

ABBA Fall Board Meeting/ABBA Membership Convention
September 21-23, 2017 - Kissimmee, Florida

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, September 21

4:00 – 8:00 Golf Day / Spa Day
5:00 p.m. ABBA Executive Committee Meeting – Gaylord Palms Resort Hotel

Friday, September 22

8-12 noon ABBA Committee Meetings – Gaylord Palms Resort Hotel
12:00 – 1:00 ABBA Board of Directors Luncheon
1:00 – 3:30 ABBA Board of Directors Meeting
4:00 – 7:00 ABBA Membership Convention Registration – Lobby of Gaylord Palms Resort Hotel
7:00 - 9:00 ABBA Membership Convention Welcome Reception – Gaylord Palms Resort Hotel

Saturday, September 23

7:00 – 7:30 Convention Registration

7:30 – 8:30 General Session / Continental Breakfast

8:30 – 5:30 **Ranch Tours** – Deseret Ranches (the largest cattle operation in the U.S.), and family owned cattle operations of Kempfer Cattle Co. and Double C Bar Ranch. This is a unique opportunity to tour legendary ranches and view Florida bred cattle, providing an opportunity to learn about cattle management and breeding practices utilized by these highly successful producers.

Educational Sessions – Educational sessions by University of Florida and other agriculture related companies will be presented on the buses between ranch visits.

5:30 **Return to Gaylord Palms Hotel**

6:30 **Cocktails**

7:00 **Closing Banquet** – This evening will bring a close to a successful convention and will culminate with a presentation from Clint Raulerson, famous South Florida poet & comedian.

9:00-11:00 **Dance & Closing of Silent Auction**