



Tre Lag Stevne

Annual Meeting

2019/2020



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Dear Robert,

I must start out by saying how much I enjoyed our visit and time together exploring Bemidji while you were in town. I look forward to the opportunity to be your guide again on your next trip.

Visit Bemidji is honored to extend a cordial invitation to host the Tre Lag Stevne in 2109 and/or 2020 in the First City on the Mississippi.

Bemidji's all-encompassing proposal is included for your review. We are pleased to offer our state-of-the-art Sanford Center overlooking Lake Bemidji with available lodging options in the attached Country Inn & Suites. Complimentary hot breakfast and WIFI, as well as an on-site restaurant add to the convenience of this hotel. Our lakeside community features an extensive shoreline of sandy beach, trails and a multitude of retail and cultural offerings.

Visit Bemidji is willing to offer support prior to and during the conference. We can also assist in the development of off-site tours and arrange and coordinate transportation to off-site activities.

Thank you for considering Bemidji for your Annual Meeting(s). If you have any questions regarding the proposal, please contact Visit Bemidji. We eagerly look forward to working with your group, and extending Bemidji's northern hospitality, voted Best MN Town 2017!

Sincerely,

Jessica Bjerke
Group Sales Manager
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Tre Lag Stevne Annual Meeting Optional Lodging Nights: 8/6/2019-8/9/2019 OR 8/4/2020-8/7/2020

Bemidji Hotel Accomodations

www.VisitBemidji.com for hotel description

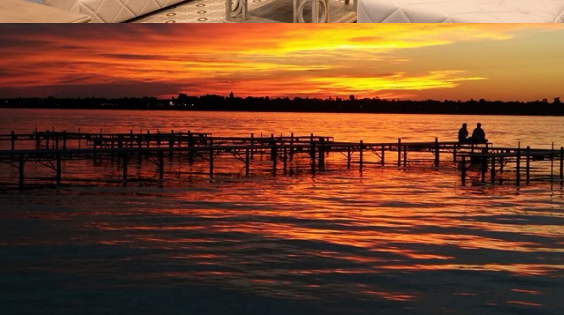


Country Inn & Suites

Sanford Center / George W Neilson Convention Center



Hotel	Rooms Blocked	Room Rates Per Night, Taxes Not Included	Booking Contact
Country Inn & Suites Attached to Convention Center & On-Site Restaurant	20 Rooms Tues 75 Rooms Wed-Fri	Double Queen: \$119.00 Lakeview Double Queen: \$129.00 Lakeview Single King: \$129.00 King Suite: \$139.00 Complimentary Hospitality Suite: Tues-Sat	218-441-4800



Popular Bemidji Area Activities



Step Across the Headwaters of the Mississippi River

Travel the Great River Road National Scenic Byway to Itasca State Park, home to Headwaters of the Mississippi. Learn about the history, flora and fauna of the park with a naturalist step-on guide, which includes an opportunity to walk across the headwaters.

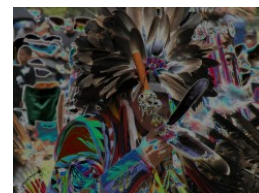
Bemidji Bowl

Multi-faceted entertainment facility that features traditional bowling and Glow & Bowl, along with a restaurant, game arcade, pool tables and indoor golf simulator.



Watermark Art Center

Newly renovated Art Gallery which includes The Miikanan Gallery featuring contemporary and traditional work of Indigenous artists. In addition to the gallery and gift shop, demonstrations of the artists creative process can be arranged.



Headwaters Science Center - Demonstrations

Hands on exhibits and educational demonstrations applicable to all ages. "Raptors Rule", a group favorite, gives a close-up view of live raptors and the characteristics that make raptors different from other birds.

Beltrami County History Museum

Renovated railroad depot presents the region's most unique museum of artifacts and regional history.



Downtown Sculpture Walk

Sculptures and murals on public display throughout the downtown shopping district. Walking Map and parking available. Begin walking tour at Tourist Information Center.



Local Beer Brewing Tour

The Bemidji Brewing Company is a small craft brewery with an emphasis on craft beer and the hopes of providing the freshest, most high-quality craft beer to Bemidji and the Northwood's. Tour and tasting.

Bemidji Woolen Mills

Family owned factory & outlet store founded in 1920 which began producing high quality outdoor woolen apparel for the lumberjacks. Tour the factory side of the business where woolen garments are still made by individual seamstresses, see the knitting machines in action and shop the retail portion of the store.





AIRCORPS AVIATION



Group Tour of AirCorps Aviation
Specializing in the restoration, maintenance,
and rebuilding of vintage WWII aircraft.

"We bring forth experience, dedication, passion, and award-winning detail
that shows in every project we take on."



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CENTER
WELCOMES YOU!



December 8, 2017

Robert Fossum, President
Trønderlag of America
630 28th St.
Chetek, WI 54728

Dear President Fossum:

It is with great pleasure we submit the attached proposal for the Tre Lag Stevne Annual Conference with the following dates available: August 7-10, 2019 and August 5-8, 2020

Please find attached the following:

1. Estimate of costs for space rental, av equipment, labor and food & beverage.
2. Detailed food and beverage proposal
3. Room layout supporting the conference's needs.

Here at the Sanford Center, you will find a friendly staff, beautiful facility, and delicious food to ensure your event runs smoothly.

We hope you find our facility meets and exceeds your expectations for the 2019 and 2020 Tre Lag Stevne Annual Conferences.

Sincerely,

Nicole Anderson

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Tre Lag Stevne Annual Conference
Wednesday-Saturday, August 7-10, 2019 and/or
Wednesday-Saturday, August 5-8, 2020

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Conference Site

Located on beautiful
Lake Bemidji's South Shore.

*One great venue . . .
Endless possibilities!*

Amenities

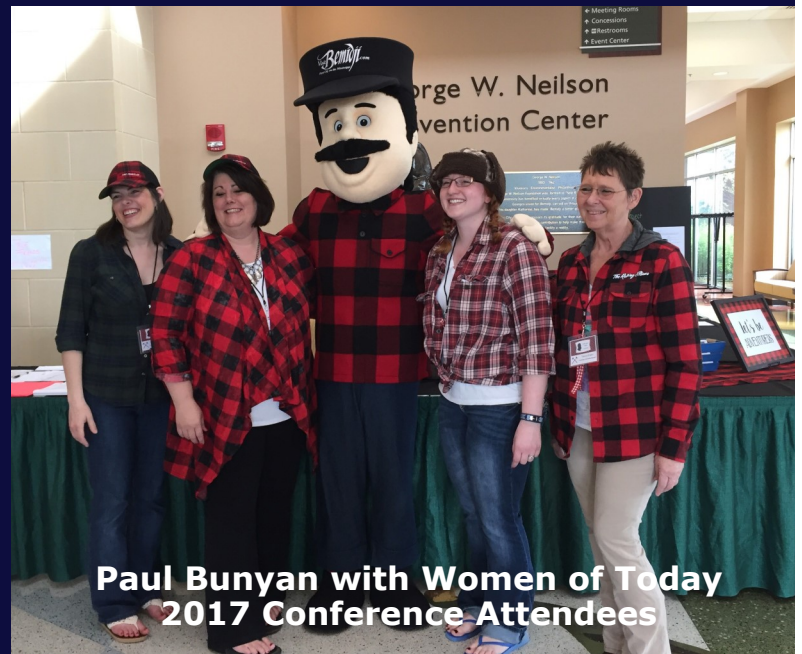
- In-house catering & concessions
- Airport service available
- Full-service marketing & Advertising department

Spaces

- 10,000 sq. ft. Ballroom
- 30,000 sq. ft. Exhibitor Space
- (4) 1,000 sq. ft. Meeting Rooms
- OVERLOOKING LAKE BEMIDJI**
- 1,200 Parking Spaces — **FREE**
- Spacious pre-function lobby



**Outdoor Patio perfect for
pre-event mixers and
evenings by the fire.**



**Paul Bunyan with Women of Today
2017 Conference Attendees**



Sanford Center Main Entrance



**George W. Neilson Convention Center
Entrance & Hotel Link**



With our in-house Chef and culinary team we have the ability to craft delicious menus for any occasion.

Wide hallways in the Convention Center allow for additional vendor space and mingling between breakout sessions.



Our Grand Ballroom has an open floor plan that is perfect for large meetings and receptions of up to 500 people.

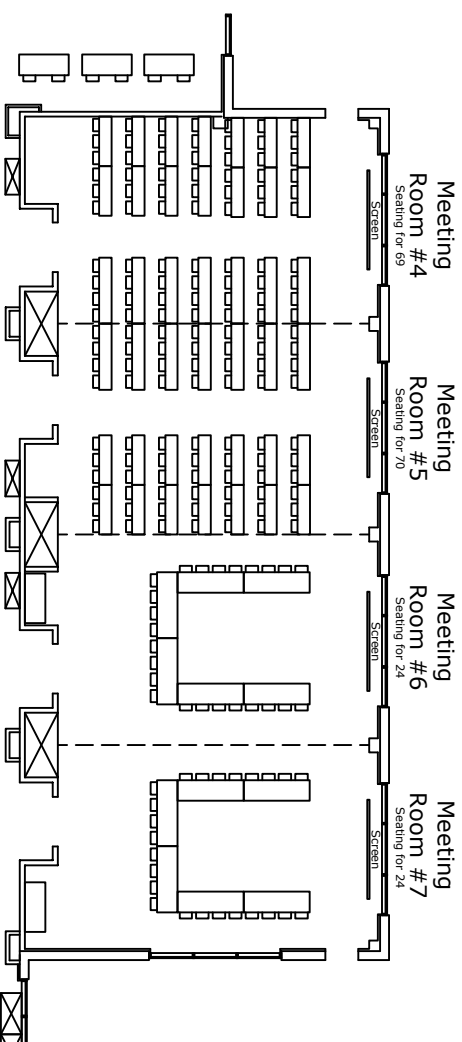
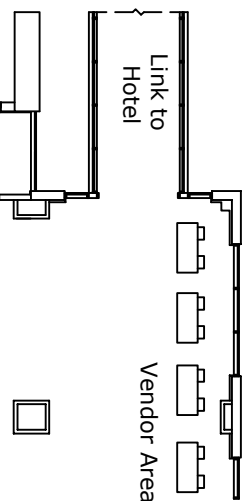


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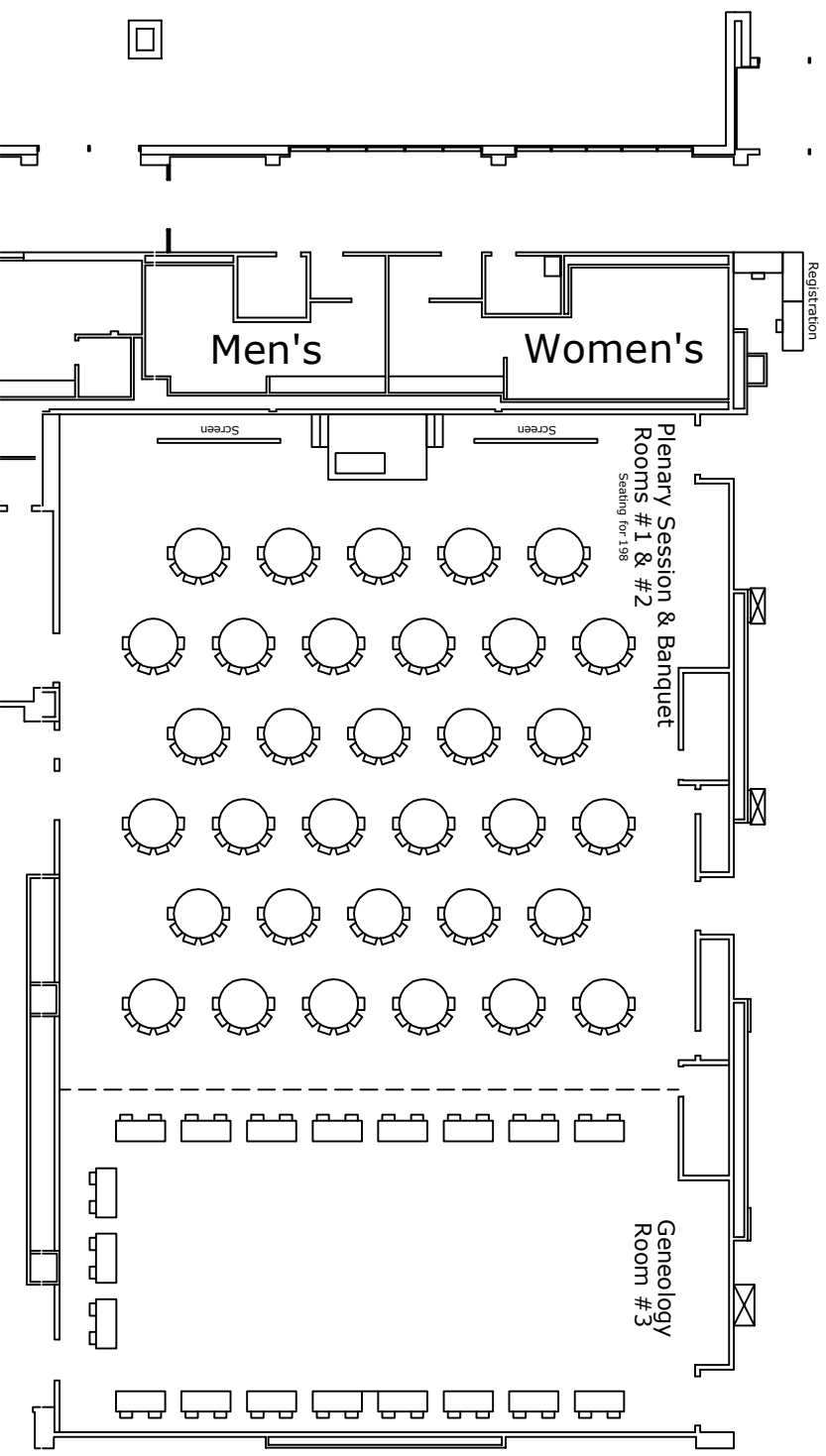
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Door 3



Door 2





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