together to discuss)

NCC BOARDROOM

Student Award for Leadership Training (S.A.L.T)
*SAACURH 2007
Legislation

NRHH BOARDROOM

*Program of the Year (POY)
*NRHH Advisor-Elect position
Legislation

- The items marked with an asterisk have a presentation associated with them. Presentations for POY and SAACURH 2007 Host will be 10 minutes long. The NRHH Advisor Position presentation will be 8 minutes long. After the time is called, we will move into a 5 minute discussion which can be extended by a motion. Following discussion we will pro/con the bids.

CLOSING BANQUET

- The Closing banquet will be Semi-Formal. All delegates are asked to dress up and look nice for the banquet (Sunday Clothes will work).
- The banquet meal will include: (Vegetarian options are available for all meals)

7:30pm-9:45pm

Meadowview Convention Center (A)

Salad

Traditional Mixed Green Salas with three dressings

(Ranch, Thousand Island, Red Wine Vinaigrette)

Warm Dinner Rolls served with Butter

Choice of Both Entrees

Delegates get both entrees

(you do not have to choose one or the other)

Chicken Marsala Sautéed with Marsala Wine and Mushroom Sauce

Lemon Pepper Baked Cod

Vegetarian Option: Vegetable Lasagna

Two Vegetable Items

Sautéed Green Beans

Honey Glazed Carrots

Two Start Items

Loaded Red Bliss Mashed Potatoes (w/o bacon)

Cornbread Dressing with Roasted Chestnuts

Dessert

Betty's Warm Bread Pudding with Bourbon Sauce

Assorted Cakes and Pies

Sunday Breakfast

- We will not be serving breakfast on Sunday at the Meadow View Convention Center. If you are staying at the Meadow View Convention center you will have to go out and eat breakfast on your own.
- If you are staying in one of the other hotels, there will be complimentary breakfasts in the lobby of your hotel that you can partake in. (There will be complementary breakfast on Saturday as well, but the breakfast served at the Meadow View Convent Center will be HOT!)

SAACURH Committees

- At SAACURH we will be asking delegates to serve on the various SAACURH committees that have been created this year. If you are interested please contact myself or talk to the committee chairs (which they will be presented several times throughout the weekend).
- The following committees are looking for membership
 - SAACURH Spirit Committee
 - SAACURH Vision and Mission statement Committee
 - SAACURH Historian and Alumni Committee
 - SAACURH Constitutional and Policy Book Review Committee

PHILANTHOPY

SAACURH 2006 will be completing two philanthropy projects!

Project Linus

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital-Tray Liners

We need Fabric (in sizes large enough to make children's blankets). The school that brings the most fleece/flannel material and creates the most blankets (during the conference) will be awarded the **"project linus philanthropy award"**.

[Click here for more information about Project Linus](#)

Please bring construction paper to make "tray liners" for sick children at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The school that brings the most supplies and creates the most "tray liners" (during the conference) will be awarded the **"St. Jude philanthropy award"**.

[Click here for more information about St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.](#)

Both philanthropy projects will be completed Friday night during entertainment.

Overall Philanthropy Award **"SAACURH-Sprit of Giving Award"**. This award will be given to the school who donates blanket material, construction paper, and their time in making each of the projects during the conference.

SAACURH Banners

Banners will be hung in the Covention Center Foyer.
Please drop off your banner at check-in.

Awards will be given out for the best *small school* banner and *large school* banner during the awards ceremony on Saturday night. All banners must be picked up Saturday night after the banquet.

Guidelines:

Banners must be on a king size pillow case.
Banners must contain metal grommets
Banners must reflect the "Under the Big Top" theme

Criteria for Judgment:
Visibility of Institutions's name
Overall creativity
Theme & school spirit

SAACURH LOGO COMPETITION

-- Over the past few months, SAACURH has been having a logo competition where all members were asked to submit a new logo design for the SAACURH Conference. All logos will be on display at the SAACURH Conference and we will vote on a new Logo at SAACURH.

The Current logo looks like this:



SAACURH Regional Pin

-- The New SAACURH Regional Pin will go on sale at the SAACURH Conference. Pins will be \$4.00 per person and will be available while supplies last. If we run out, we will order more to have in time for No-Frills and NACURH.

The Regional Pin looks like this:

