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2025 FDCC ANNUAL MEETING

STEIN ERIKSEN LODGE AND THE CHATEAUX AT DEER VALLEY
JULY 28 - AUGUST 2, 2025 | PARK CITY, UTAH

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The FDCC is thrilled to welcome you to Park City, Utah for our 2025 Annual Meeting. Park City is the birthplace of "Freestyle" and is home to world-class ski resorts like Deer Valley and Park City Mountain Resort. The Olympic spirit of perseverance, resilience and the pursuit of excellence is alive and well in Park City, where many Olympians choose to live and train year-round. Much like Olympians who are focused and determined to be the best in their sport, we will come together to learn, grow and inspire each other to do the same in our lives and in our practices.

We will be taking over the Stein Eriksen Lodge and its sister property, the Chateaux at Deer Valley for the meeting. Both are nestled in the mountains and provide 360° mountain splendor at every turn. The Stein Erickson Lodge holds a coveted spot on the *Forbes List for the Most Luxurious Hotels in the World*, and for good reason. The guest rooms are spacious, relaxing and invigorating, with an unmatched view and world class amenities, including a personal hot tub! The Chateaux at Deer Valley offers similar luxury and suites and room arrangements that are perfect for families, and those wanting a little more room.

At the FDCC, we work hard and play hard. We cannot think of a better spot to "Train with Champions," than Park City. Lee Hall has put together a program designed to cultivate and inspire the champion in each of us. Keynote speakers will include David McRaney, author of *How Minds Change*, who will offer techniques for effective persuasion in an increasingly polarizing environment, Justice Elizabeth Walker from the West Virginia Supreme Court, and 2024 ESPN Sports Personality of the Year, Holly Rowe. We will explore the dangers and legal ramifications of deep fakes, train to use cutting-edge technology in trial, navigate the hours, days and weeks immediately following a verdict or crisis, and study the impact of recent Supreme Court decisions on our civil defense practice. Our program will offer you a boot camp of training opportunities with champions from inside and outside the FDCC on cutting edge techniques, legal developments and advocacy.

Afternoons are yours to explore and enjoy the beauty and majesty of the Wasatch Mountains and historic Park City. For the adventurers, you can choose from white water rafting, a day at Olympic Park, an E-Bike mountain tour, ATV's in the mountains, hiking, kayaking and fishing, just to name a few. For our foodies, take a food tour on Main Street, or try a flight and a tour at the High West Distillery. And much,



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much more. Or stay on property and relax at the pools, hot tubs or the world-renowned Spa at the Stein Eriksen Lodge.

Each night you will be treated to stunning views, fresh mountain air and elegant fellowship events. Stein Eriksen Lodge and the Chateaux offer a variety of options to gather and reconnect, and we will provide a Hospitality Suite so you will always have a place to gather. Monday will be low-key with a Welcome Reception at the Stein Eriksen with dine-arounds to follow. On Tuesday, we will host the elegant President's Reception under the stars.

We've scheduled dine-arounds and reserved you a spot at some of Park City's finest restaurants for Monday and Wednesday evening. Shuttles will run on a loop from the hotels, so no need to drive or rent a car. If you prefer to stay in town for an after-dinner drink or live music event, Ubers are always available to get you back to the resort safely and are highly recommended.

On Thursday evening, we will journey offsite to the Utah Olympic Park, which is a centerpiece of Utah's winter sports legacy. Built for the 2002 Winter

Olympics, the park served as a venue for ski jumping, bobsledding, luge, and Nordic combined events. Today, it stands as a training site for athletes for the 2034 Winter Olympics, which are returning to Park City. We will have the run of the Olympic Winter Games Museum, following by a gourmet meal and exciting dinner show. This event will be one to remember!

Our last night will be casual, family-friendly and fun at the Lodge. Think of a backyard party, music and smores in the most beautiful mountain setting you can imagine with your Federation family. No need to dress up, no extra shopping or packing necessary for this low-key night before we all have to return to the hustle and bustle of our daily lives.

Park City is a destination for all of the senses at any age. We can't wait to see you all "Going for Gold" in Park City!

Tiffany and Steve Alexander, Convention Chairs
Lee Hall, Program Chair
Heidi Goebel, President



AGENDA AT A GLANCE

Saturday, July 26

7:00 pm Officers Dinner

Sunday, July 27

10:00 am - 11:00 am Officer's Meeting – President's Suite

11:00 pm - 12:00 pm Executive Committee Meeting –
President's Suite

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm Admissions Committee Meeting

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm Sites Committee Meeting

4:00 pm - 5:30 pm Projects & Objectives Meeting

4:00 pm - 5:30 pm State Representatives Meeting

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm Board Dinner – TBD

Monday, July 28

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration Desk Open

7:00 am - 9:00 am Committee Breakfast

8:00 am - 9:00 am Finance & Budget Meeting

9:00 am - 10:00 am Foundation Meeting

9:00 am - 10:00 am Diversity Meeting

9:00 am - 10:00 am MDC

9:00 am - 10:00 am MRC

10:00 am - 3:00 pm Board of Director's Meeting

4:00 pm - 4:30 pm New Member Reception –
Invitation Only

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm New Member Orientation –
Invitation Only

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm Welcome Reception

9:00 pm - 12:00 am Hospitality/Cash Bar

Tuesday, July 29

7:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration Desk Open

7:00 am - 9:00 am Voucher Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am Grab & Go Breakfast

7:45 am - 8:45 am Section Programming

10:00 am - 11:30 am Spouse Hospitality

9:00 am - 12:00 pm Plenary Session

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Professional Women's
Forum Luncheon

12:30 pm - 5:00 pm Excursions
White Water Rafting
Clay Shooting
Park City Food Tour
E-Bike Mountain Tour
Food & Wine Pairing
Olympic Park Afternoon

7:00 pm - 10:00 pm President's Reception

10:00 pm - 12:00 pm Hospitality Suite/Cash Bar

Wednesday, July 30

7:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration Desk Open

7:00 am - 9:00 am Voucher Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am Grab & Go Breakfast

7:45 am - 8:45 am Section Programming

9:00 am - 12:00 pm Plenary Session

12:30 pm - 5:00 pm Excursions
ATV in the Mountains
Olympic Park Afternoon
Cooking Class
Homestead Crater
Guided Mountain Hike
Kayaking on the Provo River
Tube Float on the Provo River

12:30 pm - 4:30 pm Golf Tournament

5:00 pm - 6:30 pm Happy Hour

7:00 pm - 10:00 pm Dine-Arounds

7:00 pm - 10:00 pm Diversity Dinner

9:00 pm - 11:00 pm Apres' Party

Thursday, July 31

7:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration Desk Open

7:00 am - 9:00 am Voucher Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am Grab & Go Breakfast

7:00 am - 5:00 pm Nominations Committee

7:45 am - 8:45 am Section Programming

9:00 am - 12:00 pm Plenary Session

10:00 am - 11:00 am Book Club

12:30 pm - 5:00 pm Excursions
High West Distillery Tour & Tasting
Fly Fishing
Glass Blowing
White Water Rafting
Horseback Riding
Olympic Park Afternoon

7:00 pm - 10:00 pm Olympic Park Dinner and Show

10:00 pm - 12:00 am Hospitality/Cash Bar

Friday, August 1

7:00 am - 9:00 am Voucher Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am Grab & Go Breakfast

7:45 am - 8:45 am Section Programming

9:00 am - 12:00 pm Plenary Session

12:30 pm - 5:00 pm Excursions
Food & Wine Pairing
ATV in the Mountains
Horseback Riding
Park City Food Tour
Guided Mountain Hike
Kayaking on the Provo River
Tube Float on the Provo River

7:00 pm - 10:00 pm Mountain Mingle Party