

THE COAL INSTITUTE

2023 Summer Trade Seminar

July 9 - 11, 2023

Kingston Plantation, Myrtle Beach, SC

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Register Now!

We are excited to have everyone join us in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina this year for The Coal Institute's 52st Annual Summer Trade Seminar. We will have two great days of industry speakers as well as activities such as golf and pickleball. There will be plenty of time for people to network by the beach or by the pool. The hotel has never looked better and the newly renovated pool area now has cabanas and a new brewhouse with unobstructed views of the ocean, where we will hold some of our activities. For those with families joining us, there is also a new kids waterpark and slide pool.

Thanks to our Event Sponsor



- ◇ Member Registration fees are \$550
- ◇ Non-Member registration fees are \$750
- ◇ Registration fees for a spouse/guest are \$100
- ◇ To register click **HERE**.
- ◇ **Registration after July 1 increases by \$100**

To Register, click **HERE**

If you are interested in a sponsorship for this event, contact Tim Carr

(315) 783-8472





KINGSTON PLANTATION and EMBASSY SUITES

Reservations must be made by **June 16, 2023** in order to get the following convention rates.

On-line Reservations:

Embassy Suites Hotel or Kinston Plantation Villas and condo reservations, click [HERE](#).

Embassy Suites Hotel Phone Reservations:

Call (800) 876-0010, Option 2 and identify yourself an attendee of **The Coal Institute** and use the following **SRP code OAL**

Kingston Plantation Villas and Condo Phone Reservations:

Call (800) 876-0010, Option 1 and identify yourself an attendee of **The Coal Institute** and use the following **SRP code LOA**

If you experience issues making a hotel reservation, please contact Lee Ann Cox at 859-806-6799.

The above rates do not include a \$25 daily resort fee per unit or a 12% room tax. Self-parking is \$4.99 per day. The resort fee includes: Basic Internet, Shuttle Service (2-mile radius), One hour of Tennis Court or Pickle ball court time per day (reservation required), Splash Water Park and Children Activities.

Embassy Suites and the STS Committee hope to provide a quick and smooth check-in upon your arrival: however, please be aware that **check-in time is 4:00 p.m.**

The Hilton, next door to Embassy Suites, is also available. For reservations, call (800) 876-0010.





Golf Tournament

Sunday, July 9, 2023

When: Sunday, July 9 at 8:30 AM

Where: Grand Dunes Resort Club

Cost: \$190/golfer (paid through conference registration)

Tee Times: Tee times are available front and back on both sides of the course starting at 8:30

Questions: Please contact golf chair, Donnie Peake at donnie.peake@trin.net or 803-360-7868 for questions and foursome arrangements.

Address: 8700 Golf Village Lane, Myrtle Beach, SC 29579

Website: <https://www.grandedunesgolf.com/>

The spectacular Resort Club at Grande Dunes, with its seven holes that play along the Intracoastal Waterway, represents Myrtle Beach golf at its very best. It's no wonder PGA Magazine called Grande Dunes "one of the great golf clubs in the world." The Grande Dunes Resort Club is an 18-hole golf course which was recently named the "National Golf Course of the Year" by the National Golf Course Owners Association of America. Its spectacular layout, a Roger Rulewich Group design, is positioned on a high bluff creating a spectacular view of the Intracoastal Waterway. This Myrtle Beach golf course itself is known for its superior links-style design, which offers expansive Bermuda grass fairways with subtle undulations onto large, modestly contoured greens featuring brand-new Champion Bermuda.



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Dear Coal Institute Members:

The Summer Trade Seminar is fast approaching. Your help is once again requested regarding sponsorship! This event continues to be one of the premier meetings in the coal industry, and with its tradition of mixing family fun with business, it is second to none. However, this event does not happen without the hard work of a group of dedicated volunteers, and without the support from you, our members and sponsors.

The sponsorship funds you provide not only benefit the STS; they also support The Coal Institute's scholarships and support of related coal education programs. We respectfully request that you consider providing a minimum contribution of \$750. As you look at the various sponsorship opportunities, please consider the BT Prince Past Presidents Sponsorship, Golf Hole signage, T-shirts and Mulligans. The revenue from each of these goes directly to our Educational Funding Program and will help us reach our goal of at least \$4,000 at each of our 3 meetings this current fiscal year. Please note that we are grateful for any financial assistance that you may offer.

The Educational Funding committee received an especially touching letter from a college student who also is a Warrior Coal roof bolter, who is appreciative of the financial support you provided for his continuing education. Please take a minute to read by clicking [HERE](#).

We have some creative sponsorship opportunities. Please review the following information for all the details related to Sponsorship for this summer's meeting.

As always, we thank you in advance for considering sponsorship of this event. My Co-Chair Joe Frye and I look forward to seeing you in Myrtle Beach!!!!



Tim Carr
Chair of the Sponsorship Committee

Joe Frye, Jr

Joe Frye
Chair of the Joe Frye Jr. Educational Funding Committee



2023 TCI Meeting Sponsorship Options

Event Sponsor (One) \$5,000 *Claimed by CSX*

The sponsor will have the opportunity to showcase their logo / brand to attendees throughout the entire meeting. The sponsor will be allowed to distribute any printed marketing materials or branded promotional items that they would like to supply as part of the TCI attendee registration packet. The sponsor's logo will also be showcased in the conference agenda, prominently on signage throughout the event, on the official event T-Shirts and with an advertisement in the conference program.

Entertainment Sponsor (One) \$4,000 *Claimed by Carbon Partners*

The sponsor will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage by the dinner entertainment, in the conference program, on the official event T-Shirts and prominently on signage throughout the event.

Golf Tournament Sponsor (One) \$2,500

The sponsor's logo/brand will be displayed on signage at the meeting, in the conference program and on the official event T-Shirts. The sponsor will be allowed to distribute their logo golf balls, tees, bag tags and/or other golf favors to the golf tournament participants. Signage will be displayed prominently on and off the golf course with the sponsor's logo / brand.

Sunday Reception/Registration Sponsor (One) \$2500

The sponsor will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage at the reception, in the conference program, on the official event T-Shirts and prominently on signage throughout the event.

Registration Gift Sponsor (Multiple) \$2,000

Each sponsor will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage at registration, in the conference program, on the official event T-Shirts and prominently on signage throughout the event.

Sunday Cabana Sponsor (Two) \$1,500

The two sponsors will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage at/on a double cabana for registration on Sunday; they would also be listed in the conference program, on the official event T-Shirts and prominently on signage throughout the event.

Tuesday Reception Sponsor (One) \$2500 *Claimed by TrinityRail*

The sponsor will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage at the reception, in the conference program, on the official event T-Shirts and prominently on signage throughout the event.

Tuesday Dinner Sponsor (One) \$2,500

The sponsor will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage at the dinner event, in the conference program, on the official event T-Shirts and prominently on signage throughout the event.

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2023 STS Meeting Sponsorship Options (continued)

CEDAR Quilt Giveaway Sponsor (Multiple) \$2,000

Each sponsor will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage at dinner, thanked during the quilt giveaway, in the conference program, on the official event T-Shirts, and prominently on signage throughout the event.

Refreshment Break Sponsor (Multiple) \$1,250

Each sponsor will have their logo / brand prominently displayed on signage during the refreshment break taking place each morning of the conference, on the agenda for the meeting, on the official event T-Shirts and prominently on signage throughout the event.

General Sponsor (Multiple) \$750

Each sponsor will have their logo displayed on signage at the meeting, on the official event T-Shirts and in the conference program.

T-Shirt Sponsor - Supporting Scholarships (Multiple) \$350

Each attendee and their guests will receive a T-Shirt designed specifically for this year's Summer Trade Seminar and will include The company's logo on the back for continued exposure all year long.

Golf Hole Sponsorship – Supporting Scholarships (Multiple) \$250 Shared Hole / \$450 Exclusive Hole

Each sponsor will have their company name displayed on signage at the tee of one of the tournament's golf holes.

B.T. Prince Past Presidents Sponsorship (*supports Educational Funding Program*)

We encourage individuals to donate in honor of a Past President of The Coal Institute in the amount you choose. (Options are available at the online meeting registration.)





2023 SUMMER TRADE SEMINAR SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, July 9, 2023

8:30 AM GOLF AT GRAND DUNES RESORT CLUB
3:00 PM 5:00 PM REGISTRATION & SOCIAL
BLACK DRUM BREWING IN THE SEASIDE VISTA (Dress: Swimsuit casual)

DINNER ON YOUR OWN

Monday, July 10 MEETINGS IN KENSINGTON BALLROOMS E AND F (Dress: Resort Casual)

8:00 AM 8:30 AM Coffee & Pastries
8:30 AM 9:00 AM Call to Order / Business Meeting – Ed Harrington, President
9:00 AM 9:45 AM Joe Craft - Alliance Resource Partners LP
9:45 AM 10:30 AM Jimmy Staton - Santee Cooper
10:30 AM 10:45 AM Networking Break
10:45 AM 11:30 AM Andy Blumenfeld - McCloskey by Opis, A Dow Jones Company
11:30 AM 12:15 PM Metallurgical Coal Panel
Moderator: Bob Hodge - McCloskey by OPIS, A Dow Jones Company
Kipp Beaver - Coronado Coal Corporation
Deuce Patterson - Carbon Partners, Inc.
Ted O'Brien - Oluma Resources
1:30 PM 4:00 PM PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT
7:00 PM BEACH PIZZA PARTY sponsored by Blackhawk Coal Sales & River Trading (Dress: Beachwear)

Tuesday, July 11 MEETINGS IN KENSINGTON BALLROOMS E AND F (Dress: Resort Casual)

8:00 AM 8:30 AM Coffee & Pastries
8:30 AM 9:00 AM Welcome and Goodwyn Holmes Award
9:00 AM 9:45 AM Brad Yeatts - Norfolk Southern Corporation
9:45 AM 10:30 AM Randy Eminger - Energy Policy Network
10:30 AM 10:45 AM Networking Break
10:45 AM 11:30 AM Thermal Coal Panel
Moderator: Bob Hodge - McCloskey by OPIS, A Dow Jones Company
Chris Fasy - American Consolidated Resource Partners, Inc.
Steve McComas - Blackhawk Coal Sales
Kevin Karazsia - Trafigura
Michael Shinn - Dominion Energy South Carolina
11:30 AM 12:15 PM Transportation Panel
Moderator: Ken Joyner - Sampling Associates International
Finn Host - Riverside Shipping, LLC
Craig Eggleton - Ingram Barge Company
John Keeshan - SSY
Sara Schryer - CSX Transportation

DINNER PARTY AT BLACK DRUM BREWING IN THE SEASIDE VISTA (Dress: Beach Casual)

6:00 PM 7:00 PM Reception
7:00 PM 8:30 PM Dinner
8:15 PM 11:00 PM Party - Live Music with the Black Water Band and Quilt Give-Away