

**2019  
SUMMER  
MEETING**



*Plant Food Association  
of  
North Carolina*

**OMNI GROVE PARK INN  
RESORT & SPA  
ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA**

*August 11-13, 2019*

**UPDATED**

## PROGRAM

### Sunday Afternoon and Evening – August 11, 2019:

2:00 - 5:30 PM Registration.....Sammons Wing, Front Desk

6:00 – 7:00 PM Reception.....Heritage B

(Sponsored by: SQM North America Corp.)

### Monday Morning – August 12, 2019:

7:30 AM Board of Directors Meeting... Wilson Room

8:00 AM Continental Breakfast.....Heritage Ballroom A, Pre-function Area

(Sponsored by: The Mosaic Company)

Registration.....Heritage Ballroom A

Pre-Function Area

8:30 AM Meeting.....Heritage Ballroom A

Presiding..... Joe Walton, President

Invocation.....Ben Hawkinson, Vice President

#### ***“Increasing Crop Performance Through Unprecedented Technology”***

Mr. Craig Weynand

Division Manager, John Deere

Mr. Bryan Dobson

CEO, Quality Equipment, LLC

Mr. Stephen Swain

Quality Equipment, LLC

#### ***“Crop and Soil Science – Applied Research and New Discoveries “***

Dr. Jeff Mullahey

Department Head

Crop & Soil Science Department

NC State University

#### ***Break***

#### ***“Trade Tariffs and the Agricultural Economy”***

Dr. Blake Brown

Senior Economists on Agricultural Policy

The Council of Economic Advisors

Executive Office of the President

12:30 PM **Taste and Tour of Asheville** – Sponsored by SQM, N.A and Pursell Agri-Tech

Visit to local Breweries (includes lunch)

Bus Departs, Sammons Wing Entrance of Grove Park Inn. Return by 5:30 pm

NOTE: Closed toe shoes are required for certain parts of the tour.

1:00 PM **PFANC Golf Shoot-Out**

Shotgun Start at Reems Creek Golf Course

### Monday Evening:

6:30-7:30 PM Pre-Banquet Reception.....Heritage Pre-Function Area

(Sponsored by: Nutrien)

**Silent Auction Begins During Reception**

7:30-10:30 PM Dinner and Entertainment...Heritage A & B  
(Cash Bar)

**Brief Program and Awards**

- Golf Awards
- Silent Auction Concludes
- Hall of Fame Inductees
- Entertainment: The Band of Oz

**Tuesday Morning – August 13, 2019:**

8:00 AM Departures

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

THE PLANT FOOD ASSOCIATION WELCOMES AND ENCOURAGES TEENAGE FAMILY MEMBERS AND GUESTS TO ATTEND ALL FUNCTIONS OF THE CONVENTION.

HOWEVER, ANYONE UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE MUST HAVE A NAME TAG AND BE SUPERVISED BY AN ADULT AT ANY FUNCTION WHERE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE SERVED. THIS WILL MEET ABC AND HOTEL REGULATIONS. PFANC WILL NOT TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY INFRACTION OF THIS REGULATION.

**DRESS CODE**

THE DRESS CODE FOR ALL PFANC FUNCTIONS AND MEETINGS IS RESORT CASUAL.

