

CONVENTION SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13TH

3:00pm – 7:00pm
3:00pm – 7:00pm
6:30pm – 8:00pm

Ice Cream Station
GFIA Registration
Diamond Sponsor Welcome Party
(Diamond Sponsors, Retailers, Wholesalers,
Board of Directors, Board of Trustees)

THURSDAY, JULY 14TH

7:00am – 6:00pm
7:00am – 3:00pm
8:00am – 11:00am
9:00am – 3:00pm
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11:30am – 12:00pm
12:00pm – 4:00pm
5:00pm – 6:30pm
8:00pm – 10:30pm

GFIA Registration
Coffee Station
GFIA Board of Directors Meeting
Ice Cream Station
Snack Shack
Lunch Served 11:30am-1:30pm
GFIEF Board of Trustees Meeting
Preview Silent Auction Items
Wine Tasting
Opening Night
Best Bagger, Silent Auction, Games, Pizza,
Taco Bar and More

FRIDAY, JULY 15TH

7:00am – 1:00pm
7:30am – 9:00am
9:00am – 3:00pm

9:30am – 10:15am

10:30am – 11:30am
11:45am – 12:30pm

1:00pm – 2:00pm

1:00pm – 5:00pm
6:30pm – 7:30pm
7:30pm – 11:00pm

GFIA Registration & Coffee Station
Legislative Breakfast
Snack Shack
Lunch Served 11:30am-1:30pm
Seminar “An Economist’s Predictions for the
Supermarket Industry”
Seminar “Leadership in Today’s Changing Work Force”
Seminar “The Nutty Journey to Revive a 3rd
Generation Business”
Independent Council Luncheon
(Independent Retailers/Wholesalers)
Trade Show Set-Up
Cocktail Party
Dinner Party and Entertainment

SATURDAY, JULY 16TH

8:00am – 9:30am
8:00am – 10:00am
9:45am – 10:00am
10:15am – 11:45am

12:00pm – 1:30pm
6:15pm – 7:15pm

7:00pm – 7:30pm
7:30pm – 10:00pm
10:00pm

Legislative Breakfast
Trade Show Set-Up
Annual Meeting
Decision Maker Exhibit Show
(Retailers and Wholesalers Only)
Trade Show
Diamond Sponsor Cocktail Party
(Diamond Sponsors, Retailers, Wholesalers,
Board of Directors, Board of Trustees)
Chairman’s Cocktail Party
Chairman’s Dinner and Awards Ceremony
Chairman’s Dessert Party