



Northern Shenandoah Valley Chapter
AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION

200 Academy Drive
FRONT ROYAL, VIRGINIA 22630

Dear Virginia State AFA members,

On behalf of the Northern Shenandoah Valley AFA Chapter #435, we are pleased to announce the details for the upcoming Virginia State AFA meeting on 13 March 2010. In this package you will find the hotel registration and meeting registration form. Before you jump ahead, please take a minute to read this through.

Thank you in advance for expediting your hotel reservations - please get those done NLT 28 February and ensure you tell the reservation specialist that your group code is AAE. You will enjoy the Holiday Inn and Suites – it is located 5 miles north of Front Royal on US 522 and is collocated with Blue Ridge Shadows Golf Course. They opened in July 2008 and are looking forward to hosting our event.

The Holiday Inn Hotel and Suites Blue Ridge Shadows is a full service conference hotel, with pool, whirlpool and 24 hour fitness center. They offer beautifully appointed accommodations: 124 spacious rooms including 26 luxurious suites – all overlooking the golf course. Rooms are available with one king or two queen beds and have a refrigerator, free high-speed wireless Internet, a 32" LCD TV with HBO, hairdryer, iron/ironing board, and coffee maker with complimentary coffee. In addition to these amenities, each of our spacious suites has a private bedroom plus a sleeper sofa in the living room, microwave, wet bar, and a second 32" LCD TV. You are within five miles of downtown Front Royal, the "Gateway" to the world famous Skyline Drive. Recently, it has also been officially designated as the Canoe Capital of Virginia. Local attractions include [Skyline Caverns](#), [Shenandoah National Park](#), [Shenandoah River](#), and [George Washington National Forest](#). [Click here for a guide of our areas attractions.](#)



If there is anything we can do to make your weekend with us more enjoyable, please let us know. We look forward to seeing you!

Norm Brander, President
Kathleen Kays, Secretary

Norm Haller, Vice President
John Tagnesi, Treasurer

The hotel offers the following amenities:

- 18 hole championship-caliber golf
- Houlihan's Restaurant + Bar
- Hotel guests' children eat free
- Room service
- 24 hour fitness center
- Meeting space for up to 400 people
- Full catering services
- Indoor heated pool and whirlpool
- Guest laundry facilities
- 24 hour lobby convenience store

RESERVATION FORM
Quarterly Virginia AFA State Meeting
Saturday, March 13, 2010

Hotel Reservation Information

Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites Resort
at Blue Ridge Shadows Resort
111 Hospitality Drive
Front Royal, Virginia 22630
AFA Group Code : AAE
www.holidayinn.com/frontroyalva

AFA Room Rate for 12 and 13 March 2010
\$85.00 per night plus taxes (7%)
AFA Group Code: AAE
Toll free: 1-888-465-4329
Direct: 1-540-631-3050

Note: Reservations must be made directly with hotel by 28 February 2010

Please complete this Reservation Form and send with your check made out to:
No. Shen Valley AFA Chapter 435, Attn: John P. Tagnesi, P.O. Box 2752, Winchester, VA
22604-1952

Confirm your attendance via email at the earliest opportunity (email addresses at the end of this letter). After sending your preliminary email confirmation, please forward your payment to the address shown. Reservation forms and payment must be received **NOT LATER THAN CLOSE OF BUSINESS, Sunday, 28 February 2010.** Call ASAP if there any issues meeting this deadline.

Event Registration

Event	Cost	Number	Total Cost	Notes
Hotel Room	\$85.00 AFA Rate	N/A	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> Check if hotel reservations have been made.
Parking	Free	N/A	N/A	
Meeting	None		N/A	
Refreshments/ Luncheon	\$16.00*		\$	See menu on page 2. Guests welcome
Reception/ Dinner	\$23.00*		\$	Menu selections below
Meal Selection	Spanish Fish			
	Pork loin w/cider sauce			
Total Payment			\$	

*Make Check Payable to: N. Shen Valley AFA Chapter #435

Member Name	
Guest Name	
Mailing Address	
Contact Information (Phone or Email)	

EVENT INFORMATION

BREAKFAST: 7:00 AM – 7:30 AM
Continental Style Breakfast at the hotel

Transportation from hotel to R-MA will depart after breakfast

MEETING: 8:00 AM – 12:00 NOON @ RANDOLPH-MACON ACADEMY (R-MA) MIDDLE SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER

Refreshments: Pastries and muffins, fresh fruit, juice, coffee, hot water for tea

LUNCHEON: 12:00 NOON @ R-MA MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETERIA

Deli Lunch Buffet Style: Soup, assorted wraps and sandwiches, pasta and potato salad, chips, cookies, fruit, iced tea, coffee

Transportation from R-MA to hotel will depart after meetings/Tour of campus will be offered

GOLF INFORMATION

During the dates of this event, you will pay no more than \$80.00 for a round of 18 holes of golf. This fee includes range and cart fee. If you would like to book a tee time, please contact Shirley Palmer at 540-631-3050 and we can make the arrangements for you.

Transportation from hotel to R-MA will depart @ 5:45 PM

RECEPTION: 6:00 PM @ R-MA MIDDLE SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER

Cheese and crackers, fruit tray, vegetable and dip, nuts, Alpenglow

DINNER: 6:30 PM @ R-MA MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETERIA
Mixed green salad with vinaigrette, pork loin with cider sauce or Spanish fish, roasted potatoes, fresh vegetable blend, rolls, assorted desserts, iced tea, coffee

SPEAKER: GENERAL GREGORY S. MARTIN

Transportation from R-MA to hotel will depart after DINNER

Post Dinner: Refreshments in the Board Room at the hotel

Reminder: Room Reservations must be made directly with hotel by 28 Feb 2010

You may email your pre-registration; however, your reservation form and check payment must be received at the address below

Not Later Than Close of Business Friday, 28 Feb 2010.

** Make Check Payable to: N. Shen Valley AFA Chapter #435**		
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