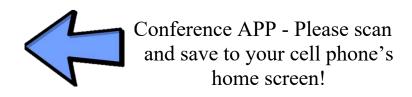
MASC 2025 Convention

March 18-20, 2026 Roland E. Powell Convention Center



Conference App available approximately a week before the convention.





Thanks to our conference staff and advisor hospitality from Allegany High School and Braddock Middle School

2025 MASC CONVENTION SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18TH – SCHOOL SPIRIT WEAR

Campaigning Start Time: Campaigning will be permitted starting at the beginning of recreation on Wednesday

Candidate Tables: Each candidate has a designated table to display posters, flyers, and other campaign materials. These tables will remain available through Thursday afternoon.

No campaigning during Workshop Sessions, 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.

First Aid Station: 1st Floor (near MASC Office) Identified Clearly with Signage MASC Office: 1st Floor (Business Office) Identified Clearly with Signage Advisor Hospitality: 2nd Floor, Room 210 (closed during General Assemblies)

- 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 Assembly I Performing Arts Center (no food drinks must be in non-spillable containers)
 Advisor Hospitality closed during General Assemblies
 - Regional Roll Call
 - Convention Opening and Welcome
 - Review of the Conference App

- Convention Center Emergency Plan
- A'ric Jackson Guest Speaker
- General Announcements and Dismissal

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 Assembly II – Performing Arts Center (no food - drinks must be in non-spillable containers) Advisor Hospitality closed during General Assemblies

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

- MLW
- Evaluation
- Announcements and Dismissal

8:30-10:00 Concession Stand open - 1st floor Convention Center (cashless only)

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

* Campaigning allowed Advisor Hospitality Open

- Board Games (Room xxx)
- Talent Show (Performing Arts Center)
- Crafts (Room xxx)
- Candy Station (Room xxx)
- Relaxation Room (Room xxx)

- Bingo (Room xxx)
- Scavenger Hunt (Room xxx)
- Name that Lyric (Room xxx)
- Karaoke (Room 217)

MASC Spirit Wear for sale (outside the MASC Information Center, 2nd Floor) & Fat Cats Air Brush (1st Floor) Convention t-shirt size exchange - MASC Information Center (must bring issued shirt to exchange)

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 - No campaigning to, from, or at hotels.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19TH – REGION SPIRIT WEAR

Candidates may campaign at any time except during designated workshop sessions and general assemblies. Candidates and campaign staff should avoid blocking hallways or doorways and should not be in region rooms, workshop rooms, or the general assembly hall immediately before scheduled events.

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)
7:45 - 8:45	Regional Advisors - pick up voting cards from the MASC Office (1st floor)

- 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 Assembly III** –Performing Arts Center (no food drinks must be in non-spillable containers) Advisor Hospitality closed during General Assemblies
 - Call to Order
 - Overview of officer responsibilities for President and 1st Vice President
 - Candidate speeches
 - Question and answer periods

- Time permitting, pre-filed Legislation
- 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 12:50 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 region rooms or Advisor Hospitality)

- 1:00 1:45 **Workshop Round III** (assignment on name tag workshops listed in the App) (no campaigning)
- 1:55- 3:10 General Assembly IV- (open seating) (no food drinks must be in non-spillable containers)

 Advisor Hospitality closed during General Assemblies

(2:10 Advisor Session – A'ric Jackson - Room 209)

- Call to Order & Region Roll Call
- Overview of officer responsibilities for treasurer and 2nd vice president
- Candidate speeches / Q & A periods

- Time permitting Pre-filed / Spontaneous Legislation
- Announcements
- Recess
- 3:10 6:00 Rest and Relaxation (candidates to clear campaign tables by 3:20 p.m.)

 Reminder: MUST be with an advisor walking to and from the Convention Center to your hotel
- 3:20 8:30 Advisor Hospitality Room Closed
- **6:30-8:30** Awards Banquet Bayfront Ballroom (Assigned Seating Please review Table Manners document)
- 8:00-10:00 Concession Stand open 1st floor Convention Center (cashless only)
- **8:30 10:15** Recreation (Advisors refer to the app for chaperone assignments) Advisor Hospitality Open
 - Dance (Dockside Hall)
 - Board Games (Room xxx)
 - Self Care Room (Room xxx)
 - Crafts (Room xxx)
 - Family Feud (Room xxx)

- Bingo (Room xxx)
- Relaxation Room (Room xxx)
- Movie "Spy Kids" PG rating (Room xxx)
- Karaoke (Room 217

MASC Spirit Wear for sale & Fat Cats Air Brush

10:15 Return to hotels (Follow hotel "quiet times.")

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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 on Friday morning.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20TH – CONVENTION SHIRT

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

7:45 – 8:45 Breakfast – Convention Center Bayfront Ballroom

Luggage storage at the Convention Center for specified regions

8:45 –8:55 All delegates and advisors report to the Performing Arts Center for the closing General Session.

8:55 – 11:30 General Assembly V "Closing Ceremony" – Performing Arts Center – Please sit near your region sign.

(no food - drinks must be in non-spillable containers)

Advisor Hospitality closed during General Assemblies

- Call to order Region Roll Call
- Reintroduce all candidates
- Voting
- Collection of name badges as directed
- Closing speaker A'ric Jackson
- Region Reports

- Convention Evaluation
- Election Results
- Closing Remarks
- 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.

CHECK CAREFULLY FOR ALL BELONGS BEFORE LEAVING

REGIONAL ADVISORS – PLEASE RETURN YOUR REGION SIGN AT THE MASC OFFICE AS YOU LEAVE THE CONVENTNION CENTER!

