

FREA 2025 Convention Timeline

The full details of the Convention will be in the Convention Program, enclosed with Registration Materials, upon check-in at Convention.

Monday, May 19	
12:00 - 6:00	Registration
Various Times	Anything Goes Basket—Gathering Room
12:00 - 4:00	Trustees Meeting
3:00 - 4:00	Benefits Committee meeting
4:15 - 5:15	Executive Committee meeting
6:30 - 9:00	FREA Board of Directors Dinner Meeting
Tuesday, May 20 - Set the World Ablaze—Color of the Day—Red	
8:00 - 4:00	Registration
9:00 - 12:00	District Director/State Chair Meeting
11:30 - 1:00	Past Presidents Council Lunch Meeting
1:00 - 3:15	Opening General Session 1 2:00—Keynote Speaker—Dr. William Bennett—
3:15-3:30	Break
3:30—4:15	District Meetings (10)
4:15	Get checked in-Register-Take a break
5:00 –6:30	Design Your Own Trophy Teambuilding Contest-Please see full instructions and pictures on Convention page.
	AMBA Welcome Reception
6:30 - 9:30	Dinner, Karaoke and Dancing—Award for Trophy Contest—Details on Convention page.
Wednesday, May 21—Chilling With Purpose—Color of the Day—White	
Breakfast on your own	
9:00 - 10:00	General Session 2
10:00 - 11:25	Break-out Sessions—40 minutes each Session. Choose 2.
	1. Elevating Your Unit - Keep it Visible, Vibrant, Vital, Growing and Strong!
	2. Legislative - FRS ! Get the latest updates on Legislative news from this year/plan for next year.
	3. Emergency Transportation—MASA Improvements. Think Medicare covers all costs?...Nope.
11:25-11:35	4. Key Travel Tips You Need to Know for a Hassle-Free Trip. Rules change all the time. Learn the latest from an expert.
	Break
11:35	General Session Resumes
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5th Grade Essay Award • Volunteer of the Year Awards
12:00 - 1:25	Plated Lunch or Lunch on Your Own
1:40 - 2:15	Memorial Service— “On the Wings of Reflection, Passion, and Vision”. Doors close at 1:40 PM-no admittance after that time.
2:15	Relax—Recharge—Enjoy!
5:30 - 6:30	Evening Reception
6:30 - 9:30	Dinner, Trivia Contest, and Dancing
Thursday, May 22—Blueprints for the Future—Color of the Day—Blue	
Breakfast on your own	
8:45 - 9:15	Closing Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Installation of Officers
9:15-10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awards • Prizes • FREF Extravaganza Drawing • Closing Remarks—Adjournment