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EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

- ▶ Pre-Conference Workshop: Pool Operator Certification Course, in conjunction with the NSPF (additional course fee required)
- ▶ Pre-Conference Workshop: Open Water Rescue Course, in conjunction with Slippery Rock University & New Jersey State Police (additional course fee required)
- ▶ Welcome Reception
- ▶ NDPA Awards Ceremony
- ▶ Evening Networking Reception
- ▶ National Showcase of Programs
- ▶ Exhibit Hall
- ▶ Academic Poster Session
- ▶ JADES Family Breakfast
- ▶ Slippery Rock & IUP Alumni Reception

The National Drowning Prevention Alliance (NDPA) invites you to attend its 9th Annual National Drowning Prevention Symposium in Pittsburgh PA. Hosted by Slippery Rock University, the Symposium will take place at the Sheraton at Station Square April 26-27, 2010 with pre-conference workshops on Sunday, April 25.

The National Drowning Prevention Symposium showcases the best-of-the-best in drowning prevention programs, strategies, and products so that individuals and organizations from across the nation can work together to maximize their efforts to prevent injuries and deaths due to drowning.

The theme of the 2010 Symposium, *A Confluence of Water Safety: Prevention, Outreach & Action*, reminds us all that it takes a multi-faceted approach to truly make advancements in drowning prevention.

Monday's Keynote Speaker, Dr. Frank Pia, will present:



Maximizing the effectiveness of drowning prevention efforts through targeted approaches. Differences in age, gender and developmental stages require different approaches to effectively produce change. Dr. Pia has 32 years of aquatic safety and drowning prevention experience including lifeguard and water safety training.

Tuesday's Keynote Speaker, John Malatak, will present:



We've Learned the Strategies—How Do We Get Results? John, Chief of Program Operations, Boating & Safety Division of the U.S. Coast Guard, is a 1992 inductee into the Lifesaving and Water Safety Hall of Fame. His career with the American Red Cross (ARC) spanned the world. His final position with the ARC was Asst. Director of Health and Safety.

Plenary Speakers include: Kathleen Reilly, Public Affairs Specialist with US CPSC; Jack Wagner, Auditor General for the State of Pennsylvania; John Cruzat, Diversity Specialist with USA Swimming; and Dr. Julie Gilchrist, Medical Epidemiologist with the Centers for Disease Control.

Sponsors Include:



REGISTRATION

The NDPA is pleased to be able to maintain last year's pricing. Online registration will be available soon. Early Bird Deadline is 3/25/10.

FULL TWO-DAY REGISTRATION

- \$199 Early Bird NDPA Member
- \$249 Early Bird Non Member
- \$259 Late NDPA Member
- \$309 Late Non Member

SINGLE DAY REGISTRATION

- \$149 Early Bird NDPA Members
- \$186 Early Bird Non Members
- \$194 Late NDPA Members
- \$231 Late Non Members

LODGING

The Sheraton at Station Square is now taking reservations for Symposium attendees. All reservations should be made by calling (412) 261-2000. Give the group name of "2010 NDPA Symposium" to receive the negotiated group rate. GROUP RATES \$125 per night. Cut-off date for the group rate is 3/25/10.