

MASC 2025 Convention

March 11-13, 2025

Roland E. Powell Convention Center



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*Conference hosted by Frederick County Association of Student Councils (FCASC)
and the Maryland Association of Student Council (MASC)
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2025 MASC CONVENTION SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, MARCH 11TH

Campaigning Start Time: Campaigning will be permitted starting at the beginning of recreation on Tuesday
Candidate Tables: Each candidate will be provided with a designated table to display posters, flyers, and other campaign materials. These tables will remain available throughout the event. All materials must be removed by 3:15 p.m., on Wednesday. The convention center does not permit anything taped to any surface. Please use your candidate table for any campaign displays.

Campaigning Times: *Candidates may campaign at any time except during the following events:
Designated Regional Orientations, Workshop Sessions, Awards Banquet, General Assemblies, To-From-or at Hotels*

Respect for Event Schedules: *Candidates and their campaign teams are asked to be considerate and avoid blocking hallways or entrances during scheduled events. Please ensure your campaign activities do not disrupt the flow of conference sessions.*

Nurse: 1st Floor

4:00 - 6:30 On-Site Check-in: Convention Center Lobby

6:00 - 6:25 Workshop Presenter Check-In:
All workshop presenters and their attending advisors should check in at the MASC Information Center

6:30- 6:55 Regional Orientation / Meet and Greet *(see app for regional room assignments)*

7:05- 7:35 General Session I – Performing Arts Center

- Regional Roll Call
- Convention Opening and Welcome
- Review of the Conference App
- Convention Center Emergency Plan
- [Ed Gerety](#), Guest Speaker
- General Announcements and Recess

7:45- 8:30 Workshop Round I *(assignment on name tag – workshops and locations listed in the App)*
(The presenter’s attending advisor MUST be in the workshop session - if two different advisors, may split the time)

8:40-9:10 General Session II – Performing Arts Center *(can finish earlier if rec is ready)*

- Regional Roll Call
- Review of Rules: Standing and Election
- Introduction of the Officer Candidates
- Recognition of Workshop Presenters
- MLW
- Announcements and Recess

9:10–10:15 Recreation *(Advisors – refer to the App for chaperone assignments) * Campaigning allowed*

- Regional Games (Room 215)
- Talent Show (Performing Arts Center)
- Puzzle/Game Room (Room 208)
- Cartoons (Room 205)
- Craft Room (Room 201)
- Bingo (Room 203)
- Relaxation Room (Room 209)
- Karaoke (Room 217)

MASC Spirit Wear for sale & Fat Cats Air Brush

10:15 Return to hotels *(Follow hotel “quiet times.”)*

Reminder: MUST be with an advisor walking to and from the Convention Center to your hotel

Note - there is no campaigning to-from or at hotels.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12TH

Candidates may campaign at any time except during designated workshop times, and during a general assembly. Candidates and campaign staff are asked to be mindful not to block any halls/door entrances or to be in region rooms, workshop rooms, or the general assembly hall just before a scheduled event

Reminder: MUST be with an advisor walking to and from the Convention Center to your hotel

7:30 - 8:30 Breakfast – Convention Center Bayfront Ballroom (*campaigning permitted*)

7:30 - 8:00 Remaining workshop presenters check in at the MASC Information Center

8:30 All delegates report to the Performing Arts Center

8:45 – 10:50 General Session III – *Performing Arts Center (no campaigning)*

- Call to order
- Overview of officer responsibilities for President and 1st Vice President
- Candidate speeches
- Question and answer periods
- Time permitting pre-filed Legislation
- Appointed Staff Introductions (*time permitting*)
- Announcements (*early dismissal workshop presenters*)
- Recess

11:00 - 11:45 Workshop Round II (assignment on name tag – workshops listed in the App)
(*no campaigning*)

11:50 – 12:55 Lunch/Regional Caucus – Region Rooms: *Box Lunch*

Delegates must remain in Regional rooms for candidates/campaign staff visits

(*MASC staff, guests, and host staff pick up lunches and eat in assigned regional room or Advisor Hospitality*)

1:00 – 1:45 Workshop Round III (assignment on name tag – workshops listed in the App)
(*no campaigning*)

1:50- 3:10 General Session IV– (open seating) (*no campaigning*)

- Call to order
- Overview of officer responsibilities for treasurer and 2nd vice president
- Candidate speeches / Q & A periods
- Time permitting - Pre-filed / Spontaneous Legislation
- Announcements
- Recess

(*2:40 Advisor Hangout-Ed Gerety- Room 209*)

3:10 – 6:00 Rest and Relaxation - (*candidates to clear campaign tables by 3:20 p.m.*)

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6:30– 8:30 Awards Banquet – Bayfront Ballroom

8:30 – 10:15 Recreation (*Advisors – refer to the app for chaperone assignments*)

- 75th Anniversary Gala Dance (Dockside Hall)
- Regional Games (Room 215)
- Puzzle/Game Room (Room 208)
- Craft Room (Room 201)
- Art Room (Room 205)
- Bingo (Room 203)
- Relaxation Room (Room 209)
- Karaoke (Room 217)

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**Advisors should give hotel checkout information to their delegations at room check.
Name badges will be collected at the closing General Session Thursday morning.**

THURSDAY, MARCH 13TH

Reminder: MUST be with an advisor walking to and from the Convention Center to your hotel

7:45 – 8:45 *School Advisors - pick up voting cards from the MASC Office*

7:45 – 8:45 **Breakfast** – Convention Center Bayfront Ballroom (*campaigning permitted*)
Luggage storage at the Convention Center for specified regions

8:45 – 8:50 All delegates and advisors report to the Performance Center for the closing General Session.

8:50 – 11:30 **General Session V “Closing Ceremony”** – Performing Arts Center – Please sit near your region sign.

- Call to order
- Reintroduce all candidates
- Voting
- Host Staff Recognition
- Closing speaker – [Ed Gerety](#)
- Convention Evaluation
- Election Results
- Closing Remarks
- Collection of name badges as directed
- MASC Slideshow
- Adjournment/Dismissal

11:30 Departure

**Regions will be called from the general assembly to report to their buses.
Please remain in the Performing Arts Center until your region has been called.**

