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Here's what NAPBA has planned for fun in Music City USA!

Monday June 18, 2018

Welcome Reception

Westin L28 Rooftop Bar

807 Clark Pl, Nashville, TN 37203

6:00 to 9:30 pm

Plan to arrive Monday so you can meet and greet fellow NAPBA members at the Welcome reception. This is such a great way to kick off our conference and familiarize yourself with Nashville with spectacular city views from the Westin's newly renovated 28th floor rooftop bar. We're so excited to have such a special venue for our first NAPBA event in Nashville!



Come hungry – plenty of food and adult beverages in true NAPBA tradition.

Tuesday June 19, 2018

Dinner, Music, and a Nashville legend - [George Jones Museum](#) and [Famous Saloon](#)

5:30 – 9:30

[George Jones Museum](#)

128 2nd Ave N, Nashville, TN 37201

5:30 – 6:30

On your way to dinner, stop by the [George Jones Museum](#) where NAPBA members can take a self-guided tour in the museum, which is just small enough to manage in less than an hour, but chock full of country music history and memorabilia. NAPBA members can even partake in a moonshine tasting if you dare; but partake responsibly, as we have a full evening and open bar in store just a few steps down the street at Famous.

Famous Saloon

110 2nd Ave N, Nashville, TN 37201

6:30 – 9:30

Our first offsite dinner event will be at **Famous Saloon** in the heart of The District, where we will have the entire Green Room to ourselves for a cocktail reception and dinner accompanied by live music projected from the first-floor stage. The Green Room is a gorgeous space with views of the city and the Cumberland River. We will have ample time and space to socialize and enjoy Nashville flavors at one of the most "famous" spots in the city, **"Where Nashville Plays"**.



Wednesday June 20, 2018

Dinner & Music

Sambuca Restaurant

601 12th Ave S, Nashville, TN 37203

6:00 – 10:00

Great views, great food, and a side of music. That is what **Sambuca Restaurant** is known for, and is a must-do recommendation by everyone who knows Nashville. Our "Signature Event" dinner and reception will be held in the sky loft, which offers a quiet dining space behind a glass wall as well as loft views of the live music stage below for partying before and after dinner.



You are going to love this place!

Thursday, June 21, 2018

Fun-O-Rama

12:30 pm to ??

The Ryman Auditorium

116 5th Ave N, Nashville, TN 37219

12:30 – 2:15

Our day begins with a tour of Nashville's most revered and iconic sites – the Ryman Auditorium. This isn't just another nightly music venue, and it's so much more than a daytime tourist stop. This place is hallowed ground. This is the exact spot where bluegrass was born, where Johnny Cash met June Carter, and countless careers took off as deals were signed on napkins and paper scraps backstage. It was right here that country music found an audience beyond its own back porch when the Grand Ole Opry put down roots at the Ryman in 1943 and broadcast live radio and TV shows for thirty-one years.

We will have a 30-minute private backstage tour, and then you can explore the rest of the museum on your own.



Music City Pub Crawl

2:30 – 5:00

This is more than just a bar crawl. We mix the fun of a bar crawl, with shots of entertaining history, stir in stories from the city's past, add a splash of silly toasts and talented guides, then garnish with some of the best live music in town, to create a fun and memorable experience.



Even Nashville natives are amazed at the stories they hear. The 2 1/2-hour, guided, walking tour takes place right in the heart of the action of downtown Nashville, along historic 2nd Ave. We stop at 4-6 cool watering holes. At each, you will get a lighthearted look at Music City's past, plus drink specials just for "crawlers".

The tour involves a small amount of walking. Drinking is not required--just a party spirit!

The Southern Steak and Oyster

150 3rd Ave S #110, Nashville, TN 37201

5:00 – 8:30

Dinner

We will close our last day with dinner at The Southern. Located in the heart of downtown Nashville, The Southern features a state-of-the-art, shuck-to-order oyster bar, a real wood-fired grill, locally-grown produce, deliciously tender meats and directly-sourced sustainable seafood. The menu at The Southern is truly *"south of somewhere."*



A stroll back to the hotel will take you right down honky-tonk row, where you can drop in anywhere and hear live music of all kinds (but mostly country).