

# 2025 Conference Education Programs

## Featured Sessions

- Unlock Potential & Possibility
- Culture of BIG Ideas
- PolitiQ
- Attributes of a Leader
- Online Presence
- Mastering the Art of Persuasion—From Team Huddle to Town Hall
- Are You Prepared for Litigation
- Conflict Resolution



## Facilities & Parks

- Thrilling Nature  
Playgrounds= Positive  
Community Spaces
- Co-existing with Snakes  
for Outdoor Occupations
- Preventive Maintenance  
for Bleachers and Athletic  
Equipment
- Outdoor Adult Fitness  
Parks: Best Practices for  
Promoting Community  
Health by Increasing  
Physical Activity
- Connecting Communities:  
Greenways Across the  
Southeast
- Pat Walding- Tree  
Trimming and Wildflowers
- Weathering the Storm: A  
Roundtable on Disaster  
Response and Recovery in  
the Wake of Hurricane  
Helene
- Blueways TN - A Strategy  
for Recreational River  
Corridors

- Trail Smarts: Maximizing  
Maintenance for a Safer  
and More Rewarding  
Outdoor Experience
- Designing Inclusive  
Outdoor Spaces

## Programming & Recreation

- Feeling Stuck at Work?  
Break Free with the  
Creative Process
- Special Event Planning  
101 vs 2.0
- Expanding Access to  
Summer Meals for  
Children with Parks and  
Recreation Programs
- “Building Belonging: How  
Parks, Programs, and  
Partnerships Support  
Youth and Families in  
Foster Care”
- Esports and Parks and  
Recreation
- Esports and STEM Across  
Generations

- You Can Make It and You  
Can Take It!
- Braves Country Baseball

## Administration

- From Local Knowledge to  
Statewide Strategy:  
Participating in  
Tennessee’s Recreation  
Services Study
- Beyond Pay: Rethinking  
What Truly Drives  
Lifeguard Recruitment and  
Retention
- Making Waves: Balancing  
Stress, Training, and  
Teamwork to Build  
Lifeguard Success!
- MyChattConnect: A Digital  
Bridge for Community  
Engagement and Service  
Access
- Team Work Challenge
- Breaching the Ivory Tower:  
Working with higher  
education on projects and  
experiences that prepare  
future professionals

