

# VFW SOUTHERN CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 7--9, 2024

SHERATON MUSIC CITY NASHVILLE AIRPORT

777 MCGAVOCK PIKE, NASHVILLE, TN 37214

PHONE: (615) 885-2200



WHEN YOU STAY AT SHERATON MUSIC CITY NASHVILLE AIRPORT IN NASHVILLE, YOU WILL BE 2.3 MILES FROM THE AIRPORT, WITHIN A 5.7 MILE 10-MINUTE DRIVE OF THE GRAND OLE OPRY AND NISSAN STADIUM. THIS 4-STAR HOTEL IS 8.7 MILES FROM VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY AND 7 MILES FROM THE FAMOUS NASHVILLE BROADWAY STREET OF MUSIC AND SHOWS.





VFW Department Tennessee  
G21 War Memorial Building  
301 6<sup>th</sup> Ave N  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0100

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As the premier combat-related non-profit veteran organization, with lineage that dates to Spanish-American War veterans the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) and Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary (VFWA) depend on donations from patriotic individuals, corporations, foundations, small business owners, and community organizations to remain workable both nationally and within our state. Sponsorships and donations help us to continue to serve our country and our communities and stand up for the ideals and principles in which our country's founding fathers intended. Here are six basic information items below about us:

1. The VFW is one of the most respected voices in Washington D. C. lobbying for veterans' benefits.
2. National Security & Foreign Affairs is vital to the VFW. We fought in uniform to keep our country safe.
3. Ensuring all veterans receive the benefits earned and especially that women veterans receive benefits and services that honor their brave military service is one of the VFW's top Priorities.
4. VFW's concern about the homeless veterans with children as well as those that do not have children.
5. We continue with our commitment to education through our Youth Scholarship Programs. The Voice of Democracy audio-essay competition annually awards \$2 million in scholarships. Our Patriots Pen Essay Contest awards more than \$1.2 million annually.
6. The individual post in our communities continues to be the foundation of our service to our veterans and service to our communities. Our members, auxiliary members and supporters have contributed over 4.8 million volunteer hours and donated \$44.8 million annually to local community service projects. In the span of the last 20 years VFW has supplied over 11,000 grants totaling \$5,567,730 to our military families facing hardships.

As you can see from this brief list that our actions as the Veterans of Foreign Wars locally and nationally, we are an active and driving force today related to U. S. service members, veterans, and their families. Our National Motto is "No One Does More for Veterans"

There are 14 States in the Veterans of Foreign Wars Southern Conference. Each year on a rotation bases, one State sponsors a three-day conference for all 14 states so its leadership can discuss where it stands, and the progress made currently and what steps to take to maintain the effectiveness of each State in helping our veterans and military service members.

As a volunteer non-profit organization, we depend on corporations and small business to help sponsor our efforts of putting on meetings and events. We here at the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Department of Tennessee want to thank you for taking the time to consider partnering with us by selecting one of the sponsorship packages enclosed. If you decide to partner with us, please contact our Sponsorship Chairman Eric Spurbeck at 423-368-6375 or [ejspurbeck@gmail.com](mailto:ejspurbeck@gmail.com) for further information. You can also contact our VFW TN Department office at 615-242-5851 or [tnvfw@att.net](mailto:tnvfw@att.net). These contacts will put you in touch with our team and we will be glad to collaborate with you to set up your sponsorship package.

VFW Department of TN has a 501 (C)(3) VFW Tennessee Foundation which all corporations and small business donations can be run through.

Thank you, the TN VFW Southern Conference Committee.



**SOUTHERN CONFERENCE 2024  
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS & AUXILIARY**

**November 7<sup>th</sup> to November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

Sheraton Music City, 777 McGavock Pike  
Nashville, TN 37214-3140

For Reservations call Sheraton Music City 615-885-2200

Or use this **Booking Website Link:** <https://book.passkey.com/e/50495528>

**Room Block listed as Veterans of Foreign Wars Southern Conference**

**Room Rate: \$189.00 plus state and local tax currently 15.25% + \$ 2.50**

**Cut-Off Date for Room Registration October 7, 2024**

**Pre-Registration fee is \$ 90.00 per person.**

**Registration Fee Covers: Banquet, Hospitality Room, and Entertainment**

**Registration at the Conference will be \$ 95.00.**

**REGISTRATION**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DEPARTMENT:** \_\_\_\_\_ **POST/AUX:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-MAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Select one meal for your dinner at the Banquet.**

*Roasted Breast of Chicken with wild mushroom compote, pancetta shallot jus* \_\_\_\_\_

*Roasted Cod with Chardonnay Tarragon butter* \_\_\_\_\_ *Each includes chefs seasonal.*

*Vegetable and starch. Seasonal Green salad. Rotating of Chocolate Cake, Cheesecake*

Mail this form and check for Registration To:

VFW Department of TN, G-21 War Memorial Building  
301 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. N

Nashville, TN 37243-0100

E-Mail Form to [tnvfw@att.net](mailto:tnvfw@att.net)

**Credit Card information**

**Name on Card** \_\_\_\_\_ **Card #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Expiration Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Street Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code** \_\_\_\_\_ **Security Code** \_\_\_\_\_

**OR Call Department of TN Office 615-242-5851 with Credit Card information**



# Sheraton Music City Nashville Airport

777 McGavock Pike Nashville, TN 37214

Phone: (615) 885-2200

## HOTEL DESCRIPTION

**Location** When you stay at Sheraton Music City Nashville Airport in Nashville, you'll be 2.3 miles of the airport, within 5.7 miles a 10-minute drive of Grand Ole Opry and Nissan Stadium. This 4-star hotel is 8.7 mi (13.9 km) from Vanderbilt University and 7 mi (11.3 km) from Broadway.

**Rooms** Make yourself at home in one of the 410 guestrooms featuring refrigerators and flat-screen televisions. Your pillowtop bed comes with premium bedding. Rooms have private balconies. Cable programming and video-game consoles are provided for your entertainment, while complimentary wireless Internet access keeps you connected. Private bathrooms with shower/tub combinations feature designer toiletries and hair dryers.

**Amenities** Don't miss out on the many recreational opportunities, including an indoor pool, a 24-hour fitness center, and a seasonal outdoor pool. Additional features at this hotel include complimentary wireless Internet access, concierge services, and gift shops/newsstands.

**Dining** Enjoy a satisfying meal at Old Hickory Grill serving guests of Sheraton Music City Nashville Airport. Quench your thirst with your favorite drink at the bar/lounge. Buffet breakfasts are served on weekdays from 6:00 AM to 10:00 AM and on weekends from 6:00 AM to 11:00 AM for a fee.

**Business Amenities** Featured amenities include a 24-hour business center, express check-out, and complimentary newspapers in the lobby. Event facilities at this hotel consist of conference space and a meeting room. A roundtrip airport shuttle is complimentary at scheduled times.

**Spoken Languages** English

**Onsite Payments** Visa, Diners Club, Debit cards, Cash not accepted, Discover, American Express, JCB International, Mastercard, UnionPay

## Hotel Policies

- You'll be asked to pay the following charges at the property:
  - Deposit: USD 75.00 per accommodation, per stay  
We have included all charges provided to us by the property.
  - Fee for buffet breakfast: approximately USD 18.95 for adults and USD 10.95 for children
  - Secured self-parking fee: USD 16.00 per day (in/out privileges)
  - Secured valet parking fee: USD 21.00 per day (in/out privileges)
  - Pet fee: USD 50.00 per accommodation, per stay
  - Service animals are exempt from fees.
  - Late check-out is available for a fee (subject to availability)
- The above list may not be comprehensive. Fees and deposits may not include tax and are subject to change.

The seasonal pool will be open from May to October. The property has connecting/adjoining rooms, which are subject to availability and can be requested by contacting the property using the number on the booking confirmation. Guests can arrange to bring pets by contacting the property directly, using the contact information on the booking confirmation (surcharges apply and can be found in the Fees section). This property advises that enhanced cleaning and guest safety measures are currently in place. The property is cleaned and disinfected using an electrostatic sprayer; disinfectant is used to clean the property; commonly touched surfaces are cleaned with disinfectant between stays; bed sheets and towels are laundered at a temperature of at least 60°C/140°F; guestroom doors are sealed after cleaning. Personal protective equipment, including masks, will be available to guests.



Social distancing measures are in place; staff at the property wear personal protective equipment; a shield is in place between staff and guests in main contact areas; periodic temperature checks are conducted on staff; temperature checks are available to guests; guests are provided with hand sanitizer; cashless payment methods are available for all transactions; guests can access their rooms with a mobile device. Contactless check-out is available. Enhanced food service safety measures are in place. Individually wrapped food options are available for breakfast. This property affirms that it follows the cleaning and disinfection practices of Commitment to Clean (Marriott). This property welcomes guests of all sexual orientations and gender identities (LGBTQ+ friendly).

- Extra-person charges may apply and vary depending on property policy.
  - Government-issued photo identification and a credit card may be required at check-in for incidental charges.
  - Special requests are subject to availability upon check-in and may incur additional charges; special requests cannot be guaranteed.
  - Safety features at this property include a fire extinguisher, a smoke detector, a security system, a first aid kit, and window guards.
  - Be prepared: check the latest COVID-19 travel requirements and measures in place for this destination before you travel.
  - Please note that cultural norms and guest policies may differ by country and by property; the policies listed are provided by the property.
  - Front desk staff will greet guests on arrival.
- Maximum number of pets per room 2. Service animals are allowed. Service animals are exempt from fees/restrictions. Only dogs are allowed. Pets allowed.

## AMENITIES

- Internet Access (free)
- Pool
- Spa Services
- Fitness Facility (24-hour)
- Restaurant
- Pets Allowed
- Accessible
- Meeting Space Available
- Bar
- Non-smoking
- Room Service
- Conference Space Available
- Dry Cleaning
- Laundry Facilities
- Airport Transportation
- Room Service
- Kitchen



# **Veterans of Foreign Wars and Auxiliary**

**November 7—9, 2024**

## **Southern Conference Program Book**

The Southern Conference program book is intended to be a commemorative or keepsake for the attendees who attend the Southern Conference. The program book also serves as an excellent medium for advertising. There are fourteen states in the Southern Conference which will increase your advertisement exposure and make the small fee for an ad in our program book an excellent short-term investment.

### **Pricing of ads for the program book are:**

**Full page Color ad \$ 250.00**

**Half Page Color ad \$ 150.00**

**Quarter Page Color ad \$ 75.00**

**Full Page Black & White ad \$ 175.00**

**Half Page Black & White ad \$ 115.00**

**Quarter Page Black & White ad \$ 50.00**

**Standard Business Card ad \$ 20.00**

### **VFW Tennessee Website Advertisement:**

VFW TN Website advertising is \$ 75.00 PER MONTH (\$900 per year) if paid up front otherwise the price is \$100.00 per month. Our website is unique in the fact that each company advertising with us will be given access to that portion of our website so they can change the content of the ads at their convenience.

To place an ad in the program book or the TN Website contact VFW Department of TN office

**By phone: 615-242-5851--- E-mail: [tnvfw@att.net](mailto:tnvfw@att.net)**

**Fax: 615-244-5302**

**Mail to:**

**Department of Tennessee  
Veterans of Foreign Wars  
G 21 War Memorial Building  
301 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. N  
Nashville, TN 37243-0100**



**VFW Southern Conference Nov. 7--9, 2024, Nashville, TN**  
**Sheraton Music City**

**\$1,000.00 Ruby**



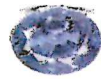
**Level Sponsor**

**Receives**

1. 2024 Southern Conference Booth Space with table
2. Half Page color ad in 2024 Southern Conference Program book
3. 2024 VFW Tennessee Website ad for 6 months

**VFW Southern Conference Nov. 7--9, 2024, Nashville, TN**  
**Sheraton Music City**

**\$ 500.00 Sapphire**



**Level Sponsor**

**Receives**

1. 2024 Southern Conference Booth Space with table
2. Half Page Black & White ad in 2024 Southern Conference Program book
3. VFW Tennessee Website ad for 3 months

**VFW Southern Conference Nov. 7--9, 2024, Nashville, TN**

**\$ 250.00 Topaz**



**Level Sponsor**

1. Quarter Page Black & White ad in Southern Conference Program Book
2. VFW Tennessee Website ad for 1 month



**VFW Southern Conference Nov. 7--9, 2024, Nashville, TN**  
**Sheraton Music City**

**\$5,000.00 Diamond**



**Level Sponsor**

**Receives**

1. 2024 Southern Conference Booth Space with table
2. Full Page color ad in 2024 Southern Conference Program book
3. VFW Tennessee Website ad for 18 months
4. A Table at the 2025 VFW Tennessee February Mid-Winter Conference
5. A Table at the 2025 VFW June State Convention

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**Sheraton Music City**

**\$2,500.00 Emerald**



**Level Sponsor**

**Receives**

1. 2024 Southern Conference Booth Space with table
2. Full Page color ad in 2024 Southern Conference Program book
3. VFW Tennessee Website ad for 8 months
4. A Table at the 2025 VFW Tennessee February Mid-Winter Conference

**Other Exhibitor Space with table Rental \$ 100.00 each**



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**Sheraton Music City**



**\$10,000.00 Gold**

**Level Sponsor**

**Receives**

- 1) 2024 Southern Conference Booth Space with table
- 2) Full Page color ad in 2024 Southern Conference Program book
- 3) Entered to play in 2024 VFW Southern Conference Golf Tournament
- 4) Two Tickets to 2024 Southern Conference Banquet
- 5) A Table at the 2025 VFW Tennessee February Mid-Winter Conference
- 6) A Table at the 2025 VFW Tennessee State Convention
- 7) 2025 VFW State Convention Program book full page color ad
- 8) VFW Tennessee Website ad for 24 months





## VFW Southern Conference

Sheraton Music City, 777 McGavock Pike

Nashville, TN 37214

November 7 – 9, 2024

### Sponsorship/Donor Vendor Agreement Form

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

THIS FORM MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY AND TURNED IN TO YOUR VFW REP.

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship Level Package: \_\_\_\_\_ Donation Only \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Value of Donated Items: \_\_\_\_\_

Contribution Total: \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadlines:** All sponsorship package funding must be received by October 15, 2024.

**Please make checks payable to:** VFW Department of Tennessee (memo to read: Southern Conference 2024). If needed for 501(c) (3) requirements, make checks payable to: Tennessee VFW Foundation (memo to read: Southern Conference 2024).

**Mail your contribution to:** VFW Department of Tennessee, G21 War Memorial Building,  
301 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. N, Nashville, TN 37243-0100

You may also contact your VFW Representative for packet pickup.

VFW Representative Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Any notes for the event coordinator please leave here: \_\_\_\_\_

Your monetary sponsorship is non-refundable as well as any merchandise donated to us, barring Force Majeure. Please sign below agreeing to participate in our event in the manner you agreed upon above.

Name (Printed): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

The VFW Representative will sign below, and you will be given a copy in return. This signed document will be your receipt for tax purposes.

Name (Printed): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



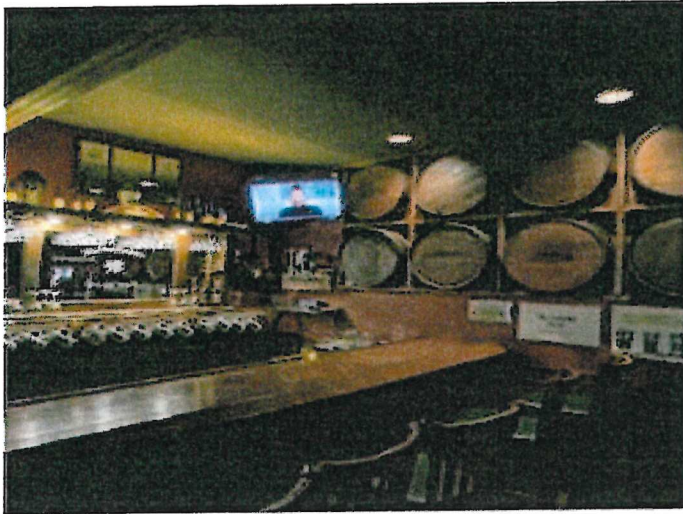


Andrew Jackson Post 1291  
1907 Lebanon Rd., Nashville, Tennessee  
Phone 615-889-9755

Approx 3 Miles from Sheraton

Opens at 11:00 AM





### McNamara's Irish Pub and Restaurant

4.4 (862 reviews)

**Irish Pub** Irish \$\$ Donelson

**Open** until 9:00 PM

- 2.0 Miles
- 2740 Old Lebanon Rd Nashville, TN, Phone (615) 885-7262

McNamara's is an authentic traditional Irish pub and restaurant in Nashville, TN committed to providing our guests with a clean, warm, and inviting, family friendly atmosphere found in local pubs all throughout Ireland.

We hope you come by to visit, eat, and enjoy our music. [more](#)



### Homegrown Taproom & Kitchen

4.2 (300 reviews)

**Salad Beer Bar Sandwiches** Donelson

**Open** until Midnight

- 2.0 Miles
- 2720 Old Lebanon Rd Nashville, TN, Phone (629) 888-9180

Homegrown tap room and marketplace is a restaurant craft beer mecca. Homegrown means that we source products from farmers, growers, artisans, and brewers in and around Nashville and the southeast as much as possible.

Homegrown also means that our menu of munchies, soups, salads, and sandwiches are a salute to your favorite home-cooked meals that your momma made, but better (sorry ma!). Our "Homies" appreciate high-quality craft beers and ciders, fresh and local food and supporting the local economy. They love our laid back warm and friendly "Cheers- like" atmosphere.



## **The Pharmacy**

**4.1** (3.4k reviews)

**BarsAmerican (Traditional)**\$\$Greenwood

**Open** until 9:30 PM

- 4.9 Mile
- 731 McFerrin Ave Nashville, TN 37206, Phone (615) 712-9517

We believe in serving the very best products at the very best value. We use grass-fed beef for our legendary burgers and 100% pure cane sugar in our sodas. We boast Music City's hardest-working kitchen that grinds, stuff, and smokes every wurst (sausage) that we serve.

We prefer to craft our condiments as opposed to purchasing them. Our beer selection is the most unique and meticulously selected you're likely to find. Our Biergarten is so welcoming and beautiful that you will find yourself listlessly wasting hours at a time without notice. We are proud of our accolades but take more pride in our community. A great day is when everyone leaves happy. We are always glad that you came, and even happier to see you return. [more](#)





### **Old Hickory Grill - Sheraton Music City**

**2.5** (26 reviews)

**American (New)**\$\$

0.02 Miles

This Restaurant is in the hotel [more](#)



### **Uncle Bud's**

**4.3** (365 reviews)

**SeafoodSouthern**\$\$Donelson

**Opening varies M-T 3:00 PM F-S 11:AM**

○ 1.9 Miles

○ 2719 Old Lebanon Rd Nashville, TN, Phone (615) 678-8080

- Howdy, and welcome to Uncle Bud's!

We're a down-home family restaurant serving world-famous catfish, chicken, and seafood. We pride ourselves on good food and good service. Come see us! [more](#)





## **The Nashville Tap House**

**3.8** (32 reviews)

**Sports Bars American (Traditional)**

**Open** until 1:00 AM

o 0.6 Miles

600 Marriott Dr Sonesta Nashville Airport Nashville, TN 37214. Phone **(615) 872-2995**

The Nashville Tap House showcases the Music City and surrounding area we call home, from cocktails made with hand-selected bourbon to regionally famous dishes like the Nashville hot chicken sandwich. Our popular breakfast offerings have been named "Best Breakfast Buffet" by Nashville Scene Readers' Poll and one of the "Hot Spots for Brunch" by Nashville Eater. [more](#)



## **TennFold Brewing**

**4.5** (265 reviews)

**PizzaBrewpubsCocktail Bars** \$\$Donelson

**Open** until 9:00 PM

o 1.8 Miles

2408 Lebanon Pike Nashville, TN. Phone **(615) 727-7577**

- We're a pizza forward restaurant and brewery but much more than a pizza joint. Our brewery offers several varieties of ales and lagers. We are community focused and neighborhood driven. The name TennFold came from a blend of Tennessee and Fold. The fold in the Appalachian Mountains is where people came to gather, and it is also the proper way to eat pizza slices. We strive to be everyone's favorite restaurant and brewery. [more](#)





## **Darfons Restaurant & Lounge**

4.4 (1k reviews)

**American (Traditional)LoungesAmerican (New)**\$\$Donelson

**Open** until 9:00 PM

o 1.1 Miles

2810 Elm Hill Pike Nashville, TN 37214

Phone (615) 889-3032 **Dress code** [more](#)



## **The Stillery**

4.4 (3.1k reviews)

**American (New)Bars**\$\$Downtown

**Open** until 10:00 PM

o 5.3 Miles

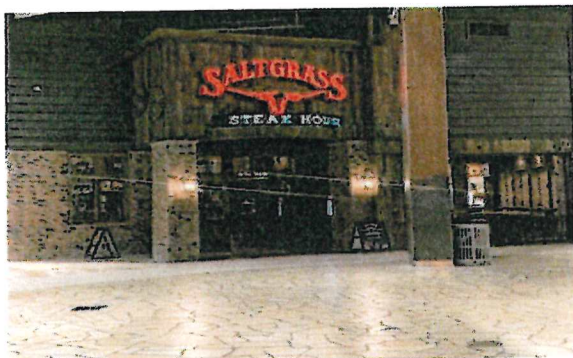
o 113 2nd Ave N Nashville, TN 37201, Phone (615) 942-8080

The Stillery is the kind of place you can relax, eat outstanding fresh food, and enjoy a signature mason-jar cocktail. We serve up amazing brick fired pies, juicy stacked burgers, fresh salads, and tantalizing starters. The menu is comprised of what could be best explained as 'a chef's comfort food.' Our signature cocktails are made with the south's best shines and whiskeys. Looking for an amazing local beer? We have plenty to choose from. [more](#)



## Restaurants Near Sheraton Music City Hotel in Nashville, TN

777 McGavock Pike, Nashville, TN 37214



### Saltgrass Steak House

3.9 (11 reviews)

Steakhouses Seafood American Donelson

**Open** until 8:00 PM

- 4.3 Miles
- 514 Opry Mills Dr Nashville, TN 37214 Phone: (629) 278-5713

Saltgrass Steak House is an award-winning steakhouse in Nashville, TN famous for serving Certified Angus Beef® steaks. Each steak is cooked to perfection with Saltgrass-7 Steak Spice and topped with garlic butter. All breads, dressings, soups, and desserts are made from scratch daily. Great food and legendary hospitality make Saltgrass an enjoyable experience for the whole family.



### Party Fowl - Donelson

3.9 (609 reviews)

**Southern Sports Bars Breakfast & Brunch** Donelson

**Open** until 9:00 PM

- 1.9 Miles
- 2620 Lebanon Pike Nashville, TN, Phone(615) 988-2179

Specializing in Nashville Hot Chicken, Local Brews, Boozy Slushies, and Brunch, Party Fowl offers diners a one-of-a-kind experience. The menu, created by executive Chef Bart Pickens, includes a number of Nashville Hot Chicken dishes with heat levels ranging from mild to "Poultrygeist," as well as creative spins on the classics. Party Fowl offers local beers on draft and signature "Boozy Slushies." With wall-to-wall large screen TVs, full service, and full bar, entertainment abounds. Come check us out the next time you are in Donelson!



### **Tennessee Performing Arts Center**

The Tennessee Performing Arts Center, or TPAC, is located in the James K. Polk Cultural Center at **505 Deaderick Street** in downtown Nashville, Tennessee. It occupies a city block between 5th and 6th Avenues North and Deaderick and Union Streets.

**Phone:** [\(615\) 782-4040](tel:(615)782-4040)

### **Nissan Stadium-Home of the TN Titans**

Nissan Stadium is a multi-purpose stadium in Nashville, Tennessee. Owned by the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, it is primarily used for football and is the home field of the Tennessee Titans of the National Football League and the Tigers of Tennessee State University.

**1 Titans Way, Nashville, TN**

**Phone:** [\(615\) 565-4300](tel:(615)565-4300)

### **First Horizon Park**

First Horizon Park, formerly known as First Tennessee Park, is a baseball park in downtown Nashville, Tennessee. The home of the Triple-A Nashville Sounds of the International League opened on April 17, 2015, and can seat up to 10,000 people.

**19 Jr Gilliam Way, Nashville, TN**

**Phone:** [\(615\) 690-4487](tel:(615)690-4487)

### **Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum**

The Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum in Nashville, Tennessee, is one of the world's largest museums and research centers dedicated to the preservation and interpretation of American vernacular music. Chartered in 1964, the museum has amassed one of the world's most extensive musical collections.

**222 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. S, Nashville, TN**

**Phone:** [\(615\) 416-2001](tel:(615)416-2001)

### **Rivergate Mall**

Rivergate Mall is a super-regional shopping mall located in Goodlettsville, Tennessee, just outside of Nashville. Opened in October 1971, the mall features 1,129,035 square feet of gross leasable area, with approximately 80 stores and restaurants, as well as a food court.

**1000 Two Mile Parkway Goodlettsville, TN**

**Phone:** [\(615\) 859-3458](tel:(615)859-3458)

### **Tennessee State Museum**

The Tennessee State Museum is a large museum in Nashville depicting the history of the State of Tennessee. The current facility opened on October 4, 2018, at the corner of Rosa Parks Boulevard and Jefferson Street at the foot of Capitol Hill by the Bicentennial Capitol Mall State Park.

**1000 Rosa L Parks Blvd, Nashville, TN**

**Phone:** [\(615\) 741-2692](tel:(615)741-2692)



# NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE LOCAL ATTRACTIONS

## General Jackson Showboat

Paddleboat cruising the Cumberland River, with a dining room & theater for musical performances.

Address: 2812 Opryland Dr, Nashville, TN

Phone: (615) 458-3900

## Historic 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue

Address: 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. N, Nashville, TN

### These are some Places Around 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.

Bowie's 174 3rd Ave N (217 feet W)

Phone: (615) 953-7155

Coyote Ugly Saloon 154 2nd Ave N

(234 feet SE)

Phone: (615) 254-8459

Black Tap Craft Burgers & Beer

140 3rd Ave N (235 feet SW)

Phone: (615) 808-0969

Sbarro Italian Eatery

200 Commerce St (242 feet SE)

Phone: (615) 256-7393

## The Hermitage-Home of Andrew Jackson

The Hermitage is a historical museum located in Davidson County, Tennessee 10 miles east of downtown Nashville. The 1,000-acre + site was owned by Andrew Jackson, the seventh president of the United States, from 1804 until his death at the Hermitage in 1845. It also serves as his final resting place.

4580 Rachels Ln, Hermitage, TN

Phone: (615) 889-2941

## Adventure Science Center

Adventure Science Center is a non-profit science museum for children located in Nashville, Tennessee. The museum features over 175 hands-on interactive exhibits with themes including biology, physics, visual perception, listening, mind, air and space, energy and earth science.

800 Fort Negley Blvd., Nashville, TN

Phone: (615) 862-5160

## Green Hills Mall

The Mall at Green Hills is a shopping mall located in Nashville, Tennessee. The mall has more than 100 stores and restaurants on two main floors totaling 1,053,000 square feet, including Louis Vuitton, Tiffany & Co., Burberry, Crate & Barrel, Apple Store and Restoration Hardware.

2126 Abbott Martin Rd., Nashville, TN

Phone: (615) 298-5478

## Opry Mills Mall

Opry Mills is a super-regional shopping mall in Nashville, Tennessee. The mall was owned by the Mills Corporation and Ryman Hospitality Properties until 2007, when the Mills Corporation was acquired by Simon Property Group. It opened on May 12, 2000 on the former site of Opryland Theme park.

433 Opry Mills Dr., Nashville, TN

Phone: (615) 298-5478

Number of stores and services: 178



## Southern Conference T Shirts

If you wish to purchase a regular T-Shirt or from the Other Option Shirt List give us your name and size and we will have it for you at registration. Pre-Purchase price for regular tees is \$15.00. **XXL** Add \$3.00, **3XL'S** Add \$5.00. The purchase price for the T-shirts at the conference will be **\$22.00** Plus the extra charge for larger sizes.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Mark a size or sizes if more than one is needed S \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_ XL \_\_\_\_\_ XXL \_\_\_\_\_ 3XL'S \_\_\_\_\_

Number of T-Shirts \_\_\_\_\_ X \$15.00 Plus \$3.00 extra per shirt for XXL or \$5.00 extra for 3XL'S.

Total Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

All shirts are color in gray for regular tees and other option list are also gray in color.

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***Other Options Available only by pre-order will not be available at Conference. The shirts below are \$25.00 each plus the selected shirt item extra charge. Plus \$4.00 XXL \$6.00 3XL'S***

### Other Options List

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# Ted Rhodes Golf Course



Ted Rhodes Golf Course is on the banks of the Cumberland River in North Nashville. The course, originally called Cumberland Golf Course, featured nine holes when built in 1953. In 1969, at the request of the legendary Councilman Robert Lillard, the Park Board renamed the park in honor of Theodore "Ted" Rhodes, a renowned, black golf professional from Nashville, who paved the way for other black golfers like Charlie Sifford, Lee Elder, Renee Powell, and Tiger Woods. [Learn more about the legendary and iconic Ted Rhodes.](#)

In May 1992, the facility was re-designed and expanded from nine to eighteen holes. The links style eighteen-hole course incorporates lakes and bunkers, which provide a pleasurable round for golfers. The greens at Ted Rhodes are large and offer a big target for your approach shot. At Ted Rhodes, golf and exercise go hand-in-hand. It is an easy course to walk.

Also, while enjoying a round at Ted Rhodes, witness spectacular wildlife. The lakes and river provide, in an urban setting, natural habitats for turtles, fish, muskrats and the occasional family of beaver.

Ted Rhodes Golf Course is home to the Duffers Golf Association. The Duffers are a group of men who play golf and enjoy competition and fellowship. The Duffers host an annual tournament to benefit Sickie Cell Anemia. They also take pride in their efforts supporting Meharry Hospital.

**The registration and information for the Southern Conference Golf Tournament November 8, 2024, is on the Department TN website [vfwtn.org](http://vfwtn.org).**