

**2015 NFPW Conference
Schedule-at-a-Glance**

Time	Event	Location
Sun., Sept. 6 – Wed., Sept. 9		
Sun. meet 7:40 AM (depart 8 AM) Wed. arrive early PM	Optional Pre-Conference tour to Fairbanks and Denali	Meet in Alcove Registration across from Fore Deck Ballroom
Wed., Sept. 9		
4:00 – 7:00 PM	Registration desk open	Alcove Registration
7:30 – 9:30 PM Meet 7 PM Depart 7:15	Optional walking Ghost Tour of Anchorage—walk to Snow City Café for 7:30 PM start of tour	Meet in Alcove Registration
8:00 PM	NFPW elected officers board meeting	President’s Crow’s Nest suite— Tower III
Thurs., Sept. 10 – Logo Day – Wear NFPW logo or purple		
7:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Registration desk open	Alcove Registration
7:30 – 8:30 AM	POPPS meeting (breakfast on your own)	Club Room 1
8:30 AM – noon Meet 8:15 AM	Optional Anchorage City and KTVA TV station tour (Departure can be delayed for those attending POPPS)	Meet in Alcove Registration
8:30 – 11:30 AM	NFPW board, appointed officers, and advisors (breakfast on your own)	Club Room 1
11:30 AM – 1 PM	Lunch on your own	(Hotel or local restaurants)
1:00 – 2:00 PM	NFPW membership milestones/memorial	Mid Deck
2:00 – 4:00 PM	NFPW general membership meeting, election	Mid Deck
3:00 PM	Education Fund Silent Auction Setup	Aft Deck
4:15 – 5:15 PM	State high school contest directors meeting	Club Room 1
5:15 – 6:15 PM	Past president/NFPW elected officer meeting	Club Room 1
7:00 PM	No-host dinners at local restaurants by sign-up (maximum 10 per site)	Sign-up early to get your preferred location and meet at 6:40 in Alcove Registration
Fri., Sept. 11		
7:30 AM – noon	Registration desk open	Alcove Registration
7:45 – 8:15 AM	Continental breakfast	Mid Deck or Fore Deck
8:00 AM – 5 PM	Education Fund Silent Auction	Aft Deck
8:00 – 8:30 AM	Opening/ROTC Color Guard; Mayor’s welcome; Native blessing	Mid Deck
8:30 – 9:15 AM	“Alaska’s History Through Pictures & Film” keynote	Mid Deck
9:30 – 10:30 AM	Choice of three workshops	Endeavor, Adventure, & Quadrant
10:45 – 11:45 AM	Choice of three workshops	Endeavor, Adventure, & Quadrant
Noon – 1:15 PM	Luncheon with “Cultural Diversity and Small-Scale Economies in Alaska: An Introduction to Alaska Native Societies and Cultures and Ongoing Challenges to Their Survival” keynote	Mid Deck
1:30 – 2:30 PM	Choice of three workshops	Endeavor, Adventure, & Quadrant
2:45 – 3:45 PM	Choice of three workshops	Endeavor, Adventure, & Quadrant
3:45 – 4:30 PM	Authors’ tables available to speakers, APC members, and	Alcove Registration

	conference attendees	
4:00 – 5:00 PM	Affiliate presidents meeting	Club Room 1
5:00 – 6:00 PM	Education Fund board meeting	Library
5:00 – 6:00 PM	Affiliate Contest directors meeting	Club Room 1
6:00 – 6:30 PM	COA rehearsal	Mid Deck
6:30 – 7:00 PM	Registration desk open	Alcove Registration
6:30 – 7:00 PM	Reception/no host bar	Mid Deck
7:00 – 10:00 PM	COA Awards dinner	Mid Deck
Sat., Sept. 12		
7:30 – 9:00 AM	Registration open	Alcove Registration
7:45 – 8:15 AM	Continental breakfast	Mid Deck
8 AM – 1:45 PM	Silent auction	Aft Deck
8:00 – 8:30 AM	Welcome and invitation to Kansas 2016 conference	Mid Deck
8:30 – 9:30 AM	“Anchorage’s 100 th Birthday” keynote	Mid Deck
9:45 – 10:45 AM	President’s Roundtable: “Active Voice” and First Steps and Other Interesting First Amendment Challenges. . .	Mid Deck
11:00 AM – noon	New NFPW officer/board meeting	Library
11:00 AM – noon	Choice of three workshops	Endeavor, Adventure, & Quadrant
11:45 AM – 12:15 PM	Registration Desk open	Alcove Registration
12:15 – 1:30 PM	NFPW High School Journalism Awards luncheon with “The World of Social Media; Trying to Break into Journalism in Today’s World” keynote	Mid Deck
1:45 – 2:45 PM	Choice of three workshops	Endeavor, Adventure, & Quadrant
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	“The Future of Communications in our ultra-connected, social media world” keynote	Mid Deck
4:00 – 6:00 PM	Silent Auction Pickup	Aft Deck
4:00 – 4:30 PM	Authors’ tables available to speakers, APC members, and conference attendees	Alcove Registration
4:15 – 5:15 PM	State membership directors meeting	Club Room 1
4:15 – 5:15 PM	Past and future conference host meeting	Club Room 2
5:45 – 6:15 PM	Awards Rehearsal	Mid Deck
6:30 – 7:00 PM	Registration Desk open	Alcove Registration
6:30 – 7:00 PM	Reception/no host bar	Mid Deck
7:00 – 10:00 PM	Communications awards banquet	Mid Deck
Immediately following awards banquet	All are invited to a closing reception hosted by Media Network Idaho to honor American PressWorks and the outgoing NFPW officers.	President’s Crow’s Nest suite— Tower III
Sun., Sept. 13		
Meet 7:55 AM 8:15 AM – 7:30 PM	Optional train trip to Whittier and 26-Glacier Cruise (Breakfast on your own)	Meet in Alcove Registration for round-robin van trips to railroad station