



RMLA 47<sup>th</sup> Conference and Trade Show  
Two Rivers Conference Center  
Grand Junction, CO  
May 7-10, 2018

## GENERAL INFORMATION

MARCH 22, 2018

### REGISTRATION:

Conference Registration includes a one-year RMLA membership; professional classroom instruction; meals, and functions listed in the agenda.

**Cost \$250.00 – Pre-registration ends April 20, 2018.  
\$275.00 – After April 20, 2018.**

**HOTEL:** Three hotels are located next to the Two Rivers Convention Center.

**Hampton Inn** (970.243.3222)

\$119.95 single/double per night, plus tax

**Fairfield Inn & Suites** (970.242.2525)

\$119.95 single/double studio per night plus tax

**Spring Hill Suites** (970.424.5777)

\$129.95 single/double per night, plus tax

Hotel reservation cutoff date is April 13, 2018 or when the room block is full. Be sure to mention that you are with the RMLA Conference. Please note that there is a \$6.00 per day vehicle parking fee at the above hotels.

### CLASS SCHEDULING FORM:

A scheduling form is available on the website to help supervisors and attendees schedule classes for the conference. Presenters will handout stickers at the end of each class to be attached to the Scheduling Form as proof of training and attendance. These stickers have the date, time and class title. These forms should become part of the training record for attendees.

### MONDAY EVENING EVENT at the AVALON

Come to the Monday evening reception at the historic Avalon Theater to meet your friends, have some good food, The party will start at 5:30 and end about 8:30p.m.

The Avalon theater is an easy walk down Main Street from the hotels at the east end of the down town area.

### KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

#### Dave Byrd

Director of Risk and Regulatory Affairs  
National Ski Areas Association

Workplace Fatalities, and OSHA

With 11 deaths in 14 months, across all departments, ski resorts are directly in OSHA's crosshairs. As an industry, there is tremendous room for improvement for workplace safety, and this session will examine recent examples of serious lift-related injuries and fatalities at ski areas, and the consequences as they relate to OSHA investigations and fines, and the resulting abatement and mitigation policies. Fatalities, amputations, falls from lifts, and even serious conveyor incidents — seven amputated arms in last few years! — will be examined. Our employees need (and deserve) management buy-in to improve overall workplace safety, in light of the growing number of serious incident in the industry, specifically as they relate to chairlift operations

### SP – SPECIAL CLASSES:

Special Classes are extended length sessions. Most of the classes are presented on Monday May 7<sup>th</sup> the day before the conference starts, so that the extended training does not interfere with regular classes. Registration for Special Classes is due before April 21<sup>st</sup>. Class sizes are limited and registrations will be closed when filled and additional people put on a wait list. Registrations can be made on the Ski Area conference registration form available at <http://www.rmla.org/2018-rmla-conference/classes-registration/>

## **TUESDAY AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES**

**TRAP SHOOT:** The Grand Junction Trap Club will be available for RMLA members to shoot Tuesday evening. Located about 15 minutes from the convention center at 116 32nd Road. Shooters must bring their own guns and ammo. Ear and eye protection is required. Clays are available for purchase at the club.

**GOLF:** Several golf courses are a short drive from the convention center for a Tuesday twilight round.

- Adobe Creek National Golf Course  
876 18½ Road, Fruita, CO  
Phone: 970-858-0521
  
- Chipeta Golf Course  
222 29 Road, Grand Junction, Co  
Phone: 970-245-7177

### **ICE ARENA TIME:**

Motion Industries has reserved XYZ Ice Rink from 7:30pm to 9:00pm for Broomball.