

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Our 2024 GCB Conference and Convention theme is:

“Staying the Course since 1956!”

Hotel Information

We will be holding meetings at the Courtyard Atlanta Conyers hotel in Conyers, Georgia.

Hotel reservations will be at the Courtyard Atlanta Conyers, 1337 Old Covington Hwy SE, Conyers, Georgia 30013. The price per night is \$124.00 plus tax of \$17.90 per room per night. The deadline to receive this group rate is September 23, 2024. Call 770-922-2251, to reserve your room and mention that you are with Georgia Council of the Blind, or click the following link if you are viewing this online:

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1716232557219&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

Registration Details

The registration fee for the 2024 GCB Conference and Convention this year is \$25.00. You can pay through PayPal or Stripe (which includes Apple Pay), with a small service charge at: <https://georgiacounciloftheblind.org/convention> or send a check made out to Georgia Council of the Blind.

Mailed to:

Treasurer, Marsha Farrow at P.O. Box 381, Trion, GA 30753. You may also pay your \$25.00 in person at the registration desk the day of the Conference and Convention; however, the paper registration form or online form for any registration that include meals must be filled out and turned in no later than October 15, 2024. The paper application is at the bottom of this form.

Conference Sponsorships

If you wish to be a convention sponsor, include your donation to the Georgia Council of the Blind in your total amount on your registration form below. Your name will be listed in the conference program as a sponsor.

Application

Note: After you have made all your choices, total them up and put the total at the bottom of the form.

2024 GCB Conference and Convention Registration Form:

Your Name: _____

Address Line 1:

Address Line 2:

City:

State:

Zip Code: _____

Phone #: _____

Email Address:

Select your Program Format:

Email _____

Large Print _____

Braille _____

Registration fee: \$25.00 _____

If you would like to attend virtually only, and receive the zoom link or telephone information to attend, please indicate it here:

I wish to attend online only: Yes:_____ No:_____

Attending in person:

Wednesday Evening, October 23, 2024:

Do you plan to attend the GCB AAVL (Alliance on Aging Vision Loss) bingo with snacks (no charge) at 7:00 PM?

Yes:_____ No:_____

Thursday, October 24, 2024:

Breakfast on Thursday:

Sausage Sandwich, coffee, juice: \$10.50 _____

Egg Sandwich, coffee, juice: \$10.50_____

Lunch on Thursday:

Chick-fil-A Original Sandwich, chips, cookie, water: \$14_____

Chick-fil-A fried nuggets, chips, cookie, water: \$14____

Chick-fil-A veggie wrap, chips, cookie: \$14_____

Banquet Thursday night:

Menu includes a choice of fried chicken tenders, meatloaf, or veggie plated dinners from Cracker Barrel. Meatloaf comes with green beans and mashed potatoes with brown gravy.

Fried chicken tenders come with carrots and mac and

cheese. The veggie plate comes with fried apples, carrots, and green beans. (Please indicate your choice below), with

desserts and fruit provided. Sweet tea, unsweet tea, lemonade, and water will also be available.

Meatloaf with green beans and mashed potatoes:

\$20.00_____

Fried chicken tenders with carrots and mac and cheese:
\$20.00 _____

Veggie plate with fried apples, carrots and green beans:
\$15.00 _____

Please note any allergies or dietary restrictions:

Friday, October 25, 2024:

Breakfast on Friday:

Sausage Sandwich, coffee, juice: \$10.50 _____

Egg Sandwich, coffee, juice: \$10.50 _____

Friday Box lunches from the Sandwich Factory:

Turkey sandwich, chips, cookie, pickle spear: \$14 _____

Roast beef sandwich, chips, cookie, pickle spear: \$14 _____

Salad: \$14 _____

Sponsorship Donations:

I would like to become a sponsor of this year's Conference and Convention by donating to the Georgia Council of the Blind in the amount of:

Bronze sponsor: \$25 _____

Silver sponsor: \$50 _____

Gold sponsor: \$100 _____

Total amount for registration: \$ _____

If you need help registering, please contact:

Cecily Laney Nipper at 470-218-7885 or

roses828@comcast.net.

State Awards

On Saturday, state awards will be given out including the following: Rhoda Walker/Ann Sims Award, Gerald Pye Community Service Award, Walter R. McDonald Award, and June Willis Guiding Eyes Award. To find out how to nominate someone, please see the most recent GCB Digest or contact awards chair, Judy Presley, at 706-400-2185 or via email at Judygpresley23@gmail.com.