

## 2025 Networking Schedule

### Tuesday, October 14

- 9:00 - 1:00 pm **Maintenance Games** – grab your teammates and see if you can take home the bragging rights (and the trophy).
- 10:00-Noon **TRPA Annual & Board Meeting** Final quarterly meeting of the 2025 TRPA Board of Directors. All 2026 Board Members are invited to join and hear what is being discussed
- 1:00 – 3:00 pm **Opening Session** – Who will take home the LifeTime Membership Award, Distinguished Young Professional, and the Fellow? Be there to find out!
- 3:00 - 3:45 pm **District Meetings**
- 4:00 - 6:00 pm **Innovation Hall Social**, join our sponsors as we get our first looks at what is new in the market to make your jobs easier.
- 6:15-10:00 pm **Opening Event/Dinner in Downtown Kingsport**, including games and fireworks. Don't miss this chance to hang with your peers and catch up with other communities' happenings.
- 10:15 pm **Patio Fireplace Networking/Hangout** Not Ready to Call it a Night? Kick back and relax with a beautiful October night on the patio at MeadowView. Roaring Fires and a few surprises await us.

### Wednesday, October 15

- 8:00-8:20 am **Laughter Yoga with the sponsors & Mr. Cheesecake** Get your blood flowing with Mr Cheesecake as we start our first full day of conference.
- 8:00 – 10:00 am **Breakfast with the Sponsors** Enjoy breakfast with our sponsors. Who knows you could take home a cool prize (you must be present to win).
- 10:15-10:45am Young Professionals Interest Section Meeting
- 10:50-11:20 am Administration Branch Meeting
- 12:30-2:00 pm Lunch on Your Own
- 4:30-5:00 pm Ethnic Minority Interest Section Meeting
- 6:00 pm **Distinguished Young Professionals/Past Presidents/Fellows Event (invite only)**– Hop on the bus and join your peers in a fun evening of fellowship.
- 6:00 pm **Dinner on Your Own** – Expand your posse! Invite a first-time attendee to join you all for dinner on your own. There are some great places to check out in Downtown Kingsport. See the QR code on the sign by registration

### Thursday, October 16

- 8:00-8:30 am Facilities & Parks Branch Meeting
- 8:35-9:05 am Municipal County Interest Section Meeting
- 9:10-9:40 am Programming & Recreation Branch Meeting
- Noon – 2:00 pm Lunch on Your Own
- 4:30-5:00 pm **Awards Social** Grab a quick drink (cash bar) and snack as we head into hear about the best facilities and programs in the state and to see who is taking home the wood this year
- 5:00-6:30 pm **Awards Program**
- 6:30-10:00 pm Fall Festival Closing Party/Dinner** Fall is on our brain as we convene for fun and food at Hunter Write Stadium. Food, music, and games on a beautiful artificial turf field.